

The Academic Plan is a semester-by-semester plan for the full-time college-ready student. Part-time students should work with an advisor to customize the map to fit individual needs.

ACADEMIC PLAN		NOTES
Fall 1st Year		Semester 1
ENG101 - English Composition I	3	HST 103 completes the Constitution requirement Electives should be in Humanities, Literature or Social Sciences Intermediate Algebra suggested for those who need it
First Year Experience	1-3	
HST 103 - U.S. History I	3	
Computer Literacy requirement	3	
Elective	3	
Science non lab	3	
Total Hours	16-18	
Spring 1st Year		Semester 2
ENG102 -English Composition II	3	
HST 104 – U.S. History II	3	
Science with lab	5	
HST 201 – Ancient and Medieval Civilization	3	
Humanities – non HST (Philosophy, Art, Music, Language, Literature)	3	
Total Hours	18	
Fall 2nd Year		Semester 3
MTH 134- College Algebra OR MTH 131 –Survey of College Math	3	
Humanities – non HST (Philosophy, Art, Music, Language, Literature)	3	
Social Sciences –non HST (Psychology, Sociology, Geography, Economics, Political Science)	3	
HST 202- Renaissance to Early Modern Europe	3	
Humanities – non HST (Philosophy, Art, Music, Language, Literature)	3	
Total Hours	15	
Spring 2nd Year		Semester 4
Social Sciences –non HST (Psychology, Sociology, Geography, Economics, Political Science)	3	Electives should be in Humanities, Literature or Social Sciences
Communications requirement	3	
HST course (Missouri History, African American, American Women, Asian Civilization, Modern Europe)	3	
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Elective	3	
Total Hours	15	

Program Description: To succeed in the future, you must first understand the past. The ability to place events or developments in context of the past is useful, as well as rewarding. A thorough understanding of history has proven relevant to a broad array of professions, whether it is business, law, education, finance, or communications. This course of study offers a broad background in history, humanities and social sciences to prepare students for transfer to a four-year history program. A major in history may lead to a career in education, museums, preservation, writing, civil service, or social service.

Admission Requirements: Reading Proficiency required for all History courses.

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Division Chair: Sandy Frey

Employment Outlook/Median Salary*: *Strong Competition for all positions*

Career	Degree Level Required	** Growth	Median Annual Salary
Education (K-12/ Higher Education)	BA/MA/PhD	6%/19%	\$55,050 /\$68,970
Law	BA/JD	10%	\$113,530
Government (Federal/State and Local)	BA	Minus 10%	\$85,640/37,540
Research (non-profit) and Archives	BA/MA	11%	\$45,200
Political Analysts	BA/MA	21%	\$102,000
Journalism, writing and editing	BA	3%	55,940
Professional business, consultants	BA/MA	19%	\$78,600
Public Relations	BA/MA	12%	\$54,170/\$93,310

**Employment information based on current Bureau of Labor Statistics Occupational Outlook Handbook.*

***Projected overall 6% (Slower than average) change in employment 2012-2022; the average for all occupations is 11%.*

Jefferson College Program Highlights:

All three full time faculty have won statewide teaching awards. History course offerings are flexible, offered at various times and days face to face as well as online all year round.

Transfer Information:

No specific agreements with any institutions at this time, recommended courses with a C or better generally transfer to most institutions

Important websites for History majors:

American Historical Association: <http://www.historians.org/jobs-and-professional-development/career-resources/careers-for-history-majors>

Career Center at University of Tennessee: <http://whatcanidowiththismajor.com/major/history/>

Bureau of Labor Occupational Handbook: <http://www.bls.gov/home.htm>