

Core Competencies (up to 6 hours)

- First Year Writing: ENGW 103
- Oral Communication: COMM 101 or 252 (2 hrs)

Note:

A competency exams is available for Oral Communication.
Variations may occur when requirements are met through testing and/or transfer credit.

Shared Core (common courses) (18 hours)

- First Year Seminar: Enduring Questions (CORE 101, 4 hours)
- Old Testament (4 hrs) - BITH 211, ARCH 211, or BITH 221
- New Testament (4 hrs) - BITH 213, or ARCH 213
- Christian Thought: BITH 315
- Advanced Integrative Seminar (See Thematic Core requirements below to fulfill AIS)
- Senior Capstone (MUCS 494, 2 hours)
(Exceptions: Elective Studies in Third World Studies will take HNGR 494; BME will take EDUC 494)

Note:

Shared Core courses are expected to be completed at Wheaton College. (Transfer students who have taken in-person courses as residential CCCU school student may meet 2 of the BITH requirements with transfer credit.)

Thematic Core (common outcomes)

Fulfill the requirements below. One of the courses must be an Advanced Integrative Seminar (AIS), and it is advised to select double-tagged courses.

Category I (Choose one theme from this category)

- Diversity in the United States – DUS
- Global Perspectives – GP

Category II (Choose two themes from this category)

- Applied Abstract and Quantitative Reasoning - AAQR
- Historical Perspectives – HP
- Literary Explorations – LE
- Philosophical Investigations – PI
- Scientific Issues and Perspectives – SIP
- Scientific Practice – SP
- Social Inquiry – SI

Visual and Performing Arts (Choose one theme from this category) (2 hrs)

- Visual and Performing Arts – Art - VPAV
- Visual and Performing Arts – Theater – VPAT

Note:

No more than one theme may be met with transfer credit. Transfer courses will receive one tag only.
Some Wheaton courses will have more than one tag.
Up to 3 tags may be applied to meet both Thematic Core requirements and major requirements.

* For more details, see specific degree requirements: <https://catalog.wheaton.edu/undergraduate/music/degree-programs/>