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Composition and Literature															
ENGL	110	ND:ENGL	College Composition I	English Language and Composition	3	3	College Composition	50	3						
ENGL	112	Non-GERTA	ESL College Composition I	English Language and Composition	3	4									
ENGL	220	ND:HUM	Introduction to Literature	English Literature and Composition	3	3				English	4	3			
ENGL	110 & 220	ND:ENGL ND: HUM	College Composition I & Introduction to Literature	English Literature and Composition	4	6									
ENGL	251 & 252	ND:HUM	British Literature I & II				English Literature	50	6						
ENGL	261 & 262	ND:HUM	American Literature I & II				American Literature	50	6						
ENGL	271 & 272	Non-GERTA	Literary Analysis I & II				Analyzing & Interpreting Literature	50	6						
Foreign Languages															
CLAS	101 & 102	ND:HUM	1 st Year Latin I & II	Latin Literature	3	8									
FREN	101	ND:HUM	1 st Year French I				French Language (Level 1)	50	3-4						
FREN	101 & 102	ND:HUM	1 st Year French I & II	French Language	3	7-8	French Language (Level 2)	59	6-8						
GERM	101	ND:HUM	1 st Year German I				German Language (Level 1)	50	3-4						
GERM	101 & 102	ND:HUM	1 st Year German I & II	German Language	3	7-8	German Language (Level 2)	60	6-8						
SPAN	101	ND:HUM	1 st Year Spanish I				Spanish Language (Level 1)	50	3-4						
SPAN	101 & 102	ND:HUM	1 st Year Spanish I & II	Spanish Language	3	7-8	Spanish Language (Level 2)	63	6-8						
Humanities															
ART	122	ND:FA	2-Dimensional Design	Studio Art: 2-D Design	3	3									
ART	124	ND:FA	3-Dimensional Design	Studio Art: 3-D Design	3	3									
ART	130 & 230	ND:FA	Drawing I & Drawing II	Studio Art: Drawing ²	3	6									
ART	210 & 211	ND:FA	Art History I & II	Art History	3	6									
MUSC	122 & 124	ND:HUM	Music Theory I & II	Music Theory ⁴	3	6									
Social Sciences and History															
ECON	201	ND:SS	Principles of Microeconomics	Microeconomics	3	3	Principles of Microeconomics	50	3						
ECON	202	ND:SS	Principles of Macroeconomics	Macroeconomics	3	3	Principles of Macroeconomics	50	3						
HIST	101 & 102	ND:HIST	Western Civilization I & II	European History	3	6									
HIST	101	ND:HIST	Western Civilization I				Western Civilization I: Ancient Near East to 1648	50	3						
HIST	102	ND:HIST	Western Civilization II				Western Civilization II:	50	3	History HL (Europe)	4	3	Contemporary Western	45	3

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HIST	103 & 104	ND:HIST	U.S. to 1877 & U.S. since 1877	United State History	3	6				History HL (Americas)	4	6			
HIST	103	ND:HIST	U.S. to 1877				U.S. History I: Early Colonization to 1877	50	3						
HIST	104	ND:HIST	U.S. since 1877				U.S. History II: 1865 to Present	50	3						
HIST	194 ³	Non-GERTA	Independent Study							History HL (Africa)	4	3			
HIST	194 ³	Non-GERTA	Independent Study							History HL (Asia)	4	3			
HIST	194 ³	Non-GERTA	Independent Study							History HL (Middle East)	4	3			
HIST	194 ³	Non-GERTA	Independent Study							History HL (Islamic)	4	3			
HIST	194 ³	Non-GERTA	Independent Study										Civil War & Reconstruction	47	3
HIST	194 ³	Non-GERTA	Independent Study										Rise & Fall of the Soviet Union	45	3
HIST	194 ³	Non-GERTA	Independent Study										A History of the Vietnam War	44	3
HIST	194 ³	Non-GERTA	Independent Study										Introduction to the Modern Middle East	47	3
HIST	211 & 212	ND:HIST	World Civilization to and Since 1500	World History	3	6									
POLS	115	ND:SS	American Government	United States Government and Politics	3	3	American Government	50	3						
POLS	225	ND:SS	Comparative Politics I	Comparative Government and Politics	3	3									
PSYC	111	ND:SS	Introduction to Psychology	Psychology	3	3	Introductory Psychology	50	3	Psychology	4	3			
PSYC	230	ND:SS	Educational Psychology				Introduction to Education Psychology	50	3						
PSYC	250	ND:SS	Developmental Psychology				Human Growth and Development	50	3-4				Life Span Developmental Psychology	46	3-4
SOC	110	ND:SS	Introduction to Sociology				Introductory Sociology	50	3						
Science and Mathematics															
BIOL	111/L	ND:LABSC	Concepts of Biology/Lab	Biology	3	4									
BIOL	150/L & 151/L	ND:LABSC	General Biology I & II	Biology	4	8									
BIOL GEOL	124/L or 101/L	ND:LABSC	Environmental Science// Lab or Environmental Geology/Lab	Environmental Science	3 3	4 4									
BIOL	150	ND:LABSC	General Biology I/Lab				Biology	50	4						

