GENERAL EDUCATION CHECKLIST

General Education courses are required of all students regardless of the area in which they plan to major. Beginning freshmen should choose their first semester of course work from this list of courses. Freshmen Orientation and English ARE REQUIRED during your first semester of college. (Business & Education Majors must complete a minimum of 48 and 50 hours of General Education respectively).

REQUIREMENT	MET
University Studies (3 hours)	
UNIV 1002 University Strategies	____
UNIV 2091 Capstone	____
Written & Oral Communication (9 hours)	
ENGL 1113 Fresh Comp I	____
ENGL 1213 Fresh Comp II	____
Choose ONE course from the following:	
COMM 1113 Fund of Communication	____
COMM 3213 Public Speaking	
COMM 3223 Bus and Prof Speaking	
COMM 3303 Group Dynamics	

Humanities (6 hours)

Culture and Ideas

Choose ONE course from the following:

	MET
HIST 1113 Early Western Civilization	____
HUM 2113 General Humanities I	
HUM 2223 General Humanities II	
PHIL 1013 Introduction to Philosophy	
ENGL 2113 Introduction to Literature	

Fine Arts Appreciation

 Choose ONE course from the following:

	MET
HUM 2333 Art Appreciation	____
MUS 2543 Music Appreciation	
MUS 2863 World Music	
THTR 2763 Theatre Appreciation	
THTR 2843 Film Appreciation	

If the student has completed 6 hours of required Humanities courses at a transfer institution, then s/he has fulfilled NSU's Humanities requirements.

Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)

	MET
POLS 1113 Amer Fed Govt	____
HIST 1483 Am Hist 1492-1876 OR	____
HIST 1493 Am Hist since 1876	
Choose ONE course from the following:	____
GEOG 2243 Fundamentals of Geography	
SOC 1113 Intro to Sociology	
PSYC 1113 Intro to Psychology	
ECON 2213 Microeconomics	
ECON 2313 Macroeconomics	

Natural Sciences (7-9 hours)

At least one course from the biological or physical sciences must include a lab.

Biological Sciences (3-4 hours)

	MET
BIOL 1114 General Biological Science	____
BIOL 1113 General Biology Lecture	
BIOL 1111 General Biology Lab	

(above recommended for non-science majors)

BIOL 1123 Evolution and Diversity	
BIOL 1131 Investigative Laboratory	
BIOL 3413 Environmental Problems	

Physical Sciences (3-5 hours)

	MET
SCI 1114 General Physical Science	____
SCI 1113 General Physical Science Lecture	
SCI 1111 General Physical Science Lab	

(above recommended for non-science majors)

A course in CHEM or PHYS

REQUIREMENT	MET
Quantitative Analysis (3 hours)	____

Choose ONE course from the following:

MATH 1473 Applied Math

MATH 1513 College Algebra (This course may be required for some majors)

An advanced course in mathematics, statistics, or computer programming

Life Skills (6 hours)

Choose ONE course from the following:

	MET
H ED 1113 Personal Health, OR	____
HFS 1653 Basic Nutrition	

Select 3 hours from the following:

	MET
FIN 2113 Personal Financial Planning	____
HFS 3113 Consumer Issues	
HFS 1103 Relationships and Marriage	
PSYC 1003 Intro to Human Behavior	

CS 1003/IS 1003 Computers in Modern Society or a more advanced CS/IS course

EDUC 4823 Technology in Education (This course is designed for education majors.)

H ED 2212 First Aid

P ED 4741 CPR Training

LIBM 4611 Electronic Information Retrieval

Any military science leadership, physical education activity, and/or performance-based arts course(s).

Global Perspectives (6 hours)

Select ONE course from TWO different categories for a total of 6 credit hours, OR take two consecutive courses of the same language from the second-language category.

	MET
Second Language (1113 or higher): Spanish, French, German, Cherokee, Japanese, Chinese, Russian, New Testament Greek, Latin, or American Sign Language.	____
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American Indian Studies

ANTH 2223 Introduction to American Indian Studies

CHER 4113 Cherokee Cultural Heritage

HIST 3723 History of the American Indian

Geography

GEOG 2253 World Regional Geography

GEOG 2003 Global Studies

GEOG 2133 Global Economic Geography

Political Science

POL 2313 Introduction to International Relations

POL 2353 Introduction to Comparative Politics

Literature, Customs, and Beliefs

REL 2553 Comparative Religions

HFS 3653 Food and Culture

ENGL 3413 World Literature

Computer Proficiency

Students must demonstrate computer proficiency, which includes the competent use of a variety of software and networking applications.

Students may complete the requirement through one of three options:

1. Successfully completing a high school computer science course that meets the State Regents' high school curricular requirements; OR
2. Satisfying NSU's computer proficiency assessment; OR
3. Successfully completing CS 1003/IS 1003 Computers in Modern Society or EDUC 4823 Technology in Education (for education majors).

Students should complete this requirement in their first 30 hours of course work.