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Jackson College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (hlcommission.org), a regional accreditation agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education.
Welcome to Jackson College!
Good Day!

Thanks so much for taking time to consider attending Jackson College. I suspect that you’ve come to a tipping point in your life where you are seeking something different ... something more. I believe that you have found a unique college in which to consider your journey. Why? Well, all of us at Jackson College, our Board of Trustees, our faculty, staff and our administration have been working so very hard to prepare this College - its facilities, its curriculum, its housing, technology, its support systems - all of it, for you. You see, we believe in you and in the dream that you wish to pursue.

Perhaps Jackson College just seems like any other college to you, but I assure you that is not the case. I have been privileged to serve as its president for more than 18 years and I have chosen to stay, working with so many amazing people, who are committed to service as a way of helping others just like you on their educational path. Having worked at other colleges and universities, I can tell you firsthand that Jackson College is distinctive. It is innovative. It is compassionate. It is hopeful. It is forward-looking. In addition, in all that we do, we are committed to your success.

I encourage you to come and visit with us. We'll connect you with one of our talented student success navigators. Think of these navigators as your personal advocate, your guide or your coach, making sure that you have a meaningful, challenging, and productive experience here.

Thanks in advance for looking us over, and I hope you'll join me here at Jackson College - I think you will be amazed that you did.

Sincerely,

Daniel J. Phelan
President/CEO
Welcome!

At Jackson College, we live our mission: Together we inspire and transform lives. Your success is our primary goal, and we are here to serve you. We have a number of expert faculty and staff to assist with your journey, whether you pursue a degree, certificate, professional credential or a new career. Our student success navigators are here to be your biggest advocates and guide through the process. Contact your navigator, introduce yourself, tell them your story, goals, and dreams, and let them help you find your path to your next destination.

The College offers a number of services to ensure your success:

- Tutoring at the Center for Student Success and online through Smarthinking;
- Academic advising;
- Campus View housing;
- Financial aid counseling and support;
- Library, computers, breakout rooms and study lounges;
- Service learning and career placement;
- The Oasis Center, Dental Clinic and Health Clinic;
- International Student Institute; and
- Multicultural Affairs.

The academic catalog is a tool to guide you through the exciting process of earning an associate degree or certificate, transferring classes to other institutions, training for a career, or updating your current job skills.

You will find many opportunities to get involved in our College community beyond the classroom. Student clubs and organizations; intramural and varsity sports; student life; and theatre and music performance groups all highlight the rich and diverse opportunities available to JC students.

Thank you for joining us at Jackson College and allowing us to be your partner in this new journey. Have a fantastic year!

Sincerely,

Jeremy Frew
Vice President of Student Services
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Welcome to Jackson College
This is the 2019-2020 Jackson College academic catalog. This catalog contains information on the various academic study programs available at the College. Jackson College offers 72 associate, certificate and baccalaureate programs plus transfer disciplines, skill sets, and concentrations. Programs are arranged into Pathways, designed to create a clear path to an academic degree or certificate, concentration or skill set. Program requirements are listed within each area for the many credentials available. Here you may learn about career opportunities and individual course descriptions. This catalog is designed as one source and guide on your academic journey. Please contact Student Services and your student success navigator at your location to review academic programs and requirements in this catalog to ensure you are on the right path.

More information about policies, locations, admissions procedures, resources and more is available on the Jackson College website, www.jccmi.edu.

Note: The information in this printed College catalog reflects the current curricula. However, these are subject to change at any time by the action of the Board of Trustees or the administration. The most current information regarding the catalog can be found online at www.jccmi.edu.
Bachelor’s Degree Options and Requirements

All bachelor’s degrees will meet the General Education Outcomes (GEO) requirements (see General Education Philosophy on page 15) as approved by the College Board of Trustees. No course substitutions will be allowed unless considered a higher level of an approved course.

To earn a bachelor’s degree, students must meet these requirements:

1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 overall. (Some programs have additional grade and course requirements. Follow the guide sheet for your program and meet with a navigator for complete information.) Important: Only courses with a 2.0 or better will transfer to most four-year colleges and universities.
2. A minimum grade of 2.0 in each course that applies toward a degree.
3. Completion of specific courses in a degree.
4. A minimum of 120 credits.
5. A minimum of 30 credits earned at Jackson College.
6. Courses identified as remedial or developmental cannot be used as credits toward degrees or certificates. As of fall 2011, developmental courses are identified with a three-digit number beginning with a 0, such as 030, 080, 095, and only courses considered to be college level (100-level or higher) can be used to fulfill degree requirements. Additional courses excluded from credits toward degrees and certificates are continuing education courses (prefix CCE, CED, CEU, CFO, CJT, CSS, ESL, LTL) and courses offered through the College’s workforce training programs (prefixes JTI, PDI).
7. A completed Application for Graduation for the degree submitted by the deadline date to Registration & Records, located in Student Services, Central Campus, or to any Jackson College center. Students have five academic years to apply for graduation from the time they complete their last course. Applications are available at all locations, or the website (www.jccmi.edu/registration-records/graduation/). Official audits are processed by the Registration & Records Office.
8. Completion of the degree requirements from any catalog of entry issued during continuous enrollment. Students who are not continuously enrolled and have completed degree requirements must meet the requirements of the catalog in effect at the time of graduation application. Students re-entering who have not completed degree requirements must follow the catalog in effect at the time of their re-entry date.
9. Coursework completed within a reasonable time period. This may require repeating certain essential courses, even though a passing grade was previously earned. An essential course involves material that affects skill development and successful performance and/or contains content likely to change significantly over time, as determined by appropriate academic departments.
10. Multiple degrees may be conferred in the same graduation period.

Associate Degree Options and Requirements

Jackson College offers four types of associate degrees. Each degree includes general education courses as well as specific program courses. Students should select an associate degree based on their plan of study or career.
goal. A Seminar in Life Pathways (SEM 140) course, a gateway to Jackson College, will be required of all students, with the exception of some second-admit programs.

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS (AA) & ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE (AS)
Students intending to transfer to another college or university usually select one of these degree programs. Students choose from courses that prepare them for a variety of professions and academic disciplines. Note: Students are not required to earn a degree prior to transferring but may transfer credits back to Jackson College to complete graduation requirements.

ASSOCIATE IN GENERAL STUDIES (AGS)
This degree is for students who want to plan their own program of study not defined by a specific job or career. The degree’s flexibility allows the creation of a unique learning experience, such as combining the student’s Jackson College experience with other academic institutions or community organizations, to prepare for or create a specialized career option.

ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE (AAS)
This degree prepares students for entry into a technical or skilled occupational career immediately following Jackson College.

Associate Degrees
All associate degrees will meet the General Education Outcomes (GEO) requirements (see General Education Philosophy on page 15) as approved by the College Board of Trustees. No course substitutions will be allowed unless considered a higher level of an approved course.

To earn an associate degree, students must meet these requirements:

1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 overall. (Some programs have additional grade and course requirements. Follow the guide sheet for your program and meet with a student success navigator for complete information.) Important: Only courses with a 2.0 or better will transfer to most four-year colleges and universities.
2. A minimum grade of 2.0 in each course that applies toward a degree.
3. Completion of specific courses in a degree.
4. A minimum of 60 credits.
5. A minimum of 15 credits earned at Jackson College.
6. Courses identified as remedial or developmental cannot be used as credits toward degrees or certificates. As of fall 2011, developmental courses are identified with a three-digit number beginning with a 0, such as 030, 080, 095, and only courses considered to be college level (100-level or higher) can be used to fulfill degree requirements. Additional courses excluded from credits toward degrees and certificates are continuing education courses (prefix CCE, CED, CEU, CFO, CJT, CSS, ESL, LTL) and courses offered through the College’s workforce training programs (prefixes JTI, PDI).
7. A completed Application for Graduation for the associate degree submitted by the deadline date to Registration & Records, located in Student Services, Central Campus or to any Jackson College center. Students have five academic years to apply for graduation from the time they completed their last course at Jackson College. Applications are available at all locations, or the Jackson College website (www.jccmi.edu/registration-records/graduation/). Official audits are processed by the Registration & Records Office.
8. Completion of the degree requirements from any catalog of entry issued during continuous enrollment. Students who are not continuously enrolled and have completed degree requirements must meet the requirements of the catalog in effect at the time of graduation application. Students re-entering who have not completed degree requirements must follow catalog in effect at the time of their re-entry date.

9. Coursework completed within a reasonable time period. This may require repeating certain essential courses, even though a passing grade was previously earned. An essential course involves material that affects skill development and successful performance and/or contains content likely to change significantly over time, as determined by appropriate academic departments.

10. A minimum of 12 additional credits beyond those credits completed for one degree are required to earn a second associate degree.

11. Multiple degrees may be conferred in the same graduation period.

Certificates
Jackson College offers certificates that comprise fewer than 60 credits of course work. They concentrate on specific skills, with fewer general education courses than an associate degree.

To earn a certificate, students must meet these requirements:

1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 overall. (Some programs have additional grade and course requirements. Follow the guide sheet for your program and meet with a student success navigator for complete information.) Important: Only courses with a 2.0 or better will transfer to most four-year colleges and universities.

2. A minimum grade of 2.0 in each course that applies toward a degree.

3. Completion of specific courses in a degree.

4. A minimum of 15 credits earned at Jackson College.

5. Courses identified as remedial or developmental cannot be used as credits toward degrees or certificates. As of fall 2011, developmental courses are identified with a three-digit number beginning with a 0, such as 030, 080, 095, and only courses considered to be college level (100-level or higher) can be used to fulfill degree requirements. Additional courses excluded from credits toward degrees and certificates are continuing education courses (prefix CCE, CED, CEU, CFO, CJT, CSS, ESL, LTL) and courses offered through the College’s workforce training programs (prefixes JTI, PDI).

6. A completed Application for Graduation for the certificate submitted by the deadline date to Registration & Records, located in Student Services, Central Campus or to any Jackson College center. Students have five academic years to apply for graduation from the time they completed their last course. Applications are available at all locations, or the website (www.jccmi.edu/registration-records/graduation). Official audits are processed by the Registration & Records Office.

7. Completion of the certificate requirements from any catalog of entry during continuous enrollment. Students who are not continuously enrolled and have completed certificate requirements must meet the requirements of the catalog in effect at the time of graduation application. Students re-entering who have not
completed the certificate requirements must follow the catalog in effect at the time of their re-entry date.

8. Coursework completed within a reasonable time period. This may require repeating certain essential courses, even though a passing grade was previously earned. An essential course involves material that affects skill development and successful performance and/or contains content likely to change significantly over time, as determined by appropriate academic departments.

9. A minimum of six additional hours, beyond those credits completed for one certificate, are required to earn a second certificate.

10. Multiple certificates may be conferred in the same graduation period.

Concentrations

Jackson College offers concentrations that are a coordinated set of courses whose purpose is to enable students to efficiently achieve a specific occupational goal. Each concentration will:

1. Provide a set of skills and knowledge to benefit students within specific career areas.
2. Serve as building blocks toward certificates or associate degrees.
3. Require students to minimally show the proficiency of ENG 085, ENG 090 and MAT 030.
4. Not be eligible for federal aid (i.e. federal Pell Grants, Stafford Loans).
5. Will not have academic honors denoted on transcript.
6. Will be not be included in commencement.

To earn a concentration, students must meet these requirements:

1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 overall. (Some programs have additional grade and course requirements. Follow the guide sheet for your program and meet with a student success navigator for complete information.) Important: Only courses with a 2.0 or better will transfer to most four-year colleges and universities.
2. A minimum grade of 2.0 in each course that applies toward a degree.
3. Completion of specific courses in the concentration.
4. A minimum of 15 credits earned at Jackson College.
5. A completed Application for Graduation for the concentration submitted by the deadline date to Registration and Records, located in Student Services, Central Campus or to any Jackson College center. Students have five academic years to apply for graduation from the time they completed their last course. Applications are available at all locations, or the Jackson College website (www.jccmi.edu/registration-records/graduation/). Official audits are processed by the Registration & Records Office.
6. Completion of the concentration requirements from any catalog of entry during continuous enrollment. Students who are not continuously enrolled and have completed the concentration requirements must meet the requirements of the catalog in effect at the time of graduation application. Students re-entering who have not completed the concentration requirements must follow the catalog in effect at the time of their re-entry date.
7. Coursework completed within a reasonable time period. This may require repeating certain essential courses, even though a passing grade was previously earned.
8. An essential course involves material that affects skill development and
successful performance and/or contains content that is likely to significantly change over time, as determined by appropriate academic departments.

9. Multiple concentrations may be conferred in the same graduation period.

Skill Sets
Jackson College offers skill sets that are strategically planned groupings of courses to meet the flexibility needed by external demands of employers and the existing job market. Each of these credentials will:

1. Provide a set of skills and knowledge to benefit students within specific career areas.
2. Require students to minimally show the proficiency of ENG 085 and MAT 030.
3. Not be eligible for federal aid (i.e. federal Pell Grants, Stafford Loans).
4. Will not have academic honors denoted on a transcript.
5. Will not be included in commencement.

Other sources of funding may be available.

To earn a skill set, students must meet these requirements:

1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 overall. (Some programs have additional grade and course requirements. Follow the guide sheet for your program and meet with a student success navigator for complete information.) Important: Only courses with a 2.0 or better will transfer to most four-year colleges and universities.
2. A minimum grade of 2.0 in each course that applies toward a degree.
3. Completion of specific courses in the skill set.
4. All credits in the skill set must be earned at Jackson College.

5. A completed Application for Graduation for the skill set submitted by the deadline date to Registration & Records, located in Student Services, Central Campus or to any Jackson College campus. Students have five academic years to apply for graduation from the time they completed their last course. Applications are available at all locations, or the Jackson College website (www.jccmi.edu/registration-records/graduation/). Official audits are processed by the Registration & Records Office.

6. Completion of the skill set requirements from any catalog of entry during continuous enrollment. Students who are not continuously enrolled and have completed the skill set requirements must meet the requirements of the catalog in effect at the time of graduation application. Students re-entering who have not completed the skill set requirements must follow the catalog in effect at the time of their re-entry date.

7. Coursework completed within a reasonable time period. This may require repeating certain essential courses, even though a passing grade was previously earned. An essential course involves material that affects skill development and successful performance and/or contains content that is likely to significantly change over time, as determined by appropriate academic departments.

8. Multiple skill sets may be conferred in the same graduation period.

General Education Philosophy
A message to students from Jackson College faculty
General education facilitates the development of an informed and educated person who
recognizes and respects the diversity of communities, thinks critically and is proficient at fundamental skills. General education engages students in active learning by providing opportunities to observe, analyze and evaluate, and to apply these skills critically to problems. General education fosters the development of responsible, ethical human beings dedicated to improving their own lives and the lives of others through work, family life, social and political action, cultural awareness and service to others.

Because Jackson College’s vision includes a variety of educational, cultural and economic goals, the general education requirements involve both traditional intellectual pursuits and practical skill development. As the general education requirements are designed to ensure breadth and depth of knowledge, they are met through carefully designed programs of study. Programs of study help students meet these goals by addressing each of the skill areas identified in the General Education Outcomes (GEO). Each of Jackson College’s courses is reviewed and assessment is required to be considered for GEO standards. No course substitutions will be allowed unless considered a higher level of an approved course. These are skills that the Jackson College Board of Trustees has determined students should develop or enhance while enrolled in the College.

THE GENERAL EDUCATION OUTCOMES ARE:

1. Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly.
2. Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly.
3. Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning.
4. Demonstrate scientific reasoning.
5. Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them.
6. Understand and appreciate aesthetic experience and artistic creativity.
7. Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures.

Substitutions and Waivers

Students who encounter hardships while pursuing a planned educational program may request consideration of alternative courses through a substitution and/or waiver process, except for GEO requirements. Each request must be reviewed and recommended by the department chair of the course under review and approved by the academic dean and registrar. Substitution and waiver guidelines and forms are available from department chairs, student success navigators, and the Registration & Records Office. The Board of Trustees supports General Education Outcomes (GEO 1-7) to ensure all students receive a well-rounded general education. GEO substitutions are limited to coursework considered a higher level of the approved courses. Approved GEOs can be found in the Associate in Arts, Associate in Science and Associate in General Studies degree requirements.

Student Assessment at Jackson College

Assessment is a vital part of the academic life at Jackson College. The purpose of assessment is to measure student progress in the knowledge, skills and attitudes they exhibit from their studies. Assessment is conducted during class time, at the conclusion of programs of study, and at important stages of the academic cycle on a year by year basis. Students are expected to complete a variety of assessments during their college career. These include course examinations, portfolios, attitude surveys, journals and demonstrations of skills used in occupational fields. A standardized test is administered in selected classes to measure overall student success in the achievement of basic foundational skills. Other assessments are made after students leave Jackson College that
help faculty know the long-range effects of their teaching on student employment and the success of students who transfer to other colleges and universities. Teachers identify course learning objectives and communicate them to students in their course syllabi, in classroom materials, or in teacher-led discussions about course goals. Learning objectives are closely aligned with the General Education Outcomes. Feedback from student performance on the learning objectives provides faculty with an assessment of the teaching and learning that occurs.

SEM 140 Seminar in Life Pathways

First semester students must also enroll in a first-year course, Seminar in Life Pathways (SEM 140), a gateway course to Jackson College. This course is designed to help all students develop the skills, inner qualities and external behaviors needed to take charge of their academic and career success. Students will be guided through an extensive process of making career choices and selecting an academic program of study at Jackson College and beyond.

With the exception of second-admit programs, SEM 140 is required of all students.

Students enrolled in SEM 140 Seminar in Life Pathways are expected to bring their own laptop or similar device to every class for their use in the course. For technical specifications and to learn about the possibility of using financial aid to purchase an appropriate device, refer to the Jackson College website at www.jccmi.edu/tbz.

Academic Skills Requirements

The associate degree requirements at Jackson College include proficiency in the academic skills of reading, writing, and mathematics. To ensure the development of students’ abilities in these skills, the College offers an academic skills development program.

The first phase of the program occurs upon entry to the College when students’ competencies are assessed via ACT/SAT scores and/or college-administered placement assessments. Some programs may require a higher mathematics score. Students with prior successful college coursework may also be exempt. Jackson College accepts recent course placement scores from other Michigan colleges.

Writing: All Jackson College students seeking a degree are required to pass the college-level writing course, ENG 131: Writing Experience I, or demonstrate proficiency in writing. Upon completion of the writing placement assessment, students whose results indicate a need for further development in writing must enroll in ENG 091 and successfully complete the writing post-assessment before proceeding to the required college-level writing course.

Reading: All Jackson College students seeking a degree are required to demonstrate proficiency in reading. Upon completion of the reading placement assessment, students whose results indicate a need for further development in reading must enroll in ENG 086.

Mathematics: All Jackson College students seeking a degree are required to pass a mathematics course best suited to their program of study or demonstrate math proficiency. Upon completion of the mathematics placement assessment, students whose results indicate a need for further development in mathematics must enroll in MAT 040 and complete the course with at least a 2.0 grade.
Guidelines: ENG 080, ENG 085, ENG 086, ENG 090, ENG 091, ENG 101, ENG 102, ENG 109, ENG 110, MAT 019, MAT 020, MAT 030, MAT 031, MAT 033, MAT 039 and MAT 040. Academic credit and grades earned are included in calculating the student’s grade point average. The credits for these courses, however, constitute additional graduation requirements beyond the total number of credits required for an associate degree or certificate.

The transferability of courses depends on:
- The intended transfer college.
- The program of study, i.e., the major and/or minor(s).
- The grade received in the Jackson College course (2.0 is minimum acceptable grade point).
- Whether the transfer college has an equivalent course.
- The level of the course (e.g. an intermediate algebra course may be acceptable for one program, but not for others that require higher levels of mathematics).

Important Information for Transfer Students

You may be able to earn as much as half your bachelor’s degree program (freshmen and sophomore years) at Jackson College. A bachelor’s degree at most four-year colleges and universities requires 124 semester credit hours, and most colleges accept 60-64 credits from Jackson College. Some allow students to transfer more credits but still require about 60 hours to be taken at their institution.

You can decide whether to earn an associate degree before transferring. Transfer students who wish to earn a degree usually pursue an Associate in Arts or an Associate in Science. Colleges with completion or fast-track degree programs for working adults may allow students to transfer all the credits earned from an Associate in Applied Science degree. Others may accept up to 90 credits earned at the College and require an additional 30 credit hours. In other programs, it may be to the student’s advantage to complete the Michigan Transfer Agreement.

Earning a degree from Jackson College does not automatically qualify students to enter as a junior at the transfer institution. Four-year institutions reserve the right to evaluate each course completed at Jackson College for transfer credit.

Students are encouraged to keep the syllabi and course materials (including quizzes/tests, notes from courses, and names/authors of texts) of all courses they intend to transfer. Transfer courses are formally articulated with about 20 four-year colleges and universities in Michigan and recognized by other colleges and universities throughout the United States.

TOOLS TO HELP TRANSFER STUDENTS

Each transfer institution has its own requirements for admission, majors, general education, and second admit programs. Requirements are stated in the transfer college’s catalog, or you can find additional information on the Jackson College website. General guidelines are available to help students choose courses that transfer to their preferred college. Program guide sheets are available that list Jackson College courses that meet general education and specific program requirements at various senior institutions. Guide sheets are available in Student Services on Central Campus, Jackson College @ LISD TECH, Clyde LeTarte Center, Hillsdale, the W.J. Maher Campus, and on the website, www.jccmi.edu/transfer.

TRANSFER PROCEDURE - A CHECKLIST
Review the following checklist at least a year prior to transferring; Jackson College suggests starting in your first semester.

1. See a student success navigator.
2. Decide on the school to which you intend to transfer. Colleges/universities vary in requirements.
3. Decide on a program of study or major. Jackson College student success navigators provide program guide sheets outlining which courses to take. Also, request a catalog from your intended transfer college.
4. Visit transfer colleges/universities and talk with staff and students.
5. Apply for transfer admission well in advance of the anticipated date of transfer. Applications are available from the transfer institution.
6. Request official transcripts to be sent to each college or university you plan to attend. Transcripts are only accepted if they are sent directly to the College and have the official seal. Request transcripts from the Registration & Records Office.
7. Complete the appropriate financial aid application materials. Financial assistance is not awarded until the student is accepted by the institution. Request financial aid transcripts from each previous institution attended, regardless of whether or not you ever applied for financial aid from that college or university.

SPECIAL NOTE ON FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS
Some four-year colleges and universities require competency in a foreign language equivalent to two years of college study. Students transferring to an institution requiring competency in a foreign language should consider meeting this requirement before transferring.

SECOND ADMIT PROGRAMS
Some programs at four-year institutions require more than the general college admissions requirements. For instance, even though a student may be accepted by Michigan State University, he/she will need to fulfill additional requirements before being accepted into the College of Education. To find out about entry standards and application deadlines, check with the specific academic department (e.g. education, business and engineering) at the transfer institution or check their college catalog.

PRE-PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS
Students interested in pursuing curricula such as law, medicine, dentistry and other advanced degrees may choose to enroll in pre-professional programs at Jackson College (pre-law, premedical, pre-dental, etc.). Follow the sequence of courses recommended by the transfer institution. Entrance tests required for professional degrees – GMAT, GRE, MCAT, LSAT and others – are usually taken prior to the senior year in college. Jackson College students should check on the availability of preparation coursework at the transfer institution.
Michigan Transfer Agreement

The Michigan Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers (MACRAO) Articulation Agreement facilitates the transfer of students from community colleges to four-year colleges and universities in Michigan. By carefully choosing courses, students may obtain an associate degree from Jackson College and complete the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA). However, students do not need to obtain a degree to earn the MTA designation. If students meet all the requirements of the agreement, they should contact the Registration & Records Office and request the MTA designation on their transcripts.

More information can be found at http://www.macrao.org/Publications/MTA.asp

Requirements of the Michigan Transfer Agreement

- Minimum 30 credits
- Minimum grade 2.0 for each course

Note: This list reflects only current courses. The Registrar’s Office maintains a historical listing of courses that are accepted as part of MTA.

TAKE 30 CREDITS FROM:

ENGLISH COMPOSITION AND COMMUNICATIONS

(2 courses, 1 of which must be Composition)

English (ENG) 131, 132, 201*, 232
Communications (COM) 231, 240, 250

*Please note: ENG 201 Advanced Composition (3 credits) is a by-invitation-only English course that may be substituted for ENG 132.

QUANTITATIVE REASONING

(at least 1 course)

Mathematics (MAT) 130, 133, 135, 139, 141, 151, 154, 251, 254

NATURAL SCIENCE

(at least 2 courses from two disciplines; 1 must be laboratory science) Courses that are not lab science are marked with an *

Biology (BIO) 110, 132, 140*, 158, 161, 162, 220, 231, 232, 253, 254
Chemistry (CEM) 131, 132, 141, 142
Geology (GEL) 109, 160 Natural Science (NSC) 131
Geography (GEO) 131* (can be counted as a lab science if also taken with GEO 133)
Physics (PHY) 131, 150*, 151, 231, 232, 251, 252

SOCIAL SCIENCE

(at least 2 courses from two disciplines)

Anthropology (ANT) 131
Criminal Justice (CRJ) 111, 117
Economics (ECN) 231, 232
Geography (GEO) 132
History (HIS) 211, 231, 232, 235
Psychology (PSY) 140, 152, 245, 251, 252, 290
Political Science (PLS) 141
Sociology (SOC) 117, 152, 231, 236, 246

**HUMANITIES**  
*(at least 2 courses from two disciplines)*
Art (ART) 111, 112
English (ENG) 210, 236, 246, 247, 249, 252, 254, 255, 256, 257
French (FRN) 131, 132
German (GER) 131, 132
History (HIS) 120, 131, 132
Humanities (HUM) 131
Music (MUS) 130, 131, 132, 151, 152
Philosophy (PHL) 231, 232, 243
Spanish (SPN) 131, 132, 231, 232
Theatre (THR) 116

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**Pathways**

At Jackson College, academic areas are organized into six pathways to address a variety of career and training options, as well as those seeking transfer to complete their undergraduate bachelor's degrees. These pathways are:

- Business and Computer Technology
- Health Sciences
- Human Services
- Liberal Arts
- Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics
- Skilled Trades and Agriculture

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General Education Outcomes (GEO)

**GEO 1 - Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly**
- ENG 131 Writing Experience I
- ENG 132 Writing Experience II
- ENG 201 Advanced Composition
- ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing

**GEO 2 - Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly**
- COM 231 Communications Fundamentals
- COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
- COM 250 Intercultural Communication
- COM 251 Cultural Communications Immersion
- COM 350 Intercultural Communication for Management

**GEO 3 - Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning**
- MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning
- MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra
- MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Stats
- MAT 135 Finite Mathematics
- MAT 139 College Algebra
- MAT 141 Pre-calculus
- MAT 151 Calculus I
- MAT 154 Calculus II
- PSY 144 Introduction to Probability & Stats

**GEO 4 - Demonstrate scientific reasoning**
- AGT 131 Introduction to Plant & Soil Science

**GEO 5 - Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them.**
- ECN 231 Macroeconomics
- ECN 232 Microeconomics
- HIS 120 Ancient History
- HIS 131 Western Civilization to 1555
- HIS 132 Western Civilization 1555 to Present
- HIS 231 US through the Civil War
- HIS 232 US from the Civil War
- HIS 235 20th Century History
- PLS 141 American National Government
- PSY 140 Intro to Psychology
- PSY 152 Social Psychology
- PSY 245 Infancy and Childhood
- PSY 251 Abnormal Psychology
- PSY 252 Developmental Psychology
- PSY 290 Human Sexuality
- SOC 152 Social Psychology
- SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

**GEO 6 - Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity.**
- ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
- ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
- ENG 210 Film in Literature
- ENG 242 Sports in Film and Literature
- ENG 246 Short Story & Novel
- ENG 247 Poetry & Drama
- ENG 249 African-American Literature
- ENG 252 Shakespeare
- ENG 254 Children's Literature
- ENG 255 American Literature – 19th Century
GEO 6 - Continued
ENG 256 American Literature -- 20th Century
ENG 257 World Literature
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 131 Understanding Music
MUS 132 History of American Popular Music
PHL 231 Introduction to Philosophy
THR 116 Introduction to Theatre

GEO 7 - Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world's peoples and cultures.
ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
COM 250 Intercultural Communications
COM 251 Cultural Communications Immersion
ENG 242 Sports in Film and Literature
ENG 249 African-American Literature
ENG 254 Children’s Literature
ENG 257 World Literature
FRN 131 French I
GEO 132 World Regions
GER 131 German I
HIS 125 African-American History
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 130 Music of Non-Western Cultures
PHL 243 World Religions
PLS 262 International Relations
PSY 236 Women in Changing Society
SOC 236 Women in Changing Society
SOC 246 Marriage and Family
SPN 131 Spanish I
SPN 132 Elementary Spanish II
SPN 231 Intermediate Spanish I
SPN 232 Intermediate Spanish II
WRL 102, 103, 104, 105
BUSINESS AND COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY PATHWAY

The Business and Computer Technology Pathway includes careers related to all aspects of business and computer technology, including accounting, finance, business administration, marketing, culinary arts, and information processing. These may include eCommerce, entrepreneurship, computer information systems, cyber security, human resources, office administration, sports management and marketing.

