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**Where can I find more information?**

Office of General Education :

<http://www.qc.cuny.edu/Academics/GenEd>

Queens College Academic Senate:

<http://www.qc.cuny.edu/academics/AcademicSenate/Pages/default.aspx>

Academic Advising Center:

<http://advising.qc.cuny.edu/>



# Queens College General Education Requirements

- I. CUNY Required Core - 4 courses
- College Writing 1: ENGL 110 (EC1)
  - College Writing 2: (EC2)
  - Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning (MQR)
  - Life and Physical Sciences (LPS)

- II. CUNY Flexible Core - 6 courses\*
- World Cultures and Global Issues (WCGI)
  - U.S. Experience in its Diversity (USED)
  - Creative Expression (CE)
  - Individual and Society (IS)
  - Scientific World (SW)
  - An additional Flexible Core course

\*No more than two courses in any discipline or interdisciplinary field

- III. QC College Core (4 courses)
- Literature
  - Language
  - Science
  - Any additional Core Course, except EC1, EC2 or MQR

All students are required to take two "Writing Intensive" (W) Courses. "W" courses may overlap with other requirements.

The Office of General Education at Queens College is responsible for developing, implementing, and maintaining the general education part of the College's undergraduate curriculum. The Academic Senate (which has both faculty and student voting members) is responsible for all curricular matters at QC. We work closely with, and support, the Senate's Undergraduate Curriculum Committee and its General Education Advisory sub-Committee (GEAC).

Fall 2013 finds us transitioning into the first semester of the "Pathways" curriculum, which is the new CUNY-wide general education transfer system. Students will complete 30 general education credits at any CUNY campus, plus up to 12 general education credits in residence at QC.

Many of our students are still following the previous curriculum, known as Perspectives (PLAS), which was implemented in 2009, and was The College's general education curriculum for 4 years. There is also a small segment of our student population following the curriculum in place prior to that, known as LASAR, which was in effect for more than 30 years.

The General Education requirement is one component of the degree requirements current students must fulfill in order to graduate. In order to attain a bachelor's degree, students must:

- Complete 120 credits
- Fulfill all General Education Requirements
- Complete a major area of study
- Meet the GPA requirement of 2.00

(See facing page for "Pathways" structure)

Further information on the graduation requirements can be found here: <http://tinyurl.com/lulzqum>