



Do you need to fulfill a semester requirement?
Check the quarter course equivalent!

Philosophy

Major Courses

2026 - 2028 Semester Catalog Requirements

 Requirement Fulfilled

| SEMESTER REQUIREMENT | QUARTER COURSE | NOTES |
|--|---|---|
| PHIL 1101 Introduction to Philosophy (3) |  PHIL 101 Introduction to Philosophy (4) | |
| PHIL 1126 Logic and Argumentative Writing (3) |  PHIL 126 Logic and Argumentative Writing (4) | 1B GE on semesters A3 GE on quarters |
| PHIL 2230 Philosophical Classics: Knowledge and Reality (3) |  PHIL 230 Philosophical Classics: Knowledge and Reality (4) | 3B GE on semesters C2 GE on quarters |
| PHIL 2231 Philosophical Classics: Ethics and Political Philosophy (3) |  PHIL 231 Philosophical Classics: Ethics and Political Philosophy (4) | 3B GE on semesters C2 GE on quarters |
| PHIL 2241 Symbolic Logic (3) |  PHIL 241 Symbolic Logic (4) | |
| PHIL 3300 Philosophical Writing and Research (3) |  PHIL 300 Philosophical Writing and Research (4) | |
| PHIL 3321 Philosophy of Science (3) |  PHIL 321 Philosophy of Science (4) | UD C GE on semesters UD 3 GE on quarters |
| PHIL 3331 Ethics (3) |  PHIL 331 Ethics (4) | |
| PHIL 4411 Metaphysics (3) |  PHIL 411 Metaphysics (4) | |
| PHIL 4412 Epistemology (3) |  PHIL 412 Epistemology (4) | |
| PHIL 4459 Senior Project Preparation (3) |  PHIL 459 Senior Project Preparation (1) | |
| PHIL 4460 Senior Project (2) |  Take both: PHIL 460 Senior Project I (1) and PHIL 461 Senior Project II (2) | Courses should be taken concurrently if starting senior project spring 2026 |

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| History of Philosophy Electives | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 3309 PHIL 3310 PHIL 3312 | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 309 PHIL 310 PHIL 312 | |
| | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 3313 PHIL 3314 PHIL 3315 | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 313 PHIL 314 PHIL 315 | |
| | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 3317 PHIL 3318 PHIL 3319 | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 317 PHIL 318 PHIL 319 | |
| | Select from History of Philosophy Electives listed above or PHIL 4429 | Select from History of Philosophy Electives listed above or PHIL 429 | |
| Electives or Concentration | Choose PHIL Electives (15 units) at the 3000-4000 level OR Declare a concentration from one of the following: Ethics and Society Ethics of Science and Technology Philosophy and Religion | Choose PHIL Electives (20 units) at the 300-400 level OR Declare a concentration from one of the following: Ethics and Society Ethics of Science and Technology Philosophy and Religion | See Philosophy Concentration Guides on CLA Semester Conversion website for course requirements |
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| Support | Arts and Humanities Breadth Upper-Division C (General Education) course not in PHIL* | Arts and Humanities Breadth Upper-Division C (General Education) course not in PHIL* | *If a Religious Studies (RELS) course is taken to meet the Arts and Humanities Breadth requirement, it cannot be double-counted in the Philosophy and Religion concentration |
| Free Electives | FREE ELECTIVES | FREE ELECTIVES | Speak with a CLA Advisor to determine number of free electives required to meet the minimum 120 semester unit requirement. |



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**Do you need to fulfill GE semester requirements?
Check the quarter GE Area equivalent! Search for available GEs based on catalog.**

General Education (GE)