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BIOL	150/L & 151/L	ND:LABSC	General Biology I/Lab & General Biology II/Lab							Biology	4	8			
CHEM	115/L	ND:LABSC	Introductory Chemistry/Lab	Chemistry	3	4									
CHEM	121/L	ND:LABSC	General Chemistry I/Lab				Chemistry	50	4-5						
CHEM	121/L & 122/L	ND:LABSC	General Chemistry I/Lab & General Chemistry II/Lab	Chemistry ⁶	4	8-10				Chemistry	4	8-10			
GEOG	150 or 151	ND:SS	Principles of Geography or Human Geography	Human Geography	3	3									
GEOG	151	ND:SS	Human Geography										Human/Cultural Geography	47	3
GEOG	121 161	ND:SCI ND:SS	Physical Geography & Human Geography							Geography	4	6			
GEOL	1XX	Non-GERTA	Geology Elective										Physical Geology	46	3
MATH	103	ND:MATH	College Algebra				College Algebra	50	3-4				Fundamentals of College Algebra	400	3
MATH	103 & 105	ND:MATH	College Algebra & Trigonometry							Mathematics	4	5-7			
MATH	107	ND:MATH	PreCalculus				PreCalculus	50	3-4						
MATH	146	ND:MATH	Applied Calculus I				Calculus	50	3-4						
MATH	165	ND:MATH	Calculus I	Calculus AB	3	4-5									
MATH	165 & 166	ND:MATH	Calculus I & II	Calculus BC ⁵	3	8-10									
MATH	210	ND:MATH	Elementary Statistics	Statistics	3	3-4							Principles of Statistics	48/400 or higher	3-4
PHYS	1XX ¹	Non-GERTA								Physics	5	4			
PHYS	110	ND:LABSC	Introductory Astronomy										Astronomy	48	3
PHYS	211/L	ND:LABSC	College Physics I	Physics 1	4	4									
PHYS	212/L	ND:LABSC	College Physics II	Physic 2	4	4									
PHYS	211/L	ND:LABSC	College Physics I	Physics C: Mechanics	3	4									
PHYS	212/L	ND:LABSC	College Physics II	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	3	4									
PHYS	251/L	ND:LABSC	University Physics I	Physics C: Mechanics	4	4-5									
PHYS	252/L	ND:LABSC	University Physics II	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism	4	4-5									

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ACCT	200	Non-GERTA	Elements of Accounting I				Financial Accounting	50	3-4				Prin. of Financial Accounting	49	3-4
BADM	201/301	Non-GERTA	Principles of Marketing				Principles of Marketing	50	3						
BADM	202/302	Non-GERTA	Principles of Management				Principles of Management	50	3						
ACCT	215	Non-GERTA	Business in the Legal Environment				Introductory Business Law	50	3-4						
ACCT	215	Non-GERTA	Business in the Legal Environment OR Business Law I										Business Law	44	3-4
CIS	101	ND:COMPSC	Computer Literary				Information Systems & Computer Applications	50	2						
CSCI	160	ND:COMPSC	Computer Science I	Computer Science A	3	3-4									
CSCI	160 & 161	ND:COMPSC	Computer Science I & II	Computer Science AB	3	6-8									

ELECTIVE CREDIT

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NA	NA	NA	Elective Credit	AP Seminar	3	3									
NA	NA	NA	Elective Credit	AP Research	3	3									

¹Credit should not be granted for PHYS 110. Credit for lab experience may be awarded, based on student experience.

²Prior to 2002, Student Art: Drawing I received credit for Drawing 130 and Drawing 230.

³Or equivalent on-campus course

⁴Three credit hours in MUSC 122 or MUSC 124 are awarded for a subscore of 3 or higher on either portion of the AP Music Theory examination.

⁵Four or five credit hours are awarded for a subscore of 3 or higher on the Calculus AB portion of the AP Calculus BC examination.

⁶Effective Fall Semester 2012.

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND ARE NOT ACCEPTED BY NDUS INSTITUTIONS

AP	CLEP	IB	DSST
			DSST Principles of Physical Science I
			DSST Technical Writing
			DSST Principles of Public Speaking