



ASSUMPTION COLLEGE

CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS

Assumption College's core curriculum introduces students to an array of disciplines and is the foundation of our richly diverse Catholic liberal arts education. Students are exposed to a depth and breadth of knowledge that encourages critical thinking and problem solving, as well as developing writing, reading and quantitative skills. You can view Assumption's complete course catalog online at www.assumption.edu/academics/coursecatalog.aspx.

WRITING (1 Course +)

ENG130 English Composition

Writing Emphasis (WE)

Not a course: a quality attached to one

PHILOSOPHY (2 Courses)

PHI100 Introduction to Philosophy

2nd Philosophy

PHI200 / PHI201 / PHI202 / PHI204 / PHI205 / PHI206

THEOLOGY (2 Courses)

THE100 The Bible

2nd Theology

THE201 / THE202 / THE203 / THE204 / THE205
THE206 / THE207

LITERATURE (1 Course)

Introduction to Literature

LTC140 Classical literature (Greek and Roman) taught in English

LTC140 World literature taught in English

LTE140 Anglophone literature taught in English

FRE140 French literature taught in French

ITA140 Italian literature taught in Italian

SPA140 Spanish literature taught in Spanish

HISTORY (1 Course)

HIS114 / HIS115

West and the World I or II

HIS116 / HIS117

History of Western Civilization I or II

HIS118 / HIS119

History of Modern Europe & the U.S. I or II

HUMANITIES (2 Courses – 1 Course in 2 Areas)

3rd Philosophy or 3rd Theology

Any third course in either field

2nd History

A second history course **MUST** be the other half of the set:
HIS114-115 / HIS116-117 / HIS118-119

2nd Literature (Upper Level)

Any **Literature** course numbered between ENG221-295
or ENG320-395. Be creative.

Any **Comparative Literature** course taught in English,
other than LTE140

Any **Literature in a Language** (FRE, ITA, SPA, GRE, LAT)
other than 140

College Honors Program

HON100

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ART, MUSIC, and THEATRE ARTS (1 Course)

Art	ART101 / ART106 / ART111 / ART115 / ART121 / ART122 ART123 / ART124 / ART130 / ART150 / ART151 / ART223 ART224 / ART231 / ART232
Music	MUS101 / MUS120 / MUS122 / MUS124 / MUS125 MUS193 (3 times) / MUS195 (3 times) / MUS196 (3 times) MUS229 / MUS233
Theatre Arts	THA286 / THA387

MATH / NATURAL SCIENCE / FOREIGN LANGUAGE (3 Courses in 2 Areas)

If only one course is taken in an area, it must be option A

Mathematics	A. MAT114 (or higher) B. 2 nd Math must be higher level than A Statistics – either ECO115 or PSY265 Any Computer Science course
Natural Science with a Lab	A. For non-science majors: BIO102 / BIO103 / BIO105 / BIO140 CHE105 / PHY111 / PHY112 / ENV120 / ENV150 For science majors: BIO160 / CHE131 / ENV120 / ENV150 / PHY201
Natural Science with or without a Lab	B. 2 nd course in Natural Sciences, or ANT130 GEO100 / GEO101 / GEO103 / PSY351
Foreign Language	A. Level III or higher B. Must be higher level than A If two are taken, Level II paired with Level III is OK

SOCIAL SCIENCE (3 Courses – 1 Course in 3 Areas)

Anthropology	ANT131 / ANT132
Economics	ECO110
Education	EDU201
Geography	Any Geography (GEO) course
Latin American Studies	LAS200
Linguistics	LIN101 / LIN211 / LIN221 / LIN231
Political Science	FY and SOPH: POL110 / POL150 / POL151 / POL201 POL203 / POL205 / POL207 JRS and SRS: any POL course
Psychology	PSY101 / PSY190 / PSY210
Social and Rehabilitation Services	HRS119 / HRS121
Sociology	SOC121 / SOC122
Interdisciplinary	CLT / PSY / HIS / SOC285 ANT / HIS254; ANT / HIS255 HON101