

## A.A. Liberal Arts

### ADVANCE Program Milestones

1. Students must take SDV 100 or SDV 101 in the first semester at NOVA.
2. Students must begin Developmental coursework in the first semester in ADVANCE at NOVA.
3. Students must take first college-level MTH course and ENG 111 in the semester immediately following the completion of any MTT or ENF courses (excluding summer).
4. In the first 30 credits, students must:
  - a. Complete ENG 111 and ENG 112 with a C or better.
  - b. Complete the first college-level MTH course with a C or better.
5. Students must complete at least six degree-applicable credits with a C or better each fall and spring semester.
6. Students must maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA.
7. Students must apply for NOVA graduation and complete their Associate's degree.

	NOVA DEGREE REQUIREMENT	Credits	Courses	MASON TRANSFER EQUIVALENT	MASON CORE/DEGREE EQUIVALENT
1	SDV Course	1	SDV 100 College Success Skills <b>OR</b> SDV 101 Orientation to XXX	UNIV 100	Elective
2	ENG 111	3	ENG 111 College Composition I	ENGH 101	Written Comm
3	World Language #1	5-3	Any World Language/ASL course sequence 101 <b>OR</b> Any General Education Elective ( <i>if placed out of World Language</i> )	GMU Equivalent	SCAR For. Lang <b>OR</b> Elective
4	CST Course	3	CST 100 Principles of Public Speaking <b>OR</b> CST 110 Introduction to Communication	COMM 100 COMM 101	Oral Comm
5	Science Course #1	4	BIO 101 General Biology I <b>OR</b> CHM 101 Introductory Chemistry I <b>OR</b> ENV 121 General Environmental Science I <b>OR</b> GOL 105 Physical Geology <b>OR</b> PHY 101 Introduction to Physics I	BIOL 103 CHEM 103 EVPP 110 GEOL 101 PHYS 103	Nat Science
6	ENG 112	3	ENG 112 College Composition II	ENGH XXX	Elective
7	Open Elective #1	3	<b>CONF 101 Conflict and our World (co-enrollment course) OR</b> PLS 250 Introduction to Conflict Resolution	<b>CONF 101</b> CONF 101	Major
8	Science Course #2	4	BIO 102 General Biology II <b>OR</b> CHM 102 Introductory Chemistry II <b>OR</b> ENV 122 General Environmental Science II <b>OR</b> GOL 106 Historical Geology <b>OR</b> PHY 102 Introduction to Physics II	BIOL 106/107 CHEM 104 EVPP 111 GEOL 102 PHYS 104	Nat Science
9	MTH 154	3	MTH 154 Quantitative Reasoning	MATH 106	Quantitative
10	World Language #2	5-3	Any World Language/ASL course sequence 102 <b>OR</b> Any General Education Elective ( <i>if placed out of World Language</i> )	GMU Equivalent	SCAR For. Lang <b>OR</b> Elective
11	ENG Literature Elective	3	ENG 236 Introduction to the Short Story <b>OR</b> ENG 241 Survey of American Literature I <b>OR</b> ENG 242 Survey of American Literature II <b>OR</b> ENG 251 Survey of World Literature I <b>OR</b> ENG 252 Survey of World Literature II <b>OR</b> ENG 253 Survey of African-American Literature I	ENGH 2XX ENGH 2XX ENGH 2XX ENGH 2XX ENGH 2XX	Literature
12	HIS Course #1	3	HIS 101 History of Western Civilization I <b>OR</b> HIS 102 History of Western Civilization II <b>OR</b> HIS 112 History of World Civilization II	HIST 101 HIST 102 HIST 125	Western Civ
13	MTH 245	3	MTH 245 Statistics I	STAT 250	Elective
14	World Language #3	4-3	Any World Language/ASL course sequence 201 <b>OR</b> Any General Education Elective ( <i>if placed out of World Language</i> )	GMU Equivalent	SCAR For. Lang <b>OR</b> Elective