DEGREES/CERTIFICATES:
- Accounting*
- Administrative Assistant (See Executive Assistant)
- Business Administration*
- Cloud Networking
- Culinary Arts & Hospitality Management*
- Cyber Security
- Entrepreneurship
- Executive Assistant
- Management
- Marketing
- Microsoft® Office® User Specialist
- Networking Specialist
- Project Management
- Software Engineering
- Sports Management
- Web Technology: eCommerce

TRANSFER PROGRAMS

The first two years of a student’s college education usually consists of general education courses, introductory courses in a major and/or program of study and selected electives. See an academic advisor for a transfer guide sheet to the college/ university of your choice. The guide sheet identifies Jackson College courses that transfer in your program of study.

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Accounting—Associate in Applied Science (ACCT.AAS)

Accountants and auditors prepare, analyze and verify financial reports and taxes and monitor information systems that furnish this information to managers in business, industry and government.

The accounting/finance major prepares students for initial employment and develops competencies for those already in the field. Students develop skills in the posting and recording of financial data, use of computers, preparation of financial statements and reports, interpretation of financial information, and develop effective supervisory and communicative techniques and skills.

Typical job opportunities and places of employment are: junior accountant with public accounting firms, banks and other financial institutions, educational institutions and other profit and not-for-profit organizations.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 credits)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Take the following:
NSC 131 Contemporary Science

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
**GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**

Choose one of the following:

- ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
- COM 250 Intercultural Communications
- HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
- PLS 262 International Relations

**ACCOUNTING RELATED REQUIREMENTS (9 credits)**

Take the following:

- BUA 100 Contemporary Business
- BUA 220 Principles of Management
- BUA 250 Business Law I

**ACCOUNTING CORE REQUIREMENTS (26-27 credits)**

Take the following:

- ACC 115 Payroll Accounting
- ACC 214 Income Tax Accounting
- ACC 130 QuickBooks Pro OR
- CIS 121 Microsoft® Excel®
- ACC 231 Principles of Accounting
- ACC 232 Principles of Accounting II
- ACC 234 Managerial Accounting
- ACC 240 Intermediate Accounting
- ACC 245 Internship/Externship

**ACCOUNTING ELECTIVES**

Select electives from courses in ACC, BUA, CIS, ECM, ECN or ENT, if necessary to meet 60 credits required for this degree.

Online note: Some students find online ACC courses to be challenging. It is recommended that online accounting students have strong computer skills including proficiency using e-mail, the Internet, experience using Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel and skills with attaching files.

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.**

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Business Administration – Associate in Applied Science (BUAD.AAS)

This is a broad-based program of business studies. This program allows the student to customize a program of study that meets the specific employment and/or transfer needs of the student.

*Minimum credits: 60*

*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*

*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics (Preferred)
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Take the following:
NSC 131 Contemporary Science

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, the principles which govern them and their implications for the present and future (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
COM 250 Intercultural Communications
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
PLS 262 International Relations

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION RELATED REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ACC 231 Principles of Accounting I OR
ACC 216 Financial Accounting Concepts
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems OR
CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies
ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION CORE REQUIREMENTS (15 CREDITS)
Take the following:

BUA 100 Contemporary Business
BUA 220 Principles of Management
BUA 230 Principles of Marketing
BUA 245 Internship
BUA 250 Business Law I

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION ELECTIVES (10-12 CREDITS)
Student should select 10-12 credit hours from any of the following areas of study to meet the 60-credit hour degree requirement:
Accounting (ACC), Business (BUA), Economics (ECN), Entrepreneurship (ENT), First Year Seminar (FYS or SEM), and PSY 140
Work with your Student Success Navigator to make the best choices based on your career and transfer goals.

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.**

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Business Administration – Associate in Arts (BUAD.AA)
This degree is designed for students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a bachelor’s in business administration degree. Courses provide the foundation for transfer and admission into most four-year schools’ College of Business, as well as the skills necessary for success in the business world

Minimum credits: 62
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (36 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
Choose one of the following:
ENG 132 Writing Experience II
ENG 201 Advanced Composition

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communications Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability and Statistics

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (7-9 credits)
Choose two of the following from two different disciplines; at least one must be a laboratory science course:

*Non-laboratory Science Courses:*
BIO 140 Public Health and Disease
PHY 150 Concepts in Astronomy

*Lab Science Courses:*
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
BIO 132 Human Biology
BIO 158 Environmental Science
BIO 161 General Biology I
BIO 162 General Biology II
BIO 220 Microbiology
BIO 231 General Botany
BIO 232 General Zoology
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
CEM 141 General Chemistry I
GEL 109 Earth Science
GEL 160 Introduction to Geology
NSC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics
PHY 151 Astronomy
PHY 231 College Physics I
PHY 251 Modern University Physics I

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (6 credits)
Take the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics

Choose one of the following:
HIS 120 Ancient History
HIS 131 Western Civilization to 1555
HIS 132 Western Civilization 1555 to Present
HIS 231 Development of the US through the Civil War
HIS 232 Development of the US from the Civil War
HIS 235 20th Century History
PLS 141 American National Government
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**GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (6 credits)**

Choose two of the following from two different disciplines:

- **ART 111** Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
- **ART 112** Art History: Renaissance to Present
- **ENG 210** Introduction to Film
- **ENG 242** Sports in Film & Literature
- **ENG 246** Short Story & Novel
- **ENG 247** Poetry & Drama
- **ENG 249** African-American Literature
- **ENG 252** Shakespeare
- **ENG 254** Children’s Literature
- **ENG 255** American Literature – 19th Century
- **ENG 256** American Literature – 20th Century
- **HUM 131** Cultural Connections
- **MUS 131** Understanding Music
- **THR 116** Introduction to Theatre

**GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**

Choose one of the following:

- **ANT 131** Cultural Anthropology
- **ENG 236** Women in Changing Society
- **ENG 242** Sports in Literature and Film
- **ENG 249** African-American Literature
- **ENG 257** World Literature
- **FRN 131** French I or higher
- **GEO 132** World Regions
- **GER 131** German I or higher
- **HIS 125** African-American History
- **HIS 211** Minority Groups in America
- **HUM 131** Cultural Connections
- **MUS 130** Music of Non-Western Cultures
- **PHL 243** World Religions
- **PLS 262** International Relations
- **SOC 236** Women in Changing Society
- **SPN 131** Spanish I or higher

**FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE (2 credits)**

Choose one of the following:

- **FYS 110** LifeMaps
- **FYS 131** Navigating College and Life
- **SEM 140** Seminar in Life Pathways

**PRE-BUSINESS CORE REQUIREMENTS (17 credits)**
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TRANSFER ELECTIVES (7 credits)

Select additional courses based on transfer institution and program so that degree totals 60 credit hours.

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Business Administration – Certificate (BUAD.CERT)

The Business Administration Certificate will develop your awareness in all of the functional aspects of the business world. You can use your ability to get along with people, develop your leadership potential, and use your oral and written communication skills. Jobs may be found in insurance companies, hospitals, health care facilities, educational institutions, transportation/distribution centers, government agencies and manufacturing firms in a variety of departments. This program also consists of the foundational courses needed for an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 30  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)

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Cloud Networking – Associate in Applied Science (CLNE.AAS)

The addition of “Cloud” computing, virtualization and the need to store and manage the explosion of “big data” requires network administrators to have a new set of skills beyond those needed just a few years ago. This program will provide the concepts and practical hands-on training to be successful in this new arena.

Minimum credits: 67  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)  
Take the following:  
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**  
Take the following:  
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)  
Take the following:  
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability and Statistics or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**  
Choose one of the following:  
NSC 131 Contemporary Science

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)**  
Choose one of the following:  
ECN 231 Macroeconomics  
ECN 232 Microeconomics

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**  
Choose one of the following:  
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**  
Choose one of the following:  
ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology  
COM 250 Intercultural Communications
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**NETWORKING CORE REQUIREMENTS (32 CREDITS)**

Take the following:

- CNS 101 Network Fundamentals/Network+
- CNS 106 Computer Networking 2
- CNS 121 Microsoft® Networking Client I
- CNS 123 Microsoft® Networking Server I
- CNS 131 Linux Administration I
- CNS 141 Wireless Networking
- CNS 201 Network Security/Security+
- CNS 231 Firewalls and Intrusion Detection
- CNS 235 Packet Analysis and Network Forensics
- CNS 245 Internship

**CLOUD NETWORKING REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)**

Take the following:

- CNS 251 Cloud Computing
- CNS 252 Virtualization I
- CNS 253 Virtualization II
- CNS 254 Information Storage and Management

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**Computer Service Technician (A+/Network+) – Skill Set (CPST.SSET)**

The computer service technician credential prepares students to work as a computer service professional. A+/Network+ is the recognized industry standard for computer service technicians. This training is the “journeyman’s card” for professionals in microcomputer maintenance. The computer service technician validates technical competency in networking administration and support. Those holding A+/Network+ should demonstrate critical knowledge of media and topologies, protocols and standards, network implementation and network support. CompTIA (Computing Technology Industry Association) is the certifying agent, a non-profit industry group which determines competencies. CompTIA assures the quality of those who successfully pass the A+ and Network+ Certification exams. Jackson College provides this program to prepare students to pass both exams. The exam is administered by CompTIA’s agents.

*Minimum credits: 15*
*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*
*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (15 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems
CIS 174 PC Repair/A+ Hardware Component
CIS 175 PC Repair/A+ Software Component
CIS 176 A+ Certification Exam Preparation
CIS 179 Network+ Certification Exam Preparation
CNS 101 Network+/Networking Fundamental Component

Computer Support Specialist – Associate in Applied Science (CSST.AAS)
Students completing this program are prepared to assume a variety of positions in a computerized office setting. The program recognizes the increasingly important role of the personal computer in modern business and is designed to assist students in developing skills in the use of personal computer applications. Depending upon the curriculum students choose, career choices may include computer support specialist, computer applications specialist, information office manager, end-user support technician, information systems associate, personal computer (PC) coordinator, or software specialist.

Minimum credits: 64
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 16

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
GEL 109 Earth Science
NSC  131  Contemporary Science
PHY  131  Conceptual Physics

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)**
Take the following:
PSY  140  Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
HUM  131  Cultural Connections
MUS  131  Understanding Music

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT  131  Cultural Anthropology
COM  250  Intercultural Communications
HIS  211  Minority Groups in America
PLS  262  International Relations

COMPUTER SUPPORT SPECIALIST RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Take the following:
BUA  130  Customer Service

COMPUTER SUPPORT SPECIALIST CORE REQUIREMENTS (38 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS  119  Microsoft® PowerPoint
CIS  120  Microsoft® Word® Comprehensive
CIS  121  Microsoft® Excel® Comprehensive
CIS  122  Microsoft® Access® Comprehensive
CIS  143  HTML
CIS  158  Programming Logic
CIS  174  PC Repair/A+ Hardware Component
CIS  175  PC Repair/A+ Software Component
CIS  201  Advanced Computer Technologies
CIS  245  Internship/Externship
CNS  101  Network+/Networking Fundamentals
CNS  121  Microsoft® Networking Client I
CNS  131  Linux Administration

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Computer Support Specialist – Certificate (CSST.CERT)
Students completing this certificate are prepared to assume a variety of positions in a computerized office setting. The certificate contains most of the core computer classes in the Computer Support Specialist Associate Degree. Students completing this certificate may find jobs as a computer support specialist, computer applications specialist, information office manager, end-user support technician, information systems associate, personal computer (PC) coordinator, or software specialist. Students can also continue on for the associate degree or may complete this certificate to improve current job skills.

Minimum credits: 36
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra or higher

COMPUTER SUPPORT SPECIALIST CORE REQUIREMENTS (29 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 119 Microsoft® PowerPoint®
CIS 120 Microsoft® Word® Comprehensive
CIS 121 Microsoft® Excel® Comprehensive
CIS 122 Microsoft® Access® Comprehensive
CIS 143 HTML
CIS 174 PC Repair/A+ Hardware Component
CIS 175 PC Repair/A+ Software Component
CNS 101 Advanced Information Technologies
CNS 131 Networking Fundamentals/Network +
CNS 113 Linux Administration

Culinary Management and Hospitality – Bachelor of Applied Science
Building on the foundation of culinary arts and hospitality associate degree, students will broaden their education with business and management courses for full-service careers in today’s food service and hospitality industries. While a passion for the art of cooking is important, good management and interpersonal skills are essential. Students may also earn chef certification through the American Culinary Federation (ACF) as well as the NRAEF ManageFirst and the ServSafe National Certification.

Minimum credits: 140
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 30

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (43 CREDITS)
GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
ENG 232 Technical and Business Writing

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (9 credits)
Take the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
COM 250 Intercultural Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4 credits)**
Take the following:
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)**
Take the following:
PLS 141 American National Government

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Take the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (11 credits)
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
SPN 131 Elementary Spanish I
SPN 132 Elementary Spanish II

RELATED REQUIREMENTS (32 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ACC 216 Financial Accounting Concepts
ACC 300 Financial Management in Hospitality
BUA 130 Customer Service
BUA 220 Principles of Management
BUA 230 Principles of Marketing
BUA 420 Project Management and Leadership
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems
STM 101 Introduction to Sustainability
PSY 344 Organizational Psychology
BUA 315 Innovation, Branding, and Strategic Marketing
CORE REQUIREMENTS (65 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CUL 100 Introduction to Hospitality
CUL 101 ServSafe Fundamentals
CUL 115 Baking and Pastry
CUL 118 Nutrition for Food Service and Culinary Professional
CUL 120 Culinary Skills
CUL 121 Introduction to Food Productions
CUL 150 Food Service Management
CUL 175 International Cuisine
CUL 224 Food and Beverage Cost Control
CUL 227 Contemporary Cuisine
CUL 231 à la Carte Kitchen
CUL 245 Internship I
CUL 250 Principles of Beverage Service
CUL 345 Internship II
CUL 445 Internship III
CUL 455 Capstone Externship and Practicum
HTM 300 Introduction to Tourism
HTM 305 Facilities Management
HTM 313 Hospitality Ethics
HTM 320 Club and Special Event Management
HTM 325 Gaming and Conventions Sales
HTM 330 Hospitality Sales and Marketing

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Culinary Arts & Hospitality Management – Associate in Applied Science (CUAR.AAS)
This program prepares students for a career as a professional culinarian in a restaurant, hospitality or institutional setting. Culinary arts professionals have a variety of responsibilities that may include supervising and coordinating the activities of food service workers or dining room employees, planning menus, estimating daily or weekly needs, ordering and maintaining inventories of supplies and equipment, and keeping records of meals served. The program also provides a foundation for continued culinary arts studies at a four-year college, the chef certification through the American Culinary Federation (ACF), as well as the NRAEF ManageFirst and the ServSafe National Certification.

Minimum credits: 70
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
CEM 141 General Chemistry I

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
PLS 141 American National Government
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
MUS 131 Understanding Music

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 250 Intercultural Communications
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
SPN 131 Spanish I

CULINARY ARTS AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT RELATED REQUIREMENTS (10-11 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 101 Computer Information Systems OR
Choose one of the following:
ACC 231 Principles of Accounting I
ACC 232 Principles of Accounting II
ACC 234 Managerial Accounting
ACC 240 Intermediate Accounting
BUA 100 Contemporary Business
BUA 120 Human Relations in Business
BUA 121 Leadership
BUA 122 Successful Small Business
BUA 130 Customer Service
BUA 220 Principles of Management
BUA 221 Human Resource Management
BUA 230 Principles of Marketing
BUA 231 Advertising, Promotion, & Public Relations
BUA 245 Internship/Externship
BUA 250 Business Law I

CULINARY ARTS AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (37 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CUL 100 Introduction to Hospitality
CUL 101 ServSafe Fundamentals
CUL 115 Baking and Pastry II
CUL 118 Nutrition for Food Service and Culinary Professionals
CUL 120 Culinary Skills
CUL 121 Introduction to Food Production Techniques
CUL 150 Food Service Management
CUL 175 International Cuisine
CUL 224 Food and Beverage Cost Control
CUL 231 à la Carte Kitchen
CUL 250 Principles of Beverage Service
CUL 227 Contemporary Cuisine
CUL 245 Internship I

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Culinary Arts – Certificate (CUAR.CERT)
Culinary arts professionals have a variety of responsibilities that may include supervising and coordinating the activities of food service workers or dining room employees, planning menus,
estimating daily or weekly needs, ordering and maintaining inventories of supplies and equipment, and keeping records of meals served. The certificate will prepare students for entry-level employment in areas of cooking, baking or food service management.

Minimum credits: 37
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

CULINARY ARTS RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Choose one of the following:
CIS 101 Computer Information Systems
CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies

CULINARY ARTS CORE REQUIREMENTS (27 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CUL 100 Introduction to Hospitality Management
CUL 101 ServSafe Fundamentals
CUL 115 Baking and Pastry II
CUL 118 Nutrition for Food Service and Culinary Professionals
CUL 120 Introduction to Culinary Skills
CUL 121 Introduction to Food Preparation Techniques
CUL 227 Contemporary Cuisine
CUL 231 à la Carte Kitchen

Culinary Arts – Concentration (CUAR.CON)
The rapidly growing hospitality industry offers various management careers in food and beverage, hotel and culinary arts. A balance of classroom, laboratory, and work experience opportunities combine in this program to provide management preparation for this challenging industry. The culinary arts concentration is primarily designed to prepare students for entry-level positions as chefs.

Minimum credits: 19
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (19 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CUL 100 Introduction to Hospitality
Culinary Arts – Skill Set (CUAR.SSET)
Provides hands-on training in hot and cold cooking, culinary skills, sanitation, purchasing, professional baking and cost controls. The culinary arts skill set prepares students for entry-level positions in the food service industry. The 13-credit-hour program includes classes in sanitation and safety, introduction to hospitality, culinary skills and baking.

Minimum credits: 13
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 12

REQUIRED COURSES (13 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CUL 100 Introduction to Hospitality
CUL 101 ServSafe Fundamentals
CUL 115 Baking and Pastry
CUL 120 Culinary Skills
CUL 121 Introduction to Food Productions

Cyber Security – Associate in Applied Science (CYSE.AAS)
People involved with cyber security ensure that an organization’s computer networks, computer systems and digital information stay safe from cyber-attacks. Their responsibilities are continuously expanding as our society and economy rely more and more on our digital assets. This program provides the foundations of cyber security, an emphasis on the methods attackers use to infiltrate computer systems, and the means to mitigate or defeat these attacks. The courses in this program help prepare the student for a variety of industry and vendor certifications. For more information about specific certifications, speak with the instructors.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)
GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG  131   Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM  240   Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT  133   Introduction to Probability & Statistics or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
BIO   110   Introductory Biology
CEM   131   Fundamentals of Chemistry
GEL   109   Earth Science
NSC   131   Contemporary Science
PHY   131   Conceptual Physics

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ECN   231   Macroeconomics
ECN   232   Microeconomics
PLS   141   American National Government
PSY   140   Introduction to Psychology
SOC   231   Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART   111   Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART   112   Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM   131   Cultural Connections
MUS   131   Understanding Music

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT   131   Cultural Anthropology
COM   250   Intercultural Communications
HIS   211   Minority Groups in America
PLS   262   International Relations

CYBER SECURITY CORE REQUIREMENTS (24 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CNS   101   Network Fundamentals/Network+
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Entrepreneurship – Associate in Applied Science (ENTR.AAS)

Entrepreneurship is a discipline that can be applied to virtually any endeavor. Entrepreneurs start their own businesses and non-profit organizations, but they also identify opportunities and develop innovative solutions within the established organizations for which they work (these types of entrepreneurs are often known as “intrapreneurs”). Given our rapidly changing world, every sector of the economy is looking for people who can analyze market potential and devise strategies to creatively meet the needs of clients. Many of the world’s most successful people are entrepreneurs who have been able to devise and implement these creative strategies.

An associate degree or certificate in entrepreneurship is highly adaptable and can be coupled with expertise in another discipline, allowing students to focus in areas, which match their passions, skills and opportunities in the marketplace.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Take the following:
NSC 131 Contemporary Science

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s people and cultures (3 credits)**
Take the following:
PLS 262 International Relations

ENTREPRENEURSHIP RELATED REQUIREMENTS (17 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ACC 216 Financial Accounting Concepts OR
ACC 231 Principles of Accounting I
BUA 121 Leadership
BUA 250 Business Law I
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems OR
CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies
CIS 133 Brand Identity Design
STM 101 Introduction to Sustainability

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CORE REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENT 101 Entrepreneurship: Creating Your Own Job
ENT 102 Entrepreneurial Marketing: Finding Your Niche
ENT 169 Business Plan
ENT 245 Internship

ELECTIVES (8 CREDITS TOTAL)
Select electives from courses in ACC, AFT, ALT, ART, AUT, BIO, BUA, CCT, CEM, CIS, CNS, CPS, CRJ, CUL, DMS, ECM, ECN, EDU, EGR, ELT, ENG, GEL, HOC, HPF, MAT, MFG, MIC, MOA, MUS, NSC, PHY, PLS, PTC, PSY, SOC, THR, VID, or WLD to meet the 60 credits required for this degree.
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Entrepreneurship – Certificate (ENTR.CERT)
This program begins applying the analytical skills which will assist students in creatively solving problems and meeting the needs of constituents either in their own company or in another organization in which they serve. Students can adapt these skills to whatever field(s) of endeavor they decide to pursue.

Minimum credits: 30
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
COM 240  Interpersonal Communication
ENG 131  Writing Experience I
MAT 133  Introduction to Probability & Statistics

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CORE REQUIREMENTS (17 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ACC 216  Financial Accounting Concepts OR
   ACC 231  Principles of Accounting I
CIS 101  Introduction to Computer Systems OR
   CIS 201  Advanced Information Technologies
CIS 133  Brand Identity Design
ENT 101  Entrepreneurship: Creating Your Own Job
ENT 102  Entrepreneurial Marketing: Finding Your Niche
ENT 169  Business Plan

ELECTIVES (3 CREDITS)
Select electives from courses in ACC, AFT, ALT, ART, AUT, BIO, BUA, CCT, CEM, CIS, CNS, CPS, CRJ, CUL, DMS, ECM, ECN, EDU, EGR, ELT, ENG, GEL, HOC, HPF, MAT, MFG, MIC, MOA, MUS, NSC, PHY, PLS, PTC, PSY, SOC, THR, VID, or WLD to meet the 30 credits required for this degree.

Entrepreneurship – Skill Set (ENTR.SSET)
This program is designed to assist the student in making informed decisions regarding the many benefits and costs of starting your own business and finding the right business opportunity “fit.” In addition, you will prepare a completed business plan presentation.
Minimum credits: 12  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 10

**ENTREPRENEUR RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)**
Take the following:
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems

**ENTREPRENEUR CORE REQUIREMENTS (9 CREDITS)**
Take the following:
ENT 101 Entrepreneurship: Creating Your Own Job
ENT 102 Entrepreneurial Marketing: Finding Your Niche
ENT 169 Business Plan

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**Executive Assistant – Associate in Applied Science (EXAS.AAS)**
Executive assistants are professional-level positions who provide support for senior management and executives (VPs, CEOs, CFOs, etc.) of almost every business type, including industrial, retail, medical, legal, finance, education, hospitality, chain stores/restaurants, stock market, non-profits and more. They use expert computer skills to organize and manage their boss’s reports and time commitments, often deal with confidential information and have authority in the executive’s absence thereby requiring exceptional critical thinking and interpersonal skills. Executive support positions have to possess proven multi-faceted skills so an internship or work experience may enhance one’s employability and success.

Minimum credits: 63  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 17

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-24 CREDITS)**

**GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

**GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

**GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics (Preferred)
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning
GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Take the following:
NSC 131 Contemporary Science (Preferred)

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 250 Intercultural Communications

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT RELATED REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ACC 216 Financial Accounting Concepts OR
ACC 231 Principles of Accounting I
ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing

EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT CORE REQUIREMENTS (33 CREDITS)
Take the following:
BUA 100 Contemporary Business
BUA 121 Leadership
BUA 130 Customer Service
CIS 104 Keyboard Speed and Accuracy
CIS 117 Microsoft Outlook
CIS 119 Microsoft PowerPoint
CIS 120 Microsoft® Word® Comprehensive
CIS 121 Microsoft® Excel® Comprehensive
CIS 122 Microsoft® Access®
CIS 125 Microsoft Expressions Web
CIS 133 Brand Identity
CIS 138 Image Editing
CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies
CIS 210 Office Administration Systems
CIS 245 Internship

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Management – Certificate (MGMT.CERT)

People with management skills are employed in every industry in the career world. This program will build on your natural ability to get along with people and help develop your leadership potential. The focus in this program is on the principles, theories and application of planning, organizing, leading, staffing and evaluating results. Having good communication skills and the ability to make reliable decisions without supervision is essential to beginning a career in management.

Minimum credits: 30
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing

Choose one of the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability and Statistics (Preferred)
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning

MANAGEMENT RELATED REQUIREMENTS (4 CREDITS)
Choose one of the following:
ACC 231 Principles of Accounting I
ACC 216 Financial Accounting Concepts

MANAGEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
BUA 100 Contemporary Business
BUA 130 Customer Service OR
BUA 120 Human Relations
BUA 220 Principles of Management
BUA 221 Human Resource Management

ELECTIVES
Select electives from classes in ACC, BUA, CIS or ECN in order to meet 30 credits required for a certificate.
Marketing – Certificate (MRKT.CERT)

Individuals considering a marketing career should be good listeners, enjoy current events and look forward to the business challenges that come with changing cultural habits. Also important are the abilities to think creatively, communicate effectively and manage time wisely to meet deadlines.

