

# COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

## Course Numbering System

The first digit in a course number indicates the level of the course:

1-99	courses that cannot be counted toward minimum degree requirements
100-199	courses primarily for freshmen
200-299	courses primarily for sophomores
300-499	courses open to juniors and seniors
500A-799A <sup>2</sup>	courses open to students in accelerated master's program for undergraduate credit
500-699 <sup>1</sup>	junior-senior courses approved for graduate credit
700-799 <sup>2</sup>	courses open only to graduate students
800-899	course open only to Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) students

<sup>1</sup> Graduate students in such courses are required to meet expectations beyond those required of undergraduates. These expectations will vary and may include, but are not limited to: additional readings, oral presentations, additional or more sophisticated experiments or research, and additional written work. Students who have taken a course at the 300- or 400-level may not include that course at the 500- or 600- level in a graduate program, except in the case of special topics courses when the topic is not the same as that taken at the undergraduate level or at the discretion of the program advisor.

<sup>2</sup> Students approved for participation in an approved dual bachelor's and master's degree program are eligible to enroll in specific 700-level courses.

## Cross-listed Courses

Courses are cross-listed when the curriculum is interdisciplinary in nature and the course is offered through multiple departments. That is, two course listings identify the same courses. The listings will have identical numbers—only the course prefix varies.

Some certifications, licensures, and programs may require a specific number of credits from certain curricular disciplines. Therefore, students should review program constraints before enrolling for cross-listed courses.

## Course Prefixes

ACCT	Accounting
AIS	American Indian Studies
ANTH	Anthropology
ART	Art
ARTH	Art History
BCOM	Business Communication
BIOL	Biology
BME	Biomedical Engineering
BSAD	Business Administration
CE	Computer Engineering
CHEM	Chemistry
CHIN	Chinese
CJ	Communication/Journalism
CND	Collaborative Nursing Degree

CPSC	Computational Science
CRMJ	Criminal Justice
CS	Computer Science
CSD	Communication Sciences and Disorders
DNCE	Dance
DNP	Doctor of Nursing Practice
DS	Data Science
ECON	Economics
ENGL	English
ENPH	Environmental Public Health
ENT	Entrepreneurship
ENV	Environmental Studies
ES	Education Studies
ESL	English as a Second Language
FIN	Finance
FLG	Foreign Language
FLTR	Foreign Language in Translation
FREN	French
GEN	General Courses
GEOG	Geography
GEOL	Geology
GERM	German
GRK	Greek
HCAD	Health Care Administration
HIST	History
HMNG	Hmong
HNRS	Honors Colloquium
HUMS	Humanities
INTB	International Business
IS	Information Systems
IDIS	Interdisciplinary Studies
INTA	International Studies Abroad
INTS	International Studies
INTX	International Studies Exchange
JAPN	Japanese
KINS	Kinesiology
LANG	Languages
LAS	Latin American and Latinx Studies
LAT	Latin
LMED	Library Science and Media Education
LS	Liberal Studies
MATH	Mathematics
MBA	Master of Business Administration
MGMT	Management
MKTG	Marketing
MSCI	Materials Science
MSE	Materials Science and Engineering
MSL	Military Science and Leadership
MUED	Music Education
MUSI	Music
NRSNG	Nursing
OSCM	Operations and Supply Chain Management

PHIL	Philosophy
PHYS	Physics
POLS	Political Science
PSYC	Psychology
PH	Public Health
PSAS	Professional Studies Arts and Sciences
RELS	Religious Studies
RUSS	Russian
SEIP	Special Education and Inclusive Practices
SOC	Sociology
SPAN	Spanish
SPED	Special Education
SW	Social Work
THEA	Theatre Arts
UEC	Unified Early Childhood
UEM	Unified Elementary/Middle
UWX	UW Collaborative Online A.A.S. Degree
WGSS	Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
WMNS	Women's Studies
WRIT	Writing

## Abbreviations in Course Descriptions

cr(s)	semester credit(s)
Arr	hours arranged
F, Wi, Sp, Su, V	The semester or session when a course is likely to be offered: Fall, Winterim, Spring, Summer, or Varies (inquire in department)
iBT	internet based test
GPA	grade point average
P	prerequisite(s) to the course
PR	Progress (Grad Only)
S/U	Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory

## Special Program and Course Fees Abbreviations

CND	BSN Completion Program Fee
CSDMSOL	Master of Science, Communication Sciences and Disorders, Online
DNP	DNP Program Fee
HCAD	HCAD Program Fee

## Category Abbreviations

### General

AC	Activity
CP	Capstone
FYE	Freshman Year Experience
HONOR	Honors Course
IN	Internship
LS	Lab Science
NF	New Freshman

### Liberal Education

LE-DDIV	LE-DDIV Design for Diversity
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LE-I1	LE-I1 Integration
LE-K1	LE-K1 Natural Sciences
LE-K1L	LE-K1L Natural Sciences with Lab
LE-K2	LE-K2 Social Sciences
LE-K2L	LE-K2L Social Sciences with Lab
LE-K3	LE-K3 Humanities
LE-K4	LE-K4 Fine Arts
LE-R1	LE-R1 Equity, Diversity, and Inclusivity
LE-R2	LE-R2 Global Perspectives
LE-R3	LE-R3 Civic and Environmental Issues
LE-S1	LE-S1 Written and Oral Communication
LE-S2	LE-S2 Mathematics
LE-S3	LE-S3 Creativity
SL-Full	Service-Learning, full 30 hours
SL-Half	Service-Learning, half 15 hours
SL-Optional	Service-Learning, Optional, up to 30 hours
SL-Optional/Half	Service-Learning Optional, half/up to 15 hours
SL-Variable	Service-Learning, variable credit

### General Education

CD1	Cultural Diversity, one credit
CD2	Cultural Diversity, two credits
CD3	Cultural Diversity, three credits
CD-Variable	Cultural Diversity, variable credit
FC	Foreign Culture
GE-IA	General Education-Communication/Language Skills
GE-IB	General Education-Communication/Analytical Skill
GE-IC	General Education-Interdisciplinary Studies
GE-IIA-F	General Education - Natural Sciences
GE-IIIA-G	General Education - Social Sciences
GE-IVA-E	General Education - Humanities
GE-V	General Education - University Wide
PA	Physical Activity
SL-Full	Service-Learning, full 30 hours
SL-Half	Service-Learning, half 15 hours
SL-Optional	Service-Learning, Optional, up to 30 hours
SL-Optional/Half	Service-Learning Optional, half/up to 15 hours
SL-Variable	Service-Learning, variable credit
W	Wellness

### UW Collaborative Online Associate of Arts and Sciences Degree Program Attributes

HC	Knowledge of Human Cultures
NW	Knowledge of the Natural World
CC	Critical and Creative Thinking
EC	Effective Communication
IK	Intercultural Knowledge and Competence
ER	Individual, Social and Environmental Responsibility
ES	Ethnic Studies/Diversity
LS	Lab Science
QL	Quantitative Literacy

DEPTH Combined with another course fulfills depth requirement

## Grading Basis

"All Grades," which is defined as A-F Grades, Audit Allowed, and S/U Allowed, is the typical Grading Basis for the majority of courses in this catalog, and is not specified explicitly in catalog course descriptions. Exceptions to "All Grades" are specified explicitly in the catalog course descriptions as follows:

Grading Basis	Grading Basis Definition
A-F Grades Only	A-F Grades Only, Audit Not Allowed, Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory (S/U) Not Allowed
No Audit	Audit Not Allowed
No S/U Grade Option	Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory (S/U) Not Allowed
S/U Only Grade Basis	Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory (S/U) Grades Only