

B.S. Library Science Requirements

The Bachelor of Science in Library Science program is a non-teaching / non-certification program.

Note that all students must achieve 120 undergraduate credits and a minimum 3.0 overall GPA to graduate. The final GPA requirement for Library Science is 3.0.

Required Library Science Core Courses – 18 credits

The following courses require a C or higher for a final grade.

LLTC 200 Foundations of Information Science (3 credits)

LLTC 310 Information Resources & Services (3 credits)

LLTC 320 Resources for Children & Young Adults (3 credits)

LLTC 321 Technologies for the 21st Century Educator (3 credits)

LLTC 330 Makerspaces & Technology Enhanced Programming (3 credits)

LLTC 390 Internship (3 credits)

Specialty Related Elective Courses – 15 credits

Students will select five 3-credit courses with any of the following course prefixes by subject area: ANTH, ART, HIST, EDUC, EEPK, LIST, LLTC, or SOCI. With the permission of their academic advisor, a student may select another appropriate course.

Professional Semester Courses – 15 credits

The professional semester courses are scheduled in a block for the spring semester. The following courses require a C or higher for a final grade.

LLTC 324 Librarian's Role in Reading Strategies (3 credits)

LLTC 340 Management of Information & Technology Centers (3 credits)

LLTC 350 Collecting and Curating Print & Digital Resources (3 credits)

LLTC 360 Organization of Information, Metadata, & Library Technologies (3 credits)

LLTC 370 Educational Program of The Library (3 credits)

University Elective Courses – 30 credits

These courses may be taken as university electives, or as part of a minor. Consult with your academic advisor to plan an appropriate progression of coursework.

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KU B.S. Library of Science Major Check Sheet

Student Name:

Student ID Number:

This check sheet provides a mechanism for students and advisors to keep track of a student's progress in the program. Please refer to the program requirements for more details regarding options.

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Required Library Science Core Courses – 18 credits

Note: The following courses require a C or higher for a final grade.

LLTC 200 Foundations of Information	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 310 Information Resources and Services	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 320 Resources for Children and Young Adults	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 321 Technologies for the 21st Century Educator	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 330 Makerspaces and Technology Enhanced Programming	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 390 Internship	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	18 total credits	

Specialty Related Elective Courses – 15 credits

Students must select five courses from the following course prefixes: ANTH, ART, HIST, EDUC, EEPK, LIST, LLTC, SOCI or another appropriate course with approval of the Academic Advisor.

Course 1:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 2:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 3:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 4:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 5:	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	15 total credits	

Professional Semester Courses – 15 credits

The professional semester courses are scheduled in a block for the spring semester. The following courses require a C or higher for a final grade.

LLTC 324 Librarian's Role in Reading Strategies	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 340 Management of Information & Technology Centers	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 350 Collecting and Curating Print & Digital Resources	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 360 Organization of Information, Metadata, & Library Technologies	3 credits	Grade:
LLTC 370 Educational Program of the Library	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	15 total credits	

University Elective Courses – 30 credits

Course 1:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 2:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 3:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 4:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 5:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 6:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 7:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 8:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 9:	3 credits	Grade:
Course 10:	3 credits	Grade:
Total Credits	30 total credits	

Summary of Graduation Requirements

Total credits from major courses	48
Total credits from general education program	42
Total credits from electives	30
Minimum total credits to graduate	120
Minimum overall GPA	3.0
Minimum GPA in major program	3.0

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KU B.S. Library Science 8-Semester Planner

Student Name:

Student ID Number:

Each semester listed below provides information including course categories, typical credit hours (CH.), and space to add specific course selections. This planner is a suggested path. Consult with your advisor regarding your unique plans and interests as you make choices about your schedule.

First Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A1	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category C1	3 or 4 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	FYSM 100	3 CH.	Selection: FYSM 100 -
Gen Ed	Category B	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category D	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 - 16 CH.	

Second Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A2	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category C	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category D	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 220	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 320	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Third Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category C3	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category B	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 330	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Specialty Related Elective Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Fourth Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A3	3 CH.	Selection:
Gen Ed	Category B	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Category D	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Specialty Related Elective Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Fifth Semester Plan

Gen Ed	Category A4	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 310	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 321	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Specialty Related Elective Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Sixth Semester Plan

Major	LLTC 324	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 340	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 350	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 360	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	LLTC 370	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Seventh Semester Plan

Major	LLTC 390	3 CH.	Selection:
Major	Specialty Related Elective Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Eighth Semester Plan

Major	Specialty Related Elective Course	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Elective	University Elective	3 CH.	Selection:
Total		15 CH.	

Additional Notes:

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