

Western Carolina University
FALL 2025 LIBERAL STUDIES CHECK-SHEET
(Courses are 3 credit hours unless noted otherwise.)

Please refer to the schedule of classes for the most current information regarding Liberal Studies course offerings and availability. Courses that meet Liberal Studies requirements may be found using the Advanced Search option in the schedule of classes in myWCU. Attribute = LibStdy.

P4. Humanities, 3 hours

ECON 344 Ethics of Capitalism
ENGL 207 Popular Literature & Culture
ENGL 209 Past Times: Literature & History
ENGL 278 Introduction to Film Studies
ENGL 333 Introduction to Shakespeare
ENGL 368 Film Genres
HIST 271 Religion in America
HIST 281 Transformations in European Religious History
LAW 201 Individual Rights
LAW 412 Business Ethics & Corporate Responsibility
PAR 101 Western Philosophical Traditions
PAR 102 Western Moral Traditions
PAR 121 Religious Ethics: Global Faiths & Moral Problems
PAR 146 Judaism, Christianity & Islam
PAR 250 Origins of Early Christianity
PAR 304 Ancient Greek and Roman Thought
PAR 309 Philosophy in & of Film
PAR 313 Philosophy of Law
PAR 315 Philosophy of Mind
PAR 319 Philosophy of Race
PAR 320 Classics
PAR 330 Wilderness: Ethics and Aesthetics in the American Landscape
PAR 332 Biomedical Ethics: Healthcare & Social Justice
PRM 365 Nature Rx
SM 340 Sport Ethics

P5. Fine & Performing Arts, 3 hours

ART 104 Introduction to the Visual Arts
DA 259 Dance Appreciation
FPA 101 Experiencing the Arts
FTP 340 Filmmakers on Filmmaking
IDES 250 Introduction to Interior Design
MUS 101 Music Appreciation
MUS 102 Music in American Culture
MUS 300 Country Music: A Cultural & Stylistic History
MUS 304 Jazz Appreciation
THEA 104 The Theatre Experience

P6. World Cultures, 3 hours

Satisfied if student passes Modern Foreign Language (MFL) 101, 102, 140, 231, 232, 240, or 301. Only three credit hours earned in MFL apply to P6 category.

ANTH 120 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
CHER 101 Experiencing Cherokee & the Cherokee-Speaking World
CM 365 Construction and Culture
COMM 415 Intercultural Communication
ENGL 366 Literature and Immigration
ENGR 365 Global Engineering & Technology
ENVH 210 Introduction to Global Health
FREN 101 Beginning French I
GEOG 103 Cultural Geography
GEOG 440 Explorations in Regional Geography
GER 101 Beginning German I
HT 238 Travel and Tourism
JPN 101 Beginning Japanese