



This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designated as critical (in boldface and shaded areas) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Div.	Min. Grade	Major GPA	Important Notes
Semester One [14 Credit Hours]					
HIST 11050 History of Civilization I or HIST 11051 History of Civilization II or HIST 12070 History of the U.S.: Formative Period or HIST 12071 History of the U.S.: Modern Period	6			■	All are required; select two courses in this semester; fulfills Kent Core Humanities and diversity requirement
US 10097 Destination Kent State: First Year Experience	1				Not required of transfer students with 25 credits
Foreign Language Requirement (Elementary I)	4-5				Fulfills College General Requirement; see foreign language note on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Semester Two: [16 Credit Hours]					
HIST 11050 History of Civilization I or HIST 11051 History of Civilization II or HIST 12070 History of the U.S.: Formative Period or HIST 12071 History of the U.S.: Modern Period	6			■	Select two not taken in previous semester; fulfills Kent Core Additional and diversity requirement
Foreign Language Requirement (Elementary II)	4-5				Fulfills College General Requirement; see foreign language note on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Three: [15 Credit Hours]					
HIST 32050 The Historian's Craft	3	■	C	■	Fulfills writing-intensive course requirement
Foreign Language Requirement	3-5				Fulfills College General Requirement; see foreign language note on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				
Kent Core Requirement	3				
Semester Four: [15 Credit Hours]					
Foreign Language Requirement	3-5				Fulfills College General Requirement; see foreign language note on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Kent Core Requirement	3				
Kent Core Requirement	3				
HIST Elective (upper division)	3	■		■	See note on page 2
Semester Five: [15 Credit Hours]					
College General Requirement	3				Must be from Kent Core Basic Sciences; see note 1 on page 2
College General Requirement	3				Must be from Kent Core Social Sciences; see note 2 on page 2
HIST Elective (upper division)	3	■		■	See note on page 2
General Electives (lower or upper division)	6				
Semester Six: [15 Credit Hours]					
HIST Electives (upper division)	6	■		■	See note on page 2
General Electives (lower or upper division)	9				
Semester Seven: [15 Credit Hours]					
HIST Elective (upper division)	3	■		■	See note on page 2
General Electives (upper division)	12	■			
Semester Eight: [16 Credit Hours]					
HIST 49091 Senior Seminar in History	3	■		■	
HIST Elective (upper division)	3	■		■	See note on page 2
General Electives (upper division)	10	■			Number of credits required depends on meeting minimum 121 credit hours and minimum 42 upper-division credit hours



Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Global / Domestic Diversity Course	Writing-Intensive	Experiential Learning	Minimum Major GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
121	42	36	HIST 11050 or 11051/HIST 12070 or 12071	HIST 32050	Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/elr	2.000	2.000

Kent Core Summary

Kent Core Categories	Important Notes	Remaining Credit Hours
Composition (6-8 credit hours) <i>ENG 11002, 11011, 21011; HONR 10197, 10297</i>	Enrollment based on placement test	6-8
Mathematics and Critical Reasoning (3-5 credit hours)	Enrollment based on placement test	3-5
Humanities and Fine Arts (9 credit hours) <i>Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences and minimum one course from fine arts</i>	6 credits fulfilled in this major with HIST 11050, HIST 11051, HIST 12070 and/or HIST 12071; 3 credits must be from Fine Arts area	3
Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two curricular areas</i>		6
Basic Sciences (6-7 credit hours) <i>Must include one laboratory</i>		6-7
Additional (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two Kent Core categories</i>	3 credits fulfilled in this major with HIST 11050, HIST 11051, HIST 12070 or HIST 12071	3

Note 1: One additional course taken from the Kent Core Basic Science courses in the following Arts and Sciences disciplines: Anthropology (ANTH), Biological Sciences (BSCI), Chemistry (CHEM), Geography (GEOG), Geology (GEOL) or Physics (PHY). Students may take the courses listed in the "introductory" sequences with the restrictions noted above in the Kent Core Basic Science section. The course may not be from the student's major.

