

2025-2026 BA PHIL - Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy

2 Year Sample Educational Plan

SAMPLE PLAN

This is a sample and not the only way to complete this plan. Number of credits are in parentheses. Some classes have prerequisites. The example below assumes that you enter Seattle University with junior standing (90 credits), have earned a transferable associate degree, and have successfully completed an equivalent to the following:

Seattle University Course Number & Title	Washington State Community College Common Course Number
Language 1150, 1250, and 1350	Foreign Language or ASL 121, 122 and 123 or demonstrated proficiency

Visit the [Transfer Equivalency Guide](#) for more information. Some courses not listed on the Transfer Equivalency Guide may still transfer to SU. For courses not found on this tool, compare course descriptions with [SU's Course Catalog](#) to determine equivalent courses at your college/university.

FIRST TRANSFER YEAR

Course	Fall	Winter	Spring	Notes
Course 1	UCOR 2XXX – University Core (5)	UCOR 2XXX – University Core (5)	UCOR 2XXX – University Core (5)	†Choose HIST 1200 – Constructing Past & Present I (5), HIST 1210 – Constructing Past & Present II (5), OR HIST 2310 – US in the World (5)
Course 2	†HIST 1200, 1210 OR 2310 (5)	PHIL 2500 – Problems & Methods of Philosophy OR 3000/4000 Level PHIL Elective (5)	PHIL 2500 – Problems & Methods of Philosophy OR 3000/4000 Level PHIL Elective (5)	
Course 3	PHIL 2600 –Intro to Logic (5)	3000/4000 Level PHIL Elective (5)	General Elective (5)	

SECOND TRANSFER YEAR

Course	Fall	Winter	Spring
Course 1	UCOR 3XXX – University Core (5)	PHIL 3020 – Medieval Philosophy (5)	PHIL 3030 – Modern Philosophy (5)
Course 2	PHIL 3010 – Ancient Philosophy (5)	3000/4000 Level PHIL Elective (5)	PHIL 4850 – Major Figures in the Traditions (5)
Course 3	3000/4000 Level PHIL Elective (5)	General Elective (5)	General Elective (5)

Important Major Information

- Minimum Credits to Graduate: 180
- Credits in Major: 50
- Minimum Major GPA: 2.0
- Minimum Cumulative GPA: 2.0

Curriculum Notes

- Students take 25 credits of 3000-4000- level PHIL electives. PHIL 2500 may satisfy 5 credits of major electives.
- For complete information on courses, prerequisites, etc., consult the [Explore & Compare Programs](#) page.

University CORE Requirements

UCOR classes are listed in the sample plan as Module I, II, and III. See below for UCOR course titles listed by Module. See my.seattleu.edu for prerequisites and www.seattleu.edu/core for course descriptions. Honors and Matteo Ricci students have different Core requirements.

Module I:

Module I is waived for students with a Direct Transfer Agreement (DTA) associate degree

- UCOR 1100 Academic Writing Seminar
- UCOR 1200 Quantitative Reasoning
- UCOR 1300 Creative Expression & Interpretation
- UCOR 1400 Inquiry Seminar in the Humanities
- UCOR 1600 Inquiry Seminar in the Social Sciences
- UCOR 1800 Inquiry Seminar in the Natural Sciences

Module II:

- UCOR 2100 Theological Explorations
- UCOR 2500 Philosophy of the Human Person
- UCOR 2900 Ethical Reasoning

Module III:

UCOR 3100 waived with a DTA degree

- UCOR 3600 Social Sciences and Global Challenges
- UCOR 3800 Natural Sciences and Global Challenges

Use MySeattleU Student Planning to plan your courses and work closely with your academic advisor on your educational plan. **You are responsible for tracking changes and ensuring you meet all degree requirements.** Reach out to the College of Arts & Sciences Advising Center for support via email at ASCAdvising@seattleu.edu.