

Davis & Elkins College™

Department of History BA Four-Year Degree Plan (History)

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Year 1

Fall		Winter		Spring	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
HIST 103 US History I	3	GES 175 First-Year Symposium	3	HIST 104 US History II	3
HIST 105 History of Civilization I	3			HIST 106 History of Civilization II	3
ENGL 101A College Writing I	3			Literature	3
GES 105: First Year Seminar	3			PHED 102 Wellness Education	1
MATH 101 Intro to Math (or higher)	3			Quantitative Reasoning	3
				Minor Elective	3
Total	15		3		16

Year 2

Fall		Winter		Spring	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
COMM 107A Intro Public Speaking	3			HIST 252 Vietnam	3
POLS 100A American Government	3			PHED 103 Fitness Activities	1
Natural Science w/ lab	4			HIST 251 Southern History	3
ENGL 102A College Writing II	3			POLS 204 Comparative Politics	3
Social Science elective	3			PHL/RELG elective	3
				Fine Art elective	3
Total	16				16

Year 3

Fall		Winter		Spring	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
HIST 310 The Sixties	3			HIST 290 Historiography and Methods	3
Gen Ed elective	3			POLS 206 Intro to International Relations	3
Minor elective	3			HIST 280 Life in the Ancient World	3
HIST 250 History of Early 20 th Century Ireland	3			POLS 233A Political and Social Thought	3
HIST 254 The Holocaust	3			Minor elective	3
Total	15				15

Year 4

Fall		Winter		Spring	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
HIST 307 US Political History 1945	3			HIST 305 American Diplomatic History	3
POLS 304 Political Action	3			POLS 415 American Political Thought	3
HIST elective	3			Minor elective	3
GEOG 204 World Geography	3			HIST 498 Senior Seminar	3
Minor elective	3			Minor elective	3
Total	15				15

Notes:

This plan is not a contract curriculum and can change.

If you do not take any optional winter term classes, and you elect to take the lowest recommended number of credits each semester, you will not have enough credits to graduate in four years. You need a total of 124 credits, not including FND courses.

History majors must declare a minor selected outside of the discipline.

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HIST 103 US History I	3	GES 175	3	HIST 104 US History II	3
HIST 105 History of Civilization I	3	First-Year Symposium		HIST 106 History of Civilization II	3
ENGL 101A College Writing I	3			Literature	3
EDUC 100 The School in American Society	3			EDUC 120 Education Technology	3
EDUC 100L Lab	1			PSYC 217 Adolescent Development	3
MATH 101 Intro to Math (or higher)	3			PHED 102 Wellness Education	1
Total	16		3		16

Year 2

Fall		Winter		Spring	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
COMM 107A Intro to Public Speaking	3			HIST elective	3
POLS 100A American Government	3			EDUC 212 Inclusive and Collaborative Methods	1
Natural Science w/ lab	4			EDUC 209 Educational Psychology	3
ENGL 102A College Writing II	3			POLS 204 Comparative Politics	3
EDUC 210 The Exceptional Child	3			PHL/RELG elective	3
PHED 103 Fitness Activities	1			Fine Art elective	3
Total	17				18

Year 3

Fall		Winter		Spring	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
HIST 211 WV History	2	EDUC 271	3	HIST 290 Historiography and Methods	3
ECON 105 Intro to Macroeconomics or 106 Intro to Microeconomics	3	Diversity in Education		POLS 206 Intro to International Relations	3
SOCI 101 Intro to Sociology	3			HIST elective	3
HIST elective	3			EDUC 313 Teaching Social Studies to Secondary Students	3
HIST elective	3			EDUC 334A Reading and Writing in the Content Areas	3
				SOCI 221 or 223	3
Total	15		3		18

Year 4

Fall		Winter		Spring	
Course	Credits	Course	Credits	Course	Credits
HIST elective	3			EDUC 492A Student Teaching 5-9	6
EDUC 467 Methods and Materials 5-Adult	3			EDUC 493A Student Teaching 9-12	6
Quantitative Reasoning	3			EDUC 494A Portfolio and Performance Assessment	3
GEOG 204 World Geography	3				
Social Science 200+	3				
HIST 498 Senior Seminar	3				
Total	18				15

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