Curriculum for the Bachelor of Arts Liberal Studies 2014-2015

This curriculum reflects course suggestions to fulfill requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree at UM-Tupelo. Degree and admission requirements are subject to change. This curriculum may not reflect the requirements of Associate of Arts programs at BSCC. Consult your academic advisor for Associate’s degree requirements.

Freshman/Sophomore courses available at Bevill State Community College

Core Curriculum – 54 hours

English – 12 hours

______, _______ ENG 101, 102 English Composition I, II
______, _______ Literature – Choose any two literature survey courses.
        ENG 251, ENG 252, ENG 261, ENG 262, ENG 271, ENG 272

Modern or Ancient Language – 12 hours

______, _______, _______ Spanish I-IV. Liberal Arts majors must complete six hours at the sophomore level or above in one modern or ancient language to fulfill the language requirement. Freshman level courses may be used as elective credit.

History – 6 hours

______, _______ Choose any two. HIS 101, HIS 102, HIS 201, HIS 202

Humanities – 3 hours

_______ PHL 106, PHL 206, REL 100, REL 151, REL 152

Fine Arts – 3 hours

_______ Choose one course from ART, MUS, THR. (Note: Must be an appreciation course)
        ART 100, ART 203, MUS 101, THR 120

Public Speaking – 3 hours

_______ SPH 107 Fundamentals of Public Speaking

Mathematics – 3 hours

_______ MTH 112 College Algebra or MTH 113, MTH 115, MTH 120, MTH 125

Natural Sciences with labs – 12 hours

Complete a full year of science course work in one subject area (8 hrs.) and complete 3-4 credit hours in a subject area from another department. (Example- Bio I & II with labs and one PHY course)

_______, _______, _______ Choose appropriate combination of BIO, CHM, or PHY courses with labs.
        BIO 103, BIO 104, BIO 201, BIO 202, CHM 104, CHM 105,
        CHM 111, CHM 112, GLY 101, GLY 102, PHS 111, PHS 112,
        PHY 201, PHY 202

Social Sciences – 6 hours

_______, _______ Choose any two courses from ECO 231, ECO 232, POL 211, PSY 200, 210, SOC 200.
The Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies degree consists of three minors. Two of the selected minors must be from departments and programs within the College of Liberal Arts. Students must complete at least twelve hours at the 300-level or above in each of the selected minors and must achieve a grade of C or better in each course in the selected minors. 6 hours in each selected minor must be in residence.

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**Electives to complete 124 hours:**

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An area of emphasis must include the following:

- All the requirements to satisfy the minor in that department
- At least 12 hours of 300- or 400-level courses
- A minimum grade of “C” on all courses in the area
- No more than one-half of your degree may be community college hours (60 hours).
- At least 120 semester hours with passing grades must be completed for any Liberal Arts degree.
- Choose electives carefully to make sure that a minimum of 40 hours of course work--at least one-third of the hours applied toward a degree--is at the 300-level or above.
- You must attain a GPA of 2.00 or better on all work attempted, as well as all work attempted at The University of Mississippi.

Minors offered at UM-Tupelo within the College of Liberal Arts: English, History, Psychology, and Sociology. Minors offered outside the College of Liberal Arts: Accountancy or Business. Contact a UM-Tupelo admissions counselor regarding other minor options.