

CONCORD UNIVERSITY
BA/BS DEGREE IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

ELIGIBILITY: Student must have completed one semester of college.

APPLICATION: Students may obtain the application for the program online or at the office of the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs. Applications should include a current academic transcript.

PROCEDURE FOR COMPLETING THE APPLICATION:

1. In consultation with a faculty advisor:
 - A. The student indicates the areas of concentration, e.g., Philosophy/Physics.
 - B. The student develops a written proposal outlining the purpose of pursuing the Interdisciplinary Degree.
 - C. The student selects a coordinating committee, composed of the advisor and at least four other faculty members, who review and supervise the program. The coordinating committee members must have the rank of assistant professor or higher. Each discipline in the concentration area must be represented on the coordinating committee. The committee will indicate whether the degree will be a Bachelor of Arts or Science Degree.
 - D. The student, in consultation with the coordinating committee, constructs a program of study.

PROGRAM OF STUDY:

1. The student must complete the General Studies Program.
2. Each program must contain a minimum of 48 hours. Each discipline is represented by 12 or more hours and must contain at least 12 hours of upper level courses.
3. Each program must contain at least two disciplines with a minimum of 12 hours in each discipline. There may be as many as four disciplines with at least 12 hours in each area.
4. On the application form there must be a list of all the courses, by discipline and number, which will be required for the program. The list will be a graduation checklist utilized by the Registrar's Office. The advisor, coordinating committee, appropriate Department Chairs, and the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs must approve any changes in the program. These are available online or at the office of Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs.
5. The student must maintain an overall GPA of 2.0 and must maintain a 2.5 GPA in EACH discipline.

PROGRAM APPROVAL:

After the program of study has been completed and the courses listed on the application, the student must obtain the signatures of the advisor, the members of the coordinating committee, the Chair of each Department represented in the program of study by a discipline containing at least 12 semester hours, and the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs.

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NAME _____ Student ID# _____

ADDRESS _____ DATE _____

HOURS COMPLETED _____ GRADE POINT AVERAGE _____

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DEGREE SOUGHT _____ (BA/BS) Interdisciplinary Studies

AREAS OF CONCENTRATION _____

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: The student must attach a typed statement explaining the purposes, objectives and rationales for an Interdisciplinary Studies degree for review by the advisor, coordinating committee, Department Chair(s), and the Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs.

COORDINATING COMMITTEE: The coordinating committee will be composed of at least five faculty members selected by the student, with the faculty member's consent, indicated by his/her signature below. Faculty committee members must have the rank of assistant professor or higher. Each discipline represented in the concentration areas should be included on the committee. The student will indicate which committee member will act as advisor.

Advisor _____

PROGRAM OF STUDY: The student and the advisor will develop the program with the advice and approval of the coordinating committee. The program will contain: a minimum of 48 hours of which at least 24 must be upper level; at least two disciplines with a minimum of 12 hours in each and a minimum of 12 upper division hours in each; no more than 12 hours in directed research, exhibition, performance, or internships. Each discipline represented by 12 or more hours must contain 12 hours of upper level courses. List courses below: (Type or Print Clearly)

Subject	Number	Title	Credit Hours	Grade
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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