

**Bachelor of Arts (BA)  
Degree Code 602A**

**Program of Study for  
WOMEN'S STUDIES**

<b>I. GENERAL EDUCATION.....</b>	<b>44</b>
Nine (9) semester hours of General Education courses with a WS prefix can count toward the WS major. Nine hours of major may be used to meet General Education Perspective requirements depending upon choices.	
<b>II. FOREIGN LANGUAGE (Completion of 6 s.h. at the *intermediate level, or higher) .....</b>	<b>6</b>
____1040 and ____ 1050 ____ or 1060 (6 s.h.); or higher level courses _____	
<i>*NOTE: Foreign language 1010 and 1020 (or 1030) are prerequisites for the intermediate level course(s).</i>	
<b>III. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS .....</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>2. 0 major GPA is required for graduation. Major GPA calculation will include all courses taken in fulfillment of the major requirements. Minimum of 18 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill major requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian. No more than 46 semester hours of W S courses may be counted toward the BA degree.</b>	
<b>A. Required Introductory - Choose one of the following: (3 sh)</b>	
W S 2400 ____ (3) Distinguished Lectures on Women, Sex, and Gender <b>OR</b> W S 2421 ____ (3) Sex, Gender, & Power: Intro to Women's Stds	
<b>B. Required Global Women's Issues: (3 sh):</b> W S 3200 ____ (3) Global Women's Issues	
<b>C. Required Writing in the Discipline (3 sh):</b> W S 4650 ____ (3) Feminist Theories <b>[WID]</b> (Pre: ENG 2001; W S 2400, W S 2421, or W S 2600)	
<b>D. Required Capstone (3 sh):</b> W S 4550 ____ (3) Senior Seminar <b>[CAP]</b> (Pre: Sr standing)	
<b>E. Electives in Women's Studies (15 sh. required):</b> Note: In addition to the electives listed below, new pre-approved electives are listed on a semester-by-semester basis on the WS website: <a href="http://www.ws.appstate.edu">www.ws.appstate.edu</a> .	
W S 2400 ____ (3) Distinguished Lectures on Women, Sex, and Gender	
W S 2421 ____ (3) Sex, Gender, & Power: Introduction to Women's Studies	
W S 2600 ____ (3) Introduction to LGBT Studies	
W S 3100 ____ (3) Girls Coming of Age	
W S 3300 ____ (3) Gender and Technology	
W S 3400 ____ (3) Women, Food, and Nature	
W S 3600 ____ (3) LGBT Studies Seminar	
W S 3900 ____ (1-6) Internship in Women's Studies (linked with a community organization)	
W S 4600 ____ (3) Queer Theory	
Additional selected topics courses with a WS focus may be counted (see <a href="http://www.ws.appstate.edu">www.ws.appstate.edu</a> for listings). _____	
<b>F. Electives in Other Departments (Choose at least 9 semester hours, at least 3 of which must be HIS):</b>	
<u>Choose 3 sh of the following:</u>	
HIS 3137 ____ (3) Gender, Sex, and Sexuality in Early Modern Europe	
HIS 3422 ____ (3) Women in European History	
HIS 3423 ____ (3) Women in American History	
HIS 3424 ____ (3) History of American Women and the Law	
HIS 3530-49 ____ (3) Selected Topics in Women's History	
HIS 4100 ____ (3) Senior Seminar (with Women's History focus) (Pre: History major and 3 sh of 3000-level HIS or instructor permission)	
<u>Choose 6 sh of the following:</u>	
ANT 2420 ____ (3) Gender, Race, & Class	
ANT 3420 ____ (3) Women & Gender in Anthropology	
ART 2011 ____ (3) Introduction to Visual Arts (with Women's Studies focus)	
ART 3400 ____ (3) Women Artists	
ENG 3710 ____ (3) Studies in Women & Literature	
ENG 4710 ____ (3) Advanced Studies in Women & Literature	
FDN 3530 - 3549 ____ (3) Selected Topics: Identity and Relationship	
IDS 3000 ____ (3) Histories of Knowledges	
PHL 3030 ____ (3) Feminist Philosophy (Pre: ENG 2001)	
PSY 2305 ____ (3) Psychology of Gender	
REL 3030 ____ (3) Women in the Biblical Tradition (Pre: REL 2010 or 2020)	
SOC 1110 ____ (3) Sociology of Intimate Relationships	
SOC 2850 ____ (3) Constructions of Gender	
SOC 4530 ____ (3) Special Topics in Women's Studies	
SOC 4650 ____ (3) Women in the Justice System (Pre: Sr. standing)	
Additional selected topics courses with a WS focus from may be counted (see <a href="http://www.ws.appstate.edu">www.ws.appstate.edu</a> for listings).	
<b>IV. MINOR REQUIRED.....</b>	<b>12-21</b>
<b>Minimum of 9 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill minor requirements must be courses taken at Appalachian.</b>	
<b>V. ELECTIVES (taken to total 122 hours for the degree).....</b>	<b>15-24</b>
<b>2 semester hours of free electives must be outside the major discipline.</b>	