Sample Plan for Completing the General Education Program.

For the sake of flexibility, the plan below identifies general education categories that you might want to focus on each year rather than specific courses. These suggestions are not hard and fast rules, but general guidelines. Your first year courses will not be 100% from these exact categories. That is ok, this is intended to be a general guide. You will focus more on the General Education program in your first 2 years and more on your major of study in your second two years.

Be sure to consult with your academic advisor throughout your time as a Westmont student as you map out your full 4 year plan. The best order and timing of one's general education courses can be affected by the choice of a major or by planning for an off-campus experience. Moreover, some programs expect a student to use specific courses when fulfilling some of the general education requirements.

**First Year**
Life and Literature of the New Testament
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World History in Christian Perspective
Philosophical Reflections on Reality, Knowledge and Value
Two Common Inquiries courses (potentially related to your probable major)
Writing for the Liberal Arts
Fitness for Life and one additional Physical Education course (one each semester)

**Second Year**
Introduction to Christian Doctrine
Modern/Foreign Language
Four additional Common Inquiries courses
A writing/speech-intensive course outside of your major
A Quantitative and Analytical Reasoning course (can be fulfilled
Two Physical Education courses (one each semester)

**Third and Fourth Years**
Two additional Common Inquiries courses
Writing/speech intensive course within the major
Integrating the Major Discipline
Serving Society; Enacting Justice