

# Northern State University LEARNING COMMUNITIES Fall 2017

NSU freshmen start their first semester with enrollment in a Learning Community. Learning Communities take students with common interests and put them into small groups that work closely together. Students in each learning community take several common classes including a Freshman Seminar which includes the Common Read. In sharing classes, students in learning communities form close ties and friendships, establishing a small and comfortable community of learners within the larger university. Freshman advisors will help students select the learning community best for them as well as some additional classes.

## ART: Recommended for all Art majors.

### ART 1

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Art	1 Cr.
ART 111	Drawing I	3 Cr.
ART 121	Design I 2D	3 Cr.

### ART 2

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Art	1 Cr.
ART 111	Drawing I	3 Cr.
ART 121	Design I 2D	3 Cr.

## BUSINESS: Appropriate for any business related majors.

### BUSINESS 1

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Business	1 Cr.
BADM 101	Survey of Business	3 Cr.
MIS 205	Advanced Computer Applications	3 Cr.

### BUSINESS 2

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Business	1 Cr.
BADM 101	Survey of Business	3 Cr.
MIS 205	Advanced Computer Applications	3 Cr.

## EDUCATION: Appropriate for Elementary or Special Education majors.

### EDUCATION 1

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Education	1 Cr.
HIST 152	US History II	3 Cr.
SPCM 101	Fundamentals of Speech	3 Cr.
SPED 100	Intro to Persons W/ Exceptionalities	3 Cr.

### EDUCATION 2

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Education	1 Cr.
ENGL 101	Composition I	3 Cr.
HIST 152	US History II	3 Cr.
SPED 100	Intro to Persons W/ Exceptionalities	3 Cr.

## HUMANITIES: Appropriate for English or History majors.

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Humanities	1 Cr.
ENGL 101	Composition I	3 Cr.
HIST 122	Western Civilization II	3 Cr.

HONORS: Appropriate for students with ACT Composite of 27 or above. Students must apply to be in the Honors program. Students in science majors should choose a Science learning community and also take a HON 190 section.

### HONORS 1 & HONORS 2

HON 190	Seminar-Honors	1 Cr.
GEOG 210	World Regional Geography	3 Cr.
Other Honors courses available:		
BIOL 151	General Biology I	4 Cr.

BIOL 151L	General Biology I Lab	0 Cr.
PHIL 100	Intro to Philosophy	3 Cr.
ENGL 215	LitGlblCntx:Modern Irish Lit	3 Cr.
BADM 336	Entrepreneurship I	3 Cr.

## MUSIC: Recommended for Music majors.

### MUSIC 1

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Music	1 Cr.
POLS 100	American Government	3 Cr.
HIST 122	Western Civilization II	3 Cr.
MUS 110	Basic Music Theory I	4 Cr.
MUS 185	Recital Attendance	0 Cr.

### MUSIC 2

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Music	1 Cr.
HIST 122	Western Civilization II	3 Cr.
SPCM 101	Fundamentals of Speech	3 Cr.
MUS 110	Basic Music Theory I	4 Cr.
MUS 185	Recital Attendance	0 Cr.

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION: Recommended for Physical Education, Human Performance & Fitness, and Sport Marketing majors.

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: HPE	1 Cr.
PE 180	Foundations of HPER	2 Cr. OR
PE 183	Intro: Sport Marketing & Admin	2 Cr.

SPCM 101	Fundamentals of Speech	3 Cr.
WEL 100	Wellness for Life	1 Cr.

## POLITICAL SCIENCE/SOCIOLOGY: Appropriate for Political Science and Sociology majors.

IDL 190	Freshman Seminar: Pol Sci/Soc	1 Cr.
POLS 100	American Government	3 Cr.
SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3 Cr.

**PSYCHOLOGY:** *Appropriate for Psychology majors.*

<b>IDL 190</b>	<b>Freshman Seminar: Psychology</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>
<b>PSYC 101</b>	<b>General Psychology</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>
<b>SOC 100</b>		<b>3 Cr.</b>

**SCIENCE:** *Appropriate for Biology, Environmental Science, Chemistry, Medical Lab Science, and Pre-Health Science majors.*

**SCIENCE 1**

<b>IDL 190</b>	<b>Freshman Seminar: Science</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>
<b>BIOL 151</b>	<b>General Biology I</b>	<b>4 Cr.</b>
<b>BIOL 151L</b>	<b>General Biology I Lab</b>	<b>0 Cr.</b>
<b>CHEM 112</b>	<b>General Chemistry I</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>
<b>CHEM 112L</b>	<b>General Chemistry I Lab</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>
<b>MATH 102</b>	<b>College Algebra</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>
<b>MATH 102L</b>	<b>College Algebra Lab</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>

**SCIENCE 3**

<b>IDL 190</b>	<b>Freshman Seminar: Science</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>
<b>BIOL 151</b>	<b>General Biology I</b>	<b>4 Cr.</b>
<b>BIOL 151L</b>	<b>General Biology I Lab</b>	<b>0 Cr.</b>
<b>MATH 101</b>	<b>Intermediate Algebra</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>
<b>MATH 101L</b>	<b>Intermediate Algebra Lab</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>

**SCIENCE 2**

<b>IDL 190</b>	<b>Freshman Seminar: Science</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>
<b>BIOL 151</b>	<b>General Biology I</b>	<b>4 Cr.</b>
<b>BIOL 151L</b>	<b>General Biology I Lab</b>	<b>0 Cr.</b>
<b>CHEM 112</b>	<b>General Chemistry I</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>
<b>CHEM 112L</b>	<b>General Chemistry I Lab</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>
<b>MATH 102</b>	<b>College Algebra</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>
<b>MATH 102L</b>	<b>College Algebra Lab</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>

**WOLVES** learning communities are open to students in any major or for those undecided about their major.

**WOLVES 1**

<b>IDL 101</b>	<b>University Success Course</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>
<b>ENGL 101</b>	<b>Composition I</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>
<b>SPCM 101</b>	<b>Fundamentals of Speech</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>

**WOLVES 2**

<b>IDL 101</b>	<b>University Success Course</b>	<b>1 Cr.</b>
<b>BIOL 211</b>	<b>Environmental Biology</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>
<b>BIOL 211L</b>	<b>Environmental Biology Lab</b>	<b>0 Cr.</b>
<b>SOC 100</b>	<b>Introduction to Sociology</b>	<b>3 Cr.</b>