Minor Requirements for Students

Three departmental minors in programs offered by the College of General Studies, 30 minors through departments in the Kenneth P. Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences, four minors through the School of Education, and a social work minor are available to College of General Studies students.

College of General Studies minors:
- Administration of Justice
- Legal Studies
- Public Service

Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences minors:
- Africana Studies
- Applied Statistics
- Chemistry
- Chinese
- Classics
- Computer Science
- Economics
- English Literature
- Film Studies
- French
- German Studies
- Historic Preservation
- History
- Italian
- Japanese

School of Education minors:
- Aerobics
- Aquatics
- Dance
- Fitness

School of Social Work minor:
- Social Work

For the minor, students must complete at least half of the minor at the University of Pittsburgh’s Oakland campus and must earn a 2.0 or better quality point average in minor courses.

College of General Studies Minors

Administration of Justice: 15 credits
- ADMJ 0500 Introduction to Administration of Justice 3 cr.
- ADMJ 1400 Introduction to Criminal Law 3 cr.
- ADMJ 3 electives 9 cr.

Legal Studies: 15 credits
- LEGLST 0080 Introduction to Legal Studies 3 cr.
- LEGLST 4 electives 12 cr.

Public Service: 15 credits
- PUBSRV 0020 Introduction to Public Service 3 cr.
- PUBSRV 0030 Public Policy Process 3 cr.
- PUBSRV 0050 Ethics and Accountability 3 cr.
- PUBSRV 2 electives 6 cr.

Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences Minors

Descriptions of these minor requirements are available at www.asundergrad.pitt.edu.

Africana Studies: 15 credits

Applied Statistics: 16 credits

Chemistry: 17-19 credits

Chinese: 18-23 credits
- Choose one of the following three options:
  1. Chinese Language - 23 credits
  2. Chinese Language, Culture, and Literature - 19 credits
  3. Chinese Culture/History/Literature - 18 credits

Classics: 15-17 credits
- Choose one of the following two options:
  1. Languages (Greek or Latin)
  2. Classical Civilization

Computer Science: 16 credits

Economics: 15-18 credits

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English Literature: 18 credits

Film Studies: 18 credits
Choose one of the following three options:
1. National Cinemas, Filmmakers
2. Themes, Genres, Theory
3. Film, Photography/Video Production

French: 15-19 credits
Choose one of the following two options:
1. French
2. French Studies

German Studies: 15-19 credits
Choose one of the following two options:
1. Literature and Film
2. Language, Literature, and Film
3. German Language

Historic Preservation: 18 credits

History: 15 credits

Italian: 15-19 credits
Choose one of the following two options:
1. Italian
2. Italian Studies

Japanese: 15-19 credits
Choose one of the following two options:
1. Japanese Language, Linguistics, Literature, Film, and Theatre
2. Japanese Culture, Film, Linguistics, Literature, and Theatre

Korean: 14-19 credits

Linguistics: 15 credits

Mathematics: 15 credits

Music: 19 credits

Neuroscience: 14 credits minimum

Philosophy: 18 credits

Physics: 16-19 credits

Political Science: 15 credits
Choose one of the following four options:
1. American Government
2. Comparative Government (Non-U.S. Countries)
3. International Relations
4. Political Thought

Portuguese Language and Luso-Brazilian Culture: 17 credits

Religious Studies: 15 credits

Slovak Studies: 17 credits
Choose one of the following two options:
1. Language
2. Culture

Sociology: 15 credits

Spanish: 18 credits

Studio Arts: 15 credits

Theatre Arts: 15 credits
Choose one of the following three options:
1. Performance
2. Design
3. Theatre History, Literature, and Criticism

School of Education Minors
Descriptions of the School of Education minor requirements are available at www.education.pitt.edu/programs/minors.aspx.

Aerobics: 18 credits
Aquatics: 18 credits
Dance: 18 credits
Fitness: 18 credits

School of Social Work Minor
A description of the social work minor is available at www.pitt.edu/~pittssw.

Social Work: 12 credits

College of General Studies
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Requirements subject to change. Check with an academic advisor before registering.

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