

Transfer Electives

Humanities Electives

ART 100 – Art Appreciation ^{Online}
ART 101 – History and Appreciation of Art I
ART 102 – History and Appreciation of Art II
ART 109 – Survey of Women Artists ^{Online}
ART 121 – Drawing I
ART 122 – Drawing II (completion of ART 121)
ART 125 – Introduction to Painting
ART 131 – Fundamentals of Design I
ART 132 – Fundamental of Design II (completion of ART 131)
ART 138 – Figure Drawing I (completion of ART 121)
ART 153 – Ceramics I
ART 154 – Ceramics II (completion of ART 153)
ART 231 – Sculpture I
ART 232 – Sculpture II (completion of ART 231)
ART 235 – Functional Ceramics (completion of ART 154)
ART 236 – Sculptural Ceramics (completion of ART 231)
ART 241 – Painting I
ART 242 – Painting II (completion of ART 241)
ART 271 – Printmaking I
ART 272 – Printmaking II

CST 131 – Acting I
CST 132 – Acting II
CST 141 – Theatre Appreciation
CST 229 – Intercultural Communication
CST 250 – The Art of Film ^{Online}

Completion of ENG 111 and ENG 112 required for all upper-level English courses:

ENG 211 – Creative Writing I
ENG 241 – Survey of American Literature I ^F
ENG 242 – Survey of American Literature II ^{Sp}
ENG 243 – Survey of English Literature I ^F
ENG 244 – Survey of English Literature II ^{Sp}
ENG 246 – Great American Writers ^{Online}
ENG 250 – Children's Literature ^{Online, Su, F}
ENG 251 – Survey of World Literature I ^F
ENG 252 – Survey of World Literature II ^{Sp}
ENG 253 – African-American Literature I ^F
ENG 254 – African-American Literature II ^{Sp, Su}
ENG 255 – Major Writers in World Literature ^{Online}

Note: All literature classes currently offered at PVCC are Writing Intensive Classes.

HUM 201 – Survey of Western Culture I
HUM 202 – Survey of Western Culture II
HUM 259 – Greek Mythology

MUS 121 – Music Appreciation I
MUS 122 – Music Appreciation II
MUS 225 – The History of Jazz ^{Offered Irregularly}

PHI 100 – Introduction to Philosophy
PHI 220 – Ethics
PHI 227 – Biomedical Ethics

REL 200 – Survey of the Old Testament
REL 210 – Survey of the New Testament
REL 215 – New Testament and Early Christianity
REL 216 – Life and Teachings of Jesus
REL 230 – Religions of the World
REL 233 – Introduction to Islam
REL 237 – Eastern Religions

Foreign Languages:

American Sign Language (ASL)
French (FRE)
German (GER)
Japanese (JPN)
Latin (LAT)
Spanish (SPA)

NOTES:

- *In programs that only require one Humanities Elective, 100-level foreign language courses may NOT be used to satisfy the Humanities Elective requirement.*
- *In programs that require two Humanities Elective courses, only one 100-level foreign language course may be used to satisfy the Humanities Elective requirement.*
- *The Testing Center (M607) has placement tests available for French, German, and Spanish. Heritage speakers, who speak a language at home, will work with the instructor directly for appropriate placement.*
- *UVA College of Arts & Sciences requires all students to complete through the –202 level of a foreign language. Other schools that require foreign language include W&M, CNU, UMW, Longwood, and many private colleges and universities. Also, any students considering a “Bachelor of Arts” degree should begin their foreign language at PVCC.*
 - *Ex: SPA 101 + SPA 102 + SPA 201 + SPA 202*
- *Prior to enrolling in any foreign language course, please meet with an Academic Advisor.*

General Studies AS degree only Humanities Core Courses

The General Studies AS requires two courses from the following list:

ART 100, ART 101, ART 102
CST 141, CST 250
ENG 211
HUM 201, HUM 202, HUM 259
MUS 121, MUS 122, MUS 225
PHI 100, PHI 220, PHI 227
REL 200, REL 215, REL 216, REL 230, REL 233, REL 237

If you have any questions about this requirement for your degree, please meet with an Academic Advisor.