Note 2: One additional course taken from the Kent Core Social Sciences courses in the following Arts and Sciences disciplines: Anthropology (ANTH), Applied Conflict Management (CACM), Geography (GEOG), Criminology and Justice Studies (JUS), Political Science (POL), Psychology (PSYC) or Sociology (SOC). The course may not be from the student's major.

Note: HIST Electives (18 credit hours) must consist of upper-division courses within the following areas:
(students should consult an advisor for recommended electives)

United States History (6 credit hours)

HIST 31040 American History through Popular Music	3	HIST 41075 War and Society in the United States from 1607-1865	3
HIST 31061 History of Ohio	3	HIST 41076 War and Society in the United States from 1865-Present	3
HIST 31075 History of Women in the United States	3		
HIST 31080 African-American History: Slavery to Freedom	3	HIST 41077 The Great Depression in America	3
HIST 31081 African-American History: Reconstruction to the Present	3	HIST 41079 Migrations to America, 1607-Present	3
HIST 38095 Special Topics in United States History	3	HIST 41083 U.S. Foreign Relations through World War I	3
HIST 40197 American Cultural Heritage: The Arts and Society	3	HIST 41084 U.S. Foreign Relations from 1920	3
HIST 41000 Introduction to Public History	3	HIST 41085 The Sixties in America	3
HIST 41056 History of Colonial America, 1492-1714 ^{DD}	3	HIST 41087 Progressive America: The United States, 1896-1919	3
HIST 41057 Eighteenth Century America, 1714-1789 ^{DD}	3	HIST 41088 New Era Through World War: The United States, 1920-1945	3
HIST 41058 Jefferson-Jackson Era, 1789-1848	3		
HIST 41062 The United States: The Westward Movement	3	HIST 41089 Recent America: The United States, 1945-Present	3
HIST 41065 Sectional Conflict and Civil War	3	HIST 48697 Colloquium: U.S. Middle Period: 1820-1900 ^{WIC}	3
HIST 41066 Reconstruction in the Later South	3	HIST 48797 Colloquium in African American History to 1877	3
HIST 41070 American Social and Intellectual History, 1790-1876	3	HIST 48897 Colloquium in African American History Since 1877	3
HIST 41071 American Social and Intellectual history, 1876-Present ^{DD}	3	HIST 49095 Special Topics in United States History	3

European History Since 1500 (6 credit hours)

HIST 31024 World War II	3	HIST 41032 Consumption and Mass Culture in Modern Europe	3
HIST 31027 History of England to 1688	3	HIST 41033 Women and Gender in Modern Europe	3
HIST 31028 England Since 1688	3	HIST 41041 History of Germany, 1871-Present	3
HIST 31030 NATO: The Enduring Alliance	3	HIST 41044 Imperial Russia, 1689-1917	3
HIST 31050 History and Society of Modern Greece	3	HIST 41045 Modern Russia, 1917-Present	3
HIST 31052 History of Modern France	3	HIST 41051 Politics, Culture and Society of 20 th Century Europe	3
HIST 31053 Modern Europe, from 1815 to Present	3	HIST 41060 Comparative Fascism	3
HIST 38195 Special Topics in Europe Since 1500	3	HIST 41129 The Holocaust: The Destruction of the European Jewry, 1938-1945	3
HIST 41016 The Protestant and Catholic Reformations	3		
HIST 41017 Seventeenth-Century Europe	3	HIST 41789 The French Revolution and Napoleon	3
HIST 41020 Nineteenth-Century Europe	3	HIST 42497 Colloquium: Women in Modern Europe ^{DG,WIC}	3
HIST 41024 Modern European History, 1914-1945	3	HIST 43797 Colloquium in Victorian England ^{WIC}	3
HIST 41025 Modern European History, 1945-Present	3	HIST 49195 Special Topics in Europe Since 1500	3



African, Ancient, Medieval, Latin American and Asian History (6 credit hours)