for PHILOSOPHY

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| Lower Division GEs | 1A: Written Communication (3) | ➔ A2: Written Communication (4) | |
| | 1B: Critical Thinking PHIL 1126 in the major (3) | ➔ A3: Critical Thinking PHIL 126 in the major (4) | Will be fulfilled with major course |
| | 1C: Oral Communication (3) | ➔ A1: Oral Communication (4) | |
| | Area 2: Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning (3) | ➔ B4: Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (4) | |
| | 3A: Arts (3) | ➔ C1: Arts - Arts, Cinema, Dance, Music, Theatre (4) | |
| | 3B: Humanities - Literature, Philosophy, and Languages other than English PHIL 2230 in the major (3) | ➔ C2: Humanities - Literature, Philosophy, and Languages other than English PHIL 230 in the major (4) | Will be fulfilled with major course |
| | 4A: American Institutions (3) | ➔ D1: American Institutions (4) | Area 4 includes two lower-division courses (4A and 4B) and one upper-division course (see Upper-Division Area 4 below). These three courses must come from at least two different course prefixes |
| | 4B: Social and Behavioral Sciences (3) | ➔ D2: Lower-Division D (4) | |
| | 5A: Physical Sciences (3) | ➔ B1: Physical Sciences (4) | |
| | 5B: Life Sciences (3) | ➔ B2: Life Sciences (4) | |
| | 5C: Laboratory (1) Embedded in a 5A or 5B | ➔ B3: Laboratory (0) Embedded in a B1 or B2 | |
| | Area 6: Ethnic Studies (3) | ➔ Area F: Ethnic Studies (4) | |
| Upper Division GEs | Upper-Division Area 2 or Upper-Division Area 5 Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning or Physical & and Life Sciences (3) | ➔ Upper-Division B Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning (4) | |
| | Upper-Division Area 3 Arts and Humanities PHIL 3321 in the major (3) | ➔ Upper-Division C Arts and Humanities PHIL 321 in the major (4) | Will be fulfilled with major course |
| | Upper-Division Area 4 Social and Behavioral Sciences (3) | ➔ Upper-Division D Social Sciences (4) | Area 4 includes two lower-division courses (4A and 4B) and one upper-division course. These three courses must come from at least two different course prefixes |



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Note: the following GEs on the 22-26 catalog will not be required for student who switch to the 26-28 semester catalog: lower division C GE, Area E GE, GE Electives.



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Ethics and Society

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| Courses | PHIL 4439 Topics in Ethics and Political Philosophy (3) | → | PHIL 439 Selected Problems in Ethics and Political Philosophy (4) | |
| Ethics Electives | Choose THREE from the following: PHIL 3332 PHIL 3333 PHIL 3334 PHIL 3335 PHIL 3336 PHIL 3337 PHIL 3341 PHIL 3343 PHIL 3385 PHIL 4439 | → | Choose THREE from the following: PHIL 332 PHIL 333 PHIL 334 PHIL 335 PHIL 336 PHIL 337 PHIL 341 PHIL 343 PHIL 385 PHIL 439 | |
| Technology Ethics Electives | Choose ONE from the following or select 3 additional units of Ethics Electives: PHIL 3322 PHIL 3323 PHIL 3327 PHIL 3328 PHIL 3339 PHIL 3340 | → | Choose ONE from the following or select 3 additional units of Ethics Electives: PHIL 322 PHIL 323 PHIL 327 PHIL 328 PHIL 339 PHIL 340 | |



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Ethics of Science and Technology

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| Courses | PHIL 3323 Ethics, Science and Technology (3) | → | PHIL 323 Ethics, Science and Technology (4) | |
| Ethics and Philosophy of Science and Technology Electives | Choose TWO from the following: PHIL 3322 PHIL 3327 PHIL 3328 PHIL 3339 PHIL 3340 | → | Choose TWO from the following: PHIL 322 PHIL 327 PHIL 328 PHIL 339 PHIL 340 | |
| Ethics Electives | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 3332 PHIL 3333 PHIL 3334 PHIL 3335 PHIL 3336 PHIL 3337 PHIL 3341 PHIL 3343 PHIL 3385 | → | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 332 PHIL 333 PHIL 334 PHIL 335 PHIL 336 PHIL 337 PHIL 341 PHIL 343 PHIL 385 | Or select 4 additional units of Ethics and Philosophy of Science and Technology Electives |
| Senior Seminar Electives | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 4421 PHIL 4422 PHIL 4439 | → | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 421 PHIL 422 PHIL 439 | |



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Philosophy and Religion

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| Courses | PHIL 3342 Philosophy of Religion (3) | ➔ PHIL 342 Philosophy of Religion (4) | |
| Asian Philosophy and Religion Electives | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 3361 PHIL 3362 RELS 3301 RELS 3306 RELS 3307 | ➔ Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 361 PHIL 362 RELS 301 RELS 306 RELS 307 | |
| Religion Electives | Choose TWO from the following: RELS 3302 RELS 3304 RELS 3310 RELS 3311 RELS 3344 | ➔ Choose TWO from the following: RELS 302 RELS 304 RELS 310 RELS 311 RELS 344 | OR choose any unused Asian Philosophy and Religion Electives (see above) |
| Senior Level Philosophy Electives | Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 4421 PHIL 4422 PHIL 4423 PHIL 4429 PHIL 4439 PHIL 4449 | ➔ Choose ONE from the following: PHIL 421 PHIL 422 PHIL 423 PHIL 429 PHIL 439 PHIL 449 | |



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