

DEPARTMENT OF AFRICAN AND AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES
 THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY
AFRICAN AMERICAN STUDIES B S MAJOR CHECKSHEET – AASBS/AFRST
Requirements for the Major: (64-65 credits)

[This includes 4-10 credits of General Education courses: 4 crs of GQ course; 6 crs of GS courses]

This emphasis provides students with the opportunity to explore the experiences of African Americans using theories and methods originating in the field along with those adopted from the various disciplines. Students are also made aware of the potential to apply this knowledge to the solution of social, political, and economic problems. This curriculum also promotes greater understanding of the relationship between African American and other ethnic groups in the shaping of American society and culture.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: (16-17 credits)

PRESCRIBED COURSE: (4 credits)

STAT 200* (4) _____

TAKE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING : (9 credits)

AAA S 100 (3) _____ AAA S 110 (3) _____ SOC 207 (3) _____

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS: (3-4 credits)

PL SC 409 (3) _____ OR SOC 470 (4) _____

OPTION REQUIREMENTS: (48 credits)

TAKE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING: (9 credits)

AAA S/HIST 191 (3) _____ AAA S/HIST 192 (3) _____ AAA S 400 (3) _____

OPTION ADDITIONAL COURSES: (39 credits)

[Select 21 credits with at least 3 credits in AAA S courses]

AAA S 083S (3) _____ AAA S 197 (3) _____ AAA S 199 (3) _____ AAA S/HIST 211 (3) _____ AAA S 297 (3) _____
 AAA S 299 (3) _____ AAA S 395 (3) _____ AAA S 397(3) _____ AAA S 399 (3) _____
 AAA S/WMNST 202 (3) _____ ECON 002* (3) _____ ECON 004* (3) _____ ECON 304 (3) _____
 SWA 001 (4) _____ SWA 002 (4) _____

[Select 18 credits at the 400-level with at least 9 credits in AAA S courses]

AAA S 403 (3) _____ AAA S/HIST 431 (3) _____ AAA S 440 (3) _____ AAA S 443 (3) _____ AAA S/PL SC 454 (3) _____
 AAA S/HIST 465 (3) _____ AAA S/L I R/PL SC 445W (3) _____ AAA S 494** (3) _____ AAA S 495** (3) _____
 AAA S 496** (3) _____ AAA S 497** (3) _____ AAA S 499** (3) _____ ECON 471 (3) _____ GEOG 444 (3) _____
 PL SC 453 (3) _____

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 *Stat 200, Econ 002 and Econ 004 may be double counted as general education courses
 **Only 3 credits of AAA S 495 (internship) and 6 credits of AAA S 494, 496, 497, or 499 in any combination may be used to satisfy this requirement.

A student enrolled in this major must receive a grade of “C” or better, as specified in Senate Policy 82-44