

# THCAS Student Check In

*Please check in by LAST NAME*

African & African American Studies

Anthropology

Applied Atmospheric Science

Biology & Biochemistry

Chemistry

Community & Regional Planning

Criminal Justice

Economics

English

Foreign Languages & Literatures

Geographic Info Science & Technology

Geography

Geology

History

Mathematics

Multidisciplinary (*Environmental Studies, International Studies, Neuroscience, Religious Studies, Russian Studies, Security Studies*)

Philosophy

Physics

Political Science

Professional Writing & Info Design

Psychology

Sociology

**A-F**

**G-O**

**P-Z**

# Academic Advising & Registration



*Today's presentation is available on our  
Advising website*

Academic Advising & Resource Center  
<https://thcasadvising.ecu.edu/>



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**THOMAS HARRIOT  
COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES**

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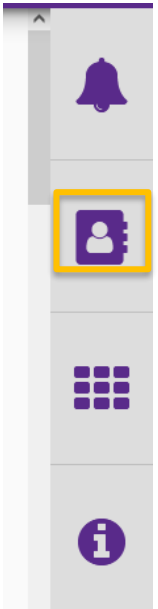
**Mary Myers**  
*Advisor*



**Taylor McFarland**  
*Advisor*

# Who Is My Academic Advisor?

- You will receive an email from your advisor within **one week** of orientation along with a **short survey to complete**. Monitor your **ECU email** account!
- You can find **Advisor** information in several places:
  - Pirate Port → 2<sup>nd</sup> tab from the top on the right side of the screen
  - Student Self-Service → Student Profile
  - Degree Works, under Worksheets tab
- **THCAS Academic Advising website** <https://thcasadvising.ecu.edu/>
  - [Academic/Advising Checklist](#)
  - [Strategies for Academic Success](#)
    - *Top 10 Tips for Academic Success and Top 10 Causes of Academic Failure*



**COAD 1000** (a.k.a. Freshman Seminar)

Mon/Wed from 10:00-10:50 with Mike Goodhart

Tue/Thu from 3:00-3:50 with LeAnn Taylor

Email [THCASadvising@ecu.edu](mailto:THCASadvising@ecu.edu) if you wish to be added—please specify section

# Don't know where to find something? Start on the ECU homepage!

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the ECU website. The navigation menu includes: I am... (dropdown), About ECU, Academics, Libraries, Athletics, Health Sciences, Research, and ECUArts. On the right, there are buttons for GIVE, APPLY, and a search icon. Below the navigation is a search bar with the text "Search" and a magnifying glass icon. To the right of the search bar is a "RESOURCES" section with a grid of links: Email, Canvas, Banner, and PiratePort (all in a yellow box); PirateID, IT Help, Videoconferencing, and The Pirate Experience; Work Request, Directory, and Maps (all in a yellow box); and Virtual Tour. On the far right, there are links for A-Z Index, Academic Calendar, Event Calendar, and Catalog (all in a yellow box). Below these links are social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube, and LinkedIn. A red arrow points from the search bar to the text below.

*Using the "search" pulls up everything for ECU, and you may find yourself looking at outdated information.*

# Undergraduate Catalog: [Majors/Minors](#)

## DEGREES, MINORS, AND CERTIFICATES LISTED BY TYPE

Entire Catalog ▾

Search Catalog 🔍

Whole Word/Phrase

Advanced Search

Catalog Home

The University

Academic Advisement,  
Progression and Support  
Services

Academic Regulations

Admission and Readmission

Colleges/Schools and  
Associated Programs

Certificates, Degrees and other  
Undergraduate Programs

NC Community College  
Transfers

Courses

Distance Education/ECU  
Online

Expenses and Financial  
Assistance

General Education Program

Scholar, International, and  
Leadership Programs

Student Affairs

### Bachelors

- Accounting, BSBA
- African and African American Studies, BA
- Anthropology, BA
- Applied Atmospheric Science, BS
- Applied Sociology, BS
- Art Education, BFA
- Art, BFA
- Biochemistry, BS
- Biology, BA
- Biology, BS
- Birth Through Kindergarten (B-K) Teacher Education, BS
- Chemistry, BA
- Chemistry, BS
- Child Life, BS
- Clinical Laboratory Science, BS
- Communication, BS
- Community and Regional Planning, BS
- Computer Science, BS
- Construction Management, BS
- Criminal Justice, BS

Your catalog is valid for **5 years** from date of  
your admission.

