

2. ADVISING AND INFORMATION

a. Dean of Liberal Education

As well as being the administrative head of the School of Liberal Education, the Dean has direct responsibility for instruction and courses in Liberal Education (LBED). Appeals and issues of interpretation for students in Liberal Education (LBED) courses, minors, or initiatives should be directed to the Office of the Dean of Liberal Education.

b. Academic Advising

Students should seek academic advice from the Faculty or School of their program. Academic advisors provide assistance to students regarding their program, major, or other academic concerns. Contact the relevant Faculty or School for information.

3. LIBERAL EDUCATION LIST REQUIREMENT

In keeping with the Liberal Education focus of the University, all students in an undergraduate degree program must complete the Liberal Education List Requirement (Lib Ed List Requirement). **As some courses may not fit specific program requirements, students should consult their Faculty or School advising office.**

The Liberal Education Lists provide students with opportunities to critically explore a wide range of disciplines as embedded in academic programming.

- i. Fine Arts and Humanities: The exploration of the human experience including culture, history, language, thought, religion, ethics, arts, and creativity.
- ii. Social Science: The study of individuals and their relationships within society.
- iii. Science: The study of the natural world and conceptual modeling of reality.

a. 40-Course Degree Programs

Students may complete the Lib Ed List Requirement through one of the following pathways:

Four courses (12.0 credit hours) from each of Lists I, II, and III.

OR

Three courses (9.0 credit hours) from each of Lists I, II and III for students who successfully complete both Liberal Education 1000 and either Liberal Education 2000 or Library Science 2000.

OR

Three courses (9.0 credit hours) from each of Lists I, II and III for students who successfully complete all of Liberal Education 1000, Liberal Education 1150, and Liberal Education 2150.

OR

Three courses (9.0 credit hours) from each of Lists I, II, and III for students who successfully complete both Liberal Education 3010 and Liberal Education 4000.

OR

*Two courses (6.0 credit hours) from each of Lists I, II, and III for students who successfully complete one of the following pairs:

Liberal Education 1000 and Liberal Education 2000; and Liberal Education 3010 and Liberal Education 4000

OR

Liberal Education 1000 and Library Science 2000; and Liberal Education 3010 and Liberal Education 4000

OR

Liberal Education 1000, Liberal Education 1150, and Liberal Education 2150; and Liberal Education 3010 and Liberal Education 4000

**The individual Liberal Education (LBED) and Library Science (LIBR) courses (Liberal Education 1000, Liberal Education 1150, Liberal Education 2000, Liberal Education 2150, Liberal Education 3010, Liberal Education 4000 and Library Science 2000) do not fulfill a requirement for any list.*

b. Post-Diploma Degree Programs

Students pursuing a post-diploma program offered by the University of Lethbridge are required to complete either the full 12-course (see a. above) or a modified Lib Ed List Requirement. For further information, see the program description in the appropriate part of this Calendar.

1. Full 12-Course Liberal Education List Requirement
Students registered in the Post-Diploma B.A. and B.Sc. in Agricultural Studies, the Post-Diploma B.Sc. in Computer Science, the Post-Diploma B.F.A. - Art or Dramatic Arts, or B.Mus. (after a two year diploma) program are required to meet the full 12-course (36.0 credit hours) Lib Ed List Requirement.
2. Modified Liberal Education List Requirement
Students registered in some post-diploma programs are required to meet a modified Lib Ed List Requirement. For further information, refer to the requirements for individual programs in the appropriate part of this Calendar.

c. Limitations

There are limitations on the courses that can be used for meeting the Liberal Education List Requirement.

1. Only four courses (12.0 credit hours) in total may be counted from any one discipline. Disciplines are identified by course subject codes (e.g. ENGL, MGT, and MUSI are separate disciplines).
2. Only four courses (12.0 credit hours) in total may be counted from a combination of Liberal Education List courses from the Faculty of Education, Faculty of Health Sciences, and the Dhillon School of Business. That is, only four courses in total having a course title of EDUC, ABHL, ADCS, HLSC, NURS, PUBH, TREC, and MGT may be counted in meeting the Liberal Education List Requirement.
3. Cross-listed courses count toward the limit for both disciplines (e.g. Management 3500/Indigenous Studies 3250 counts toward the limit for Management and Indigenous Studies).
4. Courses may only be counted according to the Liberal Education List in effect in the term in which credit is earned at the University of Lethbridge. For example, if a course is not on the Lib Ed List in the term a student earns credit for it, but the course is subsequently added to the Lib Ed List, the student cannot use the course toward meeting their Lib Ed List Requirement. Applicants presenting transferable courses are deemed to have earned transfer credit at the University of Lethbridge in the term in which a student is first admitted to a University of Lethbridge program (for more information, see **Admission, Transfer Credit, p. 28**).

