

The University of South Dakota
Major Credit Hour count: 36
Major: History, B.A.

[2021-2022 Academic Catalog]

First Year - 1st Semester

HIST 151 US History I
 ENGL 101 Composition
 Mathematics
 Foreign Language: 101
 First Year Seminar

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
SGR 3+M	3
SGR 1	3
SGR 5	3
BA	4
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Semester Credit Hours: 14

Second Year - 1st Semester

HIST 111 or 121 World or Western Civ. I
 Natural Science
 Advanced Composition
 Fine Arts
 Non-HIST Social Science

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major+SGR 4	3
SGR 6	4
SGR 1	3
SGR 4	3
SGR 3	3

Semester Credit Hours: 16

Third Year - 1st Semester

HIST Elect: Non-American
 HIST Elective
 Minor
 HIST Diversity

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
Major	3
BA	6
Major	3

Semester Credit Hours: 15

Fourth Year - 1st Semester

HIST 480 Historiography
 Additional Social Science/Humanities
 Minor
 Electives

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
BA	3
BA	3
	6

Semester Credit Hours: 15

First Year - 2nd Semester

HIST 152 US History II
 ENGL 210 Intro to Literature
 CMST 101 Fund of Speech
 Foreign Language: 102
 Non-HIST Social Science

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
BA	3
SGR 2	3
BA	4
SGR 3	3

Semester Credit Hours: 16

Second Year - 2nd Semester

HIST 112 or 122 World or Western Civ II
 HIST Elect: American
 Natural Science
 Minor
 Additional Social Science/Humanities

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
Major	3
SGR 6	4
BA	3
BA	3

Semester Credit Hours: 16

Third Year - 2nd Semester

HIST Elect: Diversity
 HIST Elect: Non-American
 Minor
 Electives

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
Major	3
BA	3
	6

Semester Credit Hours: 15

Fourth Year - 2nd Semester

HIST Elective: American
 Minor
 Electives

SGR/Major Requirement	Cr Hrs
Major	3
BA	3
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Semester Credit Hours: 13

Total Major Requirements 120

Notes:

The double-major option reduces the number of credits from 36 to 30, with the reduction in hours all coming from the electives. Students take 3 hours of American History electives rather than 6, 3 hours of non-American History electives rather than 6, and 3 hours of diversity electives rather than 6. For both majors and double majors, diversity electives can also be satisfied with American History or non-American History electives.