

General Education Electives

(approved for)

NOTE: Effective with the 2007-2008 academic year, this list may change substantially. An up-to-date list of approved general education electives may be obtained at any time from academic advisors, all academic division offices, Enrollment Services, and/or at www.mccc.edu/programs_credit_gened

The development of critical thinking and writing skills is essential to a student's success in the MCCC General Education Program (see overview, page 48). Therefore, the college's general education courses provide students with the opportunity to develop these skills through a variety of appropriate critical thinking and writing assignments.

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. To determine which of the following courses will meet general education requirements at New Jersey colleges or universities, see NJ Transfer (www.njtransfer.org). Students interested in transferring to out-of-state schools should consult the catalogs and websites of those institutions.

Students are advised to review the specific general education requirements in their respective programs 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

Mathematics

- BUS 205 Business Statistics I
- COS 101 Introduction to Computer Science
- COS 102 Computer Science I – Algorithms and Programming
- MAT 108 Topics in Mathematics
- MAT 110 Elementary Technical Mathematics
- MAT 115 Algebra and Trigonometry I
- MAT 116 Algebra and Trigonometry II
- MAT 120 Mathematics for Liberal Arts
- MAT 135 Intermediate Algebra
- MAT 138 Finite Mathematics
- MAT 141 College Algebra and Applications
- MAT 145 Pre-Calculus for Social Sciences or Business
- MAT 146 Pre-Calculus
- MAT 149 Calculus for Social Sciences or Business
- 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 202 Probability and Statistics for Science and Engineering II
- MAT 205 Statistics for Social and Health Sciences II
- MAT 208 Linear Algebra
- MAT 251 Calculus III
- MAT 252 Differential Equations

Natural 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 115 Microbiological Science Concepts

- BIO 201 Microbiology*
- BIO 202 Woody Plants*
- 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 105 Agricultural Chemistry*
- CHE 106 Chemical Science Concepts*
- CHE 107 General and Physiological Chemistry*
- CHE 201 Organic Chemistry I*
- CHE 202 Organic Chemistry II*
- CHE 205 Analytical Chemistry*
- CHE 210 Instrumental Analysis*
- PHY 101 College Physics I*
- PHY 102 College Physics II*
- PHY 111 Physical Science Concepts*
- PHY 112 Atmospheric Science Concepts*
- PHY 117 University Physics I*
- PHY 120 Introductory Physics
- PHY 217 University Physics II*
- PHY 218 University Physics III*

Technology

- IST 101 Computer Concepts with Applications
- IST 102 Computer Concepts with Programming
- IST 103 Computer Concepts with Programming and Productivity Software
- IST 109 Introduction to Programming
- IST 140 The Internet and Computer Technology

Social Science

- CMN 101 Mass Media
- CRJ 101 Introduction to the Criminal Justice System
- CRJ 103 Introduction to Corrections
- CRJ 212 Juvenile Justice
- ECO 103 Basic Economics
- ECO 111 Macroeconomics
- ECO 112 Microeconomics
- EDU 101 Development of Educational Thought
- EDU 102 Introduction to Exceptional Children
- EDU 109 Introduction to Education
- EDU 120 Introduction to Early Childhood Education

GEO 101	Geography♦
GEO 102	Cultural Geography♦
POL 101	The American Political System
POL 102	State and Local Government
POL 201	International Relations♦
POL 203	Law and Society
POL 205	Constitutional Law
POL 211	Religion, Politics, and Extremism♦
POL 220	Philosophy of Politics: Power, Legitimacy, Justice and Revolution
PSY 101	Introductory Psychology
PSY 201	Educational Psychology
PSY 204	Social Psychology
PSY 206	Child Development
PSY 207	Developmental Psychology: Across the Life Span
PSY 208	Personality
PSY 210	Abnormal Psychology
PSY 211	Thanatology: The Psychology of Death and Dying
PSY 215	Human Sexuality
PSY 217	Psychology of Stress
PSY 221	The Psychology of Women♦
PSY 230	Special Studies in Psychology
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology
SOC 102	Social Problems
SOC 103	Anthropology♦
SOC 104	Sociology of Education
SOC 113	Physical Anthropology
SOC 201	Marriage and the Family
SOC 203	Urban Sociology
SOC 205	Criminology
SOC 209	Racial, Ethnic and Minority Groups♦
SOC 214	Sociology of Drug Use and Behavior
SOC 219	Aging and Death
SOC 230	Special Studies in Sociology
WGS 132	Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies♦
WGS 221	Seminar in Women's and Gender Studies♦

Historical Perspective

HIS 101	Western Civilization to 1648
HIS 102	Western Civilization since 1648
HIS 105	U.S. History to 1865
HIS 106	U.S. History since 1865
HIS 107	The Civil War
HIS 108	Vietnam
HIS 109	African American History♦
HIS 110	Film and History
HIS 112	World History to 1500♦
HIS 113	World History since 1500♦
HIS 122	American Sports History
HIS 206	History of the Far East♦
HIS 207	American Constitutional History
HIS 210	History of American Popular Culture
HIS 214	The U.S. Since 1945
HIS 215	The Holocaust and Other Genocides
HIS 218	History of Latin America♦

