

To: Faculty Senators  
From: Shaun Huston, First-Year Seminar (FYS) Coordinator  
Re: FYS Proposals 2018-2019

Following my progress report on FYS proposals received in 2018-2019 for teaching in 2019-2020, delivered at the January 8, 2019 meeting of Senate, here are our final numbers:

- Total number of courses: 53
- Total number of sections (raw and unadjusted): 80
- Total number of Writing-Focused courses: 28
- Total number of Quantitative-Focused courses: 25
- Proposals for team taught courses: 10 (7 from faculty and 3 from Student Affairs)

Regarding total sections: 80 reflects the number proposed for each term (Fall, Winter and Spring) plus courses proposed to be taught in “any” term. However, there are at least two courses proposed for multiple sections, while other courses are only provisionally proposed to be taught more than once. The actual section count for next year will likely not be precisely 80, but should still fall within our target of 70-80. There is a greater chance that we will be able to program more than 80 sections than there is of falling below 70. As of the moment, course sections are, essentially, evenly divided between the three terms.

We have course proposals from both Colleges and every Division in LAS is represented in the pool. We also have proposals from Student Affairs.

Feel free to contact me ([hustons@wou.edu](mailto:hustons@wou.edu), HSS 217, 503-838-8296) with further questions about the proposals.