You will follow the **2023-2024** catalog.

# Terminology

- **Canvas** <https://canvas.ecu.edu/>
  - This is where you will access most or all of your course content.
  - Log in using your ECU credentials
  - Instructors will publish course info by the start of classes (possibly on first day of class)
  - It is your responsibility to log into Canvas and keep up with workload
  - There are tutorials online as well as a mobile app you can download
- **Syllabus**
  - A critical document that every instructor creates for their course. You can usually find it on Canvas. A syllabus covers: the course description, topics covered, required books/materials, expectations, grading scale, attendance policy, instructor office hours and contact methods, and schedule of assignments/quizzes/exams. Instructors typically go over the syllabus during the first class, so be sure to attend your first classes to learn their expectations! **Refer to it often!**
- **Office Hours for Instructors**
  - Every instructor should communicate in their course syllabus what days/times they will be available for students outside of class time for their office hours (on campus or virtual). Office hours are times that you can visit the instructor to get additional help or review any questions/concerns you may have. Take advantage of this time; office hours are for YOU, the students!

# PIER *Pirate Introduction to ECU Registration*



## Pirate Introduction to ECU Registration (PIER)



1. Pay Your Enrollment Deposit



2. Sign Up for Orientation



3. View Your Registration PIN



4. Prepare for Registration



5. Register



6. View Your Schedule



# Registration & Planning

## Registration & Planning

Register, browse classes, look up course information, registration status, schedule planner, and registration history.



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### What would you like to do?



#### [Prepare for Registration](#)

View registration status, update student term data, and complete pre-registration requirements.



#### [Plan Ahead](#)

Give yourself a head start by building plans. When you're ready to register, you'll be able to load these plans.



#### [View Schedule Details](#)

View your past schedules and your ungraded classes.



#### [Withdrawal Information](#)

Withdrawal information of a student.



#### [Add or Drop Classes](#)

Search and register for your classes. You can also view and manage your schedule.



#### [Browse Class Sections](#)

Looking for classes? In this section you can browse classes you find interesting.



#### [Browse Course Catalog](#)

Look up basic course information like subject, course and description.

<https://registrar.ecu.edu/preparing-to-register/>

### What do you want to do?



#### [Are you ready to register? \(Video\)](#)

[Preparing for Registration](#)  
[Holds](#)



#### [How to register for classes](#)

[How to add and drop classes \(Video\)](#)  
[How do I register from my plan](#)  
[How do I register from my Schedule Planner Shopping Cart](#)  
[How to drop a class](#)  
[How do I add myself to a waitlist](#)  
[How do I view my position on a course waitlist](#)  
[I just got an email that says there is a seat available in a class. What do I do?](#)



#### [Plan Ahead for Registration \(Video\)](#)

[How to create a plan for registration](#)  
[How to create a plan for registration using an existing Degree Works plan](#)



#### [How do I search for classes being offered](#)

[How to do I search for a class by part of term](#)  
[How to do I search for an online class](#)  
[How do I search for a class by attribute](#)  
[How to view textbook information for a class](#)



#### [How to view your current and past schedule details](#)

[How to email or print my schedule](#)



#### [How to browse the course catalog](#)



#### [How to view your withdrawal information](#)

# Instructional Method

- **Online Courses: Face to Face v. Asynchronous v. Synchronous v. Hybrid**
  - **Face to Face:** Courses meet in person at a set day/time.
  - **Online Synchronous:** There are specified days/times when you need to be online to attend interactive course lectures or complete assignments/exams.
  - **Online Asynchronous:** No specific virtual meeting days/times for the class. You'll log into Canvas (or the online course software used by the instructor) on your own time, as often as needed based upon the course syllabus, to watch prerecorded lectures, complete assignments/exams, or participate in class discussions.
  - **Hybrid (Primarily Web or Primary Face to Face):** A blended course with a combination of online content and face-to-face instruction.

