E. ACADEMIC OFFERINGS AND POLICIES

E1 Special study options: Identify those programs available at your institution. Refer to the glossary for definitions.

Х	Accelerated program
	Cooperative education program
X	Cross-registration
	Distance learning
X	Double major
Х	Dual enrollment
	English as a Second Language (ESL)
X	Exchange student program (domestic)
	External degree program
Х	Honors Program
X	Independent study
X	Internships
X	Liberal arts/career combination
Х	Student-designed major
X	Study abroad
X	Teacher certification program
	Weekend college
	Other (specify):

E2 Has been removed from the CDS.

E3 Areas in which all or most students are required to complete some course work prior to graduation:

Arts/fine arts
Computer literacy
English (including composition)
Foreign languages
History
Humanities
Mathematics
Philosophy
Sciences (biological or physical)
Social science
Other (describe):

Wheaton College implemented a new curriculum beginning with students entering in Fall 2020. With minimal requirements. Wheaton's Compass curriculum gives students the freedom and flexibility to create their own path to success, with personalized advising and professional mentorship. The curriculum encourages students to connect academics to career interests and builds on Wheaton's core principles of intellectual curiosity, global citizenship, experiential learning, social justice, diversity and inclusion, and collaborative community. Taught by faculty teams, the only required general education course, the First-Year Experience, combines the deep discussions, reading and writing of a traditional first-year seminar with cross-discipline discovery, encouraging students to consider complex problems and questions through multiple lenses, right from the start. Other requirements for graduation include: a research project, internship, practicum, study abroad or other experiential opportunity: a declared major and their individual course or experience requirements; and a portfolio known as a Mentored Academic Pathway, developed in partnership with staff and faculty advisors.

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