

Major: _____

**Pitt State Pathway
Academic Advising Planning Document**

Student Name _____

Core Elements 12 credit hours

A _____ ENGL*101 English Comp 3 credits

ENGL*299 Intro to Research Writing OR

A _____ ENGL*190 Honors English Composition 3 credits

B _____ COMM*207 Speech Communication 3 credits

C _____ 3-5 credits

Pathway Criteria:

- 1) Essential Studies must be a different prefix from the student's major AND the prefix cannot be duplicated unless it is a co-requisite
- 2) Must have 15 hours combined D&E courses
- 3) Need to complete at least one of each of the 1, 2, 3, and 4 companion elements (number after letter in D-G codes)
- 4) Elective course prefix may be repeated & be prefix of student's major.

Essential Studies 23-24 credit hours from courses in D, E, F, & G (Note: D & E must total 15 hours)

D _____ 3 credits

D is 3-6 hours

D = Human Experience

D or E _____ 3 credits

E is 9-12 hours

E = Human Systems

E _____ 3 credits

E _____ 3 credits

E _____ 3 credits

F _____ 4-5 credits

F = Natural World

G _____ 3 credits

G = Wellness Strategies

G _____ 1-3 credits

H _____ UGS*150 Gorilla Gateway 2 credits

Not part of Essential Studies

Pathway Elective 3 credit hours

(may have a companion or not) (may have a prefix of major and may repeat a prefix from above)

_____ Any
D, E, F, or G 3 credits

Companion (may be a repeat of an essential studies course)

(Need one of each identified by the 1, 2, 3, or 4 associated with the Essential Studies)

1 _____

1 = Diverse Perspectives

2 _____

2 = Social Responsibility

3 _____

3 = Non-verbal & Creative
Expression

4 _____

4 = Scientific Inquiry

**Writing to Learn (Any WL course is acceptable. Recommend
it be a Pathway or major course)**

WL 1 _____

WL 2 _____

WL courses may be from PSP or major courses