

FIRST YEAR GEOGRAPHY MAJOR

GIS/RS Track

Students should expect to take an English Composition course, a math course, an elementary level foreign language course, and an introductory course in physical geography. Your advisor may also recommend that you take a required first-year experience course in your first semester.

The courses listed in each table below represent typical courses for a first year student in this major or majors. Each student's schedule may look different based upon the answers provided on the Pre-registration Survey, math and other course placements, and course availability.

Students who have earned college credit for any of the courses below will work with an advisor to identify appropriate courses for the first semester.

Your academic advisor will make every effort to accommodate your schedule preferences; however, course availability will be limited in many cases, and may mean that have to take a course at a time that might not be what you would prefer. It is important to remember that your advisor has your long term goals in mind as you work toward pursuing your degree and career.

Math Placement = Level 10

First Semester Courses	Required Degree Area	Credits
English composition (based on placement)	General Education	3-4
MATH 2623/MATH 2623C: Quantitative Reasoning with co-requisite support	Major and General Education	5
GEOG 1503: Physical Geography	Major	3
FRNL 1550: Elementary Foreign Language	Foreign Language Requirement	4
		15-16

Math Placement = Level 20

First Semester Courses	Required Degree Area	Credits
English composition (based on placement)	General Education	3-4
MATH 2623: Quantitative Reasoning or STAT 2625: Statistical Literacy and Critical Reasoning	Major and General Education	3-4
GEOG 1503: Physical Geography	Major	3
FRNL 1550: Elementary Foreign Language	Foreign Language Requirement	4
First Year Experience	General Education	3
		16-18

Math Placement = Level 35 and higher

First Semester Courses	Required Degree Area	Credits
English composition (based on placement)	General Education	3-4
STAT 2601: Introductory Statistics	Major and General Education	3
GEOG 1503: Physical Geography	Major	3
FRNL 1550: Elementary Foreign Language	Foreign Language Requirement	4
First Year Experience	General Education	3
		16-17