First-year courses

Introduction to the civil adjudicative process, primarily that of the
federal courts, including jurisdiction, pleading, dispositive motions,
discovery, and trial procedure. For each semester hour of credit earned,
the equivalent of one lecture hour a week for one semester. Law 233, 333,
433, 533 and Law 280F, 380F, 480F, 580F may not both be counted.

Examine the distribution of powers between federal and state
governments. Explore constitutional limitations on, and judicial review
of, governmental action. For each semester hour of credit earned, the
equivalent of one lecture hour a week for one semester. Law 334, 434,
534 and Law 380G, 480G, 580G may not both be counted.

Examine the methods by which rights and duties of promissory and
quasi-promissory origin are created, transferred, limited, discharged,
breached, and enforced. For each semester hour of credit earned, the
equivalent of one lecture hour a week for one semester. Law 221, 321,
421, 521, 621 and Law 280H, 380H, 480H, 580H, 680H may not both be
counted.

LAW 380J, 480J, 580J. Criminal Law I.
Examine the promulgation, interpretation, and administration of
substantive laws of crime; constitutional limitations and relevant
philosophical, sociological, and behavioral science materials. For each
semester hour of credit earned, the equivalent of one lecture hour a week
for one semester. Law 323, 423, 523 and Law 380J, 480J, and 580J may
not both be counted.

LAW 180S, 280S, 380S. Legal Analysis and Communication.
Introduction to problem-solving through law-practice simulation.
Examine legal research, writing mechanics, predictive written analysis,
and oral presentation of research results. For each semester hour of
credit earned, the equivalent of one lecture hour a week for one semester.
Law 132R, 232R, 332R and Law 180S, 280S, 380S may not both be

counted.

LAW 180T, 280T, 380T. Persuasive Writing and Advocacy.
Introduction to advocacy in court. Examine legal research, writing
mechanics, persuasive legal analysis, and oral argument before courts.
For each semester hour of credit earned, the equivalent of one lecture
hour a week for one semester. Law 132S, 232S, 332S and Law 180T, 280T,
380T may not both be counted.

Explore a survey of interests in land and other areas involving chattels:
estates, cotenancy, landlord and tenant issues, conveyancing, private
and public control of land use. For each semester hour of credit earned,
the equivalent of one lecture hour a week for one semester. Law 231, 331,
431, 531 and Law 280U, 380U, 480U, 580U may not both be counted.

LAW 280V, 380V, 480V, 580V. Torts.
Examine the limits of liability and methods of establishing liability for
intentional and unintentional injuries to persons or property. For each
semester hour of credit earned, the equivalent of one lecture hour a week
for one semester. Law 227, 327, 427, 527 and Law 280V, 380V, 480V, 580V
may not both be counted.