

## Liberal Education Curriculum Worksheet

The Liberal Education Curriculum (LEC) is a common set of requirements for all majors at SUNY College at Old Westbury. All students must complete the following requirements (A minimum of 30 credits is required.)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_ ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Requirements	Course Number & Name	Grade	Semester Taken
<b>Diversity</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>Math Proficiency<sup>†</sup>:</b> Students must satisfy <b>ONE</b> condition out of those in the next column: <u>Note:</u> If satisfying with a course, a minimum grade of <b>C</b> is required.	↓ Circle one that applies • MA1020 College Algebra or higher: _____ • MA2000 Applied Statistics • MA2050 Quantitative Reasoning & Decision Making • HS Seq. 3, Math B Regents or Algebra2/Trig. <b>Exam (85% or higher)</b> • Score 3 or higher on a math AP exam • Placement: OW ALGE 50 or STAT 45*	Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>Basic Communication and Writing Proficiency<sup>†</sup></b> Students must have a grade of <b>C or higher</b> in <b>EACH</b> to achieve proficiency:	English Composition I (EL1000) Grade: ____ Transfer / Date _____ (Score 3 or higher on an English AP exam) English Composition II (EL22xx) Grade: ____ Transfer / Date _____		

<b>All Eight (8) Domains to be satisfied:</b>			
Domains	Course Number & Name	Grade	Semester Taken
<b>Creativity and the Arts</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>Western Tradition</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>American Experience</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>Major Cultures</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>Foreign Language</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>Natural Science</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>Humanities</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____
<b>Social Science</b>		Grade: ____	Transfer / Date _____

<sup>†</sup>Transfer students must meet the Old Westbury College-wide proficiency requirements in Math and Writing, which go beyond the SUNY "General Education Requirements."

\*See the table in the back of the sheet.

## New Liberal Education Curriculum requirements for Everyone

The Liberal Education Curriculum (LEC) requirements apply to all current students.

The LEC requirements are designed to give students as much flexibility as possible. By selecting dual-designated courses, students may have fewer required LEC classes and will therefore be able to choose more electives. (The total number of credits required to complete a degree remains the same.) Students who have taken classes which would have fulfilled LEC requirements under the older plan, but are no longer required under the new plan, will still receive full credit for the classes as elective coursework.

Students who have questions or concerns about the new Liberal Education Curricular requirements should contact their academic advisor or a faculty advisor in the major.

### Notes:

- Effective in Spring 2015, students entering OW with a **AA** or **AS** (not AAS) degree from **SUNY** or **CUNY** are deemed to have met the SUNY General Education requirements.
  - Transfer students must meet the College requirements for **Diversity** and **Proficiency in Math and Writing**, in addition to the SUNY GE requirements.
  - Effective in Fall 2013, students may be able to satisfy two domains with a course which is designated for two domains. Under this rule, students can satisfy all the LEC requirements with less than 12 courses. However, a minimum of 30 credits are required for LEC.
- To obtain a listing of Liberal Education Curriculum courses offered each semester without logging in, go to the Old Westbury website: > **Academics** > **Registrar** (under Resources) > **Class Schedule** > **Class Schedule** > **Term** > **Attribute Type** (select domain) > click **Class Search**
  - Use Degree Audit to see your requirements and progress:  
<https://connect.oldwestbury.edu> > **Login (enter User ID and password)** > **Academics** > **Degree Audit (DGW)**  
 For students wishing to change majors, use **What If** on the left under the Worksheets
  - Students may use a class to fill both a major requirement and a LEC Requirement.  
 Example: PE3410 Contemporary US Political Economy is a required class for PEL majors; it also fills the requirement for American Experience. A student majoring in PEL could use PE3410 to fill both a major requirement and to fill American Experience in the GE requirements.

**For Advisors:** Please check Math and English Placement in **VIEW TEST SCORES in Connect OW**

Math	SOATEST SCORE	PLACEMENT	English	SOATEST SCORE	PLACEMENT
	ALGE 00	Needs MA1010		WRIT 07	ESOL IV
	ALGE 40 or MA 02	Needs MA1020, MA2000 or MA2050		WRIT 20	EC I (English Comp. I)
	STAT 45	Satisfied the College's math proficiency requirement with Statistics or the other non-algebra math. To take Pre-Calc. one needs to be placed in ALGE 50 or MA03. Eligible to take MA1020.		WRIT 21	Passed ECII but needs ECI with C or better*
	ALGE 50	Satisfied the College's math proficiency requirement and eligible to take Pre-Calculus.		WRIT 25	EC II (English Comp. II)
	MA03	Eligible to take Pre-Calculus		WRIT 50	EMS (Proficient)
	ALGE 55 or MA 04	Eligible to take Calculus I			

♦Student may take a writing placement exam. Contact AAC ([advising@oldwestbury.edu](mailto:advising@oldwestbury.edu)) for the detail.