Writing about the Dis...	ENGL	2201	050	3	85815	Cameron Eigner ...	S M T W T F S	11:00 AM - 11:50 A	Main Campus	! FULL: ...	English Requirement Writing Intensive Requirement	Face to Face
Writing about the Dis...	ENGL	2201	602	3	83751	Su-ching Huang ...	S M T W T F S	11:00 AM - 11:50 A	DE/Internet	! FULL: ...	English Requirement Writing Intensive Requirement	Online Synchronous
Writing about the Dis...	ENGL	2201	603	3	83756		S M T W T F S	- Type: Classroom	DE/Internet	! FULL: ...	English Requirement Writing Intensive Requirement	Online Asynchronous

# Full-Term v. 1<sup>st</sup> 8 weeks v. 2<sup>nd</sup> 8 weeks

Search Results — 192 Classes

Term: Fall 2023 Course Attributes: Science Requirement Open Sections Only: True

Title	Subject	Course	Section	Hours	CRN	Instructor	Meeting Times
<a href="#">Introduction to Environmental Health Sciences</a>	EHST	2110	005	3	84422	Sinan...	S M T W T F S 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM Type: Regular Instruction Building: Belk Building Room: 01502 Start Date: 08/21/2023 End Date: 12/13/2023
<a href="#">Water in the Environment</a>	GEOG	1250	001	3	84649	Scott...	S M T W T F S 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM Type: Classroom Building: Brewster Building Room: 0B305 Start Date: 08/21/2023 End Date: 12/13/2023
<a href="#">Water in the Environment</a>	GEOG	1250	002	3	84861	L.J.P...	S M T W T F S 09:30 AM - 10:45 AM Type: Classroom Building: Brewster Building Room: 0B102 Start Date: 08/21/2023 End Date: 12/13/2023
<a href="#">Water in the Environment</a>	GEOG	1250	601	3	84869	Scott...	S M T W T F S - Type: Classroom Building: None Room: None Start Date: 10/11/2023 End Date: 11/29/2023

2<sup>nd</sup> block

Full Term

# Schedule Basics

- **As a freshman, you should only take what *level* courses?**
  - 0000 (remedial: MATH 0001, MATH 0045) \*these do not count towards graduation credit
  - 1000 (example: ENGL 1100, HLTH 1000)
  - 2000 (example: SOCI 2110)
- **Full time is how many credit hours? (also called semester hours or credits)**
  - 12-18 hours: How much/little you take is up to you and your comfort level
- **All degree plans require a minimum of 120 credit hours to graduate (30-60-90-120)**
  - Freshman = 0-29 hours
  - Sophomore = 30-59 hours
  - Junior = 60-89 hours
  - Senior = 90+ hours
- **The *typical* course load per semester is how many credit hours?**
  - 14-16 hours (**Finish in Four** Years)
- **Depending on your major, MOST of your fall schedule will consist of General Education requirements (and maybe 1-2 major courses)**
  - Exception to that would be Science majors
- **You have a chance to work on your schedule today BUT you will have all summer to finalize it (just make sure to be FULL TIME for now)!**



# General Education Requirements

- English Composition (WI) (*ENGL 1100 & 2201 – both Writing Intensive*) 6 hours
- Sciences (*at least 1 lab*) 7 hours
- Mathematics 3 hours
- Health Promotion & Physical Activity 3 hours  
(*HLTH 1000 or RCTX 2200 and KINE 1000 or KINE 1001*)
- Humanities and Fine Arts 9 hours  
(*at least 1 Humanities & 1 Fine Arts*)
- Social Sciences 9 hours  
(*at least 1 course from 2 different disciplines or prefixes: ANTH, POLS, etc.*)
- Additional Gen Ed course 3 hours  
(*Choose from Natural Science, Math, Humanities, Fine Arts, Social Science*)

