

# History

## Department Information

- **Department Location:**  
Minard Hall 422
- **Department Phone:**  
701-231-8654
- **Department Web Site:**  
[www.ndsu.edu/history/](http://www.ndsu.edu/history/) (<http://www.ndsu.edu/history/>)
- **Credential Offered:**  
B.A.; B.S.
- **Official Program Curriculum:**  
[bulletin.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/history/](http://bulletin.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/history/) (<http://bulletin.ndsu.edu/undergraduate/program-curriculum/history/>)

## Sample Program Guide

Please note this is a sample program guide and not an official curriculum. Actual student schedules for each semester will vary depending on start year, education goals, applicable transfer credit, and course availability. Once admitted, students are encouraged to work with their assigned academic advisor on a regular basis to review degree progress.

<b>First Year</b>			
<b>Fall</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Credits</b>
HIST 101 or 103 (Foundation Course & Gen Ed Humanities)		3 HIST 102 or 104 (Foundation Course & Gen Ed Humanities)	3
ENGL 110		3 COMM 110	3
Gen Ed Social & Behavioral & Global Perspectives		3 ENGL 120	3
Gen Ed Quantitative Reasoning		3 AHSS College Humanities Requirement	3
Gen Ed Wellness		2 Gen Ed Science & Technology w/ Lab	4
		<b>14</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>Second Year</b>			
<b>Fall</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Credits</b>
Transitional Course		3 HIST 281	3
AHSS College Fine Arts Requirement		3 Gen Ed Science & Technology	3
Gen Ed Science & Technology		3 Gen Ed Humanities & Fine Arts	3
Gen Ed Social & Behavioral Sciences and Cult Diversity		3 AHSS College Social Sciences Requirement	3
Distribution Req No. American History		3 Minor	3
		<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Third Year</b>			
<b>Fall</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Credits</b>
HIST 390 (Gen Ed Upper Division Writing)		3 Distribution Req European History	3
Distribution Req No. American History		3 Distribution Req Widening Horizons	3
Distribution Req European History		3 Minor	3
Minor		3 Minor	3

Free Elective		4 Free Elective	3
		<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Fourth Year</b>			
<b>Fall</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Spring</b>	<b>Credits</b>
HIST 489 (Capstone)		3 Minor	3
Distribution Req Widening Horizons		3 Minor	3
Required History Electives		3 Free Electives	8
Required History Electives		3	
Free Elective		3	
		<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>

**Total Credits: 120**

Program Note: 24 credits must be taken at the 300-400 level and 20 credits must be taken in residence at NDSU for the history major.