HUMANITIES & AMERICAN STUDIES
(HUM/AMS)
The Department of Humanities and American Studies offers students a choice of two undergraduate degrees, one in Humanities and one in American Studies. Students may also minor in each area. For more specific details, students are advised to consult the description of each specific program below.

HUMANITIES (HUM)
The Humanities Program offers an interdisciplinary curriculum that investigates the visual arts, music, literature, and the cultures from which they emerge.

Requirements for the Major in Humanities

Recommended Prerequisites (State Mandated Common Prerequisites)
Students wishing to transfer to USF should complete the A.A. degree at the community college. Some courses required for the major may also meet General Education Requirements thereby transferring maximum hours to the university. If students transfer without an A.A. degree and have fewer than 60 semester hours of acceptable credit, the students must meet the university’s entering freshman requirements including ACT or SAT test scores, GPA, and course requirements.

There are no State Mandated Common Prerequisites for this degree program.

The transfer student should also be aware of the immunization, foreign language, and continuous enrollment policies of the university.

Students are encouraged to complete the following major, support, or elective courses, if available, during the program of study at the community college, and when feasible in General Education/Gordon Rule courses. Unless stated otherwise, a grade of "C" is the minimum acceptable grade.

ENC 1101 Composition I (3)
ENC 1102 Composition II (3)
Humanities (HUM 2000-level courses) (6)
Creative Writing courses (CRW courses) (3-6)
Introductory courses in applied and non-applied Fine Arts (ART, MUS) (6)
Literature in Translation (RUT, CLT courses) (3-6)
Social Science (AMH, EUH courses) (6)

Course Requirements for the Humanities Major
1. HUM 2211 (Studies in Culture: the Ancient through the Medieval Periods) and HUM 2243 (Studies in Culture: the Renaissance through the Twentieth Century), six credit hours
2. 22 credits of upper-level Humanities courses (3000 or 4000 level)
3. HUM 4931 (Seminar in Humanities), four credit hours; offered only in fall semester.
4. Two or more classes in the creative or performing arts, either lower or upper level, totaling at least four semester hours.
5. Majors must earn a "C" or better in all Humanities courses.

Requirements for the Minor in Humanities
The curriculum for the Humanities minor is comparable to that of the program for the B.A. degree, but it is less comprehensive. Course requirements are as follows:
1. Eighteen semester hours of Humanities courses.
2. Not over eight of these eighteen hours may be taken below the 3000 level.