Bachelor of Arts (BA)  
Degree Code PHL 101A  
Program of Study for Philosophy  
Majors

I. GENERAL EDUCATION CURRICULUM ...................................................................................................................... 44

Up to nine hours of PHL courses may be used to meet Gen Ed Perspectives requirements depending upon choices.

II. LANGUAGE (Completion of 6 semester hours at the *intermediate level, or higher) .............................................. 6

   _________1040 ____ and 1050 ____ or 1060 ____; or higher level courses _____________________

   *NOTE: Language 1010 and 1020 (or 1030) are prerequisites for the intermediate level courses.

   LLC 1050 or 1060 may be used in General Education Perspectives depending upon choices.

III. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS ..................................................................................................................................... 37

   2.0 major GPA is required for graduation. Major GPA calculation will include all courses taken in the major department, plus any other courses under III. 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 Philosophy courses may be counted toward the BA Degree.

A. Core Philosophy Courses (25 semester hours)

   Choose one introductory philosophy course:

   PHL 1000  ____ (3)  Introduction to Philosophy

   PHL 1501  ____ (3)  Everyday Philosophy: Historical & Social Perspectives

   PHL 1502  ____ (3)  Everyday Philosophy: Aesthetic Perspective

   PHL 1503  ____ (3)  Everyday Philosophy: Local to Global

   AND:

   PHL 1100  ____ (3)  Logic I

   PHL 2800  ____ (1)  Library & Information Research in Philosophy

   PHL 3000  ____ (3)  Ancient Philosophy [WID] (Pre: ENG 2001; 3 s.h. PHL)

   PHL 3200  ____ (3)  Modern Philosophy [WID] (Pre: ENG 2001; 3 s.h. PHL)

   PHL 4300  ____ (3)  Ethical Theory (Pre: PHL 1000, 2000, 2800)

   PHL 4549  ____ (3)  Seminar (Pre: PHL 2800, 3 s.h. PHL)

   Choose one:

   PHL 3300  ____ (3)  Recent Anglo/American Philosophy [WID] (Pre: ENG 2001)

   or

   PHL 3400  ____ (3)  Contemporary Continental Philosophy [WID] (Pre: ENG 2001)

   Choose one Capstone Experience:

   PHL 4700  ____ (3)  Senior Research: Philosophy [CAP] (Pre: PHL 2800, 2 add’l PHL courses)

   HON 4010  ____ (3)  Senior Honors Thesis (Pre: Completion of Honors sequence)

   (Students who wish to substitute HON 4010 for PHL 4700 must choose a Philosophy faculty member as Director of their University Honors Thesis in HON 4010.)

B. Philosophy electives (12 semester hours required)

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IV. MINOR REQUIRED ......................................................................................................................................... 12-21

   Minimum of 9 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill minor requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian.

   2 semester hours of free electives must be outside the major discipline.

V. ELECTIVES (taken to total 122 hours for the degree) .......................................................................................... 14-23

   Total major requirements (including language & minor) – 55-64; Gen Ed courses that may count in major (depends on choices) – 12; net major 43-52 hours;