Minimum credits: 33
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131  Writing Experience I
ENG 232  Technical & Business Writing

Choose one of the following:
MAT 133  Introduction to Probability and Statistics (Preferred)
MAT 130  Quantitative Reasoning

MARKETING CORE REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
BUA 100  Contemporary Business
BUA 130  Customer Service
BUA 230  Principles of Marketing
BUA 231  Advertising, Promotion & Public Relations

MARKETING RELATED REQUIREMENTS (11 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 201  Advanced Information Technology OR
ECM 201  Advanced Information Technology
CIS 126  Digital Design Fundamentals
CIS 133  Brand Identity Design
CIS 138  Image Editing Applications
ECM 220  eBusiness: SEO / Management / Measurement

Microsoft Networking – Concentration (MSNW.CON)

Minimum credits: 26
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (26 CREDITS)
Take the following:
Microsoft Office Specialist – Certificate (MSOS.CERT)

Students completing this program are prepared to assume a variety of positions in an automated office setting. The program recognizes the increasingly important role of the personal computer in modern business and is designed to assist students in developing their skills in the use of graphing, personal management, project management and electronic presentations. The Microsoft Office Specialist program provides a framework for measuring student proficiency with Microsoft Office applications and prepares students for the industry recognized Microsoft exams for measuring an individual’s mastery of Office applications. Students completing the program could be hired at entry-level positions such as secretaries, help desk technicians, administrative assistants and stenographers. Students can continue and pursue an associate degree in the administrative assistant program.

Minimum credits: 33
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (13 CREDITS)
Take the following:

COM 231 Communication Fundamentals OR
    COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability and Statistics (Preferred) OR
    MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning

MICROSOFT OFFICE SPECIALIST CORE REQUIREMENTS (20 CREDITS)
Take the following:

CIS 104 Keyboard Speed and Accuracy
CIS 117 Microsoft® Outlook® Workshop
CIS 119 Microsoft® PowerPoint®
CIS 120 Microsoft® Word® Comprehensive
CIS 121 Microsoft® Excel® Comprehensive
CIS 122 Microsoft® Access® Comprehensive
CIS 125 Microsoft® Expressions® Web
Microsoft Office Specialist – Concentration (MSOS.CON)
These courses are part of the Microsoft Certified Applications Specialist credential tests. Students who pass the “expert” Word and Excel® exams and the “specialist” Access and PowerPoint exams will receive “Master” recognition from the Microsoft Corporation. Other levels of Microsoft Office certification are available from Microsoft as students begin passing exams. The successful completion of Microsoft Office sponsored exams are in addition to the successful completion of Jackson College’s courses for credit. For specific information on Microsoft certification, students should talk with the program advisor. Students completing the program could be hired at entry-level positions such as office clerks, receptionists or help desk technicians. Students completing this concentration can continue on with the Computer Support Specialist Certificate and associate degree or the Microsoft Office Specialist Certificate and Administrative Assistant associate degree.

Minimum credits: 17
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (17 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 104 Keyboard Speed and Accuracy
CIS 117 Microsoft® Outlook® Workshop
CIS 119 Microsoft® PowerPoint®
CIS 120 Microsoft® Word® Comprehensive
CIS 121 Microsoft® Excel® Comprehensive
CIS 122 Microsoft® Access® Comprehensive
CIS 125 Microsoft® Expressions® Web
CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies

Networking Specialist – Associate in Applied Science (NESP.AAS)
Networking involves the hardware, software and communication channels necessary to allow computers to talk to each other. Most organizations use computer networks and need networking specialists to maintain their networks. Several other occupations may utilize networking skills, such as office assistants, accountants or managers. Students will study the various components of networking and how to secure them. These courses help prepare students to take industry certification exams from CompTIA, Cisco, Microsoft and others. For specific information on these certifications, please talk to the instructors.

Minimum credits: 67
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
GEL 109 Earth Science
NSC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
PLS 141 American National Government
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 131 Understanding Music

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
COM 250 Intercultural Communications
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
PLS 262 International Relations

NETWORKING CORE REQUIREMENTS (32 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CNS 101 Network Fundamentals/Network+
CNS 106 Computer Networking II
CNS 121 Microsoft® Networking Client I
CNS 123 Microsoft® Networking Server I
CNS 131 Linux Administration I
CNS 141 Wireless Networking
CNS 201 Network Security/Security+
CNS 231 Firewalls and Intrusion Detection
CNS 235 Packet Analysis and Network Forensics
CNS 245 Internships

NETWORK ADMINISTRATION REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CNS 122 Microsoft® Networking Client II
CNS 124 Microsoft® Networking Server IV
CNS 125 Microsoft® Directory Service
CNS 128 PowerShell Scripting for Network Administrators

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Networking Specialist – Certificate (NESP.CERT)
Networking involves the hardware, software and communication channels necessary to allow computers to talk to each other. Students will study various components of computer networking. Each 200-level networking class helps prepare students with the skills and knowledge to take vendor-sponsored certification exams. Students who pass the related core exams will be CompTIA Network+ certified and recognized as a Microsoft Certified Systems Administrator (MCSA). Students who pass the appropriate related elective exam can also achieve the premier certifications of Microsoft Certified System Engineer (MCSE) and Certified Cisco Network Administrator (CCNA). Nearly all organizations of any size use computer networks to leverage their core competencies. These organizations need trained networking specialists to install, maintain and troubleshoot their networks. The CompTIA and Microsoft certifications are recognized as industry standards and are required by many employers.

Minimum credits: 30
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability and Statistics or higher

NETWORKING SPECIALIST CORE REQUIREMENTS (23 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CNS 101 Network Fundamentals/Network+
CNS 106 Computer Networking II
CNS 121 Microsoft® Networking Client I
CNS 123 Microsoft® Networking Server I
CNS 201 Network Security/Security+
CNS 131 Linux Administration I
CNS 231 Firewalls and Intrusion Detection

Network+/Security+ – Concentration (NWSC.CON)
There is compelling evidence that neither technologies nor policies alone offer effective protection against security threats. Theft and destruction of intellectual property takes place despite the presence of firewalls, encryption and corporate edicts. Industry and governments around the world must have a well-trained workforce to effectively combat hackers, attacks and security threats. This concentration is designed to prepare students to work as an information technology professional with a knowledge of information security within computer networks. Both the CompTIA (Computing Technology Industry Association) Network+ and Security+ certifications are recognized as basic industry standards and are required by many employers. Jackson College provides this program to prepare students to pass both exams. The exams are administered by CompTIA agents.

Minimum credits: 20
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits 15

REQUIRED COURSES (20 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CNS 101 Network+/Networking Fundamentals
CNS 106 Computer Networking II
CNS 121 Microsoft® Networking Client I
CNS 123 Microsoft® Networking Server I
CNS 201 Network Security/Security+
CNS 231 Firewalls and Intrusion Detection

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Project Management – Certificate (PMGT.CERT)

The Project Management Certificate will develop your skills as a project leader and team member in today’s business sector. The skills gained will allow you to successfully plan projects, lead teams, and be an effective team member. You can use your ability to further develop your leadership potential and use your oral and written communication skills within your profession. Jobs may be found in insurance companies, hospitals, health care facilities, educational institutions, transportation/distribution centers, government agencies, and manufacturing firms in a variety of departments. This program also consists of the foundational courses needed for an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 30
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131          Writing Experience I
MAT 133          Introduction to Probability and Statistics (Preferred) OR
                MAT 130          Quantitative Reasoning

Business Administration Related Requirements (10 credits)
Take the following:
ACC 231          Principles of Accounting I OR
                ACC 216          Financial Accounting Concepts
CIS 101          Introduction to Computer Systems OR
                CIS 201          Advanced Information Technologies
ENG 232          Technical and Business Writing

Business Core Requirements (9 credits)
Take the following:
BUA 100          Contemporary Business
BUA 220          Principles of Management
BUA 250          Business Law I

Project Management Core Requirements (6 credits)
Take the following:
BUA 170          Fundamentals of Project Management
BUA 270          Teamwork and Team Projects

Software Engineering – Associate in Applied Science (SOEN.AAS)
Software engineering is the process of analyzing user needs to design, develop, test, deploy, and manage software applications systems. Software applications systems connect you to a computer, tablet, smartphone or mobile device. Coursework will include studies in databases, cloud computing, systems design, and multiple programming languages to create scalable programs, web applications,
and cloud-based software. This degree is for students who want to develop the skills necessary to pursue their career goals or transfer to work toward a bachelor’s degree in the field. Job opportunities may include: applications developer, computer consultant, information technology analyst, programmer, software developer, or software engineer.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 139 College Algebra

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics
PHY 231 College Physics I
PHY 251 Modern University Physics I

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
PLS 141 American National Government
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistory to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 131 Understanding Music
**GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3 credits)**

Choose one of the following:

- ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
- COM 250 Intercultural Communications
- HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
- PLS 262 International Relations

**SOFTWARE ENGINEERING RELATED REQUIREMENTS (13 CREDITS)**

Take the following:

- CNS 101 Network+/Network Fundamentals
- CNS 131 Linux Administration
- CIS 245 Internship/Externship
- CNS 251 Cloud Computing

**SOFTWARE ENGINEERING CORE REQUIREMENTS (24 CREDITS)**

Take the following:

- CIS 146 Web Design & Development
- CIS 158 Programming Logic
- CIS 165 JAVA Programming
- CIS 170 Programming in C++
- CIS 220 Database Systems
- CIS 244 Web Programming
- CIS 265 Android Mobile Development
- CIS 273 Systems Concepts & Design

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**Sports Management – Associate in Applied Science (SMGT.AAS)**

A program that prepares individuals to apply business, coaching and physical education principles to the organization, administration and management of athletic programs and teams, fitness/rehabilitation facilities and health clubs, sport recreation services and related services. Includes instruction in program planning and development, business and financial management principles, sales, marketing and recruitment, event promotion, scheduling and management, facilities management, public relations, legal aspects of sports, and applicable health and safety standards.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (27-29 CREDITS)
GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 250 Intercultural Communications

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Choose one of the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics (Preferred)
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (8-10 credits)
Choose two of the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology
CEM 141 General Chemistry I
GEL 109 Earth Science
NSC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 151 Astronomy
PHY 251 Modern University Physics I

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Take the following:
ENG 242 Sports in Film & Literature

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3 credits)**
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

SPORTS MANAGEMENT RELATED REQUIREMENTS (14 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ACC 231 Principles of Accounting I
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems OR
   CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies
PHL 236 Ethics
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

SPORTS MANAGEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (19 CREDITS)
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Web Technology eCommerce Consultant – Certificate (WTEC.CERT)

Upon completion, students will be skilled to consult with clients regarding their desires for an eCommerce site, as well as manage inventory through integrated database technology.

*Minimum credits: 40*
*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*
*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*
*Minimum Jackson College credits: 15*

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)**

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**eCOMMERCE CONSULTANT CORE REQUIREMENTS (33 CREDITS)**

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Web Technology eCommerce Designer – Skill Set (WTED.SSET)
Upon completion, students will be skilled to use open source or boxed software to build an eCommerce website considerate of legal requirements, eCommerce concepts and technology requirements.

Minimum credits: 5  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 5

eCOMMERCE DESIGNER CORE REQUIREMENTS (5 CREDITS)
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Web Technology eCommerce Entrepreneur – Concentration (WTEE.CON)
Upon completion, students will be skilled to assess the opportunities available to launch an entrepreneurial venture, as well as develop a plan to incorporate an eCommerce website.

Minimum credits: 20  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

eCOMMERCE ENTREPRENEUR CORE REQUIREMENTS (20 CREDITS)
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Web Technology eCommerce Manager – Skill Set (WTEM.SSET)
Upon completion, students will be skilled to manage an eCommerce site’s search engine optimization, share product files across platforms, and utilize mobile technologies and advertising campaigns to ensure optimal efficiency of the site.

Minimum credits: 9  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 9

eCOMMERCE MANAGER CORE REQUIREMENTS (9 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ECM 101  eCommerce Fundamentals  
ECM 201  Advanced Information Technologies  
ECM 220  eBusiness II: SEO/Management

Web Technology eCommerce Specialist – Concentration (WTES.CON)
Upon completion, students will be skilled to design an eCommerce site, manage its traffic and maximize the appearance of the site in search engine results.

Minimum credits: 15  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

eCOMMERCE SPECIALIST CORE REQUIREMENTS (15 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 125  Microsoft® Expressions Web  
CIS 133  Digital Image Design  
CIS 135  Open Source Web Design  
CIS 138  Image Editing Applications  
CIS 143  HTML  
ECM 101  eCommerce Fundamentals  
ECM 201  Advanced Information Technologies  
ECM 220  eBusiness II: SEO/Management
Health Sciences Pathway

To meet the ever-expanding demand for qualified health sciences professionals, Jackson College’s Health Sciences Pathway offers a wide array of associate degree and certificate programs as well as concentrations and skill-sets. These programs combine classroom instruction, laboratory experience and clinical practice to assure that students obtain the most current and the highest level skills in their chosen health profession. Students interested in health sciences programs may obtain admission requirement information from their student success navigator. If additional information is desired, contact the director for the program of interest.

Students in the Health Sciences Pathway that require clinical rotations at health care facilities may be required to submit to a drug test. If the student tests positive for illicit drugs, the student will be removed from the program. Criminal background checks may also be performed and may prevent admission if failed.

### Degrees/Certificates

- Allied Health General Studies
- Cardiac Sonography (Second Admit Program)
- Emergency Medical Service, Paramedic
- Dental Hygiene (Second Admit Program)
- General Sonography (Second Admit Program)
- Health Administration/Insurance Specialist
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Insurance Coder/Biller
- Nursing, ADN (RN) (Second Admit Program)
- Nursing, LPN to RN (Second Admit Program)
- Nursing, Practical (LPN) (Second Admit Program)
- Radiography (Second Admit Program)
- Respiratory Care (Second Admit Program)
- Vascular Sonography (Second Admit Program)
- Concentrations and Skill Sets

### Allied Health General Studies – Associate in Applied Science (AHGS.AAS)

The Allied Health General Studies program is specifically designed for those who have already earned some form of certification or licensure in an allied health profession and are looking to obtain an associate degree in order to further their education or employment opportunities.

Certification or licensure, which must be submitted to determine eligibility, may meet up to 30 credits toward the allied health core requirements. Educational focus options are described below which will provide the opportunity to meet the 33-credit core requirement.

*Minimum credits: 60*
*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*
*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*
*Minimum Jackson College credits: 15*

### GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (24 CREDITS)
GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
COM 250 Intercultural Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-8 credits)
Choose one of the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology (Preferred) OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles that govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 250 Intercultural Communication
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
PHL 243 World Religions
SPN 131 Spanish I or higher

ALLIED HEALTH RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Take the following:
MOA 120 Medical Terminology

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ALLIED HEALTH CORE REQUIREMENTS (33 CREDITS)
Up to 33 credits must come from approved certifications and/or licenses (students can submit multiple certifications/licenses if applicable), and additional courses listed under Additional Requirements.

Certifications/licenses must be submitted to the Program Director for credit approval and determination.

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS TO MEET ALLIED HEALTH CORE REQUIREMENTS OF 33 CREDITS**

**Health Management Focus**
This focus would be for someone who is looking to gain more experience in health management to complement their current medical background. This may also be ideal for someone who may be continuing with a Bachelor’s of Health Management or Human Relations. You may choose any of the following to ensure you meet credit requirements. Please be aware that there may be prerequisite requirements for the courses listed below.

| ACC 216 Financial Accounting Concepts | BUA 120 Human Relations in Business |
| OR | BUA 121 Leadership |
| ACC 231 Principles of Accounting | BUA 221 Human Resource Management |
| BIO 140 Public Health and Disease | SPN 131 Elementary Spanish I |
| PHL 236 Ethics | SPN 132 Elementary Spanish II |
| BUA 220 Principles of Management | |

**Science Focus**
This focus would be for someone who would like to obtain further education in the sciences. You may choose any of the following to ensure you meet credit requirements. Please be aware that there may be prerequisite requirements for the courses listed below.

| BIO 140 Public Health and Disease | BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II |
| BIO 161 General Biology I | CEM 132 Fundamentals of Organic & Biological Chemistry |
| BIO 162 General Biology II | CEM 142 General Chemistry II |
| BIO 220 Microbiology | CEM 241 Organic Chemistry I |
| BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I | CEM 242 Organic Chemistry I |

**Psychology / Human Behavior Focus**
This focus would be for someone who may want to obtain further education in the areas of psychology and social sciences. You may choose any of the following ensure you meet credit requirements. Please be aware that there may be prerequisite requirements for the courses listed below.

| PSY 152 Social Psychology | BUA 120 Human Relations in Business |
| PSY 161 Introduction to Counseling | SOC 117 Criminology |
| PSY 222 Applied Behavior Analysis | SOC 231 Principles of Sociology |
| PSY 225 Introduction to Group Therapy | SOC 235 Minority Groups in America |
| PSY 245 Infancy and Childhood | SOC 236 Women in a Changing Society |
| PSY 251 Abnormal Psychology | SOC 246 Marriage and Family |
| PSY 252 Developmental Psychology | |

**Entrepreneurship Focus**
This focus would be for someone looking to gain the skills and knowledge needed to open their own health-related business, such as an assisted living facility. Please be aware that there may be prerequisite requirements for the courses listed below.

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Cardiac Sonography – Associate in Applied Science (CSON.AAS)

A cardiac sonographer (echo cardiographer) is the allied health professional who, after an extensive and comprehensive educational process, is qualified to perform an echocardiogram (ultrasound of the heart). The primary role of the cardiac sonographer is to obtain diagnostic recordings and measurements from the ultrasound image of the heart, including hemodynamic information. This individual assumes great responsibility for the performance of this exam. The techniques for obtaining the required images and recordings require great skill. A thorough understanding of cardiac anatomy, physiology, hemodynamics and pathophysiology is required.

The cardiac sonography program is an online program accredited by the Commission for Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) in the United States. It is a program leading to an Associate in Applied Science degree. The curriculum consists of integrated didactic and clinical coursework with a minimum of 1,136 supervised clinical hours with an approved clinical education affiliate. This program is designed to prepare the student for employment as a cardiac sonographer with positions located in hospitals, medical clinics, and other diagnostic imaging facilities. Upon successful completion, students are eligible to apply to the ARDMS (American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonographers) for board examinations that will award them the RDCS (Registered Diagnostic Cardiac Sonographer) credential.

There are special admission requirements to the sonography programs, and it is the student’s responsibility to understand the requirements and adhere to them. Entry into a program is competitive and based on a “point system.” Point values are based on grades earned in prerequisite coursework and the interview process.

**Applications are processed according to the following:**

- Applications must be received by the Allied Health Office by August 31.
- Questionnaires will be mailed to eligible applicants.
- Completed questionnaires must be returned by the stated due date.
- Diagnostic Medical Sonography Admission Committee conducts interviews.
- Students are notified by mail of application/interview results.
- Accepted students begin winter semester.

General education prerequisites and related requirement courses must be completed before admission to the program.

**Minimum credits:** 73
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grade in BIO 132 or BIO 253/254, HOC 130 and MOA 120: 3.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 33

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (21-29 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-8 credits)
Choose one of the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
ENG 249 African-American Literature

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3 credits)
Program courses meet this requirement

CARDIAC SONOGRAPHY RELATED REQUIREMENTS (14 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 100 Introduction to Diagnostic Imaging
DMS 104 Introduction to Sonographic Instrumentation
HOC 130 Introduction to Health Occupations
MOA 120 Medical Terminology
PHY 145 Introduction to Basic Physics
CARDIAC SONOGRAPHY CORE REQUIREMENTS (38 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 140  Sonographic Orientation & Technique
DMS 141  Adult Echo I
DMS 142  Echo Clinical I
DMS 144  Cardiovascular Principles
DMS 148  Echo Clinical II
DMS 196  Introduction to Clinical
DMS 206  Sonographic Instrumentation
DMS 240  Adult Echo II
DMS 244  Echo Clinical III

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.

Dental Hygiene – Associate in Applied Science (DENT.AAS)
The Dental Hygiene Associate in Applied Science program consists of integrated lectures, labs and clinical experiences. As a graduate of the Jackson College Dental Hygiene program, the student will have the knowledge and skills necessary to provide preventive and periodontal treatment. The responsibilities of a registered dental hygienist generally include: scaling and root debridement, delivery of local anesthesia, nitrous oxide sedation, topical fluoride, antibiotic and antimicrobial medicament placement, impressions, diagnostic models, dental radiographs, dental education, nutritional counseling, and various laboratory procedures. The treatments and services are prescribed under the supervision of the dentist.

Upon successfully completing the CODA-accredited dental hygiene program at Jackson College, the student will be eligible to take the national, regional and state board examinations for dental hygiene licensure.

There are various employment opportunities for the registered dental hygienist. The registered hygienist may choose employment in a general or specialty dental practice, schools, clinics, hospitals, HMOs, public health, or governmental agencies. The dental hygienist may also be employed in the area of management, research, sales, consulting or education.

Students must apply for admission to the dental hygiene program and must do so by the application deadline. The program starts every fall semester and continues for two academic years after the student has completed the prerequisite courses. Admission to the dental hygiene is highly competitive and is not guaranteed. It is the student’s responsibility to understand and adhere to the specific admission criteria. Admission is based on a point system which factors in the GPA of required courses, past educational achievements or certifications, and the number of course withdrawals, repeats and/or failures. Students with the highest points will be admitted based on space availability. The selection process is subject to change.
The program for which you are applying requires that you successfully complete clinical requirements in an on-site clinic. A provider’s license may be jeopardized if the State of Michigan learns through the required criminal history background clearance that they or an adult age 18 and over who is employed by them or in practicum with them, has a pending criminal charge or has been convicted of any of certain various crimes. Clinical sites are subject to ACT 303 of the Public Acts of 2002, amended April 1, 2006, of the State of Michigan which restricts persons with certain criminal convictions from having access to vulnerable populations. Therefore, Jackson College requires that as a condition of admission, all students will be subject to a fingerprint-based criminal background check, including an FBI check.

Exclusions for convictions can range from one year to permanent exclusion. Following graduation, applicants for licensure as a registered dental hygienist will also be asked about criminal convictions and this could impact the individual’s ability to become licensed. In addition, all dental hygiene students must pass a drug screen as a condition of admission to the dental hygiene program. While enrolled in the program, a student may be asked to submit to a drug test if there is reason to believe the student is under the influence of alcohol or other drugs.

Prerequisites are:

- BIO 253 Human Anatomy & Physiology I AND
- BIO 254 Human Anatomy & Physiology II
- BIO 220 Microbiology
- CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry OR
- CEM 141 General Chemistry I
- PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
- ENG 131 Writing Experience I
- COM 231 Communication Fundamentals OR
- COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
- MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics

Applications are accepted for fall admission. See a student success navigator for application deadlines. All sciences must be taken within the last eight years. Upon acceptance to the program, dental hygiene courses must be taken in sequence. Students are required to take and pass the HESI Admission Assessment (A2) prior to admission.

*Minimum credits: 81*

*Minimum grade in dental hygiene courses: 2.5*

*Minimum grade in BIO 253, BIO 254, & BIO 220: 2.5*

*Minimum Jackson College credits: 42*

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (34-36 CREDITS)**

**GEO 1:** Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)

**Take the following:**

- ENG 131 Writing Experience I

**GEO 2:** Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)

**Chose one of the following:**

- COM 231 Communications Fundamentals
- COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics (preferred) or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
BIO 220 Microbiology

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles, which govern them. (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric – 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance – Present
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 131 Understanding Music

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (1-3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
SOC 112 Service Exploration and Social Issues
SOC 122 Service in Action
SOC 236 Women in a Changing Society
SOC 246 Marriage and Family

Dental Hygiene Related Requirements
Take the following:
BIO 253 Human Anatomy & Physiology I
BIO 254 Human Anatomy & Physiology II
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
OR CEM 141 General Chemistry I

Dental Hygiene Core Requirements (45 credits)
Take the following:
DHY 101 Principles in Dental Hygiene I
DHY 102 Preclinical Dental Hygiene
DHY 103 Orofacial Anatomy, Histology & Embryology
DHY 104 Biochemistry & Nutrition
DHY 105 Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office
DHY 111 Principles in Dental Hygiene II
DHY 112 Clinical Dental Hygiene I
DHY 113 Radiology
**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.


EKG Technician – Skill Set (EKTE.SSET)
The EKG Technician Skill Set prepares students for professional certification and employment in a variety of settings, such as hospital-based cardiology clinics, cardiac rehabilitation centers, doctor’s offices and emergency rooms. This is a great option for the student who would like to have patient contact without being involved in performing invasive procedures.

Students may also choose to use this as a building block to enhance the skills that will be learned in another allied health or nursing degrees or to add to an already completed degree.

Minimum credits: 7
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 7

REQUIRED COURSES (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
HOC 130 Introduction to Health Occupations
HOC 135 Electrocardiography Technician

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT
EMS 110 Advanced First Aid & American Heart CPR OR current Healthcare Provider CPR and Basic First Aid certification
Electronic Health Records Specialist – Skill Set (EHRS.SSET)

This skill set provides students with skills necessary to work with Electronic Health Records (EHR). This skill set is ideal for those currently working in the health field and looking to implement EHR or those looking to enter into another health related program. Students will be eligible to sit for the Certified Electronic Health Record Specialist exam upon completion of the EHR course.

Minimum credits: 9
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credit: 9
MACRAO / Michigan Transfer Agreement: No

ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORDS SPECIALIST REQUIREMENTS (9 CREDITS)

Take the following:

MOA 112 Medical Law and Ethics
MOA 120 Medical Terminology
HOC 150 Electronic Health Records

Emergency Medical Technology – Associate in Applied Science (EMMT.AAS)

The emergency medical technology program prepares students for employment as advanced emergency medical care givers. Content areas are covered in lectures; practical skills are developed in laboratory settings; and, clinical applications are divided between prehospital and hospital rotations. A 250-hour, non-paid externship experience with a local ambulance company is the capstone course for completion of the program requirement.

The curriculum meets the requirements of the Michigan Department of Community Health and needs to be taken in sequence. Each course prepares the student for the respective level of the state licensing examination.

Students are evaluated in three areas: content, practical skills and clinical performance. Students achieving an 80 percent or higher will receive a certificate of completion and be eligible for the state licensure. Practical skills are graded on a pass/fail basis, and students must pass all practical exams to successfully complete each course. Clinical performance is evaluated by attendance and feedback from ambulance and hospital personnel along with the clinical facilitator. Attendance policies are regulated by the state. Upon successfully completing all college requirements, a student will qualify for an Associate in Applied Science.

Minimum credits: 76.75
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grade in all EMS courses: 2.5
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (28-29 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (8-10 credits)
Choose one of the following groups:
PNC 100 Body Structure and Function AND
BIO 132 Human Biology OR

BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 131 Understanding Music

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
COM 250 Intercultural Communications
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
PLS 262 International Relations

EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS (44.75 - 48.75 CREDITS)
Take the following:
EMS 122 EMT Basic Technology OR
EMS 150 EMT Intermediate Technology
**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.

