

Women and Gender Studies BA

FOUR-YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

12 Required Core Credits

18 Flexible Core Credits

12 College Option Credits

36 Major Credits

42 Elective Credits

120 Total

This 4-year academic plan is designed to help freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2019 plan their academic career and ensure that they complete all requirements for graduation in a timely fashion. All other students should consult their academic and department advisors to chart their own 4-year academic plans. Students should note that course pre-requisite/s and co-requisite/s are strictly enforced and they should regularly meet with their department advisors to identify their specific major/minor requirements and entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for successful completion of their degree.

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Freshman

FALL

English Composition I (EC1)	3 credits
World Cultures & Global Issues (WCGI)	3 credits
Creative Expression (CE)	3 credits
Individual and Society (IS)	3 credits
Scientific World (SW)	3 credits

Fall total credits **15 credits**

SPRING

English Composition II (EC2)	3 credits
WGS 101/101W (USED), (W)	3 credits
Introduction to Women and Gender Studies	
Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR)	3 credits
Life & Physical Science (LPS)	4 credits
An Additional Flexible Core	3 credits

Spring total credits **16 credits**

Sophomore

FALL

WGS 201W (W)	3 credits
Theories of Feminism	
Select one of the following HIST 270, HIST 271	3 credits
Select one of the following PHIL 250, PSCI 276	3 credits
College Option Literature (LIT)	3 credits
College Option Language (LANG)	4 credits

Fall total credits **16 credits**

SPRING

Select one of the following SOC 243, SOC 244	3 credits
One course from each of the WGS Distribution Categories. Consult Director, the Bulletin, or the WGS website for approved list of courses.	9 credits
College Option Science (SCI)	3 credits

Spring total credits **15 credits**

General Education requirements may be taken in any order if the pre-requisite requirement(s) is/are satisfied.

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Junior

FALL

WGS 310	3 credits
Research Seminar in Women & Gender Studies	
An Additional College Core	3 credits
Select three electives for the WGS major (in consultation with department)	9 credits

Fall total credits 15 credits

SPRING

WGS 320	3 credits
Field Work in Women & Gender Studies	
Select two additional electives for the WGS Major	6 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives*	6 credits

Spring total credits 15 credits

Senior

FALL

Second major, minor, or general electives	15 credits
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Fall total credits 15 credits

SPRING

Second major, minor, or general electives	13 credits
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Spring total credits 13 credits

*General Electives: Students may complete general electives by taking courses in (most) department/s or programs they choose; however, depending on the course/program, students may need department permission and/or prerequisite course/s. Electives may be used to supplement the chosen major (an English major may want to take a course in French or Italian literature) or to fulfill interest in a different area (a Music major may be interested in the physics of sound). Students are encouraged to use available electives to complete a dual major, minor, pre-requisites for graduate or professional school, or complete an internship, experiential learning and/or study abroad. Students are encouraged to use their available general electives wisely and focus on coursework that will assist them personally, academically and professionally.