

History BA

FOUR-YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

12 Required Core Credits

18 Flexible Core Credits

12 College Option Credits

36 Major Credits

42 Elective credits

This 4-year academic plan is for freshmen entering Queens College in Fall 2025.

Our 4-year academic plans are illustrative examples of integrated degree requirements and course sequencing for each of the College's programs of study which are designed to ensure degree completion in a timely manner. Students are advised to meet with professional and faculty advisors to tailor their degree maps to their individual interests (academic and career goals), as well as other considerations including course offerings and the incorporation of winter and summer sessions. Course pre-requisite/s and co-requisite/s are strictly enforced, as are entrance and maintenance criteria (if applicable) for the successful completion of the degree.

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Freshman

FALL

English Composition I (EC1)	3 credits
HIST 101/101W* (WCGI) + (W)	3 credits
Early Modern Europe, 1500-1815	
HIST 103/103W* (USED)	3 credits
American History, 1607-1865	
College Option Language (LANG)	4 credits
Math & Quantitative Reasoning (MQR)	3 credits

Fall total credits

16 credits

SPRING

English Composition II (EC2)	3 credits
(HIST 190 suggested)	
HIST 102/102W* (WCGI)	3 credits
Modern Europe, 1815 to the Present	
HIST 104/104W*	3 credits
American History, 1865 to the Present	
Individual & Society (IS)	3 credits
Scientific World (SW)	3 credits

Spring total credits

15 credits

Sophomore

FALL

A survey of non-western history	3 credits
choose from: HIST 105, 106, 111, 112, 121, 125, 126, 140 -142, 144-149	
Elective in History	3 credits
(any field, any level; use this to discover Interests	
Creative Expression (CE)	3 credits
College Option Science (SCI)	3 credits
An Additional Flexible Course	3 credits

Fall total credits

15 credits

SPRING

A survey of non-western history	3 credits
choose from: HIST 105, 106, 111, 112, 121, 125, 126, 140 -142, 144-149	
History: First of three courses in a concentration**	3 credits
Life & Physical Science (LPS)	4 credits
College Option Literature (LIT)	3 credits
Second major, minor, or general electives***	3 credits

Spring total credits

16 credits

*History 101W, 102W, 103W, and 104W are writing intensive courses and each fulfills one writing intensive unit.

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

**Concentration: Three (3) courses in one of the following areas:

European History Since the Fall of Rome: 107-110, 115, 116, 150, 164, 169, 203, 209-213, 215-218, 222, 225, 227-233, 236-242, 251-254, 287, 291, 292, 295, 302-305, 308-310, 312-315, 332, 349, 352, 361

United States History: 163, 168, 249, 255, 258-260, 262, 263, 265-267, 270--279, 284, 285, 288, 297, 299, 313, 314, 329, 340-343, 345, 347, 348, 350, 351, 388

History of Areas of the World Other than the U. S. and Europe: HIST 105, 106, 111, 112, 117, 121, 125, 126, 140-142, 144-149, 160, 166, 255-257, 281, 289, 293-296, 298, 309, 311, 315, 316, 332, 334, 335, 338, 344, 355-357, 360, 361

Jewish History: 114-116, 159, 237, 249, 251-257, 290, 295, 311, 312, 336, 338, 349

Ancient and Pre-Modern History: 113, 114, 140, 144, 148, 158, 204-206, 208, 209, 212, 251, 286, 311, 352

Gender History: 162, 270-272, 298, 308, 335, 336, 342, 345

Legal History: 161, 186, 286-290, 340-341

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Junior

FALL

History: Second of three courses in a concentration** 3 credits
History: one upper-division course 3 credits
in non-western history choose from:
HIST 160, 166, 255-257, 289,294,295, 298, 309,311,315,332,
334,335,338,344, 355,
356,360,361
Second major, minor, or general 9 credits
electives

Fall total credits

15 credits

SPRING

History: Third of three courses in a concentration** 3 credits
Second major, minor, or general 12 credits
electives

Spring total credits

15 credits

Senior

FALL

HIST 392W (W) 4 credits
Specialized colloquium of your
choosing (4 or 5 options)
Second major, minor, or general 12 credits
electives

Fall total credits

16 credits

SPRING

Second major, minor, or general 15 credits
Electives

Spring total credits

15 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 and 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.