Mathematics Electives

Pre-requisite: completion of MTE 1-5

MTH 154 – Quantitative Reasoning

MTH 155 – Statistical Reasoning

Pre-requisite: completion of MTE 1-9 or MTH 9

MTH 161 – Precalculus I

MTH 167 – Precalculus with Trigonometry (STEM)

MTH 165 – Finite Math

Courses with college-level math pre-requisites

MTH 245 – Statistics (completion MTH 154 or MTH 161)

MTH 261 – Applied Calculus (completion of MTH 161 or 167)

MTH 263 – Calculus I (completion of MTH 167)

MTH 264 – Calculus II (completion of MTH 263)

MTH 265 – Calculus III (completion of MTH 264)

MTH 266 – Linear Algebra (completion of MTH 264)

MTH 267 – Differential Equations (completion of MTH 264)

MTH 288 – Discrete Mathematics (completion of MTH 264)

Social Science Electives

ECO 201 – Principles of Macroeconomics

ECO 202 – Principles of Microeconomics

GEO 210 – Introduction to Cultural Geography ^{Online}

HIS 101 – History of Western Civilization I

HIS 102 – History of Western Civilization II

HIS 111 – History of World Civilization I

HIS 112 – History of World Civilization II

HIS 121 – United States History I

HIS 122 – United States History II

HIS 127 – Women in American History

HIS 141 – African-American History I

HIS 142 – African-American History II

PLS 135 – American National Politics

PLS 211 – U.S. Government I ^F

PLS 212 – U.S. Government II ^{Sp}

PLS 215 – Virginia Government & Politics

PLS 216 – Women in Politics

PLS 225 – The United States Presidency

PLS 241 – International Relations I

PLS 242 – International Relations II

PSY 200 – Principles of Psychology

PSY 215 – Abnormal Psychology (need PSY 200 or 230) ^{F/Sp}

PSY 230 – Developmental Psychology

PSY 235 – Child Psychology

PSY 270 – Psychology of Human Sexuality

SOC 200 – Principles of Sociology

SOC 210 – Survey of Physical and Cultural Anthropology

SOC 215 – Sociology of Family

SOC 252 – Sociology Through Visual Media

SOC 266 – Race and Ethnicity ^F

SOC 268 – Social Problems ^{Sp}

Science with Laboratory Electives

Prerequisite: placement into ENF 2 or higher

(recommended for non-STEM majors)

GOL 105 – Physical Geology

GOL 106 – Historical Geology ^{F/Sp}

GOL 111 – Oceanography ^{F/Sp}

NAS 131 – Principles of Astronomy and the Solar System ^F

NAS 132 – Principles of Astronomy, Stars, and Galaxies ^{Sp}

Prerequisites: completion of noted developmental math units

and placement into ENG 111/ENF 3 or higher

(recommended for non-STEM majors)

BIO 106 – Life Science (need MTE 1-5) ^{Online Option}

BIO 107 – Biology of the Environment (need MTE 1-5) ^{Online Option}

CHM 101 – General Chemistry I (need MTE 1-6) ^{F, Online Lecture}

PHY 100 – Elements of Physics (completion of MTE 1-9 or

MTH 115 with a "C" or better)

Prerequisites: completion of MTE 1-9 & placement into

ENG 111/ENF 3 or higher (recommended for STEM majors)

BIO 101 – General Biology I

BIO 102 – General Biology II (completion of BIO 101)

BIO 206 – Cell Biology (completion of BIO 102) ^{Sp}

BIO 256 – General Genetics (completion of BIO 102) ^F

CHM 111 – College Chemistry I (co-requisite: MTH 161 or 167)

CHM 112 – College Chemistry II (completion of CHM 111) ^{Sp/Su}

CHM 241 – Organic Chemistry I (completion of CHM 112) ^F

CHM 243 – Organic Chemistry I Lab (co-enrolled in CHM 241) ^F

CHM 242 – Organic Chemistry II (completion of CHM 241) ^{Sp}

CHM 244 – Organic Chemistry II Lab (co-enrolled in CHM 242) ^{Sp}

CHM 260 – Intro. Biochemistry (completion of CHM 112) ^{Sp}

CHM 261 – Intro. Biochemistry Lab (co-enrolled in CHM 260) ^{Sp}

Additional Science with Lab options for STEM majors

PHY 201 – General College Physics I (completion of MTH 167) ^F

PHY 202 – General College Physics II (completion of PHY 201) ^{Sp}

PHY 241 – University Physics I (completion of MTH 263) ^F

PHY 242 – University Physics II (completion of PHY 241) ^{Sp}

Science with Lab Options for Health Science Programs

(These courses will also meet the Science with Laboratory requirement for all transfer degree programs, however, please consult an Academic Advisor prior to enrolling.)

BIO 141 – Human Anatomy and Physiology I (completion of NAS 2 or a college level biology or chemistry within the last 5 years & placement into ENG 111/ENF 3 or higher) ^{F/Sp}

BIO 142 – Human Anatomy and Physiology II (completion of BIO 141 with a "C" or better)

BIO 150 – Microbiology (completion of NAS 2 or a college level biology within 5 years and MTE 1-5 and placement into ENG 111/ENF 3 or higher)

Note: Credit toward graduation will NOT be awarded for both MTH 155 and MTH 245, MTH 161 and MTH 167,

BIO 101 and BIO 106, or both CHM 101 and CHM 111.

