Below is information about George Mason’s General Education requirements. This worksheet will outline Mason’s requirements and give you an idea of some of the General Education classes you can take your first semester at Mason. Please note, completing this form does not guarantee that you will enroll in these courses your first semester. It also does not mean that you will have to take all of these courses your first semester. Please complete this worksheet while viewing the pre-orientation video found at http://advising.gmu.edu/new-freshmen/. Be sure to bring this completed worksheet to your advising session. If you have questions about completing the worksheet, make sure to mention these concerns when you meet with an advisor.

A list of General Education courses are located on the back of this worksheet. Please select one or two courses in each of the general education areas. Remember, some general education courses may be major specific. You will discuss your course sections with an academic advisor during your pre-orientation meeting.
### UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

**Written Communication (one course needed):**
- ENGH 100  Comp. for nonnative speakers of English (4)
- ENGH 101  Composition (3)

**Oral Communication (one course needed):**
- COMM 100  Public Speaking (3)
- COMM 101  Interpersonal and Group Interaction (3)

**Quantitative Reasoning (one course needed):**
- MATH 106  Concepts of Mathematics (3)
- MATH 108  Intro. Calculus with Business App. (3)
- MATH 110  Intro. Probability & Statistics (3)
- MATH 111  Linear Mathematical Modeling (3)
- MATH 113  Analytical Geometry and Calculus I (4)
- MATH 125  Discrete Mathematics I (3)
- STAT 250  Introduction to Statistics I (3)

*Students must obtain an appropriate score on the Math Placement Test to be eligible to take MATH 108, 110, 111, 113, & 125.*

**Literature (one course needed):**
- CLAS 250  Classical Mythology (3)
- CLAS 260  The Legacy of Greece and Rome (3)
- ENGH 201  Reading and Writing about Text (3)
- ENGH 202  Texts and Contexts (3)
- ENGH 203  Western Literary Traditions (3)
- PHIL 253  Philosophy and Literature (3)
- RELI 235  Religion and Literature (3)

**Fine Arts (one course needed):**
- ARTH 101  Introduction to Visual Arts (3)
- ARTH 102  Symbols and Stories in Western Art (3)
- ARTH 103  Introduction to Architecture (3)
- ARTH 200  Survey of Western Art (3)
- ARTH 201  Survey of Western Art (3)
- ARTH 203  Survey of Asian Art (3)
- ARTH 204  Survey of Latin American Art (3)
- AVT 103  Introduction to the Artist’s Studio (3)
- AVT 104  Studio Fundamentals I (4)
- AVT 222  Drawing I (4)
- AVT 232  Painting I (4)
- AVT 243  Printmaking I (4)
- AVT 252  Photography I (4)
- AVT 253  Introduction to Digital Photography (4)
- AVT 262  Sculpture I (4)
- DANC 101  Dance Appreciation (3)
- DANC 119  Dance in Popular Culture (3)
- DANC 125  Beginning Modern Dance (3)
- DANC 131  Beginning Jazz Technique (3)
- DANC 145  Beginning Ballet (3)
- GAME 101  Introduction to Game Design (3)
- MUSI 100  Fundamentals of Music (3)
- MUSI 101  Introduction to Classical Music (3)
- MUSI 102  Popular Music in America (3)
- MUSI 107  Development of Jazz (3)
- PHIL 156  What is Art? (3)
- THR 101  Theatrical Medium (3)
- THR 150  Drama, Stage, and Society I (3)
- THR 210  Acting I (3)
- THR 230  Introduction to Technical Theatre (3)

**Western Civilization (one course needed):**
- HIST 100  History of Western Civilization (3)
- HIST 125  Introduction to World History (3)

**Social and Behavioral Science (one course needed):**
- AFAM 200  Intro. to African American Studies (3)
- ANTH 114  Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (3)
- ANTH 120  Unearthing the Past: Prehistory, Cult., Evolut., (3)
- ANTH 135  Becoming Human: Evolut., Cognit., & Culture (3)
- CONF 101  Conflict and Our World (3)
- CRIM 100  Introduction to Criminal Justice (3)
- ECON 100  Economics for the Citizen (3)
- ECON 103  Microeconomic Principles (3)
- GGS 103  Human Geography (3)
- GOVT 101  Democratic Theory and Practice (3)
- GOVT 103  Introduction to American Government (3)
- HEAL 230  Introduction to Health Behavior (3)
- HIST 121  Formation of the American Republic (3)
- HIST 122  Development of Modern America (3)
- PSYC 100  Basic Concepts of Psychology (3)
- RELI 101  Introductory Sociology (3)
- WMST 200  Introduction to Women’s Studies (3)

**Nature Sciences (two courses needed):**

*Non-science majors:*
- ASTR 111/112  Introduction to Modern Astronomy/Lab I (3,1)
- BIOL 103  Introductory Biology I (4)
- BIOL 104  Introductory Biology II (4) (prereq. is BIOL 103)
- CHEM 103  Chemical Science in Modern Society I (4)
- EVPP 110  The Ecosphere I (4)
- EVPP 111  The Ecosphere II (4)
- GEOL 101  Introductory Geology I (4)
- GGS 121  Dynamic Atmosphere and Hydrosphere (4)
- PHYS 103  Principles & Develop. of Modern Physics I (4)

*Science Majors:*
- BIOL 213  Cell Structure & Function (4)
- CHEM 211  General Chemistry I (4)

**Global Understanding (one course needed):**
- DAN 118  World Dance (3)
- GCH 205  International Health (3)
- GGS 101  Major World Regions (3)
- GLOA 101  Introduction to Global Affairs (3)
- GOVT 132  Introduction to International Politics (3)
- GOVT 133  Introduction to Comparative Politics (3)
- HIST 251  Survey of East Asian Civilizations (3)
- HIST 271  Survey of Latin America History (3)
- HIST 281  Survey of Middle Eastern Civilizations (3)
- MUSI 103  Music of the World (3)
- PHIL 243  Global Environmental Ethics (3)
- RELI 100  Human Religious Experience (3)
- RELI 211  Religions of the Near East (3)
- RELI 212  Religion of the Orient (3)
- RELI 216  Globalization and Society (3)
- SYST 100  Engineering Systems in a Complex World (3)
- TOUR 210  Global Understanding of Travel and Tourism (3)
- WMST 100  Representations of Women (3)

**Information Technology (one course needed):**
- IT 103  Introduction to Computing (3)
- CDS 130  Computing for Scientists (3)
- HIST 390  The Digital Past (3)