UNDERGRADUATE ONLINE LEARNING

A description of Undergraduate Online Learning appears on page 31. Courses available through Undergraduate Online Learning are listed below.

Undergraduate Online Learning Courses

Students can take the following individual Undergraduate Online Learning courses without admission to a degree program:

ACL2001	Elementary Greek I
ACL2002	Elementary Greek II
ART1007	Art Appreciation*
BIA1005	Biblical Worldview: Personal Responsibility
BIA2025	Biblical Worldview: Community and Culture
BIA2115	Principles of Biblical Interpretation
BIA3215	Advanced Biblical Interpretation
BIA3235	Second Temple Judaism
BIA3236	Biblical Customs and Geography
BIA4345	Biblical Worldview Capstone: Christian Thought
BIB1001	Old Testament History and Literature
BIB1002	New Testament History and Literature
BIB2216	Mark
BIB2217	Luke
BIB2220	Life of Christ
BIB3215	Romans and Galatians
BIB3235	Genesis
BIB3237	Isaiah
BIB3238	Daniel
BIB4360	Christian Theology
BIB4460	Studies in Biblical Theology
BIB4835	Seminar in Theological Method
BIO1025	Medical Terminology
CHE1006	Concepts of Chemistry
CHN1001	Beginning Chinese I
ECO2201	Principles of Economics I
ENG0009	English Lab
ENG1105	Composition
ENG2205	Critical Thinking and Writing
FIN3227	Trusts, Wills, and Estates
GEO1005	Introduction to Geography
GEO1015	World Geography
GST1015	Basic Computer Applications
GST1035	Discovering Majors
HIS1005	History of Western Civilization
HIS3115	Old Testament Archaeology
HIS3116	New Testament Archaeology
HIS3117	History of Ancient Israel
HIS3125	History of the Christian Church from Apostolic Times to the Present
ICS2015	World Religions
ICS3015	Race and Ethnicity in America
ICS3215	Contemporary Religious Movements
LIT1100	Introduction to Literature
MAT1005	Mathematics for the Liberal Arts
MAT1015	College Algebra
MAT1126	Precalculus
MAT2121	Calculus and Analytic Geometry I
MAT2122	Calculus and Analytic Geometry II
MIN1005	Introduction to Ministry
MIN3231	Introduction to Biblical Counseling
MKT1086	Fundamentals of Marketing**
MUS1075	Introduction to Music
PHE1065	Lifetime Fitness and Wellness
PHI2005	Introduction to Philosophy
PHI2016	Ethics
PLA1019	Prior Learning Assessment (FOR FOCUS STUDENTS ONLY).
PSY1005	Introduction to Psychology
PSY2108	Lifespan Psychology
SCI2108	Concepts of Astronomy
SPA1001	Beginning Spanish I
SPA1002	Beginning Spanish II
SPE1075	Public Speaking

*ART1007 IS EQUIVALENT TO ART1005 (SEE PAGE 130).
**MKT1086 IS EQUIVALENT TO MKT1085 (SEE PAGE 173).

Undergraduate Online Learning Programs

The following programs are available through Undergraduate Online Learning: Global Studies Major; Biblical Studies Major; Associate of Arts and Bible; Certificate in Bible; PSEO; Early College. To enroll in one of the degree or certificate programs, prospective students must meet Northwestern College's admission requirements (see page 17).

Global Studies Major Bachelor of Arts

Northwestern College offers a major in Global Studies through Undergraduate Online Learning. This program is designed primarily for those who are preparing for or are currently involved in serious missions endeavors. Global Studies is a degree completion program for students who have completed 60 credits or more of general education requirements and electives. The program requirements are the Global Studies core curriculum (listed below), Global Studies modules (48 credits), and elective credits. These credits may be completed through Undergraduate Online Learning.

Global Studies Curriculum is as follows (must have 60 credits to begin Global Studies modules):

Core Curriculum . . . . . 31 cr
- **Written Communication . . . . . 6 cr**
  - English Composition 4
  - Research Writing. 2
- **Oral Communication. . . . . 3 cr**
  - Speech 3
- **Social Sciences (2 Areas) . . . . . 8 cr**
- **Humanities (2 Areas) . . . . . 6 cr**
- **Science & Mathematics (2 Areas) . . . . . 8 cr**
  - Mathematics 4
  - Lab Science 4

Major . . . . . 48 cr

Electives . . . . . 46 cr

TOTAL . . . . . 125 cr

Developed by the Institute of International Studies, an arm of the U.S. Center for World Mission, the Global Studies modules are an expansion of a widely used program called Perspectives on the World Christian Movement. They provide a solid, integrated foundation in the study of missions, Bible, anthropology, world religions, global history—and even some basics in science and biblical languages—organized as eight modules, each with emphasis on a particular period of history:

GLS3310	First Things I: Creation to 400 B.C.
GLS3315	First Things II: Creation to 400 B.C.
GLS3320	Formulation I: 400 B.C. to A.D. 200
GLS3325	Formulation II: 400 B.C. to A.D. 200
GLS4330	Fulfillment I: A.D. 200 to 1945
GLS4335	Fulfillment II: A.D. 200 to 1945
GLS4340	Finalization I: The Contemporary World
GLS4345	Finalization II: The Contemporary World

Each of the modules carries 6 semester credits and is designed to be completed in 15 weeks, with an investment in study time of approximately 18 hours per week. See pages 201-202 for course descriptions.

