

General Education Electives

The development of competence in critical thinking, writing, speaking, problem-solving, and information literacy is essential to a student's educational and career success. General Education courses provide students with the opportunity to develop these skills. (See MCCC policy at www.mccc.edu/catalog/catalog_general, page 29.)

The following courses approved for the purposes of General Education at Mercer County Community College are regarded as General Education courses at many, but not all, other colleges and universities in New Jersey and other states. The Statewide Transfer Agreement guarantees transfer of all approved courses that meet General Education requirements for graduates from A.A. and A.S. programs transferring to New Jersey's four-year public colleges and universities. Non-graduates may determine whether particular courses will meet requirements at other New Jersey colleges or universities via NJ Transfer (www.njtransfer.org). Students interested in transferring to out-of-state colleges and universities should consult the catalogs, websites, and staff of those institutions.

Students are advised to review the specific General Education requirements in their chosen MCCC program of study.

Written and Oral Communication in English

CMN 111	Speech: Human Communication
CMN 112	Public Speaking
ENG 101	English Composition I
ENG 102	English Composition II
ENG 112	English Composition II with Speech (A.A.S. programs only)

Mathematics

MAT 115	Algebra and Trigonometry I
MAT 116	Algebra and Trigonometry II
MAT 120	Mathematics for Liberal Arts
MAT 125	Elementary Statistics I
MAT 126	Elementary Statistics II
MAT 140	Applied College Algebra
MAT 146	Pre-calculus
MAT 149	Calculus
MAT 151	Calculus I
MAT 152	Calculus II
MAT 200	Statistics for Social and Health Sciences I
MAT 201	Probability and Statistics for Science and Engineering
MAT 208	Linear Algebra
MAT 251	Calculus III
MAT 252	Differential Equations

Science

BIO 101	General Biology I
BIO 102	General Biology II
BIO 103	Anatomy and Physiology I
BIO 104	Anatomy and Physiology II
BIO 106	Human Anatomy
BIO 113	Biological Science Concepts
* BIO 114	Environmental Science Concepts
BIO 201	Microbiology
BIO 203	Entomology
BIO 204	Ecology
BIO 208	Genetics
* BIO 215	Principles of Microbiology
CHE 101	General Chemistry I
CHE 102	General Chemistry II
CHE 106	Chemical Science Concepts
CHE 107	General and Physiological Chemistry
CHE 201	Organic Chemistry I
CHE 202	Organic Chemistry II



Look for this indicator of approved General Education courses throughout course descriptions at www.mccc.edu/catalog/catalog_courses.

- * does not satisfy **Laboratory Science** general education requirement
- course is also a **Diversity and Global Perspective** general education elective

OHT 101	Plant Science
OHT 108	Soil and Plant Nutrition
PHY 101	College Physics I
PHY 102	College Physics II
PHY 109	Fundamentals of Physics
PHY 111	Physical Science Concepts
PHY 115	University Physics I
PHY 215	University Physics II

Technology

COS 101	Introduction to Computer Science
COS 102	Computer Science I – Algorithms and Programming
DMA 144	Internet Tools and Techniques
IST 101	Computer Concepts with Applications
IST 102	Computer Concepts with Programming
IST 109	Introduction to Programming

Social Science

• ANT 101	Anthropology
ECO 103	Basic Economics
ECO 111	Macroeconomics
ECO 112	Microeconomics
POL 101	The American Political System
POL 102	State and Local Government
POL 201	International Relations
PSY 101	Introduction to Psychology
PSY 206	Child Development
PSY 207	Developmental Psychology: Across the Life Span
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology
SOC 107	Social Problems
SOC 201	Marriage and the Family

Humanities

Literature

- ENG 201 Introduction to Literature: Drama
ENG 202 Introduction to Literature: Novel
- ENG 203 World Literature I
 - ENG 204 World Literature II
- ENG 205 American Literature I
ENG 206 American Literature II
ENG 208 Modern American Novel
ENG 211 Shakespeare
ENG 212 Introduction to Literature: Poetry
- ENG 213 African American Literature
 - ENG 214 Literature of the East
- ENG 216 Literature Into Film
ENG 220 Science Fiction Literature
- ENG 221 Women in Literature
- ENG 227 English Literature I
ENG 228 English Literature II

Aesthetic Appreciation

- ADV 230 History of Graphic Design
ART 101 Art and Culture
ART 121 History of Art I
ART 122 History of Art II
- ART 124 Survey of World Art
- ART 125 Topics in Contemporary Art
- ART 126 African American Art
- CMN 107 Cinema
- DAN 101 Introduction to Dance and Culture
- MUS 103 Introduction to Music
- MUS 155 History of Jazz and Blues
 - MUS 156 History of American Pop Music
- MUS 224 Music History and Literature I
MUS 225 Music History and Literature II
PHO 110 History of Photography
THR 101 Introduction to Theatre
THR 210 Theatre History – Classical to Elizabethan
- THR 212 Central Voices in World Drama

Philosophy

- PHI 102 Introduction to Philosophy
PHI 112 Critical Thinking
PHI 113 Logic
PHI 204 Ethics
PHI 205 Moral Choices
- PHI 210 Eastern Philosophy
- PHI 220 Philosophy of Politics

Religious Studies

- REL 101 Introduction to Religious Studies
- REL 102 Living World Religions

World Language

- ASL *all American Sign Language courses*
ARB *all Arabic courses*
CHI *all Chinese courses*
FRE *all French courses*
GER *all German courses*
ITA *all Italian courses*
JPN *all Japanese courses*
LAT *all Latin courses*
SPA *all Spanish courses*

History

All courses in the **Historical Perspective** list below additionally qualify as **Humanities** general education.

Historical Perspective

- HIS 101 History of Western Civilization to 1648
HIS 102 History of Western Civilization Since 1648
HIS 105 United States History to 1865
HIS 106 United States History Since 1865
- HIS 109 African American History
 - HIS 112 World History to 1500
 - HIS 113 World History Since 1500
 - HIS 213 Twentieth-Century World History
- HIS 214 The United States Since 1945
- HIS 218 History of Latin America
 - HIS 221 History of American Women
 - HIS 231 Women in Antiquity
- HIS 235 Early Modern Europe

Diversity and Global Perspective

- ANT 101 Anthropology
ART 124 Survey of World Art
ART 126 African American Art
BUS 230 Global Environment of Business
CMN 214 Issues in Intercultural Communication in the United States
- CMN 215 Gender and Communication
DAN 101 Introduction to Dance and Culture
ENG 203 World Literature I
ENG 204 World Literature II
ENG 213 African American Literature
ENG 214 Literature of the East
ENG 221 Women in Literature
ENG 222 Children's Literature
ENG 232 Post-Colonial Women Writers
- HIS 109 African American History
HIS 112 World History to 1500
HIS 113 World History Since 1500
HIS 213 Twentieth-Century World History
HIS 215 The Holocaust and Other Genocides
HIS 218 History of Latin America
HIS 221 History of American Women
HIS 231 Women in Antiquity
HIS 232 Women in Europe Since 1500
- HOS 115 Food and Culture
MUS 155 History of Jazz and Blues
MUS 156 History of American Pop Music
PHI 210 Eastern Philosophy
POL 201 International Relations
PSY 215 Human Sexuality
REL 102 Living World Religions
SOC 132 Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies
SOC 201 Marriage and the Family
SOC 209 Racial, Ethnic, and Minority Groups
THR 212 Central Voices in World Drama
WGS 132 Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies
WGS 221 Seminar in Women's and Gender Studies