Emergency Medical Technology – Basic – Concentration (EMMT.CON)
The Basic Emergency Medical Technician course is a Michigan Department of Community Health approved course. This program provides the information and experience necessary to prepare the student to sit for the National Registry Basic EMT Certification exam. Topics include: legal responsibilities, anatomy, physiology, patient assessment, management of various emergency situations, extrication, and current standards for EMTs in the field. Students will also participate in scenario-based education and computer-based testing and scenarios to reinforce skills learned within these areas. Students must complete a minimum of four 12-hour experiences in the hospital emergency room setting and with a pre-hospital life support agency. Laboratory and clinical experiences are included.

Minimum credits: 54
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grade in EMS 122: 2.5
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

CORE REQUIREMENTS (47 CREDITS)
Take the following:
BIO 253 Human Anatomy & Physiology I
Emergency Medical Technology – Basic – Skill Set (EMMT.SSET)

The Basic Emergency Medical Technician course is a Michigan Department of Community Health approved course. This program provides the information and experience necessary to prepare the student to sit for the National Registry Basic EMT Certification exam. Topics include: legal responsibilities, anatomy, physiology, patient assessment, management of various emergency situations, extrication, and current standards for EMTs in the field. Students will also participate in scenario-based education and computer-based testing and scenarios to reinforce skills learned within these areas. Students must complete a minimum of four 12-hour experiences in the hospital emergency room setting and with a pre-hospital life support agency. Laboratory and clinical experiences are included.

Minimum credits: 12
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grade in EMS 122: 2.5
Minimum Jackson College credits: 12

REQUIRED COURSES (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
EMS 122 EMT Basic Technology

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General Sonography – Associate in Applied Science (GSON.AAS)

A sonographer is the allied health professional who, for diagnostic purposes, uses high frequency sound waves to create cross sectional images of the patient’s anatomy. Sonographers work in professional harmony with both the radiologist and the clinical physician. Sonographers are required to demonstrate a great deal of independent judgment.
The general sonography program is an online program accredited by the Commission for Accreditation of Allied Health Educational Programs (CAAHEP) in the United States. It is a program leading to an Associate in Applied Science degree. The curriculum consists of integrated educational and clinical course work with a minimum of 1,350 supervised clinical hours in an approved clinical education affiliate. The program prepares the students for employment in two specialties (abdomen/superficial structures and obstetrics/gynecology) within the field of general sonography; positions are located within hospitals, medical clinics, and other diagnostic imaging institutions. Upon successful completion, students are eligible to apply for the American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonography (ARDMS) exams in Physics and Instrumentation, Abdomen and Obstetrics/Gynecology.

There are special admissions requirements to the sonography programs, and it is the student’s responsibility to understand the requirements and adhere to them. Entry into a program is competitive and based on a “point system.” Point values are based on grades earned in prerequisite coursework and the interview process.

Applications are processed according to the following:

- Applications must be received by the Allied Health Office by January 31.
- Diagnostic Medical Sonography Admission Committee conducts consultations.
- Students are notified by mail of application/consultations results.
- Accepted students begin spring semester.

General education prerequisites and related requirement courses must be completed before admission to the program.

Minimum credits: 80
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in BIO 132 or BIO 253/254, HOC 130 and MOA 120: 3.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (21 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-8 credits)
Choose one of the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
BIO 254  Human Anatomy and Physiology II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140  Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
HUM 131  Cultural Connections
ENG 249  African-American Literature

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures
Program courses meet this requirement.

GENERAL SONOGRAPHY RELATED REQUIREMENTS (14 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 100  Introduction to Diagnostic Imaging
DMS 104  Introduction to Sonographic Instrumentation
HOC 130  Introduction to Health Occupations
MOA 120  Medical Terminology
PHY 145  Introduction to Basic Physics

GENERAL SONOGRAPHY CORE REQUIREMENTS (45 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 101  Sonographic Orientation
DMS 105  Sonographic Techniques
DMS 122  Clinical Experience I
DMS 197  Introduction to Clinical
DMS 200  Abdomen and Small Parts Sonography
DMS 201  Obstetric and Gynecologic Sonography
DMS 206  Sonographic Instrumentation
DMS 212  Comprehensive Sonography
DMS 223  Clinical Experience II
DMS 224  Clinical Experience III

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.

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Health Administration/ Insurance Specialist – Associate in Applied Science (HAIS.AAS)

The Health Administration/Insurance Specialist program is a continuation of the Medical Insurance Coder Biller Certificate. This program provides students with additional coding and billing training and practicum experience, along with instruction and skills in health administration. Students of this program may find positions in insurance coding or billing, medical/health administration, or may choose to use this degree as a bridge to a bachelor’s level health administration degree.

*Minimum credits: 65*
*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*
*Minimum grade in ACC 115, BUA 221, MIC 101, MIC 141, MIC 150, MIC 201, MIC 211, MIC 242: 2.5*
*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*
*Minimum Jackson College credits: 15*

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (24 CREDITS)**

**GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
ENG 132 Writing Experience II

**GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communications
COM 250 Intercultural Communications

**GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)**
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

**GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-8 credits)** Choose one of the following. Please check for any prerequisite requirements.
Choose one of the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology (Preferred) OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy & Physiology I AND
BIO 254 Human Anatomy & Physiology II

**GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles that govern them (4 credits)**
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

**GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 250 Intercultural Communication
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
PHL 243 World Religions
SPN 131 Spanish I or higher

HEALTH ADMINISTRATION/INSURANCE SPECIALIST RELATED REQUIREMENTS (17 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ACC 115 Payroll Accounting
BIO 140 Public Health and Disease
BUA 221 Human Resources Management
CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies OR
CIS 210 Office Administration Systems
MOA 120 Medical Terminology
MOA 240 Medical Office Procedures OR
ENG 232 Technical and Business Writing

HEALTH ADMINISTRATION/INSURANCE SPECIALIST CORE REQUIREMENTS (24 CREDITS)
Take the following:
MOA 112 Medical Law and Ethics
MIC 101 ICD-CM Coding
MIC 141 Principles of Medical Coding and Billing
MIC 150 CPT Coding
MIC 201 Billing Systems OR
HOC 150 Electronic Health Records
MIC 211 Advanced Coding
MIC 242 Advanced Medical Billing
MIC 255 Coder/Biller Capstone OR
MOA 255 HAIS Practicum (See program director for practicum eligibility requirements)

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.

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Health Sciences Foundations – Certificate (HESC.CERT)

This program helps students acquire basic knowledge and skills in math, foundational sciences, healthcare terminology and general education courses. It provides students applying for a high demand health care associate’s degree program with a certificate for the completion of most general education
and/or pre-admission course requirements of the intended program. Students who plan to enter health care program are encouraged to work with a Student Success Navigator to develop a plan.

*Completion of this certificate does not guarantee completion of all desired program pre-requisites, and does not guarantee admission into the desired program. Students will work with their Student Success Navigator on a program plan.

Minimum credits: 30
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

General Education Requirements (17 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher
*Math course selection will be based on program goals

BIO 132 Human Biology
OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I
   AND BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II
*Biology course selection will be based on program goals

PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
HOC 110 Advanced First Aid and American Heart CPR

Choose one focus, based on program goals:

**Nursing Focus (Choose at least 13 credits from the following):**
NRS 145 Normal/Therapeutic Nutrition
BIO 220 Microbiology
NRS 116 Pharmacology
ENG 132 Writing Experience II
   or ENG 232 Technical and Business Writing
   or ENG 201 Advanced Composition
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
PSY 252 Developmental Psychology
SEM 140 Seminar in Life Pathways
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

**Sonography Focus (Choose at least 13 credits from the following):**
DMS 100 Introduction to Diagnostic Imaging
DMS 104 Introduction to Sonographic Instrumentation
HOC 130 Introduction to Health Occupations
MOA 120 Medical Terminology
PHY 145 Introduction to Basic Physics
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
or COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
SEM 140 Seminar in Life Pathways
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

**Radiography Focus (Choose at least 13 credits from the following):**
DMS 100 Introduction to Diagnostic Imaging
HOC 130 Introduction to Health Occupations
MOA 120 Medical Terminology
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
or COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
SEM 140 Seminar in Life Pathways
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
ENG 132 Writing Experience II
or ENG 232 Technical and Business Writing

**Respiratory Care Focus (Choose at least 13 credits from the following):**
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
MOA 120 Medical Terminology
SEM 140 Seminar in Life Pathways
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
RES 101 Introduction to Respiratory Care
HOC 130 Introduction to Health Occupations
NRS 116 Pharmacology
PHL 236 Ethics

**Dental Hygiene Focus (Choose at least 13 credits from the following):**
BIO 220 Microbiology
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
or CEM 141 General Chemistry I
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
SEM 140 Seminar in Life Pathways


Medical Assistant – Certificate (MEDA.CERT)  
The Medical Assistant Certificate program prepares the student for an entry-level position as a medical assistant in a medical office, clinic, hospital or other health care facility. Clinical (diagnostic and
treatment), administrative (communication and business) skills and transdisciplinary knowledge and skills are included in the course work. A nonpaid externship experience with a licensed health care practitioner is the culmination of the program.

Upon successful completion of this program, the student is eligible for a professional credential by passing the American Association of Medical Assistant (AAMA) examination to become a Certified Medical Assistant [CMA (AAMA)]. The certificate program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (www.caahep.org) upon the recommendation of the Medical Assisting Education Review Board (MAERB), Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, 25400 US Highway 19 North, Suite 158, Clearwater, FL 33763.

Students are welcome to enter this program in any semester, but must meet prerequisite course and grade level requirements to proceed in the program and qualify for MED 252 Medical Assistant Clinical Practicum.

Minimum credits: 35
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grade in MED courses: 2.5
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

MEDICAL ASSISTANT RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Take the following:
HOC  150   Electronic Health Records

MEDICAL ASSISTANT CORE REQUIREMENTS (32 CREDITS)
Take the following:
MED  120   MA Medical Terminology OR
         MOA  120   Medical Terminology
MED  125   Introduction to Body Systems
MED  130   MA Fundamentals
MED  140   Clinical Procedures
MED  150   Specialty Care
MED  230   Surgery and Rehabilitation
MED  240   Laboratory Procedures
MED  250   MA Pre-Practicum Capstone
MED  252   MA Practicum
MOA  112   Medical Law and Ethics
MOA  240   Medical Office Procedures
MOA  241   Principles of Medical Coding and Billing
Medical Insurance Coder/ Biller – Certificate (MICB.CERT)

The Medical Insurance Coder/Biller Certificate program prepares the student to work in a medical office, clinic, surgical center, emergency center, or hospital. Emphasis is placed on medical terminology, use of electronic medical management systems, medical financial management, disease conditions, diagnostic and procedure coding, and medical office and hospital billing. This is a competency based program that allows for a variety of program completion options which may include credit for work experience or waiver by exam and therefore can be tailored to meet the needs of both the novice and experienced coder or biller to prepare for numerous industry credentials.

*Minimum credits: 31*
*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*
*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*
*Minimum grades in MIC 101, MIC 141, MIC 150, MIC 201, MIC 211 and MIC 242: 2.5*
*Minimum Jackson College credits: 15*

**MEDICAL INSURANCE CODER/BILLER RELATED REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)**

**Take the following:**

- MOA 120 Medical Terminology

**Choose one of the following:**

- PNC 100 Body Structure & Function OR
- BIO 132 Human Biology OR
- BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
- BIO 254 Human Anatomy & Physiology II

**MEDICAL INSURANCE CODER/BILLER CORE REQUIREMENTS (24 CREDITS)**

**Take the following:**

- MOA 112 Medical Law and Ethics
- MIC 101 ICD-CM Coding
- MIC 141 Principles of Medical Coding and Billing
- MIC 150 CPT Coding
- MIC 201 Billing Systems OR
  - HOC 150 Electronic Health Records
- MIC 211 Advanced Coding
- MIC 242 Advanced Medical Billing
- MIC 255 Coder/Biller Capstone

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Medical Office Support – Concentration (MEOS.CON)

The Medical Office Support Concentration prepares students to provide administrative support in various health care settings such as hospitals, medical offices or outpatient clinics, insurance companies, and other private and public sector health care settings. This is the perfect option for the student who would like to have patient contact without being involved in performing invasive or clinical procedures.
or for the student who would like to enter the workforce while continuing their education in another
allied health or nursing program.

*Minimum credits: 22*

*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*

*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*

*Minimum Jackson College credits: 12*

**MEDICAL OFFICE SUPPORT RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)**

*Take the following:*

HOC 150 Electronic Health Records

**MEDICAL OFFICE SUPPORT CORE REQUIREMENTS (19 CREDITS)**

*Take the following:*

MED 120 MA Medical Terminology OR
MOA 120 Medical Terminology
MED 125 Introduction to Body Systems
MED 130 MA Fundamentals
MOA 112 Medical Law and Ethics
MOA 240 Medical Office Procedures
MOA 241 Principles of Medical Coding and Billing OR
MIC 141 Principles of Medical Coding and Billing

Nursing

Nursing is a dynamic and changing field with broader employment opportunities than ever before. It is expected to have one of the largest number of new job openings in the next decade. Many future nurses will be employed in home health, long-term or ambulatory care, although nursing careers are still available in traditional settings such as hospitals, medical offices and clinics. Program options reflect the variety of career paths available to future nursing professionals.

**PROGRAM CHOICES**

- Nursing – Associate in Applied Science
- Nursing, LPN to AAS – Associate in Applied Science
- Practical Nurse – Certificate

Note: Students who wish to begin a bachelor’s degree in nursing, and transfer to a four-year college or university should contact the university where they are planning to transfer to during their first semester.
Nursing – Associate in Applied Science (NURS.AAS)

The Associate in Applied Science, Nursing (AAS) program consists of integrated lectures, labs and clinicals conducted in approved clinical education affiliates. The program prepares students to demonstrate competency in providing nursing care in a variety of health care settings and for employment in the field of registered nursing. Candidates successfully completing the AAS program are eligible to apply for the licensing examination (NCLEX-RN) required for licensure as a registered professional nurse (RN).

The Jackson College’s Associate in Applied Science Nursing Degree is approved by Michigan Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA) located at 511 W Ottawa, P.O. Box 30004, Lansing, MI 48909, 517-373-1820, and is in pre-accreditation candidacy status from the National League for Nursing Commission for Nursing Education Accreditation (NLN CNEA), located at 2600 Virginia Avenue, NW, 8th Floor, Washington, DC 20037; phone 202-909-2500.

Students must apply for admission to the nursing program, and must do so within the application deadlines. Admission to the nursing program is highly competitive and is not guaranteed. There are special admission requirements to the nursing program, and it is the student’s responsibility to understand the requirements and adhere to them. Students must meet all admission requirements. Admission into the program is based on a competitive point system, a pre-admission standardized exam and completion of prerequisite courses. The selection process is subject to change. You must work with an academic advisor to plan your prerequisite course sequence and to make application to the nursing program. The advisor will explain the point system on the “AAS Selection Process - Worksheet.”

Students are required to take the Kaplan NCLEX-RN Review Program as part of the curriculum in order to graduate. Multiple standardized exams are also required at various points in the program. Most clinical sites are subject to Act 303 of the Public Acts of 2002, amended April 1, 2006, of the State of Michigan which restricts persons with certain criminal convictions from having access to vulnerable populations. Therefore, the agreements that Jackson College has with these organizations require that as a condition of admission, all students will be subject to a fingerprint-based criminal background check, including an FBI check. Exclusions for convictions can range from one year to permanent exclusion. Questions should be directed to the security department.

In addition, all students must pass a drug screen to enter any nursing program, as well as complete immunizations (as required for health care providers), meet technical standards, and complete a physical form. Following graduation, applicants for licensure as a nurse are also asked about criminal convictions and substance abuse, and this can impact the individual’s ability to become licensed.

Prerequisites are:

- ENG 131 Writing Experience I
- MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics
- PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
- BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II
- CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry

Applications are accepted for fall or winter admission. See a student success navigator for application deadlines. It is highly recommended that chemistry be taken prior to Human Anatomy & Physiology.
sciences must be taken within the last eight years. Nursing courses MUST be taken in sequence. Students are required to take and pass the standardized admission test prior to admission.

Minimum credits: 66
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grades in BIO 253 and BIO 254: 3.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 37

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (22 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take one of the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly
Program courses meet this requirement.

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics or higher
*Note: MAT 133 is preferred for maximum application points.

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (8 credits)
Take the following:
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
ENG 249 African-American Literature

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures
Program courses meet this requirement.

NURSING RELATED REQUIREMENTS (4 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry

NURSING CORE REQUIREMENTS (40 CREDITS)
Take the following:
NRS 110 Nursing Fundamentals
NRS 111  Nursing Skills*
NRS 116  Pharmacology
NRS 119  Health Assessment*
NRS 210  Medical Surgical I*
NRS 211  Women and Neonate Concepts*
NRS 212  Behavioral Health*
NRS 213  Pediatrics*
NRS 214  Medical Surgical II*
NRS 215  Pathophysiology
NRS 230  Medical Surgical III*
NRS 240  Nursing Capstone*

*These courses also have lab and/or clinical components that must be registered for as co-requisites.

It is highly recommended that general education courses be taken before the nursing course sequence if at all possible.

NOTE: Nursing courses are assigned various labs and clinicals. Be sure to follow directions. The schedule is subject to change on short notice. Specific clinical sites and times cannot be guaranteed. The nursing department reserves the right to change the curriculum, policies and program requirements.

The nursing program requirements are highly demanding and time consuming. Following admission, full-time employment is not recommended.

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.

Nursing – LPN to AAS – Associate in Applied Science (TNUR.AAS)

The Associate in Applied Science, Nursing – LPN to AAS program consists of integrated lectures, labs and clinicals conducted in approved clinical education affiliate settings. The program is designed to educate students to provide competent nursing care in a variety of health care settings and for employment in the field of registered nursing. Candidates who successfully complete the LPN to AAS programs are eligible to apply for the licensing examination (NCLEX-RN) required for licensure as a registered professional nurse (RN).

There are special admission requirements to the LPN to AAS nursing program and it is the student’s responsibility to understand the requirements and adhere to them. Students must apply for the program within published time frames.
Candidates entering the LPN to AAS program must have a valid Michigan unencumbered LPN license and must pass the following competency exams: National League for Nursing (NLN) Foundations of Nursing, standardized admission test, and Pharmacology NLN exam.

Most clinical sites are subject to Act 303 of the Public Acts of 2002, amended April 1, 2006, of the State of Michigan, which restricts persons with certain criminal convictions from having access to vulnerable populations. Therefore, the agreements that Jackson College has with these organizations require that as a condition of admission, all students will be subject to a fingerprint-based criminal background check, including an FBI check. Exclusions for convictions can range from one year to permanent exclusion. Questions should be directed to the security department.

In addition, all students must pass a drug screen to enter any nursing program, as well as complete immunizations (as required for health care providers), meet technical standards, and complete a physical form. Following graduation, applicants for licensure as a nurse are also asked about criminal convictions and substance abuse, and this can impact the individual’s ability to become licensed.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grades in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grade in BIO 253: 3.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 23

It is highly recommended that chemistry be taken prior to Human Anatomy & Physiology (BIO 253 & 254). All sciences must be taken within the last eight years. Nursing courses MUST be taken in sequence. Students are required to take the NCLEX review course as part of the curriculum in order to graduate. An academic advisor must be consulted to apply to the program. The nursing program requirements are highly demanding and time consuming. Following admission, full-time employment is not recommended.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (22 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly
Program courses meet this requirement.

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics or higher
*Note: MAT 133 is preferred for maximum application points.

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (8 credits)
Take the following:
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II
GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
ENG 249 African-American Literature

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures.
Program courses meet this requirement.

NURSING (LPN TO AAS) RELATED REQUIREMENTS (4 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry

NURSING (LPN TO AAS) CORE REQUIREMENTS (26 CREDITS)
Take the following:
NRS 116 Pharmacology
NRS 214 Medical Surgical II*
NRS 215 Pathophysiology
NRS 220 Transition to Professional Nursing
NRS 221 Care of Women and Neonate Bridge*
NRS 222 Behavioral Health Bridge*
NRS 223 Pediatric Bridge
NRS 230 Medical Surgical III*
NRS 240 Nursing Capstone*

*These courses also have lab and/or clinical components that must be registered for as co-requisites.

Students may test out of NRS 116. Please contact nursing department for more information.
It is highly recommended that general education courses be taken before the nursing course sequence if possible.

NOTE: Nursing courses are assigned various labs and clinicals. Be sure to follow directions each semester you register. The schedule is subject to change on short notice. Specific clinical sites and times cannot be guaranteed. The nursing department reserves the right to change the curriculum and program requirements.

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.
Practical Nursing – Certificate (PNCE.CERT)

This program prepares students to provide direct nursing care, under supervision, to individuals in a variety of health care settings. The program consists of integrated lectures, labs, clinical experiences, and simulations. Students who successfully complete the curriculum receive the certificate in practical nursing and are eligible to take the state licensing examination (NCLEX-PN) required for licensure as a practical nurse (LPN).

Students must apply for admission to the nursing program, and must do so within the application deadlines. Admission to the nursing program is highly competitive and is not guaranteed. There are special admission requirements to the nursing program, and it is the student’s responsibility to understand the requirements and adhere to them. Students must meet all admission requirements. Admission into the program is based on a competitive point system, a pre-admission standardized exam (HESI RN Admission Assessment [A2]), and completion of prerequisite courses. The selection process is subject to change. Students must work with a student success navigator to plan the prerequisite course sequence and to make application to the nursing program. The advisor will explain the point system on the “Practical Nursing Selection Process-Worksheet.”

The three-semester practical nursing program begins in March of each year and concludes the following May. There is a short break from mid-July to late August between Semester I and Semester II. Practical nursing classes are on a different course calendar than other classes. All science classes must be taken within the last eight years. Practical nursing courses must be taken in sequence. Students are required to take a licensure preparation course at Jackson College as part of their curriculum in order to graduate.

Most clinical sites are subject to Act 303 of the Public Acts of 2002, amended April 1, 2006, of the State of Michigan, which restricts persons with certain criminal convictions from having access to vulnerable populations. Therefore, the agreements that Jackson College has with these organizations require that as a condition of admission, all students will be subject to a fingerprint-based criminal background check, including an FBI check. Exclusions for convictions can range from one year to permanent exclusion. Questions should be directed to the security department.

In addition, all students must pass a drug screen to enter any nursing program at Jackson College, as well as complete immunizations (as required for health care providers), meet technical standards, and complete a physical form. Following graduation, applicants for licensure as a nurse are also asked about criminal convictions and substance abuse, and this can impact the individual’s ability to become licensed.

Prerequisites are:

- ENG 131 Writing Experience I
- MAT 033 Algebra for Statistics OR
  - MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics
- BIO 132 Human Biology OR
- BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
  - BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

*Minimum Credits: 40
*Minimum Cumulative GPA: 2.0*
Minimum grade in all prerequisite and nursing courses*: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 26

*Check the points system in the PN selection process worksheet regarding values of points for designated grades. Admission is competitive and based on grades.

General Education Requirements (7 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 033 Algebra for Statistics OR
   MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics or higher
*Note: MAT 133 is preferred for maximum application points.

Practical Nursing Related Requirements (4 credits)
Take the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology OR
   BIO 253 Human Anatomy & Physiology I AND
   BIO 254 Human Anatomy & Physiology II

Practical Nursing Core Requirements (29 credits)
Take the following:
PNC 110 Foundations of Nursing
PNC 111 Foundations Skills Lab*
PNC 112 Practical Nurse Pharmacology I
PNC 113 Practical Nurse Pharmacology II
PNC 120 Medical-Surgical Nursing I*
PNC 130 Medical-Surgical Nursing II*
PNC 140 Medical-Surgical Nursing III*
PNC 150 Maternal /Newborn Concepts*
PNC 160 Pediatric Concepts*
PNC 170 Entry Into Practice*

*These courses also have lab and/or clinical components that must be registered for as co-requisites.

Phlebotomy Technician – Skill Set (PHLB.SSET)
The Phlebotomy Technician Skill Set prepares students for professional certification and employment in a variety of settings, such as medical offices, hospitals, or medical and diagnostic laboratories. Students may also choose to use this as a building block to enhance the skills that will be learned in another allied health or nursing degree or to add to an already completed degree.
Minimum credits: 10
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 10
PHLEBOTOMY TECHNICIAN RELATED REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
HOC  150  Electronic Health Records
MOA  112  Medical Law & Ethics

PHLEBOTOMY TECHNICIAN CORE REQUIREMENT (4 CREDITS)
Take the following:
HOC  145  Phlebotomy Technician

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT
First Aid & Healthcare Provider CPR

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Radiography – Associate in Applied Science (RADI.AAS)
A radiographer is the allied health professional who uses ionizing radiation to image patients in hospitals and various health clinical settings. Radiographers perform general x-ray imaging of the body and may also go on to perform advanced imaging procedures such as CT, MRI, mammography and more. It is a two-year program leading to an Associate in Applied Science degree. The curriculum consists of integrated didactic and clinical course work in an approved clinical education affiliate. The program is designed to prepare the student for employment in the field of diagnostic radiography. Positions are located within hospitals, medical clinics and other diagnostic imaging institutions. Upon successful completion, students are eligible to write the American Registry of Radiological Technologists (ARRT) exams. Satisfactory completion of the ARRT board certifying exams allows the radiographer to use the initials of R.T. (R), Registered Technologist (Radiography).

There are special admission requirements to the radiography programs, and it is the student’s responsibility to understand the requirements and adhere to them. Entry into a program is competitive and based on a “point system.” Point values are based on grades earned in prerequisite coursework and the interview process.

Applications are processed according to the following:
- Applications must be received by the Allied Health Office by January 31.
- Radiography Admission Committee conducts interviews.
- Students are notified by mail of application/interview results.
- Accepted students begin spring semester.

BIO 132 or BIO 253 and BIO 254, DMS 100, HOC 130 AND MOA 120 must be completed successfully before applying to the program.

Minimum credits: 82
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in BIO 132 or BIO 253/254, DMS 100, HOC 130 and MOA 120: 3.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (21 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-8 credits)
Choose from the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
ENG 249 African-American Literature

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and culture
Program courses meet this requirement.

RADIOGRAPHY RELATED REQUIREMENTS (9 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 100 Introduction to Diagnostic Imaging
HOC 130 Introduction to Health Occupations
MOA 120 Medical Terminology

RADIOGRAPHY CORE REQUIREMENTS (52 CREDITS)
Take the following:
RAD 120 Radiographic Orientation
RAD 121 Radiographic Positioning I
RAD 125 Radiographic Positioning II
RAD 126 Clinical Practicum I
RAD 162 Clinical Practicum II
RAD 211  Clinical Practicum III
RAD 214  Clinical Practicum IV
RAD 219  Clinical Practicum V
RAD 160  Fundamentals of Radiologic Science
RAD 161  Radiographic Exposure
RAD 209  Cross-Sectional Imaging
RAD 212  Special Radiographic Studies
RAD 213  Radiobiology
RAD 218  Radiographic Pathology

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.**

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Respiratory Care – Associate in Applied Science (RECA.AAS)

Respiratory care is an allied health profession whose practitioners focus on diagnosis and treatment of cardiopulmonary disorders and diseases. A respiratory care practitioner can be instrumental in assisting a physician in the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of a wide spectrum of disorders affecting the heart and lungs, and specializes in the application of scientific knowledge and theory to practical, clinical problems of respiratory care. A respiratory care practitioner is qualified to assume primary clinical responsibility for all respiratory care modalities, including responsibilities involved in supervision of respiratory technician functions.

This is a two-year program leading to an Associate in Applied Science degree. The curriculum consists of integrated didactic and clinical course work in approved clinical education affiliates. The program is designed to prepare the student for employment in the field of respiratory care. Positions are located within hospitals, long-term care facilities and other outpatient settings.

Upon successful completion, students are eligible to write the National Board for Respiratory Care (NBRC) exams. Satisfactory completion of the NBRC board certifying exams allow the respiratory care practitioner to use the initials of RRT, Registered Respiratory Therapist.

There are special admission requirements to the respiratory care program, and it is the student’s responsibility to understand the requirements and adhere to them. Admission to the program is not guaranteed; entry into the program is competitive and based on a “point system.” The order of acceptance of qualified applicants will be based on points achieved.

Applications are processed according to the following:

- Applications must be received by the Allied Health Office by August 31.
- Students are notified by mail of application results.
- Accepted students begin winter semester.
- BIO 132 or BIO 253 and BIO 254 (3.0 minimum), MAT 130 (3.0 minimum), ENG 131, and MOA 120 must be successfully completed before admission to the program.

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Minimum credits: 79
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grade in BIO 132 or BIO 253 and BIO 254 and MAT 130: 3.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (18 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly
Program courses meet this requirement.

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-8 credits)
Choose one of the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
ENG 249 African-American Literature

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures
Program courses meet this requirement.

RESPIRATORY CARE RELATED REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
MOA 120 Medical Terminology

RESPIRATORY CARE CORE REQUIREMENTS (54 CREDITS)
Take the following:
RES 100 Respiratory Care Techniques I
Vascular Sonography – Associate in Applied Science (VSON.AAS)

A vascular sonographer is a highly skilled allied health professional who performs arterial and venous diagnostic procedures using high frequency sound waves. A vascular sonographer operates a variety of complex diagnostic and monitoring equipment, as well as numerous ancillary devices. The vascular sonographer performs carotid duplex scanning, lower and upper extremity Doppler examinations, venous duplex scans, abdominal vascular exams, evaluates test results, monitors physiological states of the patient, conducts patient education, and maintains accurate records and protocols during and after procedures. A thorough understanding of hemodynamics and pathophysiology is required.

The vascular sonography program is an online program accredited by the Commission for Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) in the United States. It is a program leading to an Associate in Applied Science degree. The curriculum consists of integrated educational and clinical course work with a minimum of 1,152 supervised clinical hours with an approved clinical education affiliate.

The program is designed to prepare the student for employment in the field of vascular sonography. Vascular positions are located within hospitals, medical clinics, and other diagnostic imaging health institutions. Upon successful completion, students are eligible to apply for certification exams through the American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonography and, if successful, use the credentials RVT (Registered Vascular Technologist).

There are special admission requirements to the sonography programs, and it is the student’s responsibility to understand the requirements and adhere to them. Entry into a program is competitive.
and based on a “point system.” Point values are based on grades earned in prerequisite coursework and the interview process.

Applications are processed according to the following:

- Applications must be received by the Allied Health Office by May 31.
- Diagnostic Medical Sonography Admission Committee conducts consultations.
- Students are notified by mail of application consultation results.
- Accepted students begin fall semester.

General education prerequisites and related requirement courses must be completed before admission to the program.

Minimum credits: 75
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum grade in BIO 132 or BIO 253/254, HOC 130 and MOA 120: 3.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (21 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-8 credits)
Choose one of the following:
BIO 132 Human Biology OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
ENG 249  African-American Literature

**GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures**
Program courses meet this requirement.

**VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY RELATED REQUIREMENTS (15 CREDITS)**
Take the following:
DMS 100  Introduction to Diagnostic Imaging
DMS 104  Introduction to Sonographic Instrumentation
HOC 130  Introduction to Health Occupations
MOA 120  Medical Terminology
PHY 145  Introduction to Basic Physics

**VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY CORE REQUIREMENTS (39 CREDITS)**
Take the following:
DMS 107  Sonographic Orientation – Vascular
DMS 151  Peripheral Arterial I
DMS 152  Peripheral Arterial II
DMS 155  Peripheral Venous
DMS 161  Vascular Clinical I
DMS 198  Introduction to Clinical
DMS 206  Sonographic Instrumentation
DMS 251  Cerebrovascular Imaging
DMS 254  Transcranial Doppler Imaging and Capstone
DMS 265  Vascular Clinical II
DMS 266  Vascular Clinical III

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.**

Vascular Sonography – Certificate (VASO.CERT)

*Minimum credits: 55*
*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*
*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*
*Minimum grade in BIO 132 or BIO 253/254, HOC 130 and MOA 120: 3.0*
*Minimum Jackson College credits: 15*

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (11 CREDITS)**
Take the following:
ENG 131  Writing Experience I
MAT 131  Intermediate Algebra or higher level
BIO 132 Human Biology OR
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I AND
BIO 254 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY RELATED REQUIREMENTS (5 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 104 Introduction to Sonographic Instrumentation
PHY 145 Introduction to Basic Physics

VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY CORE REQUIREMENTS (39 CREDITS)
Take the Following:
DMS 107 Sonographic Orientation – Vascular
DMS 151 Peripheral Arterial I
DMS 152 Peripheral Arterial II
DMS 155 Peripheral Venous
DMS 161 Vascular Clinical I
DMS 198 Introduction to Clinical
DMS 206 Sonographic Instrumentation
DMS 251 Cerebrovascular Imaging
DMS 254 Transcranial Doppler Imaging and Capstone
DMS 265 Vascular Clinical II
DMS 266 Vascular Clinical III

Vascular Sonography – Arterial Imaging – Skill Set (VSOA.SSET)
The Vascular Enhancement Skill Set will build upon existing sonography skills and prepare students for employment opportunities. Employment of individuals with an enhanced skill set in lower extremity arterial physiological and duplex imaging is usually through privately run practices (cardiologists) or a hospital-imaging department.

Prerequisite requirements: All students must hold sonography credentials (ARDMS and/or CCI) or a graduate of a CAAHEP-accredited program with one year of clinical education in the general and/or cardiac specialty vascular specialty.

Minimum credits: 5
Minimum grade in all core requirements: 3.0
Minimum grade in related requirements: 4.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 5

VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY ENHANCEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 151 Peripheral Arterial I

VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY RELATED REQUIREMENT (2 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT
First Aid & Healthcare Provider CPR, Proof of Vaccination(s)

Vascular Sonography – Carotid Duplex – Skill Set (VSOC.SSET)
The Vascular Enhancement Skill Set will build upon existing sonography skills and prepare students for employment opportunities. Employment of individuals with an enhanced skill set in carotid duplex imaging is usually through privately run practices (cardiologists) or a hospital imaging department. Prerequisite requirements: All students must hold sonography credentials (ARDMS and/or CCI) or be a graduate of a CAAHEP-accredited program with one year of clinical education in the general and/or cardiac specialty vascular specialty.

Minimum credits: 5
Minimum grade in all core requirements: 3.0
Minimum grade in related requirements: 4.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 5

VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY ENHANCEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 251 Cerebrovascular I

VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY RELATED REQUIREMENT (2 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 162 Vascular Lab Practice

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT
First Aid & Healthcare Provider CPR, Proof of Vaccination(s)

Vascular Sonography – Venous Duplex – Skill Set (VSOV.SSET)
The Vascular Enhancement Skill Set will build upon existing sonography skills and prepare students for employment opportunities. Employment of individuals with a skill set in lower extremity venous duplex-evaluate for obstruction is usually through privately run practices (cardiologists) or a hospital imaging department.

Prerequisite requirements: All students must hold sonography credentials (ARDMS and/or CCI) OR a graduate of a CAAHEP-accredited program with one year of clinical education in the general and/or cardiac specialty vascular specialty.

Minimum credits: 5
Minimum grade in all core requirements: 3.0
Minimum grade in related requirements: 4.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 5

VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY ENHANCEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 155 Peripheral Venous

VASCULAR SONOGRAPHY RELATED REQUIREMENT (2 CREDITS)
Take the following:
DMS 162 Vascular Lab Practice

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT
First Aid & Healthcare Provider CPR, Proof of Vaccination(s)

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HUMAN SERVICES PATHWAY
Do you enjoy helping other people? Are you sympathetic to people in unfortunate situations? Are you friendly, open, understanding and cooperative? Is it important for you to do something that makes things better for other people? Would you enjoy teaching people to improve their lives? Do you like to help friends with problems? This could be your career path!

Those interested in the Human Services Pathway must keep in mind that this field is a very broad one. Through an interdisciplinary knowledge base, this career path is concerned with meeting human needs. The focus is on prevention as well as remediation of problems, with the main goal of improving the overall quality of life for others. Careers in this path are related to economic, political, and social systems. Individuals in the human service field might find themselves in a variety of careers, including psychology, counseling, social work, government, law and law enforcement, or education. Human services careers are perfect for people who are at their best when they are helping others.

DEGREES/CERTIFICATES
• Behavioral Sciences
• Corrections
• Law Enforcement

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Behavioral Sciences Certificate (BHSC.CERT)
This certificate is designed for students who plan to transfer to four-year institutions as psychology majors. Certificate graduates could also find entry-level employment as clinic technicians in human services fields. This coursework also fulfills many general education requirements for the Associate in Arts degree. Students should verify requirements with their transfer institutions.
*To be eligible for Title IV Federal funding, students enrolled in the Behavioral Sciences Certificate should also enroll in the Associate in Arts degree. The Behavioral Sciences Certificate as a stand-alone program is not eligible for Title IV Federal funding (financial aid).

Minimum credits: 25
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131  Writing Experience I
PSY 140  Introduction to Psychology

CORE REQUIREMENTS (18 CREDITS)
Choose one focus, based on transfer or program goals:

PSYCHOLOGY FOCUS:
Choose six of the following:
BIO 132  Human Biology
PSY 144  Introduction to Probability and Statistics for Behavioral Science Research
OR  MAT 133  Introduction to Probability and Statistics
PSY 152  Social Psychology
PSY 161  Introduction to Counseling
PSY 222  Applied Behavior Analysis
PSY 225  Introduction to Group Therapy
PSY 245  Infancy and Childhood
OR  PSY 252  Developmental Psychology
PSY 251  Abnormal Psychology
PSY 290  Human Sexuality
PSY 344  Organizational Psychology

SOCIAL WORK FOCUS:
Take the following:
SOC 231  Principles of Sociology
SOC 236  Women in a Changing Society
SOC 246  Marriage and Family
SOC 152  Social Psychology (cross listed with PSY 152 Social Psychology)
HIS 211  Minority Groups in America
BIO 132  Human Biology

POLITICAL SCIENCE FOCUS:
Take the following:
PLS 141  American National Government
PSL 262  International Relations
HIS 235  20th Century History
HIS 211  Minority Groups in America
Choose two of the following:

ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
HIS 231 Development of the U.S. through the Civil War
HIS 232 Development of the U.S. from the Civil War
SOC 236 Women in a Changing Society

LAW ENFORCEMENT FOCUS:

Take the following:

CRJ 101 Criminal Law
CRJ 111 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRJ 112 Crime & Delinquency
CRJ 114 Police Administration & Operations
CRJ 117 Criminology
CRJ 121 Introduction to Corrections

Corrections – Associate in Applied Science (CORR.AAS)

Corrections officers are charged with safekeeping any person who has been arrested, is awaiting trial or is in a correctional institution. Officers maintain order within the institution, enforce rules and regulations and often supplement counseling that inmates receive from mental health professionals. In addition to being prison/jail guards, corrections officers can work in other related positions, such as juvenile facilities.

Minimum credits: 63
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher
GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
- BIO 110 Introductory Biology
- CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
- GEL 109 Earth Science
- NSC 131 Contemporary Science
- PHY 131 Conceptual Physics

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)
Take the following:
- PLS 141 American National Government

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
- ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
- ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
- HUM 131 Cultural Connections
- MUS 131 Understanding Music

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
- ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
- COM 250 Intercultural Communications
- HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
- PLS 262 International Relations

CORRECTIONS RELATED REQUIREMENTS (16 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems OR
- CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies
- ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing
- PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
- PSY 251 Abnormal Psychology
- SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

CORRECTIONS CORE REQUIREMENTS (15 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- CRJ 119* Client Growth & Development
- CRJ 120* Human Relations for Corrections
- CRJ 121* Introduction to Corrections
- CRJ 124* Institution Populations
- CRJ 127* Corrections Law

CORRECTIONS ELECTIVES (9 CREDITS)
Choose nine credits from the following:
**CRJ 101**  Criminal Law
**CRJ 104**  Criminal Justice Psychology
**CRJ 108**  Criminal Justice Fieldwork – Security
**CRJ 111**  Introduction to Criminal Justice
**CRJ 112**  Crime & Delinquency
**CRJ 117**  Criminology OR
**SOC 117**  Criminology
**CRJ 125**  Parole & Probation
**CRJ 203**  Field Studies

*Recommended for prospective State of Michigan correctional officers. Each corrections course must be completed with a 2.0 to meet the requirement of the Michigan Correctional Officers Training Council “Desired” background for students to be successful in particular courses (this is for courses that do not have specific prerequisites, but desired experience or knowledge) includes a willingness to help others, good interpersonal communication, and critical thinking skills.

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.

Corrections – Certificate (CORR.CERT)
This certificate program offers an opportunity to begin a study of all of the components of corrections. Students will explore institutions, private security, and the general safekeeping of all individuals detained. It provides a starting point to continue with an associate degree or become employed in many sectors. Employment includes prison guards, jail correction officers, juvenile facility youth specialists (both public and private) and private security.

*Minimum credits: 18
*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
*Minimum grade in each course: 2.0
*Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Take the following:
**ENG 131**  Writing Experience I

CORRECTIONS CORE REQUIREMENTS (15 CREDITS)
Take the following:
**CRJ 119**  Client Growth & Development
**CRJ 120**  Human Relations for Corrections
**CRJ 121**  Introduction to Corrections
**CRJ 124**  Institution Populations
**CRJ 127**  Corrections Law
*Recommended for prospective State of Michigan correctional officers. Each corrections course must be completed with a 2.0 to meet the requirement of the Michigan Correctional Officers Training Council.

Corrections Officer – (State Of Michigan)

The information set forth summarizes the requirements of the Michigan Department of Corrections for prospective corrections officers. These requirements, effective October 2000, are for informational purposes only and are subject to change by the Michigan Department of Corrections. Students should contact the Michigan Department of Corrections or the Michigan Department of Civil Service for information regarding its current requirements for correctional officers 517.334.7569 or 1.888.820.7129.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR CORRECTIONS OFFICER

- Minimum requirements: Possession of a high school diploma or GED and a minimum 18 years of age.
- To be eligible for consideration as a corrections officer, certain education and exam requirements must be satisfied. Most applicants must have an educational background that includes at least 15 semester (or 23 term) college credit hours in corrections, criminal justice, psychology, sociology, family relations, guidance and counseling, pastoral counseling, social work or law enforcement. These credits must be earned prior to submitting an application.
- Possession of 30 semester (or 45 term) college credit hours in any academic or degree prerequisite area meets the educational requirements. These credits must be earned prior to submitting an application.
- Any bachelor's degree or two years of satisfactory corrections officer employment at the state or federal prison level fulfills the education requirements. Before being hired, an applicant must pass a physical fitness test given by the Michigan Department of Corrections which consists of completing 13 sit-ups in 30 seconds, 17 push-ups in 60 seconds, and walking up and down steps, ranging up to 11 3/4 inches, for six minutes.
- In addition, an applicant must have acceptable vision, hearing, and general good physical health, and pass a drug screen.*

An individual who has been convicted of a felony or domestic violence cannot be hired. Consideration cannot be given to an applicant who is on misdemeanor probation, has outstanding warrants, or has a controlled substance (drug) related conviction in any jurisdiction, including drug-related military discharges. In addition, an applicant who has been convicted of any other misdemeanor shall not be eligible for employment until one year after satisfactory completion of any sentence imposed, including probation.

How to apply: Applications are available at www.michigan.gov/mdcs. For further information, please call 517.636.0780 or 1.888.820.7129.
Law Enforcement – Associate in Applied Science (LAEN.AAS)

Careers in law enforcement, including police officers and deputy sheriffs, are ever changing. Police officers help prevent crimes, investigate crimes and control traffic. Detectives and special agents gather facts and evidence for criminal cases. In Michigan, students must complete police academy training to be eligible for employment as a police officer. In many cases, police agencies require a minimum of an associate degree for new employees.

Minimum credits: 63
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (26-28 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
ENG 132 Writing Experience II

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
GEL 109 Earth Science
NSC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)
Take the following:
PLS 141 American National Government

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 131 Understanding Music
GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
- ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
- COM 250 Intercultural Communications
- HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
- PLS 262 International Relations

LAW ENFORCEMENT RELATED REQUIREMENTS (16 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems OR CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies
- ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing
- PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
- PSY 251 Abnormal Psychology
- SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

LAW ENFORCEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- CRJ 101 Criminal Law
- CRJ 111 Introduction to Criminal Justice
- CRJ 114 Police Administration & Operations
- CRJ 117 Criminology OR SOC 117 Criminology

LAW ENFORCEMENT ELECTIVES (9 CREDITS)
Choose 9 credits from the following:
- CRJ 102 Criminal Investigation
- CRJ 104 Criminal Justice Psychology
- CRJ 108 Criminal Justice Fieldwork – Security
- CRJ 112 Crime & Delinquency
- CRJ 113 Introduction to Criminalistics
- CRJ 116 Fire Investigation I
- CRJ 121 Introduction to Corrections
- CRJ 203 Field Studies

**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.

Law Enforcement – Certificate (LAEN.CERT)
A certificate in law enforcement offers individuals an opportunity to pursue initial study in their areas of interest. Credits earned may be applied toward an associate degree.
Minimum credits: 35
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (17 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- ENG 131 Writing Experience I
- ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing
- MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher
- PLS 141 American National Government
- PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

LAW ENFORCEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (18 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- CRJ 101 Criminal Law
- CRJ 121 Introduction to Corrections
- CRJ 111 Introduction to Criminal Justice
- CRJ 112 Crime & Delinquency
- CRJ 114 Police Administration & Operations
- CRJ 117 Criminology OR
- SOC 117 Criminology

Criminal Justice – Bachelor’s Degree Option with Siena Heights University
Students can work with staff from Jackson College and Siena Heights University to earn a Bachelor of Arts degree in criminal justice. Tailored to build on the associate degrees in law enforcement or corrections, students can transfer up to 90 credits from Jackson College and complete at least 30 hours credit from Siena Heights with a minimum of 18 hours of criminal justice classes. All the courses for the bachelor’s degree in criminal justice are available at the Central Campus through the Siena Heights University degree completion center.

Criminal Justice – Bachelor’s Degree Option with Ferris State University
Students can work with staff from Jackson College and Ferris State University to earn a Bachelor of Science degree in criminal justice/law enforcement. Students may complete their associate degree in law enforcement from Jackson College, and then continue their third year with several Ferris State courses taught on the JC Campus. The final year would be a transfer to Ferris State in Big Rapids to complete their bachelor’s degree, which includes a police academy program. Students would graduate with a Bachelor of Science Degree and a MCOLES certification. (Michigan Commission on Law
Enforcement Standards) The MCOLES certification qualifies the student to work as a law enforcement officer in the State of Michigan.

LIBERAL ARTS PATHWAY

Careers in the Liberal Arts Pathway are related to the humanities and performing, visual, literary, and media arts. These include 3-D design and animation, art, broadcasting, communication, dance, digital photography, English (journalism, writing and literature), film, graphic design, history, music, pre-law, and world languages.

Are you a creative thinker? Are you imaginative, innovative and original? Do you like to communicate ideas? Do you like making crafts, drawing, playing a musical instrument, taking photos or writing stories? This may be the career path for you!

Students entering the Liberal Arts Pathway can complete these associate degrees:
- Associate in Applied Science - Graphic Design
- Associate in Arts
- Associate in General Studies

Students entering the Liberal Arts Pathway can complete certificates in:
- 3-D Design & Animation
- Digital Photography
- Graphic Design
- Studio Art

Students in the Liberal Arts Pathway frequently complete their associate degree and then transfer to a four-year college or university to continue their academic degree in their major or program of study. Deciding upon a transfer institution, early on in the Liberal Arts Pathway, will help ensure that requirements are met and that the correct sequence of courses is taken for a smooth transfer.

3D Design and Animation – Certificate (DDDA.CERT)

Along with the film industry, the gaming production industry is one of the fastest growing markets to begin your career as a digital artist. Traditional hands-on skills and appreciation for the virtual and digital realms are highly desirable. Artists who want experience with challenging creative work that is action-packed, collaborative and exhilarating should inquire here.

Minimum credits: 33
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

RELATED REQUIREMENTS (12-15 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ART 103 Drawing I: Foundations
ART 205 Drawing II: Figure & Composition

Choose 6-9 credits from the following:
CIS 131 Methods in 3-D Prototyping
CIS 137 Digital Photography I
CIS 143 HTML
CIS 170 Programming in C++
ENT 101 Entrepreneurship: Creating Your Own Job

CORE REQUIREMENTS (21 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems
CIS 132 Graphic Illustration
CIS 134 Graphic Imaging
CIS 171 3-D Modeling I
CIS 172 Lighting & Texturing
CIS 173 Animation

Associate in Arts (ARTS.AA)
This degree is designed for students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a bachelor’s degree. It is selected by students planning to pursue a career in such fields as the arts, business, creative writing, criminal justice, economics, education, history, interdisciplinary humanities, literature, philosophy, political science, psychology, social work, speech communication and world languages.

Bachelor of Arts degrees in subject areas vary from one college or university to another. Prior to beginning a curriculum, students should contact the transfer institutions that interest them and a Jackson College student success navigator to create a pathway map toward their degree.
NOTE: Only courses with a 2.0 or better transfer to most four-year colleges and universities. To complete the Michigan Transfer Agreement, students must plan their courses carefully. Completion of the Associate in Arts degree does NOT guarantee the Michigan Transfer Agreement designation.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (40-45 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
Choose one of the following:
ENG 132 Writing Experience II
ENG 201 Advanced Composition

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communications Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4-5 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (7-9 credits)
Choose two of the following from two different disciplines; at least one must be a laboratory science course:
Non-laboratory Science Courses:
BIO 140 Public Health and Disease
PHY 150 Concepts in Astronomy
Lab Science Courses:
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
BIO 132 Human Biology
BIO 158 Environmental Science
BIO 161 General Biology I
BIO 162 General Biology II
BIO 220 Microbiology
BIO 231 General Botany
BIO 232 General Zoology
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
CEM 141 General Chemistry I
GEL 109 Earth Science
GEL 160 Introduction to Geology
NSC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics
PHY 151 Astronomy
PHY 231 College Physics I
PHY 251 Modern University Physics I

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (6 credits)
Choose two of the following from two different disciplines:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
HIS 120 Ancient History
HIS 131 Western Civilization to 1555
HIS 132 Western Civilization 1555 to Present
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**GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (6 credits)**

Choose two of the following from two different disciplines:

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**GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**

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PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS
Additional courses** must be taken so that total degree equals 60 credits. Visit a student success navigator to obtain a guide sheet and/or to discuss requirements for your selected program of study. Students are encouraged to choose courses that transfer as equivalent credit to four-year colleges and universities. Students are responsible to verify that courses taken meet the requirements for their chosen program of study.

** Courses identified as remedial or developmental cannot be used as credits toward degrees or certificates. These courses currently include: CIS 090, 095; ENG 080, 085, 090, 101, 102, 109, 110; MAT 019, 020, 030, 031, 033, 035; MTH 090, 095, 098, 100, and 110; and, MTT 009. Additional courses excluded from credits toward degrees and certificates are continuing education courses (prefix CCE, CED, CEU, CFO, CJT, CSS, ESL, LTL) and courses offered through JC’s workforce training programs (prefixes JTI, PDI).

Associate in General Studies (GEST.AGS)
This degree is an interdisciplinary program adapted to a student’s needs, interests and capabilities.

NOTE: Only courses with a 2.0 or better transfer to most four-year colleges and universities. If students want to complete the Michigan Transfer Agreement, they need to plan their courses carefully. Completion of the Associate in General Studies degree does not guarantee the Michigan Transfer Agreement designation.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (35-42 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
Choose one of the following:
ENG 132 Writing Experience II
ENG 201 Advanced Composition
ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4-5 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)
Choose one of the following:
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
BIO 132 Human Biology
BIO 158 Environmental Science
BIO 161 General Biology I
BIO 162 General Biology II
BIO 220 Microbiology
BIO 231 General Botany
BIO 232 General Zoology
BIO 253 Human Anatomy and Physiology I
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
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GEL 109 Earth Science
GEL 160 Introduction to Geology
NSC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics
PHY 151 Astronomy
PHY 231 College Physics I
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GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)
Choose one of the following:
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SOC 152 Social Psychology
SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112  Art History: Renaissance to Present
ENG 210  Introduction to Film
ENG 242  Sports in Film and Literature
ENG 246  Short Story & Novel
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ENG 255  American Literature – 19th Century
ENG 256  American Literature – 20th Century
HUM 131  Cultural Connections
MUS 131  Understanding Music
THR 116  Introduction to Theatre

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ANT 131  Cultural Anthropology
ENG 236  Women in Changing Society
ENG 242  Sports in Literature and Film
ENG 249  African-American Literature
ENG 257  World Literature
FRN 131  French I or higher
GEO 132  World Regions
GER 131  German I or higher
HIS 125  African-American History
HIS 211  Minority Groups in America
HUM 131  Cultural Connections
PHL 243  World Religions
PLS 262  International Relations
MUS 130  Music of Non-Western Cultures
SOC 236  Women in Changing Society
SOC 246  Marriage and Family
SPN 131  Spanish I or higher

ADDITIONAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Choose at least 6 credit hours from two of the following four areas: Natural Science, Social Science, Humanities, and Diversity.

NATURAL SCIENCE
Must be a different course than taken for GEO 4.

Non-laboratory Science Courses:
BIO 140  Public Health and Disease
PHY 150  Concepts in Astronomy

Lab Science Courses:
BIO 110  Introductory Biology
BIO 132  Human Biology
BIO 158  Environmental Science
BIO 161  General Biology I
BIO 162  General Biology II
BIO 220  Microbiology
**BIO 231**  General Botany
**BIO 232**  General Zoology
**BIO 253**  Human Anatomy and Physiology I
**CEM 131**  Fundamentals of Chemistry
**CEM 141**  General Chemistry I
**GEL 109**  Earth Science
**GEL 160**  Introduction to Geology
**NSC 131**  Contemporary Science
**PHY 131**  Conceptual Physics
**PHY 151**  Astronomy
**PHY 231**  College Physics I
**PHY 251**  Modern University Physics I

**SOCIAL SCIENCE**

**HUMANITIES**

*Must be a different course than taken for GEO 6.*

**ART 111**  Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
**ART 112**  Art History: Ren. to Present
**ENG 210**  Introduction to Film
**ENG 242**  Sports in Film and Literature
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**DIVERSITY**

*Must be a different course than taken for GEO 7.*

**ANT 131**  Cultural Anthropology
**ENG 236**  Women in Changing Society
**ENG 242**  Sports in Literature and Film
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**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

Additional courses** so that total degree equals 60 credits.

