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General Education at the University of Missouri St. Louis offers students an exciting and challenging curriculum that develops core proficiencies and literacies and encourages the exploration of knowledge necessary to succeed in today's changing world. The following information outlines the General Education requirements. Courses used to fulfill a one Core area requirement may not be applied to any other Core or Explore area requirement or to the Explore area requirements unless they exceed 3 credit hours.

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First Year Writing

Math Proficiency

Communication Proficiency

Information Literacy

American History or Government

Explore Areas:

Humanities and Fine Arts

Social Sciences

Math and Life/Natural Sciences

Any credit hours above and beyond 3 hours in a course that fulfills a Core area may be applied to the Explore area.

Sign-offs from other departments affected by this proposal

None

Rationale

Credit hours in a GE Core course that exceeds the minimum required cannot be applied to a GE Explore because DARS cannot split the credit. This modification eliminates the conflict.