LIBERAL EDUCATION LISTS

The School of Liberal Education, in consultation with the Faculties and Schools, has the ultimate authority to approve and designate courses to be placed on each list.

Courses offered as Series, Topics, Applied Studies Disciplinary Credit, Independent Studies, Undergraduate Thesis and Interdisciplinary Studies may be designated as Fine Arts and Humanities, Social Science, or Science and may be so designated at the time of offering.

Courses marked with an asterisk (*) listed under List III: Science Courses can be used as either a List III: Science Course or a List II: Social Science Course for the purposes of completing the Liberal Education List Requirement.

As some courses may not fit specific program requirements, students should consult their Faculty or School advising office.

LIST I: FINE ARTS AND HUMANITIES COURSES

- Agricultural Studies
 - Agricultural Studies 1000 - The Evolution of Agriculture
- Art - all courses
- Art History - all courses
- Asian Studies
 - Asian Studies 2020 - Japan, Asia, and the World
 - Asian Studies 3200/Religious Studies 3200 - Asian Religions and Film (Series)
 - Asian Studies 3400/Japanese Studies 3400 - Japanese Society and Culture
- Blackfoot - all courses
- Cinema - all courses
- Cree - all courses
- Drama - all courses
- English - all courses
- Fine Arts - all courses, including those cross-listed with Health Sciences
- French - all courses
- Greek - all courses
- Health Sciences
 - Health Sciences 2450/History 2450 - Evolution of Health and Illness Care
 - Health Sciences 3560/History 3560 - History of Nursing: Women and the Care of the Sick
 - Health Sciences 4500/Fine Arts 4500 - Global Health, Fine Arts, and Social Change
 - Health Sciences 4510/Fine Arts 4510 - Global Health and Arts for Change Field Study
- Hebrew - all courses
- Hispanic Studies - all courses
- History - all courses, including those cross-listed with Health Sciences
- Indigenous Studies - all courses, including those cross-listed with Management
- Interdisciplinary Studies
 - Interdisciplinary Studies 0520 - Bridging Cultures: Two-Eyed Seeing
- Japanese - all courses

Japanese Studies - all courses, including those cross-listed with Asian Studies

Kinesiology

- Kinesiology 2130 - Humanities Perspectives
- Kinesiology 3400 - History of Sport and Physical Activity
- Kinesiology 3430 - Literature and Physical Activity
- Kinesiology 3740 - Philosophy of Physical Activity
- Kinesiology 4400 - Canadian Sport History
- Kinesiology 4640 - Applied Ethics in Sport and Physical Activity

Latin - all courses

Liberal Education

- Liberal Education 2400 - Great Literature and Thought Across Disciplines: A Brief History
- Liberal Education 3400 - Great Literature and Thought Across Disciplines: The Long Conversation

Linguistics - all courses, excluding those designated as Social Science courses

Management

- Management 2500 - Introduction to Indigenous Governance and Business Management
- Management 3500/Indigenous Studies 3250 - Financial Management in Canadian Indigenous Communities
- Management 3506/Indigenous Studies 3506 - Indigenous Business and Entrepreneurship in Canada
- Management 3580/Indigenous Studies 3280 - Indigenous Peoples and Natural Resources
- Management 3590/Indigenous Studies 3590 - Current Practices in Canadian Indigenous Governance
- Management 3710 - Managing Not-for-Profit Organizations
- Management 4507/Indigenous Studies 4120 - Historical and Legal Aspects of Canadian Indigenous Governments
- Management 4508/Indigenous Studies 4150 - Administrative Aspects of Canadian Indigenous Governments

Modern Languages - all courses, including any non-English second language course offered by another unit in the Faculty of Arts and Science

Museum Studies - all courses

Music - all courses, excluding Music Ensemble Activity courses

Music Studio - all courses

New Media - all courses

Philosophy - all courses, excluding those designated as Science courses

Political Science

- Political Science 2511 - Introduction to Political Theory
- Political Science 3510 - Political Thought Before 1500
- Political Science 3511 - Political Thought Since 1500 (Series)
- Political Science 3525 - Politics and Religion
- Political Science 4511 - Seminars in Political Philosophy (Series)

Religious Studies - all courses, including those cross-listed with Asian Studies

Spanish - all courses

Writing - all courses