

HISTORY (AA)

Associate of Arts

Transfer Program

Interest Areas:

Soc. Sciences and Human Svcs.

The history major is designed for students desiring a broad liberal arts background either as preparation for a profession or for personal enrichment. Careers in history include teaching (primary, secondary, or college level), museum work, historical research and writing, and preserving and interpreting history for the general public through a variety of local, state, and federal agencies. The history major is also highly recommended preparation for law, politics, the ministry, and public service. Because it develops breadth of knowledge as well as critical thinking and problem-solving skills, a history degree is widely considered an excellent foundation for many managerial and executive careers. For this reason, it is a fine choice for the general studies student.

Completion of the following courses normally fulfills the first half of bachelor degree requirements in history. Course selections should be tailored to match requirements of the intended transfer institutions.

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Program Website (<https://www.nic.edu/history/>)

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
General Education Requirements		
GEM 1 - Written Communication		6
GEM 2 - Oral Communication		3
GEM 3 - Mathematical Ways of Knowing		3-5
GEM 4 - Scientific Ways of Knowing		7-8
GEM 5 - Humanistic and Artistic Ways of Knowing		6
GEM 6 - Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing ¹		3
GEM 7W - Wellness		1-3
Select one of the following:		3
GEM 7F - First Year Experience		
GEM 7I - Institutionally Designated		
Program Requirements		
HIST-101	World History I	3
HIST-102	World History II	3
HIST-111	United States History I	3
HIST-112	United States History II	3
HIST-290	The Historian's Craft	3
Elective Requirements		

Courses 100-level or higher	10-12
Total Credits	60-64

¹ This General Education Requirement is partially met by the Program Requirements.

Recommended Courses

Code	Title	Credits
POLS-101	American National Government	3
Select 4-18 credits from the following subjects:		4-18
	CDA Coeur d'Alene Language	
	FREN French Language	
	GERM German Language	
	ITAL Italian Language	
	JAPA Japanese Language	
	SPAN Spanish Language	

Course Key



GEM



AAS
Institutionally
Designated



Gateway



Milestone

Program Outcomes

Upon completion of the program, students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate broad historical knowledge and understanding of the diversity of human experience that spans geography, time, cultures, and ideologies.
2. Demonstrate an awareness and understanding of the role both large-scale and local forces of change play over time in World/United States civilizations.
3. Demonstrate the basic skills of historical understanding and be able to apply historical methods, including the use and analysis of various types of primary and secondary sources.
4. Pursue their educational and professional goals through transfer or transition to a different field.

In addition to the program outcomes, students will meet the North Idaho College General Education (GEM) Requirements.