

**MAJOR FIELD ASSESSMENT PLAN
B. G. S. GENERAL STUDIES**

The mission of Southeastern Louisiana University is to meet the education and cultural needs, primarily of Southeast Louisiana, to disseminate knowledge and to facilitate life-long learning through quality instruction, research and service in a safe, student-centered environment.

The purpose of the BGS is to provide an interdisciplinary curriculum and allow students to prepare for careers requiring knowledge in several fields.

Goal 1

To provide students a flexible, well-rounded curriculum.

A. Expected Outcome

Students receiving the Bachelor of General Studies degree will be satisfied with the ability to design their own curriculum.

Assessment

75% will feel the program met the needs of an individualized curriculum with appropriate focus as shown by exit survey responses to local questions from General Studies

B. Expected Outcome

Students receiving the Bachelor of General Studies degree will indicate that they have developed skills in reasoning, writing, speaking, and mathematics.

Assessment

On the SLU Exit Survey, 75% will express satisfaction with the development of their writing, speaking, mathematical and reasoning skills.

C. Expected Outcome

Students receiving the Bachelor of General Studies degree should express satisfaction with the program.

Assessment

75% or more of General Studies students taking the exit survey will express satisfaction with the clarity of degree requirements, quality of advising, and quality of degree.

Goal 2

General Studies majors will be prepared for postgraduate studies and/or a variety of professions and vocations.

A. Expected Outcome

At least 5% of General Studies majors will be accepted to programs of postgraduate studies and/or will be employed in a profession within six months after graduation.

Assessment

Southeastern Survey of Undergraduate Degree Alumni