## Advising Guides for Freshman & Sophomores

## Bachelor of Arts in Gender & Sexuality Studies

This is based on the 2023-2024 Academic Year and is based on successful completion of 12 hours a semester with summers. Students must choose the Social Science Focus Area. Refer to the document "General Education Requirements for General Studies Students – First Year Students" for details on the required general education courses for each cohort. For all general education courses, you must earn a "C" or better. Students with Advanced Placement or other approved transfer and early college coursework need to contact their advisor right away so that you don't duplicate credits.

Level	Fall	Spring	Summer
Freshman	ENGL-1000 (3) COUN-1008 (1) FYS-1001 (3) MATH Course (3) GNSX-2100 (3) Total – 13	ENGL-1010 (3) Fine Arts (3) Life Sciences (3) Elective (3) Total – 12	Social Science (3) Humanities/Fine Arts (3) Total – 6
Sophomore	Social Science (3) Physical Science (4) Elective (2)	GNSX-3500 (3) Selectives (6) Electives (3)	Electives (6) Total – 6
	Total – 12	Total – 12	
Junior	GNSX-3099 (3) Junior Seminar Selective (6) Electives (3)	Selectives (6) GNSX Electives (6)	Elective (6) Total – 6
		Total – 12	
	Total – 12		
Senior	GNSX Electives (6) Electives (6) Total – 12	GNSX-4900 (3) Senior Capstone Elective (9)	Elective (5) Total - 5
		Total – 12	

## **Minimum Total 120**

Students must earn a "C" or better in all general education courses. See program advisor for Selective and GNSX Elective options.

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