

# Liberal Studies, B.A., B.S. in Traverse City

## ONE DEGREE, MANY POSSIBILITIES

The liberal studies program at Grand Valley State University's Traverse City Regional Center is different in that it allows students to design a degree that suits their specific interests, talents, and career aspirations. With the help of a faculty advisor, students develop a major area of study based on a specific theme, issue, problem, or career interest.

## LIBERAL STUDIES IN TRAVERSE CITY

Students may choose a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) or a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree. The major provides an option in which students can pursue interdisciplinary studies and can reach across divisional lines to draw on the academic resources of the entire university.

### Liberal Studies' Advantages

The liberal studies major is designed for students who wish to:

- Organize their studies around problems, issues, and themes rather than traditional disciplines.
- Emphasize an interdisciplinary area of study, such as sustainability, American studies, or history of science.
- Concentrate simultaneously on general education, as well as a particular discipline or career area.

### Coursework

Students begin with core courses and customize their degree with electives and emphases based on their academic and career interests.

Visit [www.gvsu.edu/liberalstudies](http://www.gvsu.edu/liberalstudies) for details.



# WHAT CAN YOU DO WITH YOUR DEGREE?

## Continue Your Education in Graduate School

Liberal studies graduates have furthered their education through graduate school in areas such as:

- Business
- Higher education
- Humanities
- Law
- Social work
- Writing

## Choose From a Variety of Careers

Liberal studies graduates enjoy careers in the following fields:

- Education
- Environmental agencies
- Human services
- Management
- Nonprofit organizations
- Social work

## WHY STUDY IN TRAVERSE CITY?

- Smaller class sizes provide a more personal, more rewarding learning experience.
- Faculty members have real-world experience and are dedicated to teaching, which means a more relevant learning experience for students.
- The program's interdisciplinary nature prepares students to adapt to a fast-changing world.
- Faculty members are actively engaged in their disciplines, which enhances learning.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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