

Resolution from the Curricula and Courses Committee

Be it resolved that

I. All general education requirements leading to baccalaureate degrees in colleges and departments at USC-Columbia shall include as a minimum:

A) **English**--six credits at the level of English 101 and 102. Students who exempt English 101 and/or 102 without receiving credit toward graduation must enroll in 3 or 6 credits of English above the 100 level.

B) **Numerical and Analytical Reasoning**--six credits, to be earned in one of the following ways: ~~MATH 121 and 122 (or MATH 125 and 141)~~; MATH 122 or 141, plus an additional course from Philosophy 110, 111, Mathematics (at the next highest level), Computer Science, or Statistics; two courses from one of the following fields--Philosophy (~~110 and 111~~ ^{only}) or Computer Science or Statistics.

C) **Humanities and Social Sciences**--twelve credits, at least three of which must be in History **and three hours in fine arts**.

D) **Natural Sciences**--seven credits, including at least one course with a laboratory requirement.

E) **Foreign Languages**--beginning in the fall of 1988, students shall demonstrate ability in a foreign language equivalent to that which can be normally gained through two years of high school study of one language. Those failing to do so must satisfactorily complete ~~remedial work in a~~ **equivalent study of** foreign language at USC.

II. Each college ~~shall~~ ^{may} distinguish between lower division and upper division students and devise criteria for admission to upper division status. We recommend that such criteria include as a minimum the successful completion of university and major core courses and a GPA of 2.0 on either these courses or all courses attempted.