

2024 - 2025 Old Dominion University Catalog

Bachelor of Science (BS) Interdisciplinary Studies with a Major in Leadership

Sample four year curriculum with a suggested ordering of courses. Students may re-order as needed.

** indicates not automatically waived with transferrable associates degree, C or better required for transfer.*

Courses in green are waived by the completion of an Associate degree (Not eligible for Applied Associate degrees).

YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (30 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)

General Education Courses:

ENGL 110C
 Interpreting the Past
 Human Creativity
 Oral Communication
 Language & Culture I *If satisfied in high school, take a major course listed under summer semester*

VCCS Equivalency:

ENG 111*
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SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)

General Education Courses:

Mathematical Skills
 Info Literacy and Research
 Philosophy and Ethics**
 Literature
 Language & Culture II *If satisfied in high school, take a major course listed under summer semester*

VCCS Equivalency:

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YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (32 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)

General Education Courses:

ENGL 211C
 Nature of Science I
 Human Behavior
 Elective (see catalog)
 Elective (see catalog)

VCCS Equivalency:

ENG 112 or 210*
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SPRING SEMESTER (16 credits)

General Education Courses:

Impact of Technology***
 Nature of Science II
 Elective (see catalog)
 Elective (see catalog)
 Elective (see catalog)

VCCS Equivalency:

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YEAR 3 -JUNIOR (30 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)

Major Content Requirements:

IDS 300W
Ethical Leadership Course (see catalog)
Communication Skills and L. Course (see catalog)
Legal Issues Course (see catalog)
 ENGL/IDS 307T, IDS 368 or 494, or IDS 493

VCCS Equivalency:

Major Content Requirements:

Ethical Leadership Course (see catalog)
Communication Skills and L. Course (see catalog)
Legal Issues Course (see catalog)
 Leadership Elective (see catalog)
 Leadership Elective (see catalog)

VCCS Equivalency:

YEAR 4 - SENIOR (28 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (13 credits)

Major Content Requirements:

Leadership Elective (see catalog)
 Electives (see catalog) (10 credits)

VCCS Equivalency:

SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)

Major Content Requirements:

ENGL/IDS 307T, IDS 368 or 494, or IDS 493
 Electives (see catalog) (12 credits)

VCCS Equivalency:

Note: Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, 120 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 30 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours of upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University, completion of ENGL 110C, ENGL 211C or 221C or 231C, and the writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better, and completion of Senior Assessment.

***Can be met by PHIL 303E.*

****Impact of Technology can be met by ENGL/IDS 307T, IT 360T or STEM 370T*

Upper-Division General Education is met in the major.

This four-year plan is a suggested curriculum to complete this degree program in four years. It is just one of several plans that will work and is presented only as broad guidance to students. Each student is strongly encouraged to develop a customized plan in consultation with their academic advisor. Additional information can also be found in Degree Works.