Plan to see an academic advisor to discuss requirements for your selected program of study.

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Additional courses excluded from credits toward degrees and certificates are continuing education courses (prefix CCE, CED, CEU, CFO, CJT, CSS, ESL, LTL) and courses offered through Jackson College’s workforce training programs (prefixes JTI, PDI).

Digital Photography – Certificate (DIPH.CERT)
The Digital Photography Certificate will provide students with the foundational skills to expand their photography portfolio and help them develop skills needed to apply to a fine arts degree program or a career in the field.

Typical job opportunities are: sports photographer, school photographer, news photographer, and advertising work, small business owner in photography, designer, illustrator, magazine/catalog photographer, portrait photographer or photo lab technician.

Minimum credits: 31
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY CORE REQUIREMENTS (15 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ART 101 Two-Dimensional Design
ART 137 Digital Photography I OR
CIS 137 Digital Photography I
ART 237 Digital Photography II OR
CIS 237 Digital Photography II
CIS 134 Graphic Imaging
CIS 136 Integrated Design

ELECTIVES (6 CREDITS)
Choose two of the following:
ART 103 Drawing I: Foundations
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
ART 240 Printmaking
BUA 100 Contemporary Business
BUA 230 Principles of Marketing
ENT 101 Entrepreneurship: Creating Your Own Job
Graphic Design – Associate in Applied Science (GRDE.AAS)

The graphic design program prepares students for entry-level positions in design organizations. Graphic design graduates find employment in a variety of settings including the publication and printing industries, advertising and marketing organizations, and graphic design department of corporations, government agencies and retailers.

Minimum credits: 65
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
GEL 109 Earth Science
NSC 131 Contemporary Science

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
PLS 141 American National Government
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
PSY 152 Social Psychology
SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
ENG 210 Introduction to Film
MUS 132 History of American Popular Music
GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3 credits)**

Choose one of the following:
- ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
- COM 250 Intercultural Communications
- HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
- HUM 131 Cultural Connections
- PLS 262 International Relations

GRAPHIC DESIGN RELATED REQUIREMENTS (9 CREDITS)

Choose one of the following:
- ART 101 Two-Dimensional Design
- ART 103 Drawing
- ART 152 Painting & Composition

Choose six (6) credits from the following:
- BUA 122 Successful Small Business
- BUA 231 Advertising, Promotion and Public Relations
- CIS 131 Methods in 3-D Prototyping
- CIS 133 Brand Identity Design
- CIS 137 Digital Photography I
- CIS 138 Image Editing Apps
- ENT 101 Entrepreneurship: Creating Your Own Job

GRAPHIC DESIGN CORE REQUIREMENTS (33 CREDITS)

Take the following:
- CIS 126 Digital Design Fundamentals
- CIS 127 Introduction to Creative Software (Adobe® Creative Cloud)
- CIS 128 Typography & Layout
- CIS 132 Graphic Illustration (Adobe® Illustrator®)
- CIS 134 Graphic Imaging (Adobe® Photoshop®)
- CIS 135 Open Source Web
- CIS 136 Integrated Design I (Adobe® InDesign®)
- CIS 173 Animation I
- CIS 230 Practicum in Printing
- CIS 234 Graphic Technology Applications
- CIS 245 Internship/Externship

Graphic Design – Certificate (GRDE.CERT)

The process of graphic design uses art and technology for the visual organization of information. The intent is to connect with a specific audience to communicate or expose ideas.

This program allows for an understanding of the practical application of graphic design, as it exists in both digital and print environments in the industry today. Career opportunities include freelance
designer, editorial/publication designer, corporate identity designer, package designer, environmental
designer and type designer.

Minimum credits: 35
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131  Writing Experience I
MAT 130  Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GRAPHIC DESIGN CORE REQUIREMENTS (25 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 126  Digital Design Fundamentals
CIS 127  Introduction to Creative Software (Adobe® Creative Cloud)
CIS 128  Typography & Layout
CIS 132  Graphic Illustration (Adobe® Illustrator®)
CIS 134  Graphic Imaging (Adobe® Photoshop®)
CIS 136  Integrated Design I (Adobe® InDesign®)
CIS 230  Practicum in Printing
CIS 234  Graphic Technology Applications

GRAPHIC DESIGN RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Choose 3 credits from the following:
ART 101  Two-Dimensional Design OR
ART 103  Drawing OR
ART 152  Painting & Composition
CIS 131  Methods in 3D Prototyping
CIS 133  Brand Identity Design
CIS 138  Image Editing Applications
CIS 137  Digital Photography I OR
ART 137  Digital Photography I
BUA 231  Advertising, Promotion & Public Relations OR
ENT 101  Entrepreneurship: Creating Your Own Job OR
BUA 122  Successful Small Business

Graphic Design – Skill Set (GRDE.SSET)
With a skill set in graphic design, students learn the minimal computer skills necessary to assist in digital
page layout and design for growing opportunities in advertising or the corporate design field.

Minimum credits: 12
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 12

REQUIRED COURSES (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 127   Introduction to Creative Software (Adobe® Creative Cloud)
CIS 132   Graphic Illustration (Adobe® Illustrator®)
CIS 134   Graphic Imaging (Adobe® Photoshop®)
CIS 136   Integrated Design I (Adobe® InDesign®)

Studio Art – Certificate (STAR.CERT)
The Studio Art Certificate provides students with the foundational skills to expand their portfolio and helps equip them for application to fine arts degree programs or a career in the arts. The curriculum encourages individual creativity and expression while emphasizing the development of basic studio skills.

Typical job opportunities are advertising artist, art consultant, artist, auto detailer/pin-stripper, billboard artist, calligrapher, cartoonist, CD/record cover designer, courtroom sketcher, decorator, display designer, fashion artist/designer, graphic designer, illustrator, magazine/catalog illustration, mural artist, publication design and tattoo artist. This program also consists of the foundational courses needed for an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 31
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
COM 231   Communication Fundamentals
ENG 131   Writing Experience I
MAT 130   Quantitative Reasoning or higher

STUDIO ART CORE REQUIREMENTS (15 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ART 101   Two-Dimensional Design
ART 103   Drawing I: Foundations
ART 112   Art History: Renaissance to Present
ART 121   Ceramics I
ART 201   Three-Dimensional Design

ELECTIVES (6 CREDITS)
Choose two of the following:
ART 111   Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING and MATHEMATICS PATHWAY

Are you interested in how things are built and how they work? Whether looking at people, animals, plants, machines, buildings, the earth or the universe, students in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics Pathway (STEM) have an interest in understanding how the world works. And with our rapidly improving technologies, there are always new boundaries to push and new things to learn. As a result, technologies we can barely dream of today will be the reality 10 years from now, and STEM students will be on the leading edge of those changes.

How can this interest be turned into a career? The possibilities are endless:

- Some will use their knowledge and skills to improve the lives of others through medical care.
- Some will use statistical analysis to make better business decisions or understand disease outbreaks.
- Some will be fascinated by the idea of designing the next breakthrough car, building or bridge.
- Some will design robots to find earthquake survivors or mine minerals on asteroids.
- Some will discover more efficient ways to break down crude oil after a pipeline leak.
- Some will focus on “pure science,” increasing the knowledge base for the next generation.
- And thousands of other possible futures for STEM students await!

At Jackson College, students in the STEM pathway can choose any of the four areas to follow, eventually leading to an Associate in Science, and Associate in Applied Science (or Certificate) in Environmental Science, a Pre-Professional Studies Certificate or a Fundamentals of Engineering Certificate.

Most STEM students will then transfer to a four-year college or university to earn a bachelor’s degree and may continue for a specialty master’s or doctoral degree depending on their interest area.

Examples of topics of study and careers for the various STEM areas:

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Exercise Science
Genetic Counseling
Kinesiology
Occupational Therapy
Pharmacist
Physical Therapy
Physician
Public Health
Speech Pathology
Veterinarian

Technology
Computer Engineering
Cyber Security
Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
Information Technology
Prosthetics
Robotics

Associate in Science (SCIE.AS)
This degree is designed for students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a bachelor’s degree. It is selected by students planning to pursue a career in engineering, medicine, health sciences and other science-related professions.

NOTE: Only courses with a 2.0 or better transfer to most four-year colleges and universities. To complete the Michigan Transfer Agreement, students must carefully plan their courses. Completion of the Associate in Science degree does NOT guarantee the Michigan Transfer Agreement designation.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (26-30 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

Choose one of the following:
ENG 132 Writing Experience II
ENG 201 Advanced Composition
GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)  
**Take the following:**  
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4-5 credits)  
**Choose one of the following:**  
MAT 141 Pre-Calculus  
MAT 151 Calculus  
MAT 154 Calculus II

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)  
**Choose one of the following:**  
BIO 110 Introductory to Biology  
BIO 132 Human Biology  
BIO 158 Environmental Science  
BIO 161 General Biology I  
BIO 162 General Biology II  
BIO 231 General Botany  
BIO 232 General Zoology  
BIO 220 Microbiology  
CEM 141 General Chemistry I  
GEL 109 Earth Science  
GEL 160 Introduction to Geology  
PHY 151 Astronomy  
PHY 231 College Physics I  
PHY 251 Modern University Physics I

GEO 5: Understanding human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)  
**Choose one of the following:**  
ECN 231 Macroeconomics  
ECN 232 Microeconomics  
HIS 131 Western Civilization to 1555  
HIS 132 Western Civilization 1555 to Present  
HIS 231 Development of the US through the Civil War  
HIS 232 Development of the US from the Civil War  
HIS 235 20th Century History  
PLS 141 American National Government  
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology  
SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)  
**Choose one of the following:**  
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**NATURAL SCIENCE (16 CREDITS)**

(At least one course must be from a different discipline than taken in GEO 4.)

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**PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

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Additional courses excluded from credits toward degrees and certificates are continuing education courses (prefix CCE, CED, CEU, CFO, CJT, CSS, ESL, LTL) and courses offered through Jackson College’s workforce training programs (prefixes JTI, PDI).

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**Environmental Science – Associate in Applied Science (ENSC.AAS)**

The Environmental Science Associate Degree prepares students to transfer to, or enroll in, four-year institutions as science majors. People that enter the environmental sciences can expect positions in water quality testing; ecological testing; laboratory science; natural resources and conservation; environmental engineering; renewable energy; outdoor and environmental education; environmental law, policy and regulation; environmental advocacy; international environmental science; environmental science in higher education, environmental management and administration; public relations and communications.

*Minimum credits: 60*
*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*
*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*
*Minimum Jackson College credits: 15*
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (26-29 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
Choose one of the following:
ENG 132 Writing Experience II
ENG 201 Advanced Composition
ENG 232 Technical & Business Writing

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communications

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4-5 credits)
Choose one of the following:
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics
MAT 141 Pre-Calculus
MAT 151 Calculus I
MAT 154 Calculus II

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
BIO 158 Environmental Science

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
HIS 131 Western Civilization to 1555
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GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
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GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)

Choose one of the following:
ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
ENG 236 Women in Changing Society
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ENG 257 World Literature
FRN 131 French I or higher
GEO 132 World Regions
GER 131 German I or higher
HIS 125 African-American History
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 130 Music of Non-Western Cultures
PHL 243 World Religions
PLS 262 International Relations
SOC 236 Women in Changing Society
SPN 131 Spanish I or higher

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE CORE REQUIREMENTS (23-26 CREDITS)

Take the following (8 credits):
BIO 258 Field Ecology
PHL 236 Ethics

Choose two of the following, depending on professional goals or transfer institution requirements:
BIO 220 Microbiology
BIO 231 General Botany
BIO 232 General Zoology
GEL 109 Earth Science
GEL 160 Introduction to Geology
GEO 131 Physical Geography

Choose two from the following, depending on professional goals or transfer institution requirements:
BIO 161 General Biology I
BIO 162 General Biology II
CEM 141 General Chemistry I
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE ELECTIVES (5-11 credits)

Choose from the following:

ALT 200  Principles of Alternative Energy
ART 103  Drawing I
ART 205  Drawing II
ART 121  Ceramics I
ART 152  Painting I: Design & Color
ART 240  Printmaking
BUA 121  Leadership
CIS 137  Digital Photography I OR
       ART 137  Digital Photography I
CIS 237  Digital Photography II OR
       ART 237  Digital Photography II
CIS 201  Advanced Information Technologies
COM 233  Argumentation & Debate
ECN 231  Macroeconomics
ECN 232  Microeconomics
EDU 100  Pre-teaching Pathway
EDU 221  Exploring Teaching
EGR 153  Engineering Drawing
HOC 110  Advanced First Aid & American Heart CPR
ENG 261  Creative Writing
MAT 251  Calculus III
PHL 232  Logic
PHL 243  World Religions
STM 101  Sustainability

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Environmental Science – Certificate (ENSC.CERT)

The Environmental Science Certificate prepares students to transfer to, or enroll in, four-year institutions as environmental science majors. The certificate fulfills most of the first-year academic entrance requirements for science programs. Certificate graduates could also find employment as laboratory technicians. While students should verify information with their transfer institutions, these students are advised by science faculty members according to their specific program goals for the best transfer to their four-year institutions or preparation for employment.

Minimum credits: 34
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (10-11 CREDITS)

Take the following:

ENG 131  Writing Experience
MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra or higher

Choose one of the following, depending on professional goals or transfer institution requirements:

- PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
- PHL 232 Logic
- ECN 231 Microeconomics
- ECN 232 Macroeconomics
- PLS 141 American National Government
- COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
- COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
- GEO 131 Physical Geography
- STM 101 Sustainability

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE CORE REQUIREMENTS (23-24 CREDITS)

Take the following:
- BIO 158 Environmental Science
- BIO 258 Field Ecology
- PHL 236 Ethics

Choose two of the following, depending on professional goals or transfer institution requirements:

- GEL 109 Earth Science OR
- GEL 160 Introduction to Geology
- BIO 231 General Botany OR
- BIO 232 General Zoology

Choose one of the following, depending on professional goals or transfer institution requirements:

- BIO 161 General Biology I
- BIO 162 General Biology II
- CEM 141 General Chemistry
- PHY 231 College Physics

Fundamentals of Engineering – Certificate (FUEN.CERT)

The Fundamentals of Engineering Certificate prepares students to transfer to, or enroll in, four-year institutions as engineering majors. The certificate fulfills many of the first two years of academic requirements for engineering programs. Certificate graduates could also find employment as engineering technicians. While students should verify information with their transfer institutions, these students are advised by mathematics and engineering faculty members according to their specific program goals for the best transfer options.

Minimum credits: 32
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

FUNDAMENTALS OF ENGINEERING CORE REQUIREMENTS (32 CREDITS)

Take the following:
Pre-Professional Science – Certificate (PPSC.CERT)

The Pre-Professional Science Certificate prepares students to transfer to four-year institutions either as science majors or as pre-professional students (pre-vet, pre-med, pre-dental, physical and occupational therapy, optometry, pharmacy, physician’s assistant, etc.). Certificate graduates could also find employment as laboratory technicians. The certificate fulfills most of the first-year academic entrance requirements for pre-professional programs. Students should verify information with their transfer institutions.

Minimum credits: 30
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (10-12 CREDITS)

Take the following:
- ENG 131 Writing Experience I

Choose one of the following:
- MAT 141 Pre-Calculus
- MAT 151 Calculus I

Choose one of the following:
- COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
- COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
- ECN 231 Macroeconomics
- ECN 232 Microeconomics
- PHL 232 Logic
- PLS 141 American National Government
- PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
- SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

PRE-PROFESSIONAL SCIENCE CORE REQUIREMENTS (20 CREDITS)

Choose four of the following:
- BIO 161 General Biology I
- BIO 162 General Biology II
- CEM 141 General Chemistry I
- CEM 142 General Chemistry II
- MAT 133 Statistics
MAT 151  Calculus I OR
MAT 154  Calculus II
PHY 231  College Physics I OR
PHY 251  Modern University Physics I

Choose one of the following:
BIO 231  General Botany
BIO 232  General Zoology
BIO 253  Human Anatomy and Physiology I
BIO 254  Human Anatomy and Physiology II
BIO 220  Microbiology
CEM 241  Organic Chemistry I

SKILLED TRADES and AGRICULTURE PATHWAY

Do you like to work with your hands? Do you enjoy figuring out how things work and fixing problems? There is high demand for all technical trades that involve specialized skills and creative thinking. The Skilled Trades and Agriculture Pathway helps prepare you for these high demand jobs. This pathway includes careers in electrical technology, manufacturing, automotive service, energy systems, agriculture and aviation. Every student in these careers begins with the same basic set of skills and problem-solving curriculum. From learning to read prints and schematics to machining a special part, calculating the cost-savings of a new technology, repairing the latest vehicles, flying aircraft, to determining the proper GPS coordinates for crop planning, Skilled Trades and Agriculture covers it all.

DEGREES/CERTIFICATES:
- Agriculture Technology
- Advanced Manufacturing
- Alternative Energy
- Automotive Service Technology
- Aviation Technology
- Electrician
- Electronic Technology/ELT
- Electronic Technology/Microcomputer Support

Advanced Manufacturing – Industrial Systems – Certificate (ISAM.CERT)
The Advanced Manufacturing - Industrial Systems - Certificate prepares students for careers in the manufacturing field. Students that enter this field can expect employment in the areas and job titles such as: welding, mechanical design, production management, process management, project management, system technicians, machinery repair, maintenance technicians, and machine tool design.

Minimum credits: 33
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

PROGRAM CORE REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
MFG 105 Blueprint Reading
MFG 164 Basic Fabrication
WLD 100 Fundamentals of Welding

INDUSTRIAL SYSTEMS FOCUS (16 credits)
Take the following:
ELT 105 Introduction to Electrical Systems
ELT 220 Automation and Controls
MFG 170 Hydraulics and Pneumatics
MFG 185 Maintenance and Troubleshooting
MFG 190 Drive Components and Bearings

Advanced Manufacturing – Industrial Systems – Skill Set (ISAM.SSET)
The Advanced Manufacturing - Industrial Systems - Skill Set prepares students for introductory careers in the manufacturing field. Students that enter this field can expect employment in the areas and job titles such as: welding, mechanical design, production management, process management, project management, system technicians, machinery repair, maintenance technicians, and machine tool design.

Minimum credits: 14
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 14

Complete the following courses for the selected skill sets. In order to complete a skill set a student must show competency in MAT 020 and ENG 085. MFG 105 has MAT 020 level math embedded in the coursework. Students that have not placed at a MAT 020 competency level will have the opportunity to take the placement test again after completing MFG 105.

REQUIRED COURSES (14 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ELT 105 Introduction to Electrical Systems
MFG 105 Blueprint Reading
MFG 170 Hydraulics and Pneumatics
MFG 185 Maintenance and Troubleshooting
Advanced Manufacturing – Manufacturing Design – Certificate (MDAM.CERT)

The Advanced Manufacturing - Manufacturing Design - Certificate prepares students for careers in the manufacturing field. Students that enter this field can expect employment in the areas and job titles such as: welding, mechanical design, production management, process management, project management, system technicians, machinery repair, maintenance technicians, and machine tool design.

Minimum credits: 31
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

PROGRAM CORE REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
MFG 105 Blueprint Reading
MFG 164 Basic Fabrication
WLD 100 Fundamentals of Welding

MANUFACTURING DESIGN FOCUS (14 credits)
Take the following:
CAD 151 Introduction to Computer-Aided Design
CAD 251 Advanced CAD
MFG 115 Geometric Dimensioning and Tolerancing
MFG 160 Metallurgy
MFG 261 Strength of Materials for Manufacturing

Advanced Manufacturing – Manufacturing Design – Skill Set (MDAM.SSET)

The Advanced Manufacturing - Manufacturing Design - Skill Set prepares students for introductory careers in the manufacturing field. Students that enter this field can expect employment in the areas and job titles such as: welding, mechanical design, production management, process management, project management, system technicians, machinery repair, maintenance technicians, and machine tool design.

Minimum credits: 13
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 13

Complete the following courses for the selected skill sets. In order to complete a skill set a student must show competency in MAT 020 and ENG 085. MFG 105 has MAT 020 level math embedded in the coursework. Students that have not placed at a MAT 020 competency level will have the opportunity to take the placement test again after completing MFG 105.

REQUIRED COURSES (13 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- CAD 151 Introduction to Computer Aided Design
- CAD 251 Advanced CAD
- MFG 105 Blueprint Reading
- MFG 115 Geometric Dimensioning and Tolerancing

Choose one of the following:
- ELT 220 Automation and Controls
- MFG 164 Basic Fabrication

Advanced Manufacturing – Welding – Certificate (WLAM.CERT)
The Advanced Manufacturing - Welding - Certificate prepares students for careers in the manufacturing field. Students that enter this field can expect employment in the areas and job titles such as: welding, mechanical design, production management, process management, project management, system technicians, machinery repair, maintenance technicians, and machine tool design.

Minimum credits: 31
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- ENG 131 Writing Experience I
- MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

PROGRAM CORE REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
- MFG 105 Blueprint Reading
- MFG 164 Basic Fabrication
- WLD 100 Fundamentals of Welding

WELDING FOCUS (14 credits)
Take the following:
- CAD 151 Introduction to Computer-Aided Design
Advanced Manufacturing – Welding – Skill Set (WLAM.SSET)

The Advanced Manufacturing - Welding - Skill Set program prepares students for introductory careers in the manufacturing field. Students that enter this field can expect employment in the areas and job titles such as welding, mechanical design, production management, process management, project management, system technicians, machinery repair, maintenance technicians, and machine tool design.

Minimum credits: 13
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 13

Complete the following courses for the selected skill sets. In order to complete a skill set a student must show competency in MAT 020 and ENG 085. MFG 105 has MAT 020 level math embedded in the coursework. Students that have not placed at a MAT 020 competency level will have the opportunity to take the placement test again after completing MFG 105.

REQUIRED COURSES (13 CREDITS)

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Agriculture Technology – Associate in Applied Science (AGTE.AAS)

The Agriculture Technology Associate in Applied Science program prepares students for careers in skilled agricultural and agri-business areas. This degree will provide students with the diverse skill set necessary to work competently within the various sectors of the agri-food industry, including agricultural production (plant or livestock), precision farming, agribusiness and finance, sales management, soil or other conservation management, and food processing.

This degree is designed for students who seek employment in agriculture and agribusiness industries upon graduation from Jackson College. This program of study is not intended for those seeking a four-year or advanced degree in agriculture, natural resources or the natural sciences.

Those wishing to transfer to a four-year institution should pursue the Associate of Science degree, following the Agriculture Transfer program map.
Minimum credits: 62
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (27-28 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Choose one of the following:
COM 250 Intercultural Communications (Preferred)
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (8 credits)
Take the following:
AGT 131 Introduction to Crop and Soil Science
NSC 120 Fundamentals of Agricultural Science

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3 credits)**
Take the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to the Present
MUS 131 Understanding Music

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
GEO 132 World Regions
PLS 262 International Relations
SPN 131 Spanish I (or higher)

RELATED REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ACC 216 Financial Accounting Concepts
BUA 220 Principles of Management
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**AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY CORE REQUIREMENTS (22 CREDITS)**

**Take the following:**
- AGT 111 Agricultural and Bio Safety
- AGT 113 Introduction to Food Systems
- AGT 201 Integrated Pest Management
- AGT 209 Introduction to Precision Farming
- AGT 212 Agricultural Policy and Practices
- AGT 227 Introduction to Animal Science
- AGT 231 Agricultural Finance
- AGT 245 Agricultural Internship
- STM 101 Introduction to Sustainability

**Automotive Service Technology – Certificate (AUTO.CERT)**

Designed for the student preparing for a career in the automotive field. Classroom activities provide students an opportunity to learn theory and test-taking skills to successfully pass Michigan and/or ASE certification examinations. Shop activities provide students an opportunity to become proficient in testing, diagnosing and servicing the various systems of the automobile. All eight areas of an automotive certification are thoroughly covered, and when combined with general and related courses, lead to an Associate in Applied Science degree.

*Minimum credits: 49*

*Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0*

*Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0*

*Minimum Jackson College credits: 15*

*Minimum AUT credits: 12*

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)**

**Take the following:**
- ENG 131 Writing Experience I
- MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

**AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE TECHNOLOGY CORE REQUIREMENTS (42 CREDITS)**

**Take the following:**
- AUT 101 General Service
- AUT 102 Engine Performance I
- AUT 103 Engine Performance II
- AUT 105 Automotive Brakes
- AUT 106 Suspension & Steering
Automotive Service Technology - Heavy Duty Truck – Certificate (ASTH.CERT)

Designed for the student preparing for a career in the automotive field. Classroom activities provide students an opportunity to learn theory and test-taking skills to successfully pass Michigan and/or ASE certification examinations. Shop activities provide students an opportunity to become proficient in testing, diagnosing and servicing the various heavy-duty technologies.

Minimum credits: 51
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15
Minimum AUT credits: 12

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

HEAVY DUTY TRUCK CORE REQUIREMENTS (44 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 101 General Service
AUT 102 Engine Performance I
AUT 103 Engine Performance II
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II
AUT 118 Diesel Fundamentals
AUT 210 Internship/Externship
AUT 248 Diesel Performance
AUT 251 Heavy Duty Brakes
AUT 263 Heavy Duty Suspension and Steering
AUT 268 Heavy Duty Heating and Air Conditioning
ELT 105 Introduction to Electrical Systems
MFG 170 Hydraulics/Pneumatics
WLD 100 Fundamentals of Welding OR
AUT 234 Undercar Service
Automotive – Air Conditioning & Heating - Skill Set (ACAH.SSET)
This foundational skill set focuses heating and cooling systems so that students have the basic understanding and knowledge to diagnose and repair air conditioning and heating systems. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive coursework in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 9
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 9

REQUIRED COURSES (9 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 108 Automotive Air Conditioning/Heating
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II

Collision Mechanical & Electrical – Concentration (COME.CON)
Students will be exposed to various automotive processes including electrical systems, mechanical repairs, and general diagnosis. Students will apply learned skills to collision-related repairs. This concentration prepares students for entry-level positions within a collision repair facility.

Minimum credits: 24
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (24 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 102 Engine Performance I
AUT 103 Engine Performance II
AUT 105 Braking Systems
AUT 106 Steering & Suspension
AUT 108 Air Conditioning & Heating
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II
AUT 204 Manual Transmissions & Drivelines
Automotive – Driveability - Concentration (DRAB.CON)

Students will be exposed to procedures of engine performance and diagnosis of the internal combustion engine. Students will learn how to make a logical diagnosis based on vehicle operation. Focus will be on the correct use of specifications, equipment, and interpretation of test results. This concentration prepares students for employment as an auto technician in the auto repair industry.

Minimum credits: 21
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (21 CREDITS)
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Automotive – Driveability - Skill Set (DRAB.SSET)

Students will be exposed to driveability diagnosis with a focus on engine performance. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive coursework in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 14
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 14

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Automotive – Ford Service – Concentration (FOSE.CON)

Students will be exposed to the Ford Maintenance and Light Repair program with an emphasis on electrical systems, climate control, brakes, and suspension and steering. MLR students will train on Ford
vehicles using Ford-approved tools, training materials and Ford service manuals. This training prepares students for work in a Ford dealership.

