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| **UCC Curricular Components Quick Reference**  **Full policy available at:** [**http://nau.edu/ocldaa/curriculum-process/policies-forms/**](http://nau.edu/ocldaa/curriculum-process/policies-forms/) | | | |
| For Major without Emphases: | Minor | Certificate | Emphasis |
| * 36 or more units. * 18 units of the required credit hours of a major must be unique to that major.   For Major with Emphases:   * 42 or more units. * 18 units of the required credit hours of a major must be unique to that major. * 24 units of the major must be common to all plan/sub-plan combinations. | * 18 - 24 units * 12 units must be unique to that minor to differentiate it from other minors\*. * You may use the same course or courses to satisfy requirements in both a major and a minor as long as at least 50% of the units in the minor have a different prefix than the major. * The minimum cumulative GPA for minor requirements completed at NAU is 2.00. | * 15 or more units. * 12 units must be unique to that certificate to differentiate it from other certificates. * 60% of the course work must be for letter grade. The minimum cumulative GPA for certificate requirements completed at NAU is 2.00. * Up to 40% of the course work may be university course lines. * 60% of the course work must be completed at NAU. * 60% of the course work must be upper division. | * 18 or more units * 15 units must be unique to that emphasis to differentiate it from other emphases. * Emphasis requirements can account for up to 60 percent of the total major requirements. |
| Must declare a major once 32 units of course work complete. If you transfer to Northern Arizona University with more than 32 units, you must declare a major before beginning your second term at NAU.  Requirements for Baccalaureate Degrees:   |  |  | | --- | --- | | A. | All of Northern Arizona University’s liberal studies, diversity, junior-level writing, and capstone requirements. | | B. | All requirements for your specific academic plan(s). | | C. | At least 30 units of upper-division courses, which may include transfer work. | | D. | At least 30 units of coursework taken through Northern Arizona University, of which at least 18 must be upper-division courses (300 level or above). This requirement is not met by credit-by-exam, retro-credits, transfer coursework, etc. | | E. | A cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0 on all work attempted at Northern Arizona University. | | | | |

\* Uniqueness will be enforced at the student-level not the curricular-level, while encouraging departments to work toward unique requirements at the   
 curricular level.

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