

OUACHITA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

Degree: B.A.

Major: Community and Family Services

2020 – 2021

COMMON CORE		Credit Hours
All students take the following courses.		
CORE 1002	OBU Connections [†]	2
CORE 1023	The Contemporary World	3
CORE 1043	Composition I	3
CORE 1113	Survey of the Bible	3
CORE 1123	Interpreting the Bible	3
CORE 2233	World Literature	3
CORE 2243	History of World Societies	3
CORE 2334	Scientific Inquiry ¹	4
CORE 3023	Scientific Connections ²	3
¹ Prerequisite: Completion of the Analytic & Quantitative Reasoning Requirement.		
² Prerequisite: CORE 2334 Scientific Inquiry		
FLEXIBLE CORE		
Choose as indicated from each of the seven categories.		
Analytic & Quantitative Reasoning (One course*)		3
MATH 1003	College Algebra	
MATH 1033	Mathematics for the Liberal Arts	
PHIL 1003	Introduction to Philosophy	
PHIL 1023	Logic	
* Students with ACT math score of 22 or less (SAT 530 or less) must choose one of the MATH courses.		
Applied Skills (One course)		0-3
COMM 1003	Fundamentals of Public Speaking (Satisfies Speaking Component in major)	
FINN 2003	Personal Finance	
Artistic Engagement (One course**)		3
FINA 3113	Fine Arts: Art	
FINA 3123	Fine Arts: Music	
FINA 3133	Fine Arts: Theatre	
** May be satisfied by participation in the European Study Program.		
Civic Engagement in America (One course)		3
PSCI 2013	American National Government	
HIST 2003	United States History to 1877	
HIST 2013	United States History Since 1877	
Intercultural Appreciation and Communication[†] (Two courses)		6
CHIN, FREN, GERM, GREK, HEBR, ITAL, LATN, JAPN, RUSS, SPAN	Two semesters of credit in the same foreign language. May also be satisfied by approved language-intensive study-abroad experience.	
Physical Well-being (One course)		0-3
KIN 1002	Concepts of Wellness	
KIN 2073	Health and Safety (meets Interdisciplinary Menu in major)	
LST 2013	Outdoor Leisure Pursuits	
EXPERIENTIAL CORE		
CHAP 1000	Chapel (7 credits required)	0
FINA 4011	Arts Engagement Series	1
Total		43-49

[†] For more detail, refer to the School of Interdisciplinary Studies section of the catalog.

GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS	
7 Chapel Credits, or 1 per semester for transfer students	
2.000 minimum GPA (overall, OBU, major, and minor)	
At least 24 hours with grades of C or higher in the major	
Jr./Sr. Hours: At least 39 total, 12 in the major and 6 in the minor	
At least 60 hours taken at OBU, including 30 of last 36 hours.	

MAJOR		Credit Hours
Community and Family Services Basic Requirements		
CHST 1001	Freshman Seminar	1
BSTH 1003	Spiritual Formation	3
SOCI 1003	Introduction to Sociology	3
COMM 3033	Interpersonal Communication	3
CHMN 3103	Christian Counseling	3
CHMN 3433	CHMN Internship	3
PHIL 4013	Christian Ethics	3
BSTH 4403	Christian Theology	3
CHST 4601	Senior Seminar	1
Ministry Menu (Choose one)		
CHMN 1023	Introduction to Christian Ministry	3-6
CHMN 2033	Ministry to Children	
CHMN 2043	Ministry to Women	
CHMN 2223	Introduction to Student Ministry	
CHMN 3313	Pastoral Ministry	
CHMN 3373	Recreation Ministry	
CHMN 4406	Supervised Hospital Ministry	
Counseling Menu (Choose one)		
CHMN 3353	Crisis Counseling	3
CHMN 3363	Family Counseling	
CHMN 4113	Issues in Christian Counseling	
CHMN 4123	Addictions Counseling	
CHMN 4133	Child Abuse and Domestic Violence	
Writing Component (Choose one)		
BSTH 2023	Biblical Exegesis	3
CORE 2053	Composition II	
COMM 2343	Fundamentals of Media Writing	
ENGL 3013	Technical and Professional Writing	
Speaking Component (Choose one)		
COMM 1003	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
CHMN 3123	Communicating the Gospel	
Sociology Electives (Choose two)		
SOCI 2053	Race, Class, and Gender	6
SOCI 3023	Crime and Deviance	
SOCI 3033	Sociology of the Family	
SOCI 3043	Sociology of the Community	
Interdisciplinary Menu (Choose two)		
COMM 2043	Small Group Communication	6
COMM 3073	Public Relations Principles and Problems	
COMM 4053	Organizational Communication	
COMM 4313	Intercultural Communication (also MSSN 4313)	
COMM 4433	Family Communication	
DIET 3053	Nutrition	
DIET 3083	Community and Life Cycle Nutrition	
DIET 3203	Nutrition Counseling and Education	
EDFN 2053	Child and Adolescent Development	
ENTR 3013	Social Entrepreneurship	
KIN 2063	Drug Education	
KIN 2073	Health and Safety	
MGMT 3043	Organization Behavior and Management	
PHIL 2163	Death and Dying	
SJUS 1003	Introduction to Social Justice	
Total		47-50

ADDITIONAL AREA REQUIREMENTS	
Internship/Service Component (Satisfied by major requirements)	0

MINOR: Minimum 18 hours or 2 nd major. Note: Within PSCS, Minor or 2 nd Major only allowed in Philosophy (traditional), Biblical Languages, Greek or Hebrew	18-24
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ELECTIVES: Choose courses to total 120 hours, including 39 Jr./Sr.-level hours.	0-12
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CREDIT HOUR SUMMARY	
CORE	43-49
MAJOR	47-50
MINOR or 2nd MAJOR	18-24
ELECTIVES	0-12
Total	120