

**CORE CURRICULUM** Effective for all new students beginning the fall 2006 semester. Every student at Concordia is required to take a body of courses known as the Core Curriculum to provide a solid foundation in the liberal arts. The chart below indicates the requirements and all applicable courses. Please review the departmental listings for courses offered this semester. **(Courses cannot be taken pass/fail to satisfy Core requirements.)**

| REQUIREMENTS   | APPLICABLE COURSES   |
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| <b>1. INQUIRY SEMINAR:</b> In-depth courses that emphasize the process of critical inquiry and student academic success.   | Inquiry 100  |
| <b>2. COMMUNICATION:</b> In the Oral Communication course, students will learn to produce and critique reasoned and informed messages in public speaking and group settings. The College Writing course emphasizes academic writing as a way to learn, teach and participate in an academic community.   | Oral Communication 100<br>College Writing 100, 120   |
| <b>3. RELIGION COURSES:</b> During your freshman or sophomore year, you will take Religion 100. During your junior or senior year, you will take another course — course numbers followed by a "J".  | Religion 100<br><br>Religion 313, 314, 315, 316, 324, 325, 326, 328, 332, 334, 338, 339, 342, 344, 349, 372, 382, 384, 386   |
| <b>4. DISTRIBUTION COURSES:</b> "To satisfy this requirement, at least seven courses must be chosen from the five areas listed below, including one course from each area but no more than two from any area. With the exception of language courses, no more than one course from any department can be counted in one distribution area. The distribution courses are listed, by area, in each class schedule. Distribution courses taken in excess of the requirements are applicable as electives." (College Catalog) One course from your major may apply to A-E. |  |
| <b>A. Science and mathematics — course numbers followed by an "A".</b> Includes departments of Biology, Chemistry, Clinical Laboratory Science, Family and Nutrition Sciences, Mathematics and Computer Science, Nursing, Physical Education, Physics and Science Teaching/Education.  | Biology 101, 121<br>Chemistry 111, 127, 137<br>Computer Science 125<br>CREDO 220, 221, 222<br>Earth Science 104, 106, 107<br><br>Environmental Studies 101, 103, 107<br>FNS 300 (Public Health)<br>Health 141<br>Math 110, 121, 122, 203, 207, 215*, 220*<br>Physics 110, 111, 128, 215  |
| <b>B. Social sciences — course numbers followed by a "B".</b> Includes departments of Business Administration, Business Education, Communication Studies, Economics, Global Studies, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology and Social Work.   | Communication 201<br>CREDO 210, 211, 212, 224<br>Economics 201<br>Family and Nutrition Sciences 220<br><br>Political Science 111, 211<br>Psychology 111, 212<br>Sociology 111, 214, 217, 231   |
| <b>C. World languages — course numbers followed by a "C".</b> Includes Classical Studies (Greek, Latin), Chinese, French, German, Hebrew, Japanese, Norwegian, Russian and Spanish. (To satisfy the world languages requirement, you must complete a language at the second semester level — course numbers followed by a "W".)  | Chinese 101, 102, 201, 202<br>French 112, 211, 212<br>German 112, 211, 212, 311<br>Greek 211, 212<br>Japanese 101, 102, 201, 202<br><br>Latin 111, 112, 223, 224<br>Norwegian 111, 112, 211, 212<br>Religion (Hebrew) 211, 212<br>Russian 111, 112<br>Spanish 112, 211, 212  |
| <b>D. Foundations and premises of civilization — course numbers followed by a "D".</b> Includes departments of History, Philosophy, Religion and Scandinavian Studies.   | Classical Studies 271<br>CREDO 130, 131<br>French 331<br>History 111, 112, 131, 132, 151, 152<br><br>Philosophy 110, 120, 210, 220, 260<br>Religion 214, 224, 225, 234, 244<br>Scandinavian Studies 201, 271   |
| <b>E. Literature and fine arts — course numbers followed by an "E".</b> Includes departments of Art, English, French, Communication Studies and Theatre Art, and Music.  | Art 111, 112, 130, 155, 156, 300<br>Classical Studies 110, 120<br>Communication 139<br>CREDO 230, 231, 232, 233<br>English 150, 160, 221, 222, 223, 315<br><br>French 220 (in English), 223<br>German 362<br>Music 101, 300 (Drumming, Dance, Art & Culture in Ghana), 355, 362<br>Scandinavian Studies 272<br>Theatre Art 122, 124  |
| <b>5. PHYSICAL EDUCATION:</b> Two quarter courses  | Physical Education 111, 112 (must complete)  |
| <b>6. MATHEMATICS PROFICIENCY:</b> This can be satisfied by either a quantitative ACT at the 50 percentile or above at time of admission; passing the mathematics proficiency examination before graduation; or passing one of the applicable courses — course numbers followed by a "K".  | Mathematics 105, 110, 121, 122, 203, 207, 210, 223 or above 300  |
| <b>7. INTEGRATION: Course numbers followed by an "X".</b> One course required. This requirement must be completed in your junior or senior year and may be counted toward the major or minor.  | Art 365<br>Biology 303, 315<br>Communication 331, 382<br>Computer Science 380 (Neural Networks)<br>Economics 312, 320<br>Education 300, 330, 370<br>English 300 (Brit. Heritage), 401, 410, 441, 451<br>Environmental Studies 312, 320, 348<br>Family and Nutrition Sciences 321, 412<br>German 361<br>History 312, 313, 315, 316, 333, 344, 365<br>Humanities 300, 382<br>Mathematics 300, 312<br><br>Music 361<br>Neuroscience 380 (Neural Networks)<br>Philosophy 331, 332, 333<br>Physical Education 410<br>Political Science 365, 386, 393<br>Psychology 300, 324, 420<br>Religion 317, 318, 327, 328, 329, 331, 332, 341, 343, 345, 346, 347, 348<br>Scandinavian Studies 410<br>Social Work 350<br>Sociology 312, 317, 351<br>Spanish 386<br>World Discoveries 300 (Psychology), 300 (Library), 300 (Scandinavia), 325, 380 (Community Dev. India), 380 (Crete) |
| <b>8. MULTICULTURAL (optional): Course numbers followed by an "M"</b>  | English 221, 223<br>History 111, 112, 152, 316, 342<br>Music 361<br>Nursing 401<br><br>Psychology 420<br>Religion 322<br>Social Work 350<br>Spanish 380 (Latin American Culture)   |

**CREDIT REGULATIONS FOR GRADUATION: 31.5 total credits needed excluding music ensembles.** Minimum of 10.0 course credits at the 300 level or above required; maximum of 10.0 course credits in any one department may apply, excluding 1.0 course credit in Cooperative Education or Practicum and 1.0 course credit in May Seminars Abroad. \*Both courses must be successfully passed in order to receive Core credit.