



LEARNING COMMUNITY PROGRAM TRACKING

HEALTH SCIENCES

Health Sciences

The Health Sciences Learning Community provides the opportunity for students in the Doisy College of Health Sciences and the School of Nursing to further their understanding of and connection to the ever growing interdisciplinary world of health sciences. At the culmination of the residential experience, students will be holistically formed, critically reflective, and socially and personally responsible.

Curricular Experience:

As part of the curricular and co-curricular living-learning requirement of the community, all Health Science majors will be pre-registered by the LC Academic Coordinator into BIOL 1240, BIOL 1245, CHEM 1110, CHEM 1115, and HSCI 1000 during the fall semester, as well as PSY 1010 and THEO 1000 during the spring semester. All LC courses offered to Health Sciences majors have been identified by the Learning Community Development Team in collaboration with faculty from Doisy College of Health Sciences.

Requesting an Exemption

There are four general reasons that an LC student may be excused from one or more of their Learning Community courses: **1.)** The student has prior credit; Advanced Placement/Dual Enrollment/Transfer credit. **2.)** The student has not met a prerequisite for the LC course. **3.)** The LC course conflicts with a requirement for their major; including a course sequence issue (please note: all other LC course options and scheduling options must be exhausted before an exemption is given to the student). **4.)** The student is a student-athlete; in the Billiken Success Program; or in the INTO program and has a programming conflict.

To apply for an LC course exemption, students must contact their academic advisor and request that the advisor complete the exemption application found on the LC website: <http://www.slu.edu/housing/living/learn/> Students who drop required LC courses *without* the approval of the LC program will forfeit their opportunity to obtain the Medallion award. Failure to be enrolled in at least one LC course during the Fall and one LC course in the Spring, *without* the approval of the LC Program is grounds for being required to leave the LC program, including housing reassignment onto a non-LC floor or a different residence hall.

LC Curricular Requirements

Fall 2020 (All of the following)		Grade	Credit Hours
1.	BIOL 1240: Principles of Biology I BIOL 1245: Principles of Biology I Lab		
2.	CHEM 1110: General Chemistry I CHEM 1115: General Chemistry I Lab		
3.	HSCI 1000: Introduction to Health Sciences		
Notes:			
Spring 2021 (All of the following)		Grade	Credit Hours
1.	PSY 1010: General Psychology		
2.	THEO 1000: Theological Foundations		
Notes:			

MEDALLION PROGRAM PARTICIPATION EXPECTATIONS

Students who complete all curricular and co-curricular requirements of the Learning Community Program will receive a Gold Medallion and Learning Community Certificate in recognition of their commitment and achievement within their LC to be worn at Graduation.

Fall Co-Curricular Expectations

	Three Faculty-Led Events	Date
1.		
2.		
3.		
	Four Community Experiences	Date
1.		
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4.		
	Additional Requirements	Date(s)
1.	LC Orientation	
2.	LC Ed Talks (1 per year)	
3.	10 Hours of Community Service Name of organization: Hours Volunteered: Name of organization: Hours Volunteered: Name of organization: Hours Volunteered:	
4.	Fall Reflection	

Spring Co-Curricular Expectations

	Three Faculty-Led Events	Date
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	Four Community Experiences	Date
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	Additional Requirements	Date(s)
1.	LC Ed Talks (1 per year)	
2.	10 Hours of Community Service Name of organization: Hours Volunteered: Name of organization: Hours Volunteered: Name of organization: Hours Volunteered:	
3.	Spring Reflection	