Total: 40 hours

- \*Must complete at least one course with GLOBAL DIVERSITY (GD) attribute*
- \*Must complete at least one course with DOMESTIC DIVERSITY (DD) attribute*
- \*Must complete at least four courses with WRITING INTENSIVE (WI) attribute*

# Course Attribute

Title	Subject	Course Nu	Section	Hours	CRN	Instruc	Meeting Times	Campus	Status	Attribute	Delivery
<a href="#">Introduction to Anthropology</a>	ANTH	1000	001	3	82312	Bl...	S M T W T F S 01:00 F	Mai...	9 o... 10 ...	Global Diversity Social Sciences Requirement	Face to Face

- Whole Word/Phrase
- Advanced Search
- Catalog Home
- The University
- Academic Advisement, Progression and Support Services
- Academic Regulations
- Admission and Readmission
- Colleges/Schools and Associated Programs
- Certificates, Degrees and other Undergraduate Programs
- Courses**
- Distance Education/ECU Online
- Expenses and Financial Assistance
- General Education Program
- Scholar, International, and

#### Course Information

- Course Description Key
- Course Prefixes
- Significance of Course Numbers

#### Course Lists by Special Designations

- Domestic Diversity (DD) Course List
- General Education Written Communication (GE:EN) Course List
- General Education Health-Related Physical Activity (GE:EX) Course List
- General Education Fine Arts (GE:FA) Course List
- General Education Health Promotion (GE:HL) Course List
- General Education Humanities (GE:HU) Course List
- General Education Mathematics (GE:MA) Course List
- General Education Natural Sciences (GE:SC) Course List
- Global Diversity (GD) Course List
- Service Learning (SL) Course List
- Service-Learning (SL\*) Selected Sections Course List
- General Education Social Sciences (GE:SO) Course List
- Writing Intensive (WI) Course List
- Writing Intensive (WI\*) Selected Sections Course List

ANTH 1000 - Introduction to Anthropology

## ANTH 1000 - Introduction to Anthropology



3 F,S,SS1 GE:SO GD

Anthropological studies of human culture.

# What Math is accepted for my major?

**MATH 1050 Explorations in Math**

**PHIL 1500 Introduction to Logic**

**MATH 2228 Elementary Statistics**

**Math Placement test NOT NEEDED!**

African & African American Studies  
Anthropology  
Community & Regional Planning  
Criminal Justice  
English  
Environmental Studies: Multidisciplinary^  
Foreign Languages  
Geography  
History  
International Studies: Multidisciplinary  
Philosophy (PHIL 1500 required)  
Psychology (MATH 2228 preferred)  
Political Science  
Professional Writing & Information Design  
Religious Studies  
Russian Studies  
Security Studies  
Sociology & Applied Sociology

**MATH 1065 College Algebra**

**\*MATH 1083 Introduction to Functions**

**\*MATH 2171 Calculus**

**Math Placement test NEEDED!**

Applied Atmospheric Science  
Biochemistry\*  
Biology\*  
Chemistry\*  
Economics\*  
Environmental Studies: Multidisciplinary^  
Geographic Info, Science & Tech\*  
Geology\*  
Mathematics \*  
Neuroscience: Multidisciplinary\*  
Physics\*

*^Most concentrations of Environmental Studies will accept MATH 1050, but some concentrations require 1065.*

*\*May also require higher level math course.*



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# Does My Degree Require Foreign Language?

## BA degrees (require foreign language)

African and African American Studies  
Anthropology  
English  
History  
Foreign Languages & Literatures  
(Classical Studies, French,  
German, Global Studies, Hispanic  
Studies)  
Multidisciplinary Studies  
(Great Books, International  
Studies, Religious Studies,  
Russian Studies)  
Philosophy  
Psychology

## Degrees with BA & BS Options

Biology  
Chemistry  
Economics  
Mathematics  
Multidisciplinary Studies  
(Neuroscience, Security  
Studies)  
Political Science  
Sociology

