Credit in History Chart
2016-17

TYPE OF COURSE	*PETITION REQUIRED?*	*Counts for Concentration GPA?*
1. History courses on the History Dept. website and on my.harvard	No	Yes
2. General Education courses offered by faculty with an appointment in the History Department.	No	Yes
3. Freshmen Seminars offered by faculty with an appointment in the History Department, and which have been approved for History credit by the Department's Curriculum Committee. Consult Undergraduate Office for a list.	No	No
4. Cross-listed courses from other departments	No	Yes
5. Related fields courses. Theoretically, any course in the humanities or social sciences may be considered for "related field" credit. However, approval depends on the relevance of the course to the student's program of study in History.	Yes; use the form "Petition for Related Field Credit" and include a statement regarding the relevance of the course to your interests in History.	No
6. History Courses offered by the Harvard Summer School. Note that the Department normally expects concentrators to satisfy concentration requirements (as opposed to electives) with courses taken during the regular fall and spring sessions.	Yes; use the form "Petition for Related Field Credit." The petition must be approved before the summer session begins. Retroactive credit for summer school courses will not be given.	Yes
7. Courses taken at undergraduate institutions other than Harvard, either by transfer students or those studying abroad.	Instead of a petition, transfer students and those planning to study abroad must meet with the DUS or Assistant DUS to determine which courses taken elsewhere will count in History.	No