NATIVE AMERICAN STUDIES B.A.

Bachelor of Arts - Native American Studies

General Education Requirements

Information regarding these requirements can be found in the General Education Section (http://catalog.umt.edu/academics/general-education-requirements/) of the catalog.

Summary

Code	Title	Hours
Lower-Division	Core Courses	12-13
Upper-Division	Core Courses	18
Elective Course	s	9
Total Hours		39-40

Degree Specific Credits: 39-40

Required Cumulative GPA: 2.5

Lower-Division Core Courses

Note: Where options are presented, students may take both courses and count one as an elective.

Code	Title	Hours
Complete all of the	ne following courses:	
NASX 105H	Introduction to Native American Studies	3
NASX 201X	Indian Culture Expressed Through Language	3-4
or NASX 142	Elementary Blackfoot II	
NASX 235X	Oral and Written Traditions of Native Americans	3
or NASX 280	NA Studies Research Theories and Methods	
Total Hours		9-10

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Upper-Division Core Courses

Rule: Complete the following subcategories. 15 total credits required.

Group 1 - Ethics and Worldview

Code	Title	Hours
Complete one of	the following courses:	3
NASX 303E	Ecological Perspectives in Native American Traditions	
NASX 304E	Native American Beliefs and Philosophy	
NASX 403	Contemporary Tribal Resource Issues	
Total Hours		

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Group 2 - History

Code	Title	Hours	
Complete one of	the following courses:	3	
NASX 354X	Indians of Montana since the Reservation Era		
HSTA 364	Native American History to 1830		
HSTA 365	Native American History from 1830		
Total Hours			

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Group 3 - Policy and Contemporary Communities Code Title Hours Complete two of the following courses: 6 NASX 306X Contemporary Global Issues of Indigenous People **NASX 475** Tribal Sovereignty **NASX 479** Tribal Governance and Policymaking **NASX 494** Seminar/Workshop **Total Hours** 6

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Group 4 - Literature, Film, and Education			
С	ode	Title	Hours
Complete one of the following courses:			3
	NASX 340	Native American Lit	
	NASX 360	Native Americans and Cinema	
	NASX 430	American Indian Education	
Total Hours			3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Elective Courses Code Title Hours Complete 15 credits from the following courses: 15 ANTY 122S **Race and Minorities ANTY 323X** Native Peoples of Montana **ANTY 330X** Peoples and Cultures of World HSTA 364 Native American History to 1830 HSTA 365 Native American History from 1830 HSTA 463 Research in 19th-20th century Native American History **NASX 141** Elementary Blackfoot I Elementary Blackfoot II NASX 142 **NASX 180 Event Planning** NASX 191 Special Topics **NASX 192** Independent Study **NASX 198** Internship **NASX 201X** Indian Culture Expressed Through Language NASX 210X Native American Sports & Games NASX 231X Indigenous World View Perspectives NASX 260X Indigenous Community Development **NASX 291 Special Topics**

Т	otal Hours		15
	PUBH 391	Special Topics (Am Indian Health Issues)	
	NASX 499	Senior Capstone/Thesis	
	NASX 494	Seminar/Workshop	
	NASX 491	Special Topics	
	NASX 479	Tribal Governance and Policymaking	
	NASX 430	American Indian Education	
	NASX 405	Gender Issues in Native American Studies	
	NASX 403	Contemporary Tribal Resource Issues	
	NASX 394	Workshop/Seminar	
	NASX 392	Independent Study	
	NASX 391	Special Topics	
	NASX 360	Native Americans and Cinema	
	NASX 354X	Indians of Montana since the Reservation Era	
	NASX 352	Montana's Indians and Land	
	NASX 351	Traditional Ecological Knowledge	
	NASX 340	Native American Lit	
	NASX 304E	Native American Beliefs and Philosophy	
	NASX 303E	Ecological Perspectives in Native American Traditions	
	NASX 292	Independent Study	

Total Hours

Minimum Required Grade: C-