

**DEPARTMENT OF BLACK STUDIES**  
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 College of Letters and Science  
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NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_ Perm # \_\_\_\_\_

**Note: See Major Progress Check on GOLD  
 for full list of all degree requirements.**

**BLACK STUDIES MAJOR, B.A. – 2023-2024**

**PREPARATION FOR THE MAJOR**

**UNITS TO COMPLETE**

Black Studies 1, 2, 3, 7..... 17 \_\_\_\_\_

One course from: Black Studies 4, 5, 6, 14, 15, 33, 38A-B, 45, 49A-B-C, 50 ..... 4 \_\_\_\_\_

**UPPER-DIVISION MAJOR**

36 UD Black Studies units are required, distributed as follows:

Each course can satisfy only ONE major area requirement

A. One course in Black Cultural Studies:

Black Studies 106, 117, 118, 125, 126, 127, 130A-B, 133, 136, 138, 142, 143,  
 145, 146, 147PL, 151, 152, 153, 155, 161, 162, 165, 170, 171, 172, 175, 179 ..... 4 \_\_\_\_\_

B. One course in Black Social Justice:

Black Studies 100, 102, 103, 104, 106, 108, 109, 117, 118, 122, 124, 128, 129,  
 131, 133, 136, 137E, 154, 160, 169AR-BR-CR, 174..... 4 \_\_\_\_\_

C. One course in Gender and Sexuality:

Black Studies 106, 125, 127, 133, 136, 145, 151, 153 ..... 4 \_\_\_\_\_

D. Three additional courses from areas A, B, and C (above)..... 12 \_\_\_\_\_

E. Black Studies 190A-B-C Senior Thesis Seminar (or Black Studies 190AH-BH-CH

Senior Honors Thesis Program, by department invitation only)\* ..... 12 \_\_\_\_\_

\* Two courses from BL ST 1, 2, 3, 7 must be completed with a C average and students should have senior standing before receiving department approval to enroll in BLST 190A-B-C or BL ST 190AH-BH-CH.

**MAJOR REGULATIONS**

**PREREQUISITES** .....Check the *General Catalog* for the prerequisites to all listed courses.

**P/NP GRADING OPTION**.....Not allowed for any major course (Prep or UD major), including courses applied to the major from other departments.

**SUBSTITUTIONS** .....In the major requirements permissible only by petition to the department chair and dean.

**G.P.A REQUIREMENTS**.....At least 2.0 overall UC average in **all** upper-division major courses **and all** courses (Prep and UD) for the major.

**DOUBLE MAJORS**.....With the approval of each department chairperson, up to a total of 8 units may be applied simultaneously to both UD majors.