YOUTH OPTIONS PROGRAM COURSE SELECTION GUIDELINES

Youth Options Program (YOP) students may generally be considered for enrollment in freshman or sophomore level university courses (“100” and “200” numbered courses) on a space available basis, provided they meet academic standards and prerequisite requirements. YOP course requests are reviewed for space availability after continuing students, new transfer students and new freshman students have been given the opportunity to register. This means that YOP course requests for Fall Semester are considered in early August, and course requests for Spring Semester are considered in early December.

The number and type of courses offered varies each semester. Students may wish to list several alternate courses on their YOP Program Plan and Report which they submit to their high school for approval. Students are advised to check the university website for the most current class schedule information.

The following is a short list of courses taken by students in the past (your selection is not limited to these courses):

- ANTH 220: Cultural Anthropology (3cr)
- CS 144: Computer Science I (3cr)
- ENGL 101: Freshman English- Composition (3cr)
- PHYS 281: University Physics I (5cr)
- PSYC 110: General Psychology (3cr)
- SOC 110: Introduction to Sociology (3cr)
- SPCOM 100: Fundamentals of Speech (2cr)
- TRDIS 101: Seminar in Career Exploration (1cr)
- ARTH 222: Introduction to Art History (3cr)
- CHEM 135: College Chemistry I (5cr)
- ENGL 111: Freshman English- Honors I (3cr)
- HIST 210: American Cinema (3cr)
- MATH 158: Calculus III (3cr)
- MFGT 150: Introduction to Engineering Materials (3cr)
- APSS 100: Intro to Applied Social Science (1cr)
- ART 100: Drawing I (3cr)
- ART 213: Ceramics I (3cr)
- CADD 112: Principles of Engineering Drawing (3cr)
- ENGL 121: Intro to Professional Communication (3cr)
- ENGL 125: Professional Writing Elements of Style (3cr)
- FN 101: Dietetics as a Profession (1cr)
- FN 102: Nutrition for Healthy Living (2cr)
- FN 207: Medical Terminology (1cr)
- HDFS 101: Intro to HDFS (1cr)
- HIST 210: Modern World (3cr)
- MATH 153: Calculus I (4cr)
- MATH 154: Calculus II (4cr)
• MATH 157: Calculus and Analytic Geometry II (5cr)
• MATH 250: Differential Equations w/Linear Algebra (3cr)
• MATH 275: Linear Algebra (3cr)
• MFGE 106: Impacts of Engineering Design (2cr)
• MUSIC 130: Music Appreciation (2cr)
• MUSIC 206: Music for the Young Child (2cr)
• MUSIC 267: Symphonic Singers (1cr)
• PE 156: Soccer (1cr)
• PHIL 201: Intro to Philosophy (3cr)
• POLS 210: American Government (3cr)
• PSYC 190: Psychological Research Methods (4cr)
• PSYC 361: Abnormal Psychology (3cr)
• RD 100: Introduction to Industrial Technology (1cr)
• SPAN 103: Elementary Spanish I (4cr)
• SPCOM 236: Listening (2cr)
• STAT 130: Elementary Statistics (2cr)
• THEA 334: Contemporary Theater (2cr)
• TRANS 204: Energy Technology (2cr)
• TRDIS 120: Strategies for Academic Success (2cr)
• WGS 210: Intro to Women and Gender Studies (3cr)

If you have questions about selecting courses, you may call the Advisement Center, 715-232-1465.

To be admitted as a Youth Options student, simply indicate that status on the UW System Application for Admission form. You do not need to indicate a major, take the ACT or SAT or pay the application fee. You must gain the approval of your parents and your high school. Registration in English and math courses will depend upon your UW System Placement Exam results. You are not eligible for financial aid. You must rank in the top 50 percent of your high school class or have an ACT composite score of 22 or better, or SAT of 1030. If you have questions about Admission, you may call the Admissions Office, 715/232-1232.