Humanities and Social Science Electives

All Humanities and Social Science (H & SS) courses applied towards degree requirements **must be taken for a letter grade** and also be selected from the most recent list of H & SS electives approved by the engineering faculty (see information below). Humanities is the branch of learning regarded as having primarily a cultural character and usually includes languages, art, music, literature, history, and philosophy. Social Science is the branch of science that deals with the institutions and functioning of human society and with the interpersonal relationships of individuals as members of society.

A student's DARS report should be checked for K-State 8 requirements when selecting H&SS electives. Further information regarding K-State 8 requirements can be found at www.k-state.edu/kstate8/. **Please note:** some courses are similar and therefore, only one of these courses can be used towards degree requirements. [1,2]

College	Approved Courses	
Architecture	ARCH	ARCH 301[2]
	LAR	LAR 322
Agriculture	AGEC	AGEC 315
Arts & Sciences	AERO	Upon completion of all courses required for AERO program, 4 hours of humanities and social sciences may be awarded.
	AMETH	Any course
	ANTH	Any course _except_ 280, 501, 562
	ART	Any course
	COMM	Any course _except_ 105, 106, 109
	DANCE	Any course _except_ 599
	ECON	Any course _except_ 110, 120[1]
	ENGL	Any course at or above 220
	GEOG	Any course _except_ 121, 122, 235, 340, 350, 440, 445, 508, 602, 608
	GWSS	Any course
	HIST	Any course
	LEAD	Any course _except_ 195, 399, 499
	MATH	MATH 570
	MC	MC 110, 331
	MLANG	Any modern language course (_course_ must not be below current proficiency level)
	MSCI	Upon completion of all courses required for MSCI program, 4 hours of humanities and social sciences may be awarded.
	MUSIC	Any course _except_ 245
	PHILO	Any course _except_ 110, 320, 510
	POLSC	Any course
	PSYCH	Any course
	SOCIO	Any course _except_ 423, 522
	THTRE	Any course
Education	EDCEP	EDCEP 415
Engineering	CNS	CNS 110[2]
Health and Human Sciences	CNRES	Any course
	HDFS	Any course
	GNHE	GNHE 310
	PFP	Any course

[1] Students CANNOT take both ECON 523 and ECON 620 for degree requirements.

[2] Students CANNOT take both ARCH 301 and CNS 110 for degree requirements. ARE/CNSM students must receive prior approval from their advisor to substitute ARCH 301 in place of CNS 110.

Suggested H&SS Electives for K-State 8 Requirements

Freshman and Sophomore level

Aesthetic Experience & Interpretive Understanding
(BME, BSE, CE, CHE, CMPEN, CS, EE, ENVE, IE, ME)

ART	106	Art Appreciation
ART	180	Two Dimensional Design
ART	190	Drawing 1
CNS	110	History of Building & Construction
COMM	120	Intro to Human Communication
DANCE	All	
ENGL	220	Fiction into Film
ENGL	251	Intro to Literature
ENGL	253	Short Story
ENGL	270	American Literature
ENGL	287	Great Books
MUSIC	All	
PHILO	120	Intro to Philosophy of Art
THTRE	261	Fundamentals of Acting
THTRE	270	Intro to Theatre

All MLANG courses except those below current proficiency

Ethical Reasoning & Responsibility (CE)

GWSS	105	Intro to Women's Studies
PHILO	100	Intro to Philosophical Problems
PHILO	115	Intro to Philosophy of Religion
PHILO	125	Intro to Philosophy of Science
PHILO	130	Intro to Moral Philosophy
THTRE	261	Fundamentals of Acting

Historical Perspectives
(BSE, CHE, CMPEN, CS, EE, ENVE, IE, ME)

AMETH	160	Intro American Ethnic Studies
ANTH	260	Intro to Archaeology
ART	195	Survey of Art History
CNS	110	History of Building & Construction
ENGL	287	Great Books
HIST	111, 112	World History to and from 1450
HIST	151, 152	US History to and from 1877
MC	110	Mass Communication
MUSIC	170	History of Rock and Roll
MUSIC	250	Intro to Music
POLSC	115	U S Politics
THTRE	270	Intro to Theatre

Human Diversity within the U.S.
(ARE, BSE, CE, CHE, CMPEN, CNSM, CS, EE, ENVE, ME)

AMETH	160	Intro to American Ethnic Studies
ENGL	270	American Literature
GWSS	105	Intro to Women's Studies
HDFS	110	Intro to Human Development
HIST	151, 152	US History to and from 1877
LEAD	212	Intro to Leadship Concepts
MUSIC	245	Intro to American Music
SOCIO	211	Intro to Sociology

300-level and higher

Aesthetic Experience & Interpretive Understanding
(BSE, CE, CHE, CMPEN, CS, EE, ENVE, IE, ME)

ARCH	301	Appreciation of Architecture
ART		any course 300-level or higher
COMM	311	Business and Professional Speaking
COMM	323	Nonverbal Communication
COMM	430	Freedom of Speech
DANCE		any course 300-level or higher
ENGL	330	Fiction
ENGL	390	Fable and Fantasy
MC	331	Digital Photography for Mass Media
MUSIC		any course 300-level or higher

All MLANG courses 300-level and higher
except those below current proficiency

Ethical Reasoning & Responsibility (CE)

COMM	431	Criticism of Public Discourse
COMM	434	Rhetoric and Social Movements
HIST	556	Bill of Rights
LAR	322	Environmental Issues and Ethics
LEAD	405#	Leadership in Practice
LEAD	450#	Senior Seminar in Leadership Studies
POLSC	301	Intro to Political Thought
SOCIO	360	Social Problems

Historical Perspectives
(BSE, CHE, CMPEN, CS, EE, ENVE, IE, ME)

ANTH	333	Plagues
ARCH	301	Appreciation Of Architecture
ENGL	350	Intro to Shakespeare
GEOG	310	Geography of Kansas
HIST		any course 300-level or higher
MATH	570	History of Mathematics
MUSIC	420#	History of Jazz
PHILO	501	Perspectives on Science
POLSC	321	Kansas Politics and Government

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COMM	323	Nonverbal Communication
COMM	480	Intercultural Communication
GEOG	310	Geography of Kansas
HIST	558#	History of Kansas
LEAD	350#	Culture and Context in Leadership
LEAD	430#	Women and Leadership
MUSIC	420#	History of Jazz
SOCIO	361#	Criminal Justice Systems

ARE=Architectural **BME**= Biomedical **BSE**=Biological Systems **CE**=Civil **CHE**=Chemical **CMPEN**=Computer Engg **CNSM**=Construction Science & Management

EE=Electrical **ENVE**=Environmental **IE**=Industrial **ME**=Mechanical **CS**=Computer Science

 # denotes the course has a pre-requisite