

Philosophy: Pre-Law

Please refer to the current [Undergraduate Academic Catalog](#) to see the course descriptions and a major description with requirements for Philosophy: Pre-Law.

Students interested in a philosophy: pre-law major should consider enrolling in **PHIL 100 (not offered in fall 2009)**, **PHIL 101**, **PHIL 151** and/or **PHIL 201** in their first semester. **PHIL 101** is not a requirement for the major, but it is a good introduction to academic philosophy, offering a historical overview. **PHIL 100**, **151** and **201** are all required for the pre-law concentration, as is successful completion of LATN 202 or higher.

Below please find some examples of first semester schedules for a philosophy: pre-law major. There are many variations of a first semester schedule; the examples are just meant to help you see that there are many ways to reach the same goals.

For information about the General Education Requirements Met below visit the [General Education Requirements](#) website.

Example 1:

Course (credits)	Requirement(s) Met
1. PHIL 151B - Introductory Logic (3)	Major, QR
2. PHIL 201 - Ancient Greek Philosophy (3)	Major, HES
3. PHYS 101 - General Physics with Lab (4)	NS
4. LATN 101** - Elementary Latin (3)	FL
5. FSEM 100F1 - American Detective Fiction (3)	FSEM

Example 2:

Course (credits)	Requirement(s) Met
1. SOCG 105 - The Social World (3)	HES
2. PHIL 201 - Ancient Greek Philosophy (3)	Major, HES
3. PHIL 101 - Intro to Philosophy (3)	Elective
4. COMM 205 - Public Speaking (3)	Elective , SI*
5. PHYD 110 - Individ. Exercise, Weight Training (1)	Elective

Example 3: Athletes for varsity sports must register for the 400-level course of the sport. Practice times for varsity sports can vary, but generally speaking, athletes should allow for enough time to get to and from practice on weekdays from 3 - 6 p.m. Please check with the individual coach for your sport to verify specific practice times each semester.

Course (credits)	Requirement(s) Met
1. PHIL 151B - Introductory Logic (3)	Major, QR
2. FSEM 100Z - International Short Fiction by Women (3)	FSEM
3. LATN 101** - Elementary Latin (3)	FL
4. MATH 110** - Finite Math with Applications (3)	QR
5. PHYD 412 - Intercollegiate Riding (1)	Elective

*These paths assume fall matriculation. Students entering in the spring semester will make appropriate adjustment for sequencing issues.

**Please note that not all sections of a course may have the Across-the-Curriculum (ATC) attribute(s). Across-the-Curriculum designations for a course are dependent on instructor and semester. ATC designations for each course are listed in the Banner description for the semester in which you are registering.*

***This particular course is in a discipline that allows students with demonstrated competence upon admission to UMW (such as AP/IB credit, dual enrollment, etc.) to begin courses at a higher level. Please read the Academic Planning Guide carefully to see if you meet the requirements. For example: students may begin at any level language course for which they feel prepared (101, 102, 105, 201,*