HIST 31112 Chinese Civilization	3	HIST 41011 The High Middle Ages	3
HIST 31118 Vietnam War	3	HIST 41014 Europe in the Renaissance	3
HIST 31125 Zionism and Israel	3	HIST 41097 Colloquium: Saints, Monks and the Medieval Community	3
HIST 31126 History of the Middle East	3	HIST 41112 History of Modern China	3
HIST 31127 Ancient and Early Medieval Jewish History	3	HIST 41116 History of Japan	3
HIST 31128 Late Medieval and Modern Jewish History	3	HIST 41132 History of Africa, 1880-Present	3
HIST 31130 History of African Civilization	3	HIST 42140 The Sixties: A Third World View	3
HIST 31140 Modern Latin America ^{DG}	3	HIST 42141 Comparative Third World Revolutions	3
HIST 31141 Early Latin America	3	HIST 42142 Afro-Latin America	3
HIST 38295 Special Topics in Global History	3	HIST 42297 Colloquium: China and Japan ^{WIC}	3
HIST 41003 History of Ancient Greece	3	HIST 43097 Colloquium: Medieval Russia	3
HIST 41006 Roman History	3	HIST 49295 Special Topics in Global History	3
HIST 41010 The Early Middle Ages	3		

DD-fulfills domestic diversity requirement; DG-fulfills global diversity requirement; WIC-fulfills writing intensive requirement

Special Note for the Major: All courses taken from the list of major program requirements are used in the calculation of the major GPA.

Foreign Language Note: Students pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree in the College of Arts and Sciences must have the equivalent of Elementary I and II in any language, plus one of the following options:

- a. Intermediate I and II of the same language
- b. Elementary I and II of a second language
- c. Any combination of two courses from the following list:
 - Intermediate I of the same language
 - MCLS 10001 Introduction to Structural Concepts for Language Students
 - MCLS 20000 Global Literacy and Cultural Awareness
 - MCLS 20091 Seminar: Global Literacy Case Studies

All students with prior foreign language experience should take the foreign language placement test to determine the appropriate level at which to start. Some students may begin their university foreign language experience beyond the Elementary I level and will complete the requirement with fewer credit hours and fewer courses. This may be accomplished by: (1) passing a course beyond the Elementary I through Intermediate II level or (2) receiving credit through Credit by Exam (CBE), the College Level Examination Program (CLEP), the Advanced Placement (AP) exam or credit through the International Baccalaureate (IB) program; or (3) being designated a "native speaker" of a non-English language (consult with the College of Arts and Sciences Advising Office for additional information). When students complete the requirement with fewer than 14 credit hours and four courses, they will complete the remaining hours with general electives.

Kent Core

Students must complete a minimum 36 credit hours of the Kent Core. Certain courses required in programs and in student's major field may also fulfill the Kent Core. Honors equivalents shall satisfy the Kent Core. None of the courses on the Kent Core list may be taken with a pass/fail grade. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core for course list.

Diversity Course Requirement

Students must complete a two-course diversity requirement, consisting of one with a domestic (U.S.) focus and one with a global focus. One course must come from the Kent Core. The second course may be taken as a second Kent Core, within a major or minor, or as a general elective; or, with dean's approval, by completing one semester of study in another country. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity for course list.

Writing-Intensive Course Requirement

Students must complete a one-course writing-intensive requirement in their major and earn minimum C (2.000) grade. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/wic for course list.

Experiential Learning Requirement (ELR)

To provide students with direct engagement in learning experiences that promote academic relevance, meaning and an understanding of real-world issues, students must complete this requirement at Kent State, either as a for-credit course or as a non-credit, non-course experience approved by the appropriate faculty member. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/elr for course list.

Upper-Division Requirement

Students must complete a minimum 39 upper-division (numbered 30000 to 49999) credit hours of coursework. Programs in the College of Arts and Sciences require a minimum of 42 hours of upper-division coursework.

Foreign Language

Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/foreign-languages for course list.

