UCC for Honors College Students

Below are the complete University Core Curriculum requirements for students in the Honors College program. HONR 202 or 203 satisfies the UCC writing emphasis requirement. Tier 3 requirements are met with HONR 499 Senior Honors Project, typically completed in the senior year.

FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS

Written Communication
English sequence is determined by placement.
Complete one option:
  ENG 103* Rhetoric and Writing (3)
  104* Composing Research (3)
  OR
  ENG 114* Composing Research, Honors College (3)

Oral Communication
COMM 210 Fundamentals of Public Communication (3)

History
Select one option:
  HIST 150 The West in the World (3)
  OR
  HIST 151 World Civilization 1 (3) and
  152 World Civilization 2 (3)

Mathematics
The appropriate math course is determined by placement and major requirement. Depending on major selection, students may be required to take a math placement exam and/or prerequisite math courses.
Select one course:
  MATH 125 Mathematics and Its Applications (3)
  126* Brief Calculus (3)
  161* Applied Calculus 1 (3)
  165* Calculus 1 (4)
  201* Number, Algebra, and Probability for the Elementary Teacher (4)
  207* Mathematics for the Teacher of the Exceptional Learner (4)

Personal Finance
Select one course:
  FIN 101 Personal Finance for Fiscal Wellness (1)
  102 Personal Finance (3)

Physical Fitness/Wellness
Students needing special accommodations or with special circumstances may take PFW 101 and 102, 105, 160, 161 and 162.
Select one course:
  PFW 100 Physical Conditioning (2)
  103 Walking (2)
  104 Jogging (2)
  117 Aqua Fitness (2)
  148 Group Fitness (2)
  217 Swimming (2)

*Major restriction, class restriction, permission restriction, or prerequisite required.

TIER 1: DOMAIN REQUIREMENTS

Fine Arts
Select one course:
  AHS 100 Introduction to Art (3)
  101* History of Art Survey 1 (3)
  DANG 100 Introduction to Dance History (3)
  MUHI 100 Introduction to Music (3)
  139 Perspectives of Jazz (3)
  330* Music History (3)
  MUST 100 Fundamentals of Music Theory (3)
  THEA 100 Introduction to Theatre (3)

Humanities
Select one course:
  HONR 201* Inquiries in the Ancient World (3)

Natural Sciences
Select one course:
  ANTH 105 Introduction to Biological Anthropology (3)
  ASTR 100 Introductory Astronomy: A Study of the Solar System and Beyond (3)
  120* The Sun and Stars (3)
  BIO 100 Biology for a Modern Society (3)
  111 Principles of Biology 1 (4)
  112 Principles of Biology 2 (4)
  CHEM 100 People and Chemistry (3)
  101 General, Organic, and Biochemistry for the Health Sciences (5)
  CHEM 111* General Chemistry 1 (4)
  GEOG 101 Earth, Sea, and Sky: A Geographic View (3)
  GEOL 101 Planet Earth’s Geological Environment (3)
  HSC 160 Fundamentals of Human Health (3)
  NREM 101 Environment and Society (3)
  PHYC 100 Conceptual Physics (3)
  101 Physical Science Concepts for Teachers (3)
  110* General Physics 1 (4)
  120* General Physics 1 (5)

Social Sciences
Select one course:
  HONR 189* Inquiries in Global Studies (3)

TIER 2: DOMAIN REQUIREMENTS

Many Tier 2 courses have prerequisites and/or restrictions to specific majors/minors. Please consult the Ball State catalog (bsu.edu/catalog) for additional information.

Fine Arts, Design, and Humanities
Select both courses. Either course will satisfy the writing emphasis requirement.
  HONR 202* Inquiries in the Middle Ages, Renaissance, Enlightenment (3)
  203* Inquiries in the Nineteenth, Twentieth, and Twenty-first Centuries (3)

Natural and Social Sciences
Select HONR 199 and one other course:
  HONR 199* Inquiries in Contemporary American Civilization (3)
  296* Inquiries in the Physical Sciences (3)
  297* Inquiries in the Earth Sciences (3)
  298* Inquiries in the Life Sciences (3)

TIER 3: CAPSTONE COURSE/EXPERIENCE

HONR 499 Senior Honors Project (3)

Writing Proficiency Program Requirement

All baccalaureate students must satisfy the writing proficiency requirement prior to graduation. During your junior year (60-89 completed credits), you may satisfy the requirement through successful completion of WPP 392 Writing Proficiency Examination, WPP 393 Writing Proficiency Course, or WPP 394 Writing Proficiency Seminar.

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