

## CORE REQUIREMENTS TABLE 2024-25

### Inquiry: Ways of Knowing – Core Requirements (46 s.h.\*)

\*University Core Requirements are modified for students who transfer in with 57 s.h. or more of initial transfer credit. See [Academic Calendar](#) for details.

| ✓  | COURSE     | S.H. | NOTES  | ✓  | COURSE | S.H. | NOTES  |
|--|------------|------|--|--|--------|------|--|
| <b>FOUNDATIONAL INQUIRIES (28 sem. hrs.)</b> |            |      |  | Academic Writing Requirement <sup>1</sup>  |        |      |  |
| <i>Academic Research &amp; Writing</i>       |            |      |  | <b>WAYS OF KNOWING (18 sem. hrs.)</b>  |        |      |  |
|  | ENGL _____ | 3    | Choose two of ENGL 101, 102, 103, 104.   | In addition to the courses on the left, students must take an additional 18 sem.hrs., selecting 3 sem. hrs. from each of the following six categories. <i>*At least 9 sem. hrs. must be from outside of the student's major.</i> |        |      |  |
|  | ENGL _____ | 3    |  |  |        |      |  |
| <i>Foundations</i>                           |            |      |  | <i>Aesthetic &amp; Performance Inquiry</i>   |        |      |  |
|  | FNDN 101   | 1    | Compulsory during the first semester of the first year for all new students unless they have a minimum 24 sem. hrs. initial transfer credit. |  |        | 3    | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Aesthetic & Performance Inquiry category below.      |
|  | FNDN 102   | 3    | Normally taken before year three.  | <i>Cultural &amp; Linguistic Inquiry</i>   |        |      |  |
|  | FNDN 201   | 3    |  |  |        | 3    | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Cultural & Linguistic Inquiry category below.        |
| <i>Logical &amp; Ethical Reasoning</i>       |            |      |  | <i>Experiential &amp; Embodied Inquiry</i>   |        |      |  |
|  | PHIL _____ | 3    | Choose one of PHIL 100, 103, 105, 106, 109, or 210.  |  |        | 3    | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Experiential & Embodied Inquiry category below.      |
| <i>Religious &amp; Spiritual Thought</i>     |            |      |  | <i>Historical &amp; Archival Inquiry</i>   |        |      |  |
|  | RELS _____ | 3    | Choose RELS 110 or 160. Recommended in the 1st semester of 1st year.   |  |        | 3    | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Historical & Archival Inquiry category below.        |
|  | RELS 111   | 3    |  | <i>Quantitative &amp; Computational Inquiry</i>  |        |      |  |
|  | RELS 112   | 3    |  |  |        | 3    | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Quantitative & Computational Inquiry category below. |
| <i>Scientific Method &amp; Lab Research</i>  |            |      |  | <i>Social &amp; Global Inquiry</i>   |        |      |  |
|  |            | 3    | Choose one of BIOL 103, 104, 113/198, 114/199, 216, 241, 262; CHEM 101, 103/198, 111/198; GENV 109, 121, 262; GEOL 109; PHYS 111.            |  |        | 3    | Choose 3 sem. hrs. from the Social & Global Inquiry category below.              |

<sup>1</sup>**Academic Writing Requirement:** students must take WR TG 100 (native English speakers) or WR TG 101 (non-native English speakers) in their first semester at TWU, unless exempt at the time of admission to the University. WR TG course credit may be included toward a degree program as elective credit.

### Ways of Knowing: Categories

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| <b>Aesthetic &amp; Performance Inquiry</b>      | ART 181, 182, 250; ENGL 207, 208, 310; HKIN 342; MCOM 211, 221, 231, 369; MUSI 110; PHIL 370; SAMC 111, 370; THTR 130, 161; any Music Ensembles; any Music (MUSA) Private Lessons.   |
| <b>Cultural &amp; Linguistic Inquiry</b>        | ANTH 210, 395; EDUC 496; ENGL 334, 340, 482; GREE 235; HEBR 245; HIST 237; IDIS 201; POLS 237; RELS 235, 245; SOCI 395; any World Languages & Cultures course (CHIN, FREN, JAPA, RUSS, SPAN).  |
| <b>Experiential &amp; Embodied Inquiry</b>      | ART 305, 306, 307; BIOL 316, 318, 362, 364, 409, 410; BIOT 200, 300, 400, 409, 410; BUSI 395, 396, 49x; CHEM 409, 410; CMPT 409, 410; EDUC 302, 303, 402, 403; GENV 131, 316, 318, 372, 373, 374, 375, 409, 410; HIST 310, 315, 316; HKIN 201, 202, 216, 235, 266, 336, 355, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460; LING 398, 399; MATH 409, 410; MCOM 281, 391, 392, 393; NURS 213; POLS 395, 396; PSYC 322, 497, 498; SOCI 320, 411, 420; THTR 101, 102, 151, 152, 153, 154, 175, 210, 301, 302, 351, 352, 353, 354; any 1 sem. hr. HKIN Activity course; any Travel Study. |
| <b>Historical &amp; Archival Inquiry</b>        | ART 237, 238; ECON 306; GENV 312; HIST 107, 108, 135, 306, 339, 391; MUSI 131, 132; NURS 230; PHIL 203, 314, 421; POLS 391; PSYC 408; RELS 320, 351, 352, 475; SAMC 112; SOCI 391; THTR 331, 332.  |
| <b>Quantitative &amp; Computational Inquiry</b> | BUSI 176, 275; CHEM 104, 112; CMPT 140; DATA 100; ECON 176, 275; GENV 282, 382, 383; MATH 102, 108, 123, 150, 190, 191; PHYS 112; PSYC 207; SOCI 207; SOCS 305, 383, STAT 102, 108.  |
| <b>Social &amp; Global Inquiry</b>              | ANTH 101, 302; BUSI 311; ECON 311, 354; EDUC 345, 365; ENGL 348; GENV 111, 212, 322, 354; LING 101, 210, 302; MCOM 111, 171, 251, 313, 315, 317, 372, 491; NURS 227; PHIL 208, 220, 310, 320; POLS 101, 211, 310, 312, 320, 493; PSYC 399; RELS 271, 272, 285, 381, 384, 386, 476; SOCI 101; THTR 348.   |