
Bachelor of Arts

INTEGRATED STUDIES in the HUMANITIES and SOCIAL SCIENCES: Humanities, Psychology, Pueblo Indian Studies

This degree will prepare students for many careers that require reliable and flexible thinking and communication, such as in local and state government, public service, and managerial careers. It will also provide a solid basis for those wishing to pursue advanced degrees in various fields, including psychology, law, and cultural anthropology. This is an academic degree that seeks to provide not only the skills and knowledge promised by a liberal arts education but also the encouragement that will allow students to use the skills and knowledge to become effective and inspired leaders.

GENERAL EDUCATION (39 CR) SEE PAGES 25-28.

Area I. Communications (9 cr)

ENG	111	English Composition I (3)
ENG	112	English Composition II (3)
SPCH	130	Public Speaking (3)

Area II. Mathematics (3 cr)

Choose one of the following courses:

MATH	145	Introduction to Probability and Statistics (3) *
MATH	150	College Algebra (3)
MATH	151	Conceptual Mathematics (3)

Prerequisite: Math 129

Area III. Laboratory Sciences (8 cr)

Area IV. Social/Behavioral Sciences (6-9 cr)**

PIS	200	Introduction to Pueblo Indian Studies (3)
PSY	105	General Psychology (3)

Select one more Area IV course from the list on pages 26-27 (0-3).

Area V. Humanities and Fine Arts (6-9 cr)**

HUM	100	FYE: History and Culture of Northern New Mexico (3)
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Select one or two more Area V courses from the list on pages 27-28 (3-6).

Area VI. Library Technology (1 cr)

LT	101	Library Research Skills (1)
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Area VII. Foreign Language (3 cr)

(All PIS students must take PIS 245 to satisfy Area VII.)

* Students choosing the emphasis in Psychology must take MATH 145; students choosing other emphases may choose MATH 150 or MATH 151.

**Students must complete at least 15 credits between areas IV & V, maintaining at least two disciplines in each area.

INTEGRATED STUDIES CORE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (34 CR)

Students must take all courses from Groups A and B, and 9 hours from Group C. In addition to the Integrated Studies core, students must complete all requirements for their specific emphasis.

Group A: Integrating Core (9 cr)

HSS	288	Foundations of Integrated Studies (3)
HSS	388	Integrated Studies II (3)
HSS	488	Integrated Studies III (3) (WIC)

Group B: The Dialogues (16 cr)

HSS	311	Readings in the Social Sciences (4)
HSS	320	Genesis of Mathematics and Science (4)
HSS	414	Humanity and Creativity (4)
HSS	421	History, Literature, Art, and Philosophy (4)

Group C: Cross Disciplinary Requirements (9 cr)

Students must take at least three hours in each of the two emphases other than the primary emphasis for a total of nine credit hours. For example, if the primary emphasis is psychology, a student could take six hours of Pueblo Indian Studies courses and three hours of Humanities courses. At least six of these hours must be upper division.

INTEGRATED STUDIES EMPHASES REQUIREMENTS

Students must choose one of the following emphases or concentrations: Humanities, Psychology, or Pueblo Indian Studies.

HUMANITIES EMPHASIS (27 cr)

Students must complete a total of 27 credits, including at least three credits (i.e., one course) from each of the four groups below. Of the 27 credits in this emphasis, at least 15 credits must be in upper-division courses; the rest may be chosen from the classes listed below or from within the prefixes that fall under the umbrella of humanities courses (courses with a prefix of ENG, HUM, HIST, and PHIL).

