

HOMELAND SECURITY, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (BS)

Recommended Four-Year Plan

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
Fall		
HSS 120	Introduction to Homeland Security	3
ENGL 102	Critical Writing	3
SUBJ 139	University Seminar	3
	Creative & Aesthetic Inquiry (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-quick-guide/)	3
	Free Elective	3
Hours		15
Spring		
HSS 210	Fundamentals of Terrorism	3
MODL 101	Modern Language Requirement	3
ENGL 104	Critical Reading	3
	Humanities Inquiry (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-quick-guide/)	3
	Free Elective	3
Hours		15
Second Year		
Fall		
MODL 102	Modern Language Requirement	3
ENGL 205	Introduction to Professional Writing ¹	3
HSS 230	Risk Analysis and Strategic Planning	3
MATH 117	Quantitative Reasoning	3
	Free Elective	3
	Declare a Thematic Thread ²	
Hours		15
Spring		
HSS 130	Principles of Emergency Management	3
MODL 103	Modern Language Requirement	3
SCI 101	Science of Life	3
	Select one of the following:	3
	COMM 200 Civil Discourse: Theory & Practice	
	PHIL 110 Ethics and Civil Discourse	
	POLS 235 Civil Discourse and Democracy	
	Social Science Inquiry (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-quick-guide/)	3
Hours		15
Third Year		
Fall		
CSS 300	Personnel Security	3
CSS 351	Fraud	3
HSS 300	Terrorist Organizations and Lone Wolves	3
HSS 320	Protecting Infrastructure and Key Assets	3
	Free Elective	3
Hours		15

Spring		
HSS 310	Weapons of Mass Destruction	3
HSS 330	Intelligence Operations	3
HSS 350	Securing Virtual Infrastructure	3
SCI 102	Understanding the Physical World	3
	Thematic Thread Requirement (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-quick-guide/)	3
Hours		15
Fourth Year		
Fall		
HSS 340	Intelligence for Homeland Security	3
HSS 441	Terrorism, Law and National Security	3
	Major Elective	3
	Thematic Thread Requirement (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-quick-guide/)	3
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Hours		15
Spring		
HSS 460	Capstone in Homeland Security	3
	Thematic Thread Requirement (https://catalog.sru.edu/undergraduate/rock-studies/rock-studies-quick-guide/)	3
	Major Elective	3
	Elective	6
Hours		15
Total Hours**		120

¹ The prerequisites for ENGL 205 are ENGL 102 & ENGL 104.

² Work with your Academic Adviser to declare a Thematic Thread by the end of your fall semester in your second year. Click here ([https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=ul1VhjsH90-30bc6d8W9kIM7Wtmwv-VJnD6riXkdMh1UNEFHMUNH0Ei5TkJOWIRHVzRCMzi3UldNTi4u\)to](https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=ul1VhjsH90-30bc6d8W9kIM7Wtmwv-VJnD6riXkdMh1UNEFHMUNH0Ei5TkJOWIRHVzRCMzi3UldNTi4u)to) declare a thread.

* Students are encouraged to take INDS 101 as a Free Elective.

- HS Organizational Security Major requires 60 Credit Hours (36 Core + 9 General + 9 Culture + 6 Electives).
- The number of free electives will depend on Liberal Studies (LS) courses taken and/or Minor.
- The number of LS courses will depend on how much overlap there is between major courses and LS courses.

Major Code: 51HS

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** This document is meant to serve as a guide. Some planners may show more than 120 credits because faculty have created flexibility in choosing courses. However, only 120 credits are required to obtain a degree. Please consult with your academic adviser and refer to your curriculum guide prior to registering for courses. This plan should be reviewed, and verified, by you and your academic adviser at least once each academic year.