

General Education Courses

Resolution 98-241 (December 1998) of the State University Board of Trustees requires graduates of bachelor degree (B.S.) programs to successfully complete 27 credit hours of course work distributed among nine knowledge and skill areas, collectively referred to as General Education. The core of the curricula for all ESF undergraduate degree programs satisfy the natural science, basic communications, mathematics, humanities, and other world civilizations General Education knowledge and skill areas. For the remaining General Education knowledge and skill areas requirements, students must complete one course chosen from the course selections in the knowledge and skill areas designated for their degree program.

For resources related to the General Education implementation guidelines go to:
<http://www.suny.edu/provost/GeneralEducation/campusgenedresources.cfm>.

A complete listing of ESF and Syracuse University courses that meet the General Education standards established by SUNY is available on the Internet at:
<http://www.suny.edu/provost/GeneralEducation/CourseList/mastercampuslist.cfm>

To request that an ESF course be considered as meeting one of the knowledge and skill areas, check the appropriate box for **General Education designation** on the course proposal form.

Questions related to General Education designation may be directed to the Chair of the Subcommittee on General Education.

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