Upon successful completion of the eight modules and with the appropriate number and distribution of other credits (to total 125 semester credits), the student qualifies for a Bachelor of Arts degree in Global Studies from Northwestern College. Students are encouraged to select other Undergraduate Online Learning courses to meet any degree requirements not covered by previous course work.

Biblical Studies Major Bachelor of Arts

The Biblical Studies major is designed to provide in-depth study and preparation in Bible and related areas and subjects. It is intended for students who wish to pursue graduate studies in preparation for teaching, for those who desire a solid pre-seminary program, or for persons who wish to gain a high proficiency in biblical studies. The degree is granted upon completion of 125 credits as specified below and on pages 42–43 (40 credits must be in 3000- or 4000-level courses).

Required Courses . . . . . 22 cr

BIA3215	Advanced Biblical Interpretation	2
BIA3235	Second Temple Judaism	4
BIA3236	Bible Customs and Geography	4
BIB4460	Studies in Biblical Theology	2
BIB4835	Seminar in Theological Method	4
HIS3125	History of the Christian Church from Apostolic Times to the Present	4
ICS3215	Contemporary Religious Movements	2

Courses selected from the following . . . . . 17 cr

Courses with ACL, BIA, BIB, or PHI prefixes*.

ICS2015	World Religions	4

Foreign Language . . . . . 8 cr

ACL2001	Elementary Greek I	4
ACL2002	Elementary Greek II	4

*MAY NOT INCLUDE COURSES USED TO MEET CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS.

Associate of Arts and Bible

The Associate of Arts and Bible is designed to prepare the graduate for transfer to an upper-level degree program at Northwestern or another institution. The degree is granted upon completion of 60 credits. The Associate of Arts and Bible degree program follows the curriculum on pages 52–53, with the exception of course options that are not offered through Undergraduate Online Learning. Students should check course requirements of the program and school where further study is planned. To enroll in this degree, prospective students must meet the admission requirements on page 17.

Certificate in Bible

The Certificate in Bible is designed for those wishing concentrated training in the Word of God. It assists students to become established in the faith, rooted and grounded in the Word, and fortified with answers to humanity's primary questions regarding life's purpose and destiny. It provides tools for continuing Bible study and for effective Christian witness. It is of value to professional men and women going to the mission field and needing a concentrated study of the Bible. The Certificate in Bible is granted upon completion of the same Bible credits included in Northwestern College's bachelor's degrees (see page 54), with the exception of course options that are not offered through Undergraduate Online Learning. To enroll in this certificate, prospective students must meet the admission requirements on page 17.

PSEO

The Postsecondary Enrollment Options (PSEO) Program, through the State of Minnesota, allows public-, private-, and home-schooled high school juniors and seniors who are residents of Minnesota to complete courses for both secondary and postsecondary credit. The State of Minnesota pays the tuition and most materials costs for these courses.

The following are the qualifications for Northwestern's Online PSEO program:

1. High school GPA of 2.75
2. ACT/PLAN score of at least 18, SAT score of at least 1200, or a PSAT score of at least 120. For any other standardized tests, students must rank in at least the top 50%. Contact admissions for other accepted tests.
3. Cumulative college GPA of 2.0 or higher to stay in the program

The following are the qualifications for Northwestern's On-campus PSEO program:

1. Minimum high school GPA of 3.0
2. ACT/PLAN score of at least 24, SAT score of at least 1650, or a PSAT score of at least 165
3. Ability to commute to and from Northwestern's campus
4. Demonstrate an excellent "fit" with the Northwestern community as determined by the Admission Committee
5. Cumulative college GPA of 3.0 or higher to stay in the program

Early College

High school juniors and seniors who are residents outside the State of Minnesota, who would like to take summer courses, or who would like to take non state-approved courses, can earn college credit while in high school through the Early College Program.

All PSEO and Early College students must provide evidence of being able to perform college-level work. This evidence must include the following:

1. High school GPA of 2.75
2. ACT/PLAN score of at least 18, SAT score of at least 1200, or a PSAT score of at least 120. For any other standardized tests, students must rank in at least the top 50%. Contact admissions for other accepted tests.
3. Cumulative college GPA of 2.0 or higher to stay in the program