15	Humanities/Fine Arts	3	ART 100 Art Appreciation <b>OR</b> ART 101 History and Appreciation of Art I <b>OR</b> ART 102 History and Appreciation of Art II <b>OR</b> CST 130 Introduction to Theatre <b>OR</b> CST 151 Film Appreciation I <b>OR</b> MUS 121 Music Appreciation I	ARTH 101 ARTH 200 ARTH 201 THR 101 ENGL L372 MUSI 101	Arts
16	Social/Behavioral Science #1	3	CONF 210 Theories of Conflict Analysis and Resolution	CONF 210	Major
17	HIS Course #2	3	HIS 203 History of African Civilization I <b>OR</b> HIS 231 History of Latin American Civilization I <b>OR</b> HIS 251 History of Middle East Civilization I <b>OR</b> HIS 253 History of Asian Civilization	HIST 261 HIST 271 HIST 281 HIST 251	Major
18	World Language #4	4-3	Any World Language/ASL course sequence 202 <b>OR</b> Any General Education Elective ( <i>if placed out of World Language</i> )	GMU Equivalent	SCAR For. Lang OR Elective
19	Social/Behavioral Sciences #2	3	ECO 201 Principles of Macroeconomics <b>OR</b> ECO 202 Principles of Microeconomics <b>OR</b> GEO 210 Introduction to Cultural Geography <b>OR</b> HIS 121 United States History I <b>OR</b> HIS 122 United States History II <b>OR</b> PLS 135 American National Politics <b>OR</b> PLS 211 United States Government I <b>OR</b> PSY 200 Principles of Psychology <b>OR</b> PSY 230 Developmental Psychology <b>OR</b> SOC 200 Principles of Sociology <b>OR</b> SOC 211 Principles of Anthropology I <b>OR</b> SOC 268 Social Problems	ECON 104 ECON 103 GGS 103 HIST 121 HIST 122 GOVT 103 GOVT 103 PSYC 100 PSYC 211 SOCI 101 ANTH 114 SOCI L352	Soc/Behav
20	Open Elective #2 (Must be taken at Mason if total language credits are 15 or more - See your Success Coach)	3	ITE 115 Introduction to Computer Applications and Concepts	IT 103	Info Tech

**A. A. LIBERAL ARTS DEGREE**                      **60-63**  
**TOTAL**

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## B.A. Conflict Analysis and Resolution

**Concentrations:** Building Peace in Divided Societies; Global Engagement; Political and Social Action; Justice and Reconciliation; Interpersonal Dynamics; Collaborative Leadership; Environmental Conflict and Collaboration, Individualized, No Concentration.

**NOTE:** To complete a concentration, at least two of the six concentration courses must be CONF courses. For students without a concentration, all six major electives must be CONF courses. Courses may not double count for the concentration requirement and the skills and practice requirement.

	MASON DEGREE REQUIREMENT	Credits	Course	MASON CORE/DEGREE EQUIVALENT
21	Required Core Courses	3	CONF 300 Conflict Resolution Techniques and Practice	Major
22	Required Core Courses	3	CONF 320 Interpersonal Conflict Analysis and Resolution	Major
23	Gen Ed: Written Communication (UL)	3	ENGL 302 Advanced Composition	Written Comm
24	Major Elective or Concentration Course	3	Approved Concentration or CONF elective course*	Major
25	Skills and Practice	1-3	Approved Skills and Practice course*	Major
26	Required Core Courses	3	CONF 330 Community Group, and Organizational Conflict Analysis and Resolution	Major
27	Skills and Practice	0-1	Approved Skills and Practice course*	Major
28	Required Core Courses	3	CONF 340 Global Conflict Analysis and Resolution	Global & Major
29	Required Core Courses	3	CONF 301 Research and Inquiry in Conflict Resolution	Major
30	Major Elective or Concentration Course	3	Approved Concentration or CONF elective course*	Major

31	Major Elective or Concentration Course	3	Approved Concentration or CONF elective course*	Major
32	Major Elective or Concentration Course	3	Approved Concentration or CONF elective course*	Major
33	Required Core Courses	3	CONF 302 Culture, Identity, and Conflict	Writing Intensive
34	Field Experience	3	Approved Field Experience course*	Major
35	Major Elective or Concentration Course	3	Approved Concentration or CONF elective course*	Major
36	General Electives	3	General Electives (See: Advisor)	Major
37	Skills and Practice	0-1	Approved Skills and Practice course*	Major
38	General Electives	3	General Electives (See: Advisor)	Major
39	Major Elective or Concentration Course	3	Approved Concentration or CONF elective course*	Major
40	Gen Ed: Synthesis/Core Requirement	3	CONF 490 RS: Integration	Synthesis
41	General Electives	3	General Electives (See: Advisor)	Major
42	General Electives	0-3	General Electives (See: Advisor)	Major

<b>B.A. CONFLICT ANALYSIS &amp; RESOLUTION DEGREE TOTAL</b>	<b>120</b>
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Denotes a course that must be taken at George Mason University. Please see your Success Coach to enroll.

\*For approved CONF Concentration, Skills and Practice, and Field Experience courses, please visit - <https://catalog.gmu.edu/colleges-schools/conflict-analysis-resolution/conflict-analysis-resolution-ba/#requirementstext>

General Note: Students cannot use more than 12 credits of coursework within the major with a C- or D grade to count towards the Conflict Analysis and Resolution, BA. If a student receives C- or D grades in excess of the allowed number, they may retake courses to meet the major coursework grade requirement for graduation. Students taking a graduate course for undergraduate credit must achieve a grade of B- or higher for graduate course credits to count towards their undergraduate degree.

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Students seeking a bachelor's degree must apply at least 45 credits of upper-level courses (numbered 300 or above) toward graduation requirements.