Minimum credits: 21  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (21 CREDITS)  
Take the following:  
AUT 101 General Service  
AUT 105 Brakes  
AUT 106 Steering & Suspension  
AUT 108 Air Conditioning and Heating Systems  
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I  
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II  
AUT 234 Undercar Service  
AUT 240 Hybrid Technology

Automotive – High Speed Diesel Service – Concentration (HSDS.CON)  
In this program, the emphasis is on the principles of diesel operation and fuel systems. The focus will be on diesel engine performance, electronic fuel injection, and diesel fundamentals. This concentration prepares students for employment in the transportation industry with a focus on diesel repair.

Minimum credits: 17  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0  
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0  
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (17 CREDITS)  
Take the following:  
AUT 101 General Service  
AUT 102 Engine Performance I  
AUT 103 Engine Performance II  
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I  
AUT 118 Diesel Fundamentals  
AUT 248 Diesel Engine Performance

Automotive – High Speed Diesel Service – Skill Set (HSDS.SSET)
This foundational skill set is designed to expose students to basic diesel fundamentals. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive coursework in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 4
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 4

REQUIRED COURSES (4 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 118   Diesel Fundamentals
AUT 248   Diesel Engine Performance

Automotive – Hybrid Vehicles – Concentration (HYVE.CON)
Students will be exposed to hybrid electric vehicles. Fundamental information will be reviewed focusing on engine performance, hybrid technology, diagnostics and maintenance. This concentration prepares students for employment in the auto repair industry.

Minimum credits: 16
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (16 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 102   Engine Performance I
AUT 103   Engine Performance II
AUT 112   Electrical Systems I
AUT 113   Electrical Systems II
AUT 240   Hybrid Technology

Automotive – Hybrid Vehicles – Skill Set (HYVE.SSET)
Students will be exposed to hybrid electric vehicles focusing on engine performance and hybrid technology. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive coursework in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 9
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 9

REQUIRED COURSES (9 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 102 Engine Performance I
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 240 Hybrid Technology

Automotive – Maintenance & Light Repair – Concentration (MALR.CON)
Students will focus on repair and maintenance of the automobile. These skills include suspension and steering systems, electrical systems, heating and cooling systems and braking systems. This concentration prepares students for employment as an auto technician in the auto repair industry.

Minimum credits: 19
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (19 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 105 Brakes
AUT 106 Suspension & Steering
AUT 108 Air Conditioning and Heating Systems
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II
AUT 210 Internship/Externship

Automotive – Maintenance & Light Repair – Skill Set (MALR.SSET)
This foundational skill set is designed to expose students to repair and maintenance of the automobile. Fundamental skills will include suspension and steering, electrical systems, heating and cooling systems and brakes. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive coursework in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 15
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 5

REQUIRED COURSES (15 CREDITS)
Take the following:
Automotive – Powertrain – Concentration (PWTR.CON)
Students will be exposed to engine repair, automatic transmissions, manual transmissions and undercar service. This concentration prepares students for employment as an auto technician in the auto repair industry.

Minimum credits: 17
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (17 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 201 Engine Repair
AUT 202 Automatic Transmission
AUT 204 Manual Transmissions & Drivelines
AUT 210 Internship/Externship
AUT 234 Undercar Service

Automotive – Powertrain – Skill Set (PWTR.SSET)
The emphasis in this skill set is on the power developed in the engine and power flow through driveline components. Students will learn the basics of engine repair, automatic transmissions, and manual transmissions. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive coursework in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 11
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 11

REQUIRED COURSES (11 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 201 Engine Repair
AUT 202 Automatic Transmission
AUT 204 Manual Transmissions & Drivelines
Automotive – Undercar Services – Concentration (UCSR.CON)

Students will receive training in general service with an emphasis on welding, pipe bending and torch use. An overview of brakes and suspension and steering is included. This concentration prepares students for employment as an auto technician in the auto repair industry.

Minimum credits: 17
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (17 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 101 General Service
AUT 105 Automotive Brakes
AUT 106 Suspension & Steering
AUT 108 Auto Air Conditioning/Heating
AUT 210 Internship/Externship
AUT 234 Undercar Service

Automotive – Undercar Service – Skill Set (UCSR.SSET)

The emphasis in this skill set is on pipe bending and welding. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive coursework in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 8
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 8

REQUIRED COURSES (8 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 105 Brakes
AUT 106 Steering & Suspension
AUT 234 Undercar Service
Automotive – Wheel Service – Concentration (WHSR.CON)

Students will receive training in wheel service skills as part of the overall diagnoses of the automobile. Subjects include brakes, suspension and steering, undercar and electrical systems. This concentration prepares students for employment as an auto technician in the auto repair industry.

Minimum credits: 17
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

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Automotive – Wheel Service – Skill Set (WHSE.SSET)

The emphasis in this skill set is on wheel service and how this system is impacted by brakes and steering and suspension. It provides a foundation basis for students. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive coursework in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 6
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 6

REQUIRED COURSES (6 CREDITS)
Take the following:

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Automotive – Heavy Duty Wheel Service – Concentration (AHWS.CON)

Students will receive training in wheel service skills as part of the overall diagnoses of heavy duty trucks. Subjects include brakes, suspension and steering, undercar and electrical systems. This concentration prepares students for employment as a technician in the heavy duty truck repair industry.

Minimum credits: 22
REQUIRED COURSES (22 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 101 General Service
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II
AUT 210 Internship/Externship
AUT 251 Heavy Duty Brakes
AUT 263 Heavy Duty Steering and Suspension
WLD 100 Fundamentals of Welding OR
AUT 234 Undercar Service

Automotive – Heavy Duty Wheel Service – Skill Set (AHDW.SSET)
The emphasis in this skill set is on wheel service and how this system is impacted by brakes and steering and suspension. It provides a foundation basis for students. This skill set prepares students for employment as a technician in the heavy duty truck repair industry.

Minimum credits: 6
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 6

REQUIRED COURSES (6 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 251 Heavy Duty Brakes
AUT 263 Heavy Duty Steering and Suspension

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Automotive – Heavy Duty Chassis – Concentration (AHOC.CON)
Students will focus on repair and maintenance of the automobile. These skills include suspension and steering systems, electrical systems, under vehicle services and braking systems. This concentration prepares students for employment as a technician in the heavy duty truck repair industry.

Minimum credits: 23
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (23 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 101 General Service
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II
AUT 210 Internship/Externship
AUT 251 Heavy Duty Brakes
AUT 263 Heavy Duty Steering and Suspension
WLD 100 Fundamentals of Welding OR
AUT 234 Undercar Service

Automotive – Heavy Duty Service – Concentration (AHDS.CON)
Students will be exposed to procedures of engine performance and diagnosis of the internal combustion engine. Students will learn how to make a logical diagnosis based on vehicle operation. Focus will be on correct use of specifications, equipment, and interpretation of test results. This concentration prepares students for employment as a technician in the heavy-duty truck repair industry.

Minimum credits: 22
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

REQUIRED COURSES (22 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 102 Engine Performance I
AUT 103 Engine Performance II
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II
AUT 118 Diesel Fundamentals
AUT 210 Internship/Externship
AUT 248 Diesel Engine Performance

Automotive – Heavy Duty Undercar Service – Skill Set (AHDU.SSET)
The emphasis in this skill set is on wheel service and how this system is impacted by brakes and steering and suspension. An additional emphasis in this skill set is on pipe bending and welding. It provides a foundation basis for students. This skill set prepares students for employment as a technician in the heavy-duty truck repair industry.

Minimum credits: 8
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 8
REQUIRED COURSES (8-10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 251 Heavy Duty Brakes
AUT 263 Heavy Duty Steering and Suspension OR
AUT 234 Undercar Service

Automotive – Heavy Duty Air Conditioning & Heating – Skill Set (AHAH.SSET)
This foundational skill set focuses heating and cooling systems so that students have the basic understanding and knowledge to diagnose and repair air conditioning and heating systems. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive and heavy-duty course work in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 12
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 12

REQUIRED COURSES (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
AUT 113 Electrical Systems II
AUT 268 Heavy Duty Heating and Air Conditioning
ELT 105 Introduction to Electrical Systems

Automotive – Heavy Duty Electrical – Skill Set (AHDE.SSET)
This foundational skill set focuses electrical systems so that students have the basic understanding and knowledge to diagnose and repair electrical systems. Students may want to further this exposure through additional automotive and heavy-duty course work in related concentrations, certificates or an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 6
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 6

REQUIRED COURSES (6 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AUT 112 Electrical Systems I
Aviation Flight Technology - Associate in Applied Science (AVFT.AAS)
Basic ground school and flight instruction needed to meet the requirements of the Federal Aviation Administration’s Commercial Pilot certificate with instrument ratings. Federal and/or Michigan law may require that enrollees in the aviation program undergo an FBI background check. Contact the director of aviation with questions.

Minimum credits: 65
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (24 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4 credits)
Choose one of the following:
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics
PHY 231 College Physics I

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (4 credits)**
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM 131 Cultural Connections
MUS 131 Understanding Music
GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
COM 250 Intercultural Communications
HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
PLS 262 International Relations

AVIATION FLIGHT TECHNOLOGY RELATED REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Choose two of the following:
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems
ELT 140 Introduction to Digital Circuits
MAT 133 Introduction to Probability & Statistics
UAS 101 Introduction to Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

AVIATION FLIGHT TECHNOLOGY CORE REQUIREMENTS (34 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AFT 110 Primary Ground School
AFT 112 Primary Flight I
AFT 114 Primary Flight II
AFT 116 Primary Flight III
AFT 125 Commercial Ground School
AFT 130 Commercial Flight I
AFT 135 Instrumental Ground School
AFT 140 Commercial Flight II
AFT 200 Commercial Flight III
AFT 205 Commercial Flight IV
*All enrollees must be capable of attaining the FAA class II medical certificate.

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Aviation Flight Technology – Concentration (AVFT.CON)
Students will gain further experience in aviation and careers while gaining more experience flying. Students may further their experience through additional coursework toward an associate degree.

Minimum credits: 19
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

AVIATION FLIGHT TECHNOLOGY CORE REQUIREMENTS (12 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AFT 110 Primary Ground School
AFT 112 Primary Flight I
AFT 114 Primary Flight II
AFT 116 Primary Flight III

Aviation Flight Technology – Skill Set (AVFT.SSET)
Students will learn about careers in aviation and complete their written private pilot license exam and solo in the aircraft. Students may further their experience through additional coursework in a concentration or associate degree.

Minimum credits: 10
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 10

AVIATION FLIGHT TECHNOLOGY CORE REQUIREMENTS (10 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AFT 110 Primary Ground School
AFT 112 Primary Flight I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning

Unmanned Aerial Systems – Skill Set (UASO.SSET)
This skill set will provide the initial skills and practical application experience to operate and repair unmanned aerial systems. This will provide a foundation for students that may want to continue their exposure in the field of aviation toward basic and advanced pilot certifications and degrees.

Minimum credits: 13
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 13

UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS CORE REQUIREMENTS (13 CREDITS)
Take the following:
AFT 110 Primary Ground School
Electrician – Associate in Applied Science (ELEC.AAS)

Electricians install and maintain electrical systems in residential construction and commercial buildings. They also work in manufacturing settings often servicing highly automated industrial processes. Increasingly electricians will be required to wire computer networks and telecommunications. This program will prepare students to work in each of these applications of electricity.

Minimum credits: 63  
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)
Choose one of the following:
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
GEL 109 Earth Science
SC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
PLS 141 American National Government
PSY 140  Introduction to Psychology
SOC 231  Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111  Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112  Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM 131  Cultural Connections
MUS 131  Understanding Music
THR 116  Introduction to Theatre

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT 131  Cultural Anthropology
COM 250  Intercultural Communications
HIS 211  Minority Groups in America
PLS 262  International Relations
SOC 236  Women in a Changing Society
SPN 131  Spanish I

ELECTRICIAN CORE REQUIREMENTS (40 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ELT 120  Circuit Analysis I
ELT 126  Circuit Analysis II
ELT 130  Electronics I
ELT 140  Introduction to Digital Electronics
ELT 150  Residential Wiring
ELT 151  Commercial Wiring
ELT 152  Industrial Wiring
ELT 215  Electrical Troubleshooting
ELT 220  Industrial Motion Control
ELT 250  Electrical Motors & Controls
ELT 260  Basic Programmable Controllers
ELT 261  Advanced PLC Programming
ELT 274  Electrician’s National Code

ELECTRICIAN ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS
HOC 110  Advanced First Aid & American Heart CPR OR Current Adult CPR and First Aid Certification

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Electrician – Certificate (ELEC.CERT)

Electricians install and maintain electrical systems in residential construction and commercial buildings. They also work in manufacturing settings often servicing highly automated industrial processes. Increasingly electricians will be required to wire computer networks and telecommunications. This program will prepare students to work in each of these applications of electricity.

Minimum credits: 45
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

ELECTRICIAN CORE REQUIREMENTS (38 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ELT 120 Circuit Analysis I
ELT 126 Circuit Analysis II
ELT 130 Electronics I
ELT 140 Introduction to Digital Electronics
ELT 150 Residential Wiring
ELT 151 Commercial Wiring
ELT 152 Industrial Wiring
ELT 215 Electrical Troubleshooting
ELT 220 Industrial Motion Control
ELT 250 Electrical Motors & Controls
ELT 260 Basic Programmable Controllers
ELT 274 Electrician’s National Code

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS
HOC 110 Advanced First Aid & American Heart CPR OR Current Adult CPR and First Aid Certification

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Electrical Basics – Concentration (ELEC.CON)

Completion of this program provides a solid electrical foundation for the person seeking electrical or industrial maintenance mechanic training.

Minimum credits: 16
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15
REQUIRED COURSES (16 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ELT 120 Circuit Analysis I
ELT 126 Circuit Analysis II
ELT 150 Residential Wiring
ELT 152 Industrial Wiring
ELT 160 Basic Programmable Controllers

Electronic Technology / ELT – Associate in Applied Science (ETGE.AAS)
Electronic technologists are employed in such fields as digital computer maintenance, voice and data communications, radio and television broadcasting, medical electronic instrumentation, high-tech manufacturing, research and development in laboratory settings. Students may also work to achieve A+ certification for employment as personal computer service professionals. A+ certification is the “journeyman’s card” for computer technologists, which is recognized by CompTIA. The non-profit Computing Technology Industry Association (CompTIA) is widely recognized as the standard for qualified computer service professionals.

Minimum credits: 69
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
GEL 109 Earth Science
NSC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics
GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231  Macroeconomics
ECN 232  Microeconomics
PLS 141  American National Government
PSY 140  Introduction to Psychology
SOC 231  Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111  Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112  Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM 131  Cultural Connections
MUS 131  Understanding Music
THR 116  Introduction to Theatre

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT 131  Cultural Anthropology
COM 250  Intercultural Communications
HIS 211  Minority Groups in America
HUM 131  Cultural Connections
PLS 262  International Relations
SPN 131  Spanish I

ELECTRONIC TECHNOLOGY RELATED REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Choose one of the following:
CIS 170  Programming C++
CIS 160  Programming in Visual Basic.NET

Plus up to 4 credits from the following:
Any ELT, CIS or CNS course that best meets your educational goals.

ELECTRONIC TECHNOLOGY CORE REQUIREMENTS (39 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 101  Introduction to Computer Systems OR
        CIS 201  Advanced Information Technologies
CIS 174  PC Repair/A+ Hardware Component
CIS 175  PC Repair/A+ Software Component
CIS 176  A+ Certification Exam Preparation
CNS 101  Network+/Networking Fundamentals
ELT 120  Circuit Analysis I
ELT 126  Circuit Analysis II
ELT 130  Electronics I
ELT 140  Introduction to Digital Electronics Internship
ELT 245 Internship
ELT 250 Electric Motors & Controls
ELT 260 Basic Programmable Controllers

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Electronic Technology / ELT – Certificate (ELTE.CERT)
Employment opportunities would include OEM product service and repair, repair and calibration technician, manufacturing maintenance, instrument technician, and retail sales.

Minimum credits: 36
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Choose one of the following:
CIS 160 Programming in Visual Basic.NET
CIS 170 Programming C++
ELT 250 Electric Motors & Controls
ELT 260 Basic Programmable Controllers

ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN CORE REQUIREMENTS (26 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems OR
CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies
CIS 174 PC Repair/A+ Hardware Component
CIS 175 PC Repair/A+ Software Component
CIS 176 A+ Certification Exam Preparation
ELT 120 Circuit Analysis I
ELT 126 Circuit Analysis II
ELT 130 Electronics I
ELT 140 Introduction to Digital Electronics

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Electronic Technology / Microcomputer – Associate in Applied Science (ETMS.AAS)

Electronic technologists are employed in such fields as digital computer maintenance, voice and data communications, radio and television broadcasting, medical electronic instrumentation, high-tech manufacturing, research and development in laboratory settings. Students may also work to achieve A+ certification for employment as personal computer service professionals. A+ certification is the “journeyman’s card” for computer technologists, which is recognized by CompTIA. The non-profit Computing Technology Industry Association (CompTIA) is widely recognized as the standard for qualified computer service professionals.

Minimum credits: 77
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
BIO 110 Introductory Biology
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
GEL 109 Earth Science
NSC 131 Contemporary Science
PHY 131 Conceptual Physics

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
PLS 141 American National Government
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
SOC 231 Principles of Sociology
GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART  111  Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART  112  Art History: Renaissance to Present
HUM  131  Cultural Connections
MUS  131  Understanding Music
THR  116  Introduction to Theatre

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures (3-4 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ANT  131  Cultural Anthropology
COM  250  Intercultural Communications
HIS  211  Minority Groups in America
SPN  131  Spanish I

MICROCOMPUTER RELATED REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Choose one of the following:
CIS  170  Programming C++
CIS  160  Programming in Visual Basic.NET

Plus up to 4 credits from the following:
Any ELT, CIS or CNS course that best meets your educational goals.

MICROCOMPUTER CORE REQUIREMENTS (40 CREDITS)
Take the following:
BUA  120  Human Relations in Business
CIS  101  Introduction to Computer Systems OR
        CIS  201  Advanced Information Technologies
CIS  105  Windows Workshop
CIS  106  Operating Systems: UNIX
CIS  107  Microsoft DOS Workshop
CIS  174  PC Repair/A+ Hardware Component
CIS  175  PC Repair/A+ Software
CIS  176  A+ Certification Exam Preparation
CIS  179  Network+ Certification Exam Preparation
CNS  101  Network+/Networking Fundamentals
ELT  120  Circuit Analysis I
ELT  126  Circuit Analysis II
ELT  130  Electronics
ELT  140  Introduction to Digital Electronics
ELT  245  Internship

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Electronic Technology / Microcomputer – Certificate (ETMS.CERT)

With this certificate, employment opportunities would include PC repair, staffing for help desk for a software manufacturer, PC service desk and retail sales.

Minimum credits: 43
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (7 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

RELATED REQUIREMENTS (3 CREDITS)
Choose one of the following:
CIS 160 Programming in Visual Basic.NET
CIS 170 Programming in C++

MICROCOMPUTER CORE REQUIREMENTS (33 CREDITS)
Take the following:
CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems OR
     CIS 201 Advanced Information Technologies
CIS 105 Windows Workshop
CIS 106 Operating Systems: UNIX
CIS 107 Microsoft DOS Workshop
CIS 174 PC Repair/A+ Hardware Component
CIS 175 PC Repair/A+ Software Component
CIS 176 A+ Certification Exam Preparation
CNS 101 Network+/Networking Fundamentals
ELT 120 Circuit Analysis I
ELT 126 Circuit Analysis II
ELT 130 Electronics
ELT 140 Introduction to Digital Electronics

Energy Systems Management – Bachelor of Science (EGYM.BS)

This is a 120-credit, four-year program providing the advanced technical, interpersonal and managerial skills necessary to embark on a professional career in the energy industry and to become an effective decision maker, manager and leader within this diverse and challenging field.

Minimum credits: 120
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grades in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 30
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (48 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely, and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
ENG 232 Technical and Business Writing

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely, and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication
COM 350 Intercultural Communications

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 139 College Algebra

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (13-15 credits)
Take the following:
CEM 141 General Chemistry
PHY 231 College Physics I OR
PHY 251 Modern University Physics I
PHY 232 College Physics II OR
PHY 252 Modern University Physics II

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles that govern them (13 credits)
Take the following:
ECN 231 Macroeconomics
ECN 232 Microeconomics
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
PSY 344 Organizational Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
MUS 131 Understanding Music
THR 116 Introduction to Theatre

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity of and interdependence of the world’s people and cultures (3 credits)**
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

ENERGY SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT CORE REQUIREMENTS (60 CREDITS)
Take the following:
ALT 200 Principles of Alternative Energy
BIO 158  Environmental Science
BUA 220  Principles of Management
BUA 420  Project Management and Leadership
CAD 151  AutoCAD
EGY 101  Energy Industry Fundamentals
EGY 220  Energy Industry Experience
EGY 345  Internship
EGY 361  Industry Materials Analysis
EGY 380  Power Grid/Smart Grid
EGY 499  Senior Seminar
ELT 105  Introduction to Electrical Systems
ELT 220  Industrial Motion Controls
MFG 105  Blueprint Reading
MFG 164  Basic Fabrication
MFG 170  Hydraulics/Pneumatics
MFG 240  Introduction to Quality Systems
PHL 232  Logic
STM 101  Introduction to Sustainability
STM 401  Systems Thinking

TECHNICAL ELECTIVES (13 CREDITS)
Select any courses from ALT, CAD, ELT, MAT, MFG, or WLD (or additional subjects approved by program faculty) to meet the program’s 120-credit requirement.

ADDITIONAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS
Rigging Safety Training/Certification, CPR Training/Certification

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Energy Systems Technology – Associate in Applied Science (EGYT.AAS)
The Energy Systems Technology - Associate in Applied Science program prepares students for careers as technicians within the energy industry. This 60-credit degree will provide students with the diverse skill set necessary to work competently within the various sectors of the industry: energy production, energy transmission and energy distribution. Students will achieve a certification in Energy Industry Fundamentals (Center for Energy Workforce Development). This program provides a foundation for the student to secure a career with a regulated provider of energy, or a non-regulated, public or private provider of energy (e.g. municipalities, heavy manufacturing, hospitals or college campuses).

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0

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Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (27 CREDITS)

GEO 1 Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly (6 credits)
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I
ENG 232 Technical and Business Writing

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly (3 credits)**
Take the following:
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning (4 credits)
Take the following:
MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning or higher

GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning (4-5 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
CEM 141 General Chemistry I

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles that govern them (4 credits)**
Take the following:
PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity (3 credits)**
Choose one of the following:
ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
MUS 131 Understanding Music
THR 116 Introduction to Theatre

GEO 7 Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures. (3 credits)**
Take the following:
HUM 131 Cultural Connections

ENERGY SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY CORE REQUIREMENTS (32 CREDITS)
Take the following:
EGY 101 EIF Energy Industry Fundamentals
MFG 105 Blueprint Reading
MFG 164 Basic Fabrication
MFG 170 Pneumatics and Hydraulics
CAD 151 Introduction to CAD
ELT 105 Introduction to Electrical Systems
ELT 220 Industrial Motion Control
STM 101 Introduction to Sustainability
ALT 200 Principles of Alternative Energy

TECHNICAL ELECTIVES*
*Technical Electives include any ALT/ELT/CAD/MAT/WLD or other with lead faculty approval.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT
HOC 110 Advanced First Aid & American Heart CPR OR Current Adult CPR Rigging Safety Training.

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Occupational Studies – Associate in Applied Science (OCST.AAS)
This Associate of Applied Science is designed specifically for students who have completed an apprenticeship program and received a certificate of completion from the U.S. Department of Labor/Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training. Apprenticeship occupations accepted are carpenter, cement mason, structural draftsman, machine builder, machine repair and maintenance, millwright, wood model maker, mold maker (plaster and die cast), operating engineer, plumber, pipe fitter, tool and die maker. Other apprenticeship programs would need to be reviewed on a case-by-case for consideration by the lead faculty. The curriculum will provide students with a strong academic foundation and introduce them to new ideas in sustainability, business, entrepreneurship and computer systems.

Minimum credits: 60
Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
Minimum grade in all courses: 2.0
Minimum Jackson College credits: 15

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (23-25 CREDITS)

GEO 1: Write clearly, concisely and intelligibly
Take the following:
ENG 131 Writing Experience I

GEO 2: Speak clearly, concisely and intelligibly
Choose one of the following:
COM 231 Communication Fundamentals
COM 240 Interpersonal Communication

GEO 3: Demonstrate computational skills and mathematical reasoning
Take the following:
MAT 131 Intermediate Algebra or higher
GEO 4: Demonstrate scientific reasoning**

Choose one of the following:
- BIO 110 Introductory Biology
- CEM 131 Fundamentals of Chemistry
- GEL 109 Earth Science
- NSC 131 Contemporary Science
- PHY 131 Conceptual Physics

GEO 5: Understand human behavior and social systems, and the principles which govern them**

Choose one of the following:
- ECN 231 Macroeconomics
- ECN 232 Microeconomics
- PLS 141 American National Government
- PSY 140 Introduction to Psychology
- SOC 231 Principles of Sociology

GEO 6: Understand aesthetic experience and artistic creativity**

Choose one of the following:
- ART 111 Art History: Prehistoric to 1400
- ART 112 Art History: Renaissance to Present
- HUM 131 Cultural Connections
- MUS 131 Understanding Music
- THR 116 Introduction to Theatre

GEO 7: Understand and respect the diversity and interdependence of the world’s peoples and cultures**

Choose one of the following:
- ANT 131 Cultural Anthropology
- HIS 211 Minority Groups in America
- PLS 262 International Relations
- SPN 131 Spanish I or higher

** OCCUPATIONAL STUDIES CORE REQUIREMENTS (17 CREDITS)**

Take the following:
- STM 101 Introduction to Sustainability
- ENT 101 Entrepreneurship: Creating Your Own Job
- CIS 101 Introduction to Computer Systems
- ECM 101 e-Commerce Fundamentals
- BUA 100 Contemporary Business
- ENG 232 Technical and Business Writing

** OCCUPATIONAL STUDIES ELECTIVE REQUIREMENTS (20 CREDITS)**

Apprenticeship Certificate of Completion. Other apprenticeship/certificate programs would need to be reviewed on a case-by-case for consideration by the lead faculty.
**We have listed the preferred course option(s) in this category, but other courses may be used to meet this requirement. Your Student Success Navigator will assist you making the best course selection based on your schedule and interests. You can view the complete list of approved GEO courses on page 22.

Apprenticeship Information

Apprenticeship programs are available in many trades in cooperation with an employer or a joint apprenticeship committee representing labor and management. The U.S. Department of Labor/Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training registers and monitors the programs to ensure quality in apprenticeship programs nationwide.

Apprenticeship training involves classroom and on-the-job training over a span of usually four years. The process of applying knowledge on the job provides the apprentice with the opportunity to develop the necessary skills for a particular trade.