Group A: Philosophy

PHIL	300	Comparative Metaphysics (3)
PHIL	364	Great Works of Western Philosophy (3)
PHIL	366	Great Works of Asian Thought (3)
PHIL	452	Philosophy of Technology (3)

Group B: Humanistic Approaches to Myth, Psyche, and Religion

ENG	324	Literature as Psychological Insight (3)
HUM	390	Topics in the Study of Religion (3)
HUM	460	Mythic Ways of Knowing (3)

Group C: Literature

ENG	265/PIS 265	Native American Literature I (3)
ENG	266/PIS 266	Native American Literature II (3)

ENG	318	Oral Traditions: Folk Stories (3)
ENG	456	Shakespearean Plays (3)
ENG	468	Ecocriticism (3)

Group D: Critical Thinking

PHIL	250	Critical Thinking (3)
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Elective Requirement for Humanities Emphasis (28 cr)

The remaining 28 credits for the baccalaureate degree (totaling 128 credits) with this emphasis are electives. No more than four hours of HPER, and no more than six studio hours, may count toward the degree.

PSYCHOLOGY EMPHASIS (30 cr)

Students must complete all courses from Group A and at least 12 hours from Group B. Topic courses and independent studies may qualify in any group for substitute credits, with departmental approval. This emphasis articulates with the AA in Substance Abuse Counseling and with the AA in Human Services in the Social Sciences and General Studies.

Group A. The following 18 credit hours are required:

PHIL	250	Critical Thinking (3)
PSY	210	Theories of Personality (3)
PSY	232	Abnormal Psychology (3)
PSY	290	Developmental Psychology (3)
PSY	321	Research Design in Psychology (3)
PSY	421	Research in Psychology (3)

Group B. Students must choose 12 credits from the following courses:

PSY	260	Family Systems Theory (3)
PSY	301	Biopsychology (3)
PSY	302	Issues in Death and Dying (3)
PSY	305	Positive Psychology (3)
PSY	370	Social Psychology (3)
PSY	400	Topics in Psychology (3)
PSY	410	Comparative Perspectives in Psychology (3)
PSY	411	Human Ecology (3)
PSY	456	Grief Theory and Process (3)
PSY	477	Gender and Sexuality (3)

Additional Electives for Psychology Emphasis (25 cr)

The remaining 25 credits for the baccalaureate degree (totaling 128 credits) with this emphasis are electives. No more than four hours of HPER, and no more than six studio hours, may count toward the degree.

PUEBLO INDIAN STUDIES EMPHASIS (24 cr)

Twenty-four credits, at least 12 upper division, must be completed from the courses listed below. Students must complete all courses in Group A and at least 18 hours in Group B. Topics courses and independent studies may qualify for substitute credits with permission of the department chair. (This emphasis articulates with the A.A. in Pueblo Indian Studies.)

Group A. The following 6 credit hours are required:

- PIS 458 Advanced Research (3)
- PIS 488 Pueblo Indian Studies Senior Seminar (3)

Group B. At least 18 hours must be chosen from the following courses:

- PIS 220 Pueblo Arts, Crafts, and Cultures (3)
- PIS 240 Research Topics in Pueblo Indian Studies (1-6)
- PIS 242 Pueblo Indian Women's Lives (3)
- PIS 250 Internship in Tribal Leadership I (3)
- PIS 251 Internship in Tribal Leadership II (3)
- PIS 252 Pueblo Indian History (3)
- PIS 256 Pueblo Indian Government (3)
- PIS 258 Indian Gaming, Entrepreneurship, Sovereignty, & Casinos (3)
- PIS 265/ENG 265 Native American Literature I (3)
- PIS 266/ENG 266 Native American Literature II (3)
- PIS 346/HUM 346 Tourism and the Arts in New Mexico Pueblos (3)
- PIS 370 Pueblo Indians and Education (3)
- PIS 372 Pueblo Health Concepts and Practices (3)
- PIS 381/HUM 381 Spirit of Place: Native Senses of Place (3)
- PIS 386 Special Topics in PIS (3)
- PIS 483 Tewa Ethnobiology: Plants & Animals of the Tewa World (3)
- PIS 484 Agricultural Practices of the Pueblo World (3)

Additional Electives for PIS Emphasis (31 cr)

The remaining 31 credits for the baccalaureate degree (totaling 128 credits) with this emphasis are electives. No more than four credits of HPER, and no more than six studio hours, may count toward the degree.

TOTAL CREDITS: 128

Undergraduate Minor HUMANITIES

To obtain a minor, students must complete eighteen (18) credit hours with a grade of “C” or better in disciplines related to the humanities. Six credit hours must be taken at Northern New Mexico College to meet residency requirements.

1. At least one course from the following selection:

HUM	103	The Search for Meaning (3)
HIST	101	Western Civilization I (3)
HIST	102	Western Civilization II (3)
PHIL	110	Introduction to Philosophical Problems (3)
ENG	230	World Literature I (3)
ENG	231	World Literature II (3)

2. At least one course from one of the following:

HUM	200	Comparative Religion (3)
HUM	294	World Mythology (3)
HUM	390	Topics in the Study of Religion (3)
HUM	460	Mythic Ways of Knowing (3)
PHIL	300	Comparative Metaphysics (3)

3. At least 12 hours of upper division courses in History, Philosophy, or Humanities.

Undergraduate Minor PSYCHOLOGY

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MINOR IN PSYCHOLOGY (18 CREDIT HOURS)

To obtain a minor, students must complete eighteen (18) credit hours of psychology courses with a grade of “C” or better. Six credit hours must be taken at Northern New Mexico College to meet residency requirements.

1. Students must take the following:

PSY	105	General Psychology
PSY	290	Developmental Psychology
PSY	215	Theories of Personality and Counseling Applications
PSY	232	Abnormal Psychology

2. At least 12 hours of upper division courses must be taken in psychology.

Undergraduate Minor

PUEBLO INDIAN STUDIES

Pueblo Indian Studies is committed to providing a historical foundation by integrating the unique cultural perspectives of pueblo nations and its people. Pueblo Indian Studies is situated among the academic fields of Indigenous Studies and Native American Studies that are committed to providing the context and critical thinking skills that best protect the integrity of indigenous peoples. The minor in Pueblo Indian Studies not only stresses sound academic preparation in the classroom but also encourages students to interact and conduct meaningful research with tribal governments, organizations, and communities with whom Northern continues to form strong partnerships.

The minor in Pueblo Indian Studies provides students a foundation to pursue and connect BA and BS degree programs in areas such as Biology, Business, Education, Environmental Science, Fine Arts and the Humanities.

The Pueblo Indian Studies minor requires completion of 18 credits. A minimum of nine credits must be lower-division as well as nine credits in upper-division. A minimum grade of a “C” is required. No pass/fail non-credit courses may be applied to the minor.

All 200 level courses have a prerequisite of ENG 109N or adequate score on Course Placement Evaluation. All 300 and 400 courses have a prerequisite of PIS 200 and ENG 111.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. The following courses are required:

PIS	200	Introduction to Pueblo Indian Studies (3)
PIS	245	Special Topics in Tribal Languages (3)

2. At least one course from the following:

PIS	240	Research Topics in Pueblo Indian Studies (3)
PIS	242	Pueblo Indian Women’s Lives (3)
PIS	252	Pueblo Indian History (3)
PIS	256	Pueblo Indian Government (3)
PIS	258	Indian Gaming (3)
PIS	265	Native American Literature I (3)
PIS	266	Native American Literature II (3)

3. Nine (9) credit hours must be selected from the following 300 or 400 Pueblo Indian Studies courses:

PIS	346	Tourism and the Arts in New Mexico Pueblos (3)
PIS	370	Pueblo Indians and Education (3)
PIS	372	Pueblo Health Concepts and Practices (3)
PIS	381	Spirit of Place: Native Senses of Place (3)
PIS	386	Special Topics in Pueblo Indian Studies (3)
PIS	458	Advanced Research (3)
PIS	483	Tewa Ethnobiology (3)
PIS	484	Agricultural Practices of the Pueblo World (3)
PIS	488	Pueblo Indian Studies Senior Seminar (3)