HIS 221	History of American Women♦
HIS 230	Special Topics in History
HIS 231	Women in Antiquity♦
HIS 232	Women in Europe since 1500♦
HIS 238	Violence, Money, and The American Dream: Perspectives in American History and Literature
HIS 301	History of England
HIS 368	History of New Jersey

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 221	Women in Literature♦
ENG 222	Children's Literature
ENG 227	English Literature I
ENG 228	English Literature II
ENG 230	Special Studies in Literature
ENG 231	The Literature of AIDS♦
ENG 232	Post-Colonial Women Writers♦
ENG 234	Caribbean Literature♦
ENG 235	Encounters Between Religions – Studied Through Literature♦
ENG 238	Violence, Money, and The American Dream: Perspectives in American History and Literature

Philosophy

PHI 102	Philosophy
PHI 113	Logic
PHI 201	Marx, Nietzsche, Freud
PHI 204	Ethics
PHI 205	Moral Choices
PHI 209	Business Ethics
PHI 220	Philosophy of Politics: Power, Legitimacy, Justice and Revolution

Religious Studies

REL 101	Introduction to Religious Studies♦
REL 102	Living World Religions♦
REL 211	Religion, Politics, and Extremism♦
REL 235	Encounters Between Religions – Studied Through Literature♦

Humanities [miscellaneous]

ENG 215	Creative Writing I
ENG 218	Creative Writing II
SPA 110	Hispanic Culture♦
THR 107	Playwriting I: Developing the Idea
THR 218	Central Voices in World Drama♦

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Visual and Performing Arts

ARC 122	History of Architecture to 1860
ARC 124	History and Theory of Modern Architecture
ART 101	Art and Culture
ART 102	Basic Drawing
ART 104	Life Drawing
ART 105	Two-Dimensional Design
ART 106	Three-Dimensional Design
ART 121	History of Art I
ART 122	History of Art II
ART 123	History of Modern Art♦
ART 124	History of Non-Western Art♦
ART 126	African American Art♦
ART 130	Painting I
ART 141	Sculpture I
ART 145	Ceramics I
ART 146	Ceramics II
ART 150	Printmaking I
ART 230	Painting II
ART 233	Watercolor Painting
ART 241	Sculpture II
ART 250	Printmaking II
CMN 107	Cinema
DAN 101	Introduction to Dance
DMA 105	Introduction to Computer Art
DMA 120	3-D Modeling I
MUS 103	Introduction to Music
MUS 105	Fundamentals of Music Theory
MUS 127	Music Theory I
MUS 155	History of Jazz and Blues♦
MUS 224	Music History and Literature I
MUS 225	Music History and Literature II
MUS 230	Introduction to Digital Audio Production
PHO 101	Introduction to Photography
PHO 103	Digital Photography for Non-Majors
PHO 110	History of Photography
THR 101	Introduction to Theatre
THR 104	Fundamentals of Acting
THR 107	Playwriting I: Developing the Idea
THR 218	Central Voices in World Drama♦

Foreign Language

ARB	<i>all Arab courses</i>
FRE	<i>all French courses</i>
GER	<i>all German courses</i>
HUN	<i>all Hungarian courses</i>
ITA	<i>all Italian courses</i>
JPN	<i>all Japanese courses</i>
LAT	<i>all Latin courses</i>
PLS	<i>all Polish courses</i>
SPA	<i>all Spanish courses</i>

Diversity and Global Perspective

ART 123	History of Modern Art♦
ART 124	History of Non-Western Art♦
ART 126	African American Art♦
BUS 230	International Business♦
BUS 296	International Business Practice Firm♦
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 231	The Literature of AIDS♦
ENG 232	Post-Colonial Women Writers♦
ENG 234	Caribbean Literature♦
ENG 235	Encounters Between Religions – Studied Through Literature♦
GEO 101	Geography♦
GEO 102	Cultural Geography♦
HIS 109	African American History♦
HIS 112	World History to 1500♦
HIS 113	World History since 1500♦
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♦
POL 201	International Relations♦
POL 211	Religion, Politics, and Extremism♦
PSY 221	The Psychology of Women♦
REL 101	Introduction to Religious Studies♦
REL 102	Living World Religions♦
REL 211	Religion, Politics, and Extremism♦
REL 235	Encounters Between Religions – Studied Through Literature♦
SOC 103	Anthropology♦
SOC 132	Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies♦
SPA 110	Hispanic Culture♦
THR 212	Central Voices in World Drama♦
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Interdisciplinary General Education

ARC 125	Architecture and the Environment
BUS 230	International Business♦
BUS 296	International Business Practice Firm♦
CMN 101	Mass Media
CMN 102	Media Issues
CMN 122	Organizational Communication
CMN 131	Journalism I
CMN 212	Oral Interpretation
CMN 201	Persuasion and Propaganda
CMN 214	Issues in Intercultural Communication in the United States
HOS 115	Food and Culture♦

♦ satisfies the MCCC Diversity requirement

* Lab Science elective