## BS degrees (don't require foreign language)

Applied Atmospheric Science  
Biochemistry  
Community & Regional Planning  
Criminal Justice  
Geographic Information Science &  
Technology  
Geography\*  
\*Global environment & development  
concentration does require foreign language  
Geology  
Multidisciplinary Studies  
(Environmental Studies)  
Physics  
Professional Writing & Info Design



# Foreign Language Placement

## ECU offers the following languages:

French (FREN)  
German (GERM)  
Ancient Greek (GRK)  
Japanese (JAPN)  
Latin (LATN)  
Russian (RUSS)  
\*Spanish (SPAN)

*\*placement test is required for Spanish*

To take online placement test in Spanish, French, German, or Latin, log into Canvas.

For more information on foreign language: <http://foreign.ecu.edu>

# What is Degree Works?

Check progress toward graduation, create a plan of study, or see how degree requirements change if you switch majors.










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- Degree Works is a tool to **assist** you in reviewing your progress towards graduation.
- Worksheet automatically updates as you complete courses.

**Psychology - Intended** INCOMPLETE

Credits required: 35   Credits applied: 19   Catalog year: 2021-2022   GPA: 3.900

If PSYC 2101(4 sh) is taken, 9 sh of electives are required. If BIOS 1500, MATH 2228, 2283 (3sh) is taken, then 10 sh of electives are required.

	Course	Title	Grade	Credits	Term	Repeated
 35 Credits Required	<b>Still needed:</b>		35 credits are required. You currently have 19, you still need 16 more credits.			
 18 In Residence Credits Required.						
 CORE						
 Intro Psychology or Honors Intro to Psychology	PSYC 1000	Introductory Psychology	A-	3	Fall 2021	
 Statistics Options	PSYC 2101	Psychological Statistics	CUR	(4)	Fall 2023	
 Research Methods in Psychology	<b>Still needed:</b>		1 Class in <a href="#">PSYC 2210</a>			
 Learning & Cognition Group	PSYC 3225	Psychology of Learning	CUR	(3)	Fall 2023	

# Early College Credit

Request official **COLLEGE** transcript to be sent electronically to [admissions@ecu.edu](mailto:admissions@ecu.edu).

Or have them mailed to:

Office of Undergraduate Admissions  
Mail Stop 517  
East Carolina University  
Greenville, NC 27858-4353

# Advanced Placement Credit

Scores should be received by mid-July from College Board

<https://admissions.ecu.edu/placement-credit/>

# Academic Calendar - Fall 2023


Date	Event
August 21	Full Term Classes Begin
August 25	Last day to make schedule adjustments by 5 pm (Registration PIN stops working at 5 pm)
September 4	Holiday – No Classes
September 18	<b>Withdrawal!</b> Last day to request a <b>Block 1</b> course withdrawal by 5 pm (Consult advisor)
October 7-10	Fall Break – No Classes
October 11	2 <sup>nd</sup> block Classes Begin (Last day to add a class to 2 <sup>nd</sup> block is October 13)
October 30	<b>Withdrawal!</b> Last day to request a <b>Full Term</b> course withdrawal by 5 pm (Consult advisor)
November 6	Registration for Spring 2024 begins
November 9	<b>Withdrawal!</b> Last day to request a <b>Block 2 course</b> withdrawal by 5 pm (Consult advisor)
November 22-26	Holiday – No Classes
December 4; 6-13	Classes End; Final Exams
December 15	Grades due at 4:30 pm

**You only receive 16 credit hours of Withdrawals to use!**

**Tuition and Fee Statements post around July 10 and Payments are due August 10 (postmarked by August 3)**



# Reminders

- You have all summer to adjust your schedule.
  - Save your PIN! Works through first 5 days of class.
  - PIN changes each semester. Must meet with advisor for new PIN.
- Check your **ECU email** regularly throughout summer (at least daily after semester begins).
- Email your advisor with any questions you have.
  - You'll be assigned an advisor & receive an email within one week after orientation.
  - You can view your assigned academic advisor in Pirate Port by selecting the contact icon  on the right. Advisor info can also be found in Degree Works and Student Self Service.



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on this presentation!**