

CGS CURRICULUM

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	SEMESTER ONE Boston Spring 2023	SUMMER SEMESTER London or Boston Summer 2023	SEMESTER THREE Boston Fall 2023	SEMESTER FOUR Boston Spring 2024	NOTES
SOCIAL SCIENCES	SS 103: Politics, Economies, and Social Change in the West: The Ancient World Through the Enlightenment (5 cr.) Topics Covered: Historical Sociology, including Political Science and Economics Hub Capacities: Social Inquiry I; The Individual in Community; Critical Thinking	SS 104: Politics, Economies, and Social Change in the West: The Industrial Revolution to the Digital Revolution (5 cr.) Topics Covered: Historical Sociology, including Political Science and Economics Hub Capacities: Global Citizenship and Intercultural Literacy; Social Inquiry II; Critical Thinking	SS 201: Radicals, Rebels and Revolutionaries: Agents of Global Change (4 cr.) Topics Covered: History, Political Theory Hub Capacities: Global Citizenship and Intercultural Literacy; Writing-Intensive Course; Research and Information Literacy	SS 202: American Foreign Policy Since World War II (4 cr.) Topics Covered: Political Science, International Relations Hub Capacities: Historical Consciousness; Research and Information Literacy; Writing-Intensive Course	SS 104 is required and is taken during the summer semester. Students select at least two additional SS courses and will work with their academic advisor to determine course selection.
HUMANITIES	HU 103: Literature & Art from the Ancient World to the Enlightenment (5 cr.) Topics Covered: Literature, Art History, Aesthetic Theory, Film Hub Capacities: Aesthetic Exploration; Critical Thinking; Historical Consciousness	HU 104: Literature & Art from the Industrial Revolution to the Digital Revolution (5 cr.) Topics Covered: Literature, Art History, Aesthetic Theory Hub Capacities: Aesthetic Exploration; Critical Thinking; Historical Consciousness	HU 201: History of Ethical Philosophy—From the Ancient World to the 19th Century (4 cr.) Topics Covered: Philosophy, Art, Film, Literature Hub Capacities: Philosophical Inquiry and Life's Meanings; Ethical Reasoning, Critical Thinking	HU 202: History of 20th Century Ethical Philosophy and Applied Ethics (4 cr.) Topics Covered: Philosophy, Art, Film, Literature Hub Capacities: Philosophical Inquiry and Life's Meanings; Ethical Reasoning; Creativity/Innovation	HU 104 is required and is taken during the summer semester. Students select at least two additional HU courses and will work with their academic advisor to determine course selection.
RHETORIC	RH 103: Rhetorical Practices From the Ancient World to Enlightenment (4 cr.) Topics Covered: History of Rhetoric, Research Skills, Integrating Sources Hub Capacities: Writing, Research and Inquiry; Oral and/or Signed Communication; Research and Information Literacy	RH 104: Rhetorical Practices From the Industrial Revolution Through the Digital Revolution (4 cr.) Topics Covered: Close Reading, Argumentation, Critical Thinking, Style Hub Capacities: First-Year Writing Seminar; Digital/Multimedia Expression; Critical Thinking			RH 103 and RH 104 are required and are taken during your first year.
NATURAL SCIENCE			NS 201: Biology I (4 cr.) Topics Covered: Cosmology, Evolution, Biological Chemistry, Genetics Hub Capacities: Quantitative Reasoning I; Scientific Inquiry I; Critical Thinking	NS 202: Human and Global Ecology (4 cr.) Topics Covered: Climatology, Environmental Chemistry, Population Biology Hub Capacities: Scientific Inquiry II; Teamwork/Collaboration	NS 201 and NS 202 are required and are taken during your sophomore year.
ELECTIVE	Elective toward your major		Elective toward your major	Elective toward your major	The summer semester is comprised of three CGS courses only. The other semesters consist of CGS courses and electives toward your major.