Please work with an Academic Advisor to select the appropriate class(es) for you.

Approved Transfer Electives

ACC 211 & ACC 213 – Principles of Accounting I & Lab I
ACC 212 & ACC 214 – Principles of Accounting II & Lab II*

ADJ 100 – Survey of Criminal Justice^F
ADJ 133 – Ethics and the Criminal Justice Professional^{Sp}
ADJ 201 – Criminology I^F
ADJ 227 – Constitutional Law for Justice Personnel^F
ADJ 229 – Law Enforcement and the Community^{Sp}
ADJ 232 – Domestic Violence^F
ADJ 236 – Principles of Criminal Investigation^{Sp}

BUS 100 – Introduction to Business^{Online Option}
BUS 241 – Business Law I^{F/Sp}

CSC 110 – Introduction to Computing
CSC 201 – Computer Science I*^{Sp}
CSC 202 – Computer Science II*^F
CSC 205 – Computer Organization*^{Sp}

CST 100 – Principles of Public Speaking

ENG 121 – Introduction to Journalism I^{F/Sp}
(completion of ENG 111)
ENG 210 – Advanced Composition^{F/Sp}
(completion of ENG 112)

EGR 115 – Engineering Graphics*^{F/Sp}
EGR 120 – Introduction to Engineering*^{F/Sp}
EGR 126 – Computer Programming for Engineers*^F
EGR 240 – Solid Mechanics – Statics*^F
EGR 245 – Engineering Mechanics-Dynamics*^{Sp}
EGR 246 – Mechanics of Materials*^{Sp}
EGR 248 – Thermodynamics for Engineering*^F
EGR 251/255 – Basic Electric Circuits I & Lab*^{Sp}

HLT 110 – Concepts of Personal & Community Health^{Sp}
HLT 230 – Principles of Nutrition^F

ITD 110 – Web Page Design I*
ITE 119 – Information Literacy
ITE 120 – Principles of Information Systems
ITP 120 – Java Programming I*

MUS 101 – Basic Musicianship I
MUS 102 – Basic Musicianship II (completion of MUS 101)
MUS 111 – Music Theory I
MUS 112 – Music Theory II (completion of MUS 111)

* = Completion of pre-requisites required for enrollment.
Consult SIS or the College Catalog or work with an Academic Advisor prior to enrolling in these advanced courses.

NOTE: All Humanities Electives, Social Science Electives, Social Science Electives, Mathematics Electives, and Science with Laboratory Electives also qualify as Transfer Electives.

Writing Intensive Course (WIC)

Students entering all degree programs **are required to take one Writing Intensive Course** in order to graduate. All Writing Intensive Courses require the successful completion of ENG 111 and ENG 112 with a “C” or better. Approved Writing Intensive Courses are specified with a “WI” section designation in SIS, for example: SOC 200-07WI.

A Writing Intensive Course, called a “WIC” for short, is a course that engages students in a variety of writing activities to enhance learning and improve writing abilities. WICs include many writing activities but they are not always writing courses. WICs can be discipline-specific courses such as ADJ 236-01WI for the Police Science AAS program or EGR 295-01WI for the Engineering AS program.

The content is the same for both WIC and non-WIC courses; however, writing improvement is one of the learning goals of the WIC. You will have additional opportunities to learn course material through graded and non-graded writing activities. You will share your writings with other students in the class as well as your professor, and receive feedback from both.

Students enrolled in the Associate of Arts (AA) and Associate of Science (AS) degree programs at PVCC can choose from a wide variety of designated WICs listed in each program’s degree requirements. Students in Associate of Applied Science (AAS) programs are required to take program-specific WICs that are embedded into their program requirements.

The Admissions and Advising Center compiles a list of WICs each semester to make the process of finding a WIC more convenient.

“Where’s the WIC?”

All approved WICs will be designated in SIS with a “WI” section number. For example, HIS 101 offerings in a given semester:

HIS 101 - 01	MWF	9:00AM - 9:50AM
HIS 101 - 03	T	7:00PM - 9:45PM
HIS 101 - 04	T TH	11:00AM - 12:45PM
HIS 101 - 60WI	MWF	10:00AM - 10:50AM

HIS 101 –60WI is the WIC!

Have questions? Please work with an Academic Advisor to make sure that you have the correct WIC you need to graduate from your program of study.

Advising Notes: