



General Education Curriculum Columbian College of Arts of Sciences

GPAC Tier 1

University Gen Ed
Requirements

1 course in **quantitative reasoning**
in mathematics or statistics

1 course in **scientific reasoning**
in natural and/or physical lab sciences

2 courses in **critical thinking**
in the social sciences

1 course in **critical thinking**
in the humanities

1 first year **writing** course (UW 1020)

2 **writing** in the discipline courses*
*must be taken after completion of UW 1020 to count

1 course in **oral communication**

GPAC Tier 2

CCAS Gen Ed
Requirements

1 course in **creative** or **critical thinking**
in the arts

1 additional **scientific reasoning** course
in natural and/or physical lab sciences

1 additional **critical thinking** course
in the humanities

1 course that includes a **global**
or **cross-cultural perspective**

1 course that includes a **local/civic**
engagement perspective

General GPAC Policies

- Courses taken to fulfill any of the Tier One and Tier Two requirements, except UW 1020, may also be counted toward a major
- Credit by examination (AP, IB) and pre-matriculation transfer credit can count toward GPAC if approved as a GPAC equivalent course
- Once a student has matriculated, all remaining GPAC courses must be done in residence (approved study abroad courses taken during the fall and spring semesters can be considered in residence)
- Courses taken prior to the semesters they were approved for GPAC do not count towards GPAC