Upon completion of all employer-specified coursework and the required hours of on-the-job instruction, the employer may recommend that the apprentice receive a completion certificate from the U.S. Department of Labor/Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training.
COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

ACCOUNTING (ACC)

ACC 115 PAYROLL ACCOUNTING (2 CR)
Accurate payroll records and timely payroll tax reporting are critical elements for all successful businesses. Learn to apply payroll accounting rules and procedures to support business operations. Learn employment and tax laws that affect payroll preparation. Learn the skills, procedures, and concepts necessary to compute a company’s payroll. Topics include hiring, gross pay, FICA taxes, income taxes, employee deductions and benefits, payroll accounting, earnings records, tax deposits, unemployment taxes, recording payroll transactions, Form 940EZ, Form 941, reporting employee earnings and special situations.
Prerequisites: CIS 101*

ACC 130 QUICKBOOKS FOR ACCOUNTING (2 CR)
Today nearly all businesses rely on computer software to facilitate the accounting process. Learn to use the many features of this popular and sophisticated small business computerized accounting system. Topics include customizing the system to your business, invoicing, statements, collections, bill paying, general ledger, budgeting and tax reports.
Prerequisites: ACC 216 or higher and CIS 095*

ACC 214 INCOME TAX ACCOUNTING (3 CR)
Federal income tax for personal and business use is explored. Concepts covered include taxable income, deductions, exclusions, exemptions and credits against tax. Proprietorship tax returns including account and depreciation methods, self-employment taxes, self-employed retirement plans, capital gains and losses, disposition of property (both personal and business) and estimated tax declaration.
Prerequisites: CIS 095* and MAT 040* or higher

ACC 216 FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING CONCEPTS (4 CR)
This course is designed for the non-accounting supervisor/manager who must have an understanding of financial and managerial accounting as it is used in decision making. Learn about annual reports, financial statements, balance sheet accounts and accounting transactions. Focus on how accounting information is used in decision making and not on the mechanics behind that accounting information. This is an introductory accounting course required for some BUA, CIS and HOC programs. Students should consider their academic program and select either ACC 216 or ACC 231 for their introductory accounting course.
Prerequisites: CIS 095* and MAT 040* or higher

ACC 231 PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING I (4 CR)
This course is an introductory course in financial accounting. Learn the theory and practice of recording financial accounting data and preparation of financial statements in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) with an emphasis on corporations. Current software and online applications will be utilized.
Prerequisites: MAT 033* or higher and CIS 101* or CIS 121

ACC 232 PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING II (4 CR)
This course is an introductory course in managerial accounting. Learn how accounting impacts managerial decision making. Topics include stocks, bonds, cash flow, cost accounting, break-even analysis, differential analysis, financial statements and budgeting. Current software and online applications will be utilized.
Prerequisite: ACC 231

ACC 234 MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING (4 CR)
Management-level professionals from all disciplines will be faced with complex situations and decisions. Appropriate managerial accounting reports and critical thinking skills are crucial to a proactive management process.
Learn about financial statement analysis, cash flow forecasting, job order costing in manufacturing, process costing in manufacturing, activity-based costing in manufacturing, cost-volume analysis, cost behavior analysis, budgeting, responsibility accounting, case study analysis, critical thinking and decision-making skills.

Prerequisite: ACC 232

ACC 240 INTERMEDIATE ACCOUNTING (4 CR)
Professional accountants must have a solid background in Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) financial accounting concepts. Review and expand your knowledge of accounting theory and processes, nature and content of the balance sheet and income statement, present value tables and their application, currently applicable General Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and recent Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) pronouncements.

Prerequisite: ACC 231

ACC 245 INTERNSHIP/EXTERNSHIP (3 CR)
Gain valuable work experience in an accounting position. The position must be obtained by the student in coordination with a faculty member and approved by the department before the semester begins.

Prerequisite: Instructor Permission Required

ACC 300 FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT FOR THE HOSPITALITY INDUSTRY (4 CR)
Using a combination of management accounting and finance principles, develop your management skills in the area of financial management. With an emphasis on management decision making, students will consider topics such as financial statement reporting and analysis, budgeting, forecasting, ethics, and internal controls. Coursework and assignments will be structured to highlight the challenges and opportunities within the hospitality industry.

Prerequisite: ACC 216

AGRICULTURE TECHNOLOGY (AGT)

AGT 111 AGRICULTURE SAFETY AND BIO SECURITY (1 CR)
This course prepares students from a variety of backgrounds to study and work safely in agricultural and agribusiness settings. Students will learn best practices for biological security and workplace safety standard in these industries. Farm safety will include proper use of power equipment and implements as well as livestock handling. This course contains lecture and field experience components.

AGT 113 INTRODUCTION TO FOOD SYSTEMS (3 CR)
This course provides students with an overview of the diverse food systems industry. Through research, guest lectures, and field experiences students will engage a cross-section of agricultural, agribusiness, governmental and food processing sectors. Emphasis will be made in identifying the unique but deeply interconnected pieces that make up regional, national and international food systems.

AGT 131 INTRODUCTION TO PLANT AND SOIL SCIENCE (4 CR)
This course teaches principles of crop production and soil resource management. It relates soils, crop growth, physiology, and genetics to cultural demands and environmental factors. Lab investigates the identification of plant structures, crop seeds, and important pests. Also explores crop variety selection and traits, deficiency symptoms, crop scouting, basic nutrient calculations, and applications within sustainable and international agriculture.

Prerequisites: CEM 141 or NSC 120

AGT 201 INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT (2 CR)
This course covers identification, biology, and management of agricultural pests including weeds, insects, and diseases. Course content
will emphasize prevention, avoidance, monitoring, and control strategies of specific pests, while examining the ecological and economic considerations of integrated pest management within crop production systems.  
Prerequisites: AGT 111 and AGT 131

AGT 202 PESTICIDES IN AGRICULTURE (1 CR)  
Applied coursework in the commercial and private application of pesticides. Topics include pesticide law, product labels, equipment and calibration, safe storage and handling, formulations, and necessary calculations. Applicator certification expected upon course completion through a standardized exam.  
Prerequisites: Instructor permission required

AGT 209 PRECISION FARMING (3 CR)  
This course will provide students with a working knowledge of precision management systems intended for food production. Course content will cover mechanical and electronic advancements toward automation, how computers are used in food production, variable rate technology, product application, sensors, global positioning systems, yield monitors & other data collection systems. This course includes both classroom and field experience components.  
Prerequisites: AGT 111

AGT 212 AGRICULTURE POLICY AND PRACTICES (1 CR)  
This course introduces students to applicable state and federal agricultural policy as well as Generally Accepted Agricultural Management Practices (GAAMP) for both livestock and crop production. Students will become familiar where to locate and how to interpret and apply agricultural policies and best practices.  
Prerequisites: AGT 111

AGT 227 INTRODUCTION TO ANIMAL SCIENCE (4 CR)  
The classification of different species of livestock based on breeding, feeding, and management techniques and how they apply to overall animal health and behavior are studied.  

Historical and current trends of the livestock industry both domestically and internationally are examined. The usage of animal science tools in the agriculture field and how they can be used in future career options are highlighted. Course includes 15 hours of field experience.  
Prerequisites: AGT 111, and NSC 120 or CEM 141

AGT 231 AGRICULTURE FINANCE AND MANAGEMENT (3 CR)  
This course will introduce students to the concepts and organization of the agri-food financing systems, including: financial structures, lenders and borrowers, ownership and legal terminology. Topics will include an overview of financial analysis, cost of production, risk, leverage and feasibility, financial statements and capital costs.  
Prerequisites: ACC 216 and BUA 220

AGT 245 AGRICULTURE INTERNSHIP (2 CR)  
This course offers meaningful industry experience within the agricultural and/or agri-business arena. Specific internship site, industry supervisor and learning outcomes must be jointly agreed upon between the student, the faculty member and the site supervisor. A portfolio of the internship will be created and submitted to the faculty member upon completion of the course.  
Prerequisites: Instructor permission required

AVIATION FLIGHT TECHNOLOGY (AFT)

AFT 110 PRIMARY GROUND SCHOOL (3 CR)  
Preparation for the FAA Private Pilot written examination by classroom work on federal aviation regulations, air space, meteorology, navigation, communication and aerodynamics.
AFT 112 PRIMARY FLIGHT I (3 CR)
This course prepares the student for solo flight. Includes: Pre-flight, start-up, radio communications, taxiing, basic flight maneuvers, take-offs, and landings. (Course requires 25 hours of flight).
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 114 PRIMARY FLIGHT II (3 CR)
This course prepares the student for solo navigation and solo cross country flight and includes basic instrument training and night flights. (Course requires 20 hours of flight and students must possess a 3rd Class Medical Certificate or higher.)
Prerequisite: AFT 112
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 116 PRIMARY FLIGHT III (3 CR)
The course prepares the student for Private Pilot Certification, including additional solo hours and proficiency in required FAA maneuvers during day and night operations. Course requires 20 hours of flight and students must possess a 3rd Class Medical Certificate or higher.
Prerequisite: AFT 114
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 125 COMMERCIAL GROUND SCHOOL (3 CR)
Prepares the student for the FAA Commercial Pilot written examination. In-depth study of meteorology, federal aviation regulations, aircraft systems, airspace, aerodynamics, etc. included.

AFT 130 COMMERCIAL FLIGHT I (4 CR)
This course covers initial flight training leading to the commercial pilot certificate with an instrument rating. Students practice skills as a pilot in command while logging cross-country and night flight hours. This follows Stage IV of the Jeppesen Guided Flight Discovery Instrument Commercial Syllabus.
Prerequisite: AFT 120
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 135 INSTRUMENT GROUND SCHOOL (3 CR)
Prepares the student for the FAA Instrument Pilot written examination through the study of federal aviation regulations, A/C systems, meteorology, IFR departure, en route and arrival procedures.
Prerequisite: AFT 120

AFT 140 COMMERCIAL FLIGHT II (4 CR)
During this course, students learn and gain proficiency with local instrument flight procedures during day and night flying (scanning, tracking, and intercepting Nav Aids, DME arcs, holds, and instrument approaches). The follows Stage I and Stage II of the Jeppesen Guided Flight Discovery Instrument Commercial Syllabus.
Prerequisite: AFT 130
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 200 COMMERCIAL FLIGHT III (4 CR)
Continuation of advanced and instrument flight procedures with emphasis on high-performance maneuvers, solo cross-country and dual instrument en route and approach procedures.
Prerequisite: AFT 140
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 205 COMMERCIAL FLIGHT IV (4 CR)
This course is the culmination of training for the commercial pilot certificate. Students gain proficiency in complex aircraft and commercial maneuvers. Students also gain the remainder of hours and skills required for the commercial pilot certificate. (Follows Stage VI of the Jeppesen Guided Flight Discovery Instrument Commercial Syllabus).
Prerequisite: AFT 200
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 210 INSTRUMENT FLIGHT (4 CR)
Designed for the non-commercial pilot, includes all phases of instrument flight including basic instrument, departure, en route and arrival procedures.
Prerequisite: AFT 135
*Third party fees may apply.
AFT 215 FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR THEORY (3 CR)
Preparation for completion of the two FAA written examinations for Flight Instructor-Airplane. Covers theory of instruction and analysis of flight maneuvers from the perspective of the instructor.
Prerequisite: AFT 205

AFT 220 FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR FLIGHT (3 CR)
Preparation for the Flight Instructor-Airplane Certificate through effective techniques of lesson planning, teaching methods, and analysis of maneuvers.
Prerequisite: AFT 205
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 230 INSTRUMENT FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR FLIGHT (3 CR)
Preparation of materials and teaching methods, analysis of maneuvers and instruction in flight instructor responsibilities.
Prerequisite: AFT 215
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 235 FLIGHT TRANSITION (2 CR)
Provides the licensed pilot with the opportunity to develop the knowledge, experience, and flight skills needed for transition to the next level of aircraft (e.g. helicopter, multiengine, or other complex aircraft).
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 240 BIENNIAL FLIGHT REVIEW CLINIC (1 CR)
Provides the flight review necessary for FAA biennial requirements. Includes ground and flight review appropriate to the certificate or rating held by the student.
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 250 IFR RECURRENCY (1 CR)
Designed for the instrument pilot in need of recurrent training. Satisfies FAR Part 61 requirement for recent IFR experience. Student may utilize simulator, aircraft or both.
*Third party fees may apply.

AFT 275 MAINTENANCE FOR PILOTS (2 CR)

ALTERNATIVE ENERGY (ALT)

ALT 200 PRINCIPLES OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY (3 CR) *(Same as ELT 160)*
This course will introduce students to alternative energy systems and their design and applications. The course will focus primarily on wind turbines, solar systems, and hydrogen fuel cells. A basic understanding of electricity is highly recommended.
Prerequisites: MAT 020* or higher

ALT 210 FUNDAMENTALS OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY (2 CR) *(Same as CCT 160)*
This course will explore the fundamentals of designing and maintaining an energy efficient building to reduce a homeowner or business’s cost of utilities. Students will learn techniques to identify wasted energy and the methods needed to modernize an energy inefficient home.
Prerequisites: MAT 020* or higher

ALT 215 ENERGY AUDIT TECHNIQUES (3 CR) *(Same as CCT 162)*
This course will explore the necessary knowledge and skills to conduct a building energy audit. The class will learn how to operate the latest building science technology and equipment to identify heating, cooling, base load, and air leakage problems in a building.
Prerequisites: CCT 160 and MAT 033* or higher
ALT 250 WIND ENERGY (3 CR)
(Same as ELT 163)
In this course students are exposed to many of the skills necessary to install a residential wind turbine system. Topics include siting wind turbines, turbine components, estimating turbine electricity output, loading, battery, inverters and off-grid/grid-connected systems. Labs include hands-on activities with turbines and electrical equipment. Prior electrical skills and knowledge are required to be successful in this course.
Prerequisites: ELT 126 and ELT 151

ALT 255 SOLAR ENERGY (3 CR)
(Same as ELT 166)
This course explores the design, installation and maintenance of photovoltaic (PV) systems. Topics include site survey and assessment, estimating solar array electricity output, inverters, battery systems and off-grid/grid-connected systems. Labs include hands-on activities with solar panels and electrical equipment. Prior electrical skills and knowledge are required to be successful in this course.
Prerequisites: ELT 120 and ELT 151

ALT 260 GEOTHERMAL ENERGY & SYSTEMS (2 CR)
(Same as CCT 165)
This course will explore the basics of geothermal energy production, theory and technology. Residential system installation, maintenance and problem diagnosis will also be covered.
Prerequisites: CCT 121 and CCT 131 or ELT 120

ALT 265 SOLAR THERMAL ENERGY & SYSTEMS (2 CR)
(Same as CCT 167)
This course will explore the basics of solar thermal energy technology and application. The class will also cover system installation, maintenance and problem diagnosis.
Prerequisites: CCT 121 and CCT 131 or ELT 120

ALT 270 ALTERNATIVE FUELS (3 CR)
(Same as AUT 160)
This course is an overview of alternative fuels used in automobiles and light trucks. Students learn about various alternate fuels, their effect on exhaust emissions, their effect on the environment, the economic impact of alternate fuels and how they contribute to the reduction of importing foreign oil. Topics include hydrogen, fuel cells, natural gas (CNG & LNG), propane (LP gas), ethanol, methanol and biodiesel.
Prerequisite: ALT 200 or ELT 160

ANTHROPOLOGY (ANT)

ANT 131 CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY (3 CR)
Cultural anthropology is a one-semester introductory course. The course focuses on the thesis that every society is based on an integrated culture, which satisfies human needs and facilitates survival. The course also explores the ways in which our own culture fits into the broad range of human possibilities.
observational and conceptual drawings. Projects will incorporate a variety of ability levels, as well as traditional and non-traditional media (including digital images). Students will draw from a nude model. Critical thinking skills such as problem solving, understanding the creative process (from idea to finished product), and addressing visual and conceptual themes are essential parts of the course, reflected in the studio projects. An end of semester portfolio represents students’ growth and artistic development.

ART 111 ART HISTORY: PREHISTORIC TO 1400 (3 CR)
This course is a survey of art history and aesthetics covering art and architecture from prehistoric times to 1400.

ART 112 ART HISTORY: RENAISSANCE TO PRESENT (3 CR)
This course is a survey of art history and aesthetics covering art from the Renaissance through the 21st century.

ART 112A ART HISTORY: RENAISSANCE TO PRESENT (3 CR)
This course is a survey of art history and aesthetics covering art from the Renaissance through the 21st century.
Corequisite: ENG 086*

ART 121 CERAMICS I: FOUNDATIONS (3 CR)
A general overview of ceramics that focuses on a variety of hand building techniques as well as wheelwork and finishes.

ART 122 CERAMICS II: WHEEL & CERAMIC SCULPTURE (3 CR)
This course allows the advanced students an opportunity for further work on wheel-produced production pieces, as well as exploring the possibilities of sculpture created with ceramic materials. Advanced finishing and firing techniques will also be considered.
Prerequisite: ART 121

ART 137 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY I (3 CR) (Same as CIS 137)
This course demonstrates how to use and handle a digital camera, capturing the image, editing and processing images for output - such as printing, or preparing images for upload to the Internet for websites or social media platforms. The class will include techniques and instruction on layout, composition, rules of design, history of photography, and Photoshop® or image altering program applications.

ART 152 PAINTING I: DESIGN & COLOR (3 CR)
The elements and principles of design and color are introduced to create basic painting composition in a studio setting. Emphasis is given to techniques using acrylics and/or watercolor media. Critical thinking skills such as problem solving, understanding the creative process (from idea to finished product), and addressing visual and conceptual themes are essential parts of the course, reflected in the studio projects. Students will paint from a nude model. Gallery trips, as well as other field experiences, are key aspects of this course. Students work with the instructor to mount an end of semester exhibition, showcasing their artistic growth and development.
Prerequisite: ART 103

ART 201 THREE-DIMENSIONAL DESIGN: SHAPES & SPACE (3 CR)
Students learn the principles and elements of three-dimensional design and study how to apply them in a variety of studio projects. Students understand and demonstrate the different construction methods needed to create sculpture with a diverse array of media. Critical thinking skills such as problem solving, understanding the creative process (from idea to finished product), and addressing visual and conceptual themes are essential parts of the course. These skills are reflected in studio projects.
ART 205 DRAWING II: FIGURE & COMPOSITION (3 CR)
Students learn the elements and principles of drawing from life, with the emphasis on basic anatomy and advanced compositional elements. Projects incorporate advanced techniques and nontraditional media in a studio setting. Students will draw from a nude model. Critical thinking skills such as problem solving, understanding the creative process (from idea to finished product), and addressing visual and conceptual themes are essential parts of the course. These skills are reflected in studio projects. 
Prerequisite: ART 152

ART 237 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY II (3 CR) (Same as CIS 237)
This course provides the opportunity to refine and extend the skills of photographic seeing. Personal skills in digital photography will be used to explore a complete body of work. Students will be using Photoshop® CS5 to edit and explore their creative outlets further. Students’ individual personal goals will be set and executed during the semester. 
Prerequisite: ART 137 or CIS 137

ART 240 PRINTMAKING (3 CR)
The elements and principles of design and color are introduced to create prints in a studio setting. Emphasis is given to techniques using a variety of media and technologies. Critical thinking skills such as problem solving, understanding the creative process (from idea to finished product), and addressing visual and conceptual themes are essential parts of the course, reflected in the studio projects. Gallery trips, as well as other field experiences, are key aspects of this course. Students work with the instructor to mount an end-of-semester exhibition showcasing their artistic growth and development. 
Prerequisite: ART 101 or ART 103

ART 252 PAINTING I: DESIGN & COLOR (3 CR)
Student work will primarily involve paintings from a nude model in a studio setting. Students extend previous learning by solving problems dealing with complex compositional and color painting in a variety of situations. The development of a personal style and a culminating portfolio of work are emphasized. 
Prerequisite: ART 152

AUTO 101 GENERAL SERVICE (2 CR)
This course is designed for those who wish to explore the automotive service technician occupation. Introductory exposure to the various service areas is provided, along with student participation of various service tasks.

AUTO 102 ENGINE PERFORMANCE I (4 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of the automobile’s ignition and emission systems. Service procedures include scope analysis, compression testing, cylinder leak-down testing, component testing with digital multimeters and lab scopes, tune-up, and troubleshooting of the various systems. The combination of AUTO 102 and 103 prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examinations required for mechanic licensing. 
Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

AUTO 103 ENGINE PERFORMANCE II (4 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of the automobile’s fuel and computerized engine control systems. Service procedures include fuel pressure testing, fuel injector testing, exhaust gas analysis, scan tool usage, component testing with digital multimeters and lab scopes, and troubleshooting of the various systems. The combination of AUTO 102 and 103 prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examinations required for mechanic licensing.
examinations required for mechanic licensing. Students are required to take the Michigan certification test as an integral part of the course.

Prerequisite: AUT 102

AUT 105 AUTOMOTIVE BRAKES (3 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of the automobile’s braking systems. Service procedures include drum brake service, disc brake service, machining drums and rotors, parking brake service, hydraulic system repair, anti-lock brake system service, and troubleshooting the various systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examinations required for mechanic licensing. Students are required to take the Michigan certification test as an integral part of the course.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

AUT 106 SUSPENSION & STEERING (3 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of the automobile’s steering and suspension systems. Service procedures include pre-alignment inspections, four-wheel alignment, conventional suspension and steering systems, McPherson strut service, rack & pinion steering service, component replacement, and troubleshooting the various systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examination required for mechanic licensing. Students are required to take the Michigan certification examination as an integral part of the course.

Prerequisites: AUT 101, AUT 234, and MAT 040* or higher

AUT 108 AUTOMOTIVE AIR CONDITIONING & HEATING (3 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of the automobile’s air conditioning and heating systems. Service procedures include cooling system service, refrigeration system service, control system repair, heater service, component testing, environmental issues (the ASE Refrigerant and Recovery Certification test is included and required), and troubleshooting the various systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examination required for mechanic licensing. Students are required to take the Michigan certification test as an integral part of the course.

Prerequisite: AUT 112
AUT 118 DIESEL FUNDAMENTALS (2 CR)
This course is designed for those who wish to explore modern automotive and light truck diesel engines. This will include a study of diesel operating principles, fuel systems, engine construction, sub-systems, diesel maintenance and diagnosis. Shop time will include disassembly, exploration and reassembly of compact diesel engines. 
Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

AUT 160 ALTERNATE FUELS (3 CR) (Same as ALT 270)
This course is an overview of alternative fuels used in automobiles and light trucks. Students learn about various alternate fuels, their effect on exhaust emissions, their effect on the environment, the economic impact of alternate fuels and how they contribute to the reduction of importing foreign oil. Topics include hydrogen, fuel cells, natural gas (CNG & LNG), propane (LP gas), ethanol, methanol and biodiesel. 
Prerequisite: ALT 200 or ELT 160

AUT 201 ENGINE REPAIR (4 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of the automobile engine. Service procedures include cooling system repair, lubrication system repair, intake systems repair, exhaust repair, engine testing, engine replacement, engine disassembly, cleaning and measurement, cylinder head reconditioning, block reconditioning, machining operations, assembly techniques, and troubleshooting the various systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examination required for mechanic licensing. Students are required to take the Michigan certification test as an integral part of the course. 
Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

AUT 202 AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION (4 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of automatic transmissions and transaxles. Service procedures include basic transmission service, transmission pressure testing, scan tool testing, transmission assembly replacement, transmission disassembly, inspection of parts, transmission reassembly, and troubleshooting the various systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge to successfully complete the Michigan or ASE certification examination required for mechanic licensing. Students are required to take the Michigan certification test as an integral part of the course. 
Prerequisites: AUT 101, AUT 234, and MAT 040* or higher

AUT 203 ADVANCED ENGINE PERFORMANCE (2 CR)
Covers general power train diagnosis, computerized power train diagnosis (including OBD II), ignition system diagnosis (including scope analysis), fuel and air induction diagnosis (including 5-gas analysis), emission control systems diagnosis, and I/M failure diagnosis. Students who successfully complete this course will be ready to take the ASE L-1, Auto Advanced Engine Performance Specialist Exam. 
Prerequisites: AUT 102, AUT 103 and CIS 116

AUT 204 MANUAL TRANSMISSIONS & DRIVELINES (3 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of manual transmissions, manual transaxles and drivelines. Service procedures include transmission service, clutch overhaul, half-shaft repair, driveshaft repair, differential service, axle repair, and troubleshooting the various systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge to successfully complete the Michigan or ASE certification examination required for mechanic licensing. Students are required to take the Michigan certification test as an integral part of the course. 
Prerequisites: AUT 101, AUT 234, and MAT 040* or higher
AUT 210 INTERNSHIP/EXTERNSHIP (4 CR)
This co-op experience is paid on-the-job training. It prepares the student to acquire hands-on job skills and work habits in conjunction with the student’s employment site. The student will work at a sponsoring repair shop or dealership approximately three days a week (or to be arranged with instructor’s approval) performing a variety of automotive repairs. Visits by the school supervisor provide the basis for evaluation. Students are required to complete a total of one co-op experience in the associate degree program.
Prerequisite: Instructor Permission Required

AUT 211 INTERNSHIP/EXTERNSHIP (4 CR)
This co-op experience is paid on-the-job training. It prepares the student to acquire hands-on job skills and work habits in conjunction with the student’s employment site. The student will work at a sponsoring repair shop or dealership approximately three days a week (or to be arranged with instructor’s approval) performing a variety of automotive repairs. Visits by the school supervisor provide the basis for evaluation. Students are required to complete a total of one co-op experience in the associate degree program.
Prerequisite: Instructor Permission Required

AUT 212 INTERNSHIP/EXTERNSHIP (4 CR)
This co-op experience is paid on-the-job training. It prepares the student to acquire hands-on job skills and work habits in conjunction with the student’s employment site. The student will work at a sponsoring repair shop or dealership approximately three days a week (or to be arranged with instructor’s approval) performing a variety of automotive repairs. Visits by the school supervisor provide the basis for evaluation. Students are required to complete a total of one co-op experience in the associate degree program.
Prerequisite: Instructor Permission Required

AUT 214 AUTO LAB EXPERIENCE (4 CR)
Structured lab time to work on auto repair projects in which students have completed coursework and want to expand their knowledge and skills in specific areas previously not covered. May be used as an internal co-op.
Prerequisites: AUT 102, AUT 103, AUT 105, AUT 106, AUT 108, AUT 112, AUT 113, AUT 201, AUT 202 or AUT 204

AUT 234 UNDERCAR SERVICE (2 CR)
This course will provide training in MIG welding, exhaust pipe bending and oxyacetylene cutting procedures. This class is designed to prepare the students to pass the ASE XI Specialist Test: Exhaust Systems.

AUT 240 HYBRID TECHNOLOGY (2 CR)
This course will introduce students to hybrid technology through a combination of classroom and lab experiences. Topics include safety procedures when working on the high voltage systems, understanding the various warning lights, understanding normal operation and diagnosis of the various high voltage systems. Lab will include hands-on activities on a hybrid vehicle.
Prerequisites: AUT 102 and AUT 112

AUT 248 DIESEL ENGINE PERFORMANCE (2 CR)
This course is designed to provide an in-depth study of the compact diesel fuel and emission systems. This will include the study of diesel fuel, diesel fuel supply systems, high pressure mechanical and electronic fuel injection systems, computerized engine controls, exhaust gas recirculation valves, exhaust emissions, and soot particle reduction. Shop time will include using diesel fuel systems simulators, scan tool usage for diagnosis of fuel and emission system problems, and work on a diesel-powered pick-up truck.
Prerequisite: AUT 118

AUT 251 HEAVY DUTY BRAKES (3 CR)
A comprehensive study of the heavy duty trucks braking systems. This course is designed to address the safe, effective diagnostic, repair and maintenance procedures for today’s medium and heavy duty vