



Semester 1	Credits	Success Marker	Semester 2	Credits	Success Marker
Foundational Studies: Writing (ENGL 101)	3		Foundational Studies: Writing (ENGL 203)	3	
BS Requirement (Group A,B, or C)	3-4		BS Requirement (Group A, B, or C)	3-4	
Foundational Studies: Quantitative Literacy (Math 101)	3		COMS 100	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		Knowledge Domain	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		Knowledge Domain	3	
UNIV 101 (optional)	1				
Total hours	15-17		Total hours	15-16	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments: BS Required course may be 4 credit hours. See catalog for distribution sequence. Two writing-infused courses and one human diversity course are required prior to graduation. Overlap with other requirements is possible. For more information, see www.catalog.niu.edu .		

Semester 3	Credits	Success Marker	Semester 4	Credits	Success Marker
ENGL 200	3		Analytical Writing Requirement	3	
ENGL 207	3		BS Requirement (Group A, B, or C)	3-4	
BS Requirement (Group A, B, or C)	3-4		Literature since 1900	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		Elective: Minor	3	
Knowledge Domain	3		Knowledge Domain	3	
Total hours	15-16		Total hours	15-16	
Notes/Comments: BS Required course may be 4 credit hours. See catalog for distribution sequence.			Notes/Comments: ENGL 300A, 304, 305, and 308 meet Analytical Writing requirement. BS Required course may be 4 credit hours. See catalog for distribution		

Semester 5	Credits	Success Marker	Semester 6	Credits	Success Marker
Writing Course (1 of 4)	3	Writing-Infused Courses	Writing Course (2 of 4)	3	
Diverse Lit	3		Writing Course (3 of 4)	3	
Lit to 1660	3		Lit 1660-1900	3	
Elective: Minor	3		Elective: Minor (300-400 level)	3	
Elective: Minor	3		Elective: Minor (300-400 level)	3	
Total hours	15		Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments: Writing courses may include ENGL 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 308, 350, 398, 401, 402, 403, 424, 426, 493, 496.			Notes/Comments:		

Semester 7	Credits	Success Marker	Semester 8	Credits	Success Marker
Writing Course (4 of 4)	3	Writing-Infused Courses	Elective 2: ENGL (300-400 level)	3	Writing-Infused Courses
Elective 1: ENGL (300-400 level)	3		Elective: Second Minor	3	
Elective: Minor (300-400 level)	3		Elective: Second Minor	3	
Elective: Second Minor	3		Elective: Second Minor	3	
Elective: Second Minor	3		Elective: Second Minor	3	
		• Apply for graduation --note deadlines for December, May, or August			
Total hours	15		Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments:		

With careful, early planning, it may be possible to complete one major, one minor and one Certificate or Undergraduate Study or Concentration.

Notes/Comments: This plan is an example of what a four year plan could look like for a typical student. Placement exam scores in math as well as the completion of coursework may change the plan. It should not be used in the place of regular academic advising appointments. All students are encouraged to meet with their advisor each Semester to discuss course scheduling. All requirements are subject to change by NIU.