

American Studies

Degrees Offered

**BA
American Studies**

**BA
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(Intensive)**

**Prerequisites
for entering the
major**

None

**Requirements
for each degree**

14 term courses
(including senior reqs)

4 gateway courses
(AMST 111-299):

1 cultural history course

1 cultural studies course

1 American Literature survey course

1 prep course for concentration

(1 course must be designated "Early Americas")

5 courses in concentration
(national formations; the international United States;
material cultures and built environments; politics and
American communities; visual, audio, literary, and
performance cultures; public humanities)
(1 course must be on a related non-U.S. topic)

2 AMST elective courses

2 junior seminars
(AMST 300-399)
(at least 1 in concentration)

**Senior
Requirements**

**1 senior seminar
in concentration**
(AMST 400-490)
or
**1 term senior project
or essay**
(AMST 491)

**Independent
Project**
(AMST 493
and 494)

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