**Letters and Science Advising Worksheet for Orientation**

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MAKE SURE TO BRING THE WORKSHEET WITH YOU TO YOUR ORIENTATION SESSION!

**Name: _______________________________________  ePanther ID & Password: ______________________          ____________________________

Possible Majors or Areas of Interest:  ______________________________________

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*** ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION (OWC) COMPETENCY (your advisor will fill in this section)

PART A: Requirement Satisifed __________ OR Take English: 100 or 101 or 102

PART B: Satisfied by completing an approved advanced course (at least three credits) with a significant written or oral communication component by students who have completed the Part A requirement.

*** QUANTITATIVE LITERACY (QL) COMPETENCY (your advisor will fill in this section)

PART A: Requirement Satisifed __________ OR Take a Math Pathway:

- 94 → 103 or 105
- 92 → 102
- 98 → 108*

* Special paired section of Math 98 and 108 is available to allow students to complete both courses in one semester (section 051). Discuss with advisor.

PART B: Satisfied by completing at least one approved QL-B course (at least three credits) as decided by the major. QL-B courses make significant use of quantitative tools in the context of other course material.

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*** DISTRIBUTION/BREADTH REQUIREMENTS

Distribution/Breadth requirements include: Humanities, Social Science, and Natural Science. Additional GER Distributions include Arts and Cultural Diversity. Some distribution courses are also designated to meet the International Requirement. All First-Year Seminars fulfill a Distribution/Breadth requirement. Students may not take more than one First-Year Seminar. List a total of at least five courses that interest you. Include the subject, catalog number, and title (i.e. Psych 101, Intro to Psychology)

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*** LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

Please see Page 2 for more information.

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*** OTHER COURSES/AREAS OF INTEREST

List other areas of interest (i.e. Business, Architecture, Pre-Med, Criminal Justice, etc.) or courses you might like to take (i.e. continuation of a language you studied in high school, major/career exploration course, etc.) here. An advisor can then help you select courses that will fit your needs and interests.

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*** If you have taken AP tests or have college credits that you earned while in high school, please list them here. **You should contact your advisor as soon as you receive your AP results this summer to discuss if it will affect your fall registration in any way.

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**Note:** Most first semester freshmen take a total of 14-16 credits (4-5 courses). **To stay on track for a 4 year graduation, you need to average 15 credits a semester.** A typical schedule might look like this:

- English 101
- Math 105
- Political Science 193 (Social Science)
- Biological Science 102 (Natural Science)
- Philosophy 101 (Humanities)
LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

All students at UWM must complete the University Language Requirement. In addition, students completing a Bachelor of Arts degree in the College of Letters and Science must also complete the more extensive language requirement outlined below. Bachelor of Science degree students must only complete the University Language Requirement.

UNIVERSITY LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT:

Have you taken 2 or more years of a single language other than English in high school?

_____ Yes     Your University Language Requirement is completed.

_____ No      You must complete the second semester of a language other than English at UWM (American Sign Language is an option in addition to foreign languages).

L&S BACHELOR OF ARTS LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT:

Have you taken 4 or more years of a single language other than English in high school,  
OR

3 years of a single language other than English AND 2 years of a second language other than English in high school? (i.e. 3 years of Spanish and 2 years of French).

_____ Yes     Your L&S Language Requirement for the Bachelor of Arts degree is completed.

_____ No      You must complete either the fourth semester of a language other than English OR the third semester of one language other than English AND the second semester of another language other than English.

Note: There are several options for how you might complete this requirement depending upon your language experience in high school. For example, if you have taken 3 years of Spanish in high school you could either, 1) continue on in Spanish and complete fourth semester Spanish at UWM (you would be required to take the Spanish placement test to determine if you could go immediately into fourth semester or if you would need to begin at a lower level), or 2) take the first and second semester of an entirely different language (i.e. another foreign language like French or Arabic, or American Sign Language). If you choose option 2, you would not need to take a Spanish placement test.

L&S BACHELOR OF SCIENCE LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT:

Same as the University Language Requirement above.

LANGUAGES OFFERED IN FALL 2017: ARABIC, ANISHINAABEMOWIN (OJIBWE), GAELIC, CHINESE, AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE, FRENCH, GERMAN, GREEK, HEBREW, HMONG, ITALIAN, JAPANESE, KOREAN, LATIN, POLISH, PORTUGUESE, RUSSIAN, SWEDISH, SPANISH

Placement exams in Spanish, French and German may be scheduled with the Testing Center online at https://www4.uwm.edu/des/apps/testregistration/index.cfm?ctm=login

For placement information pertaining to other foreign languages or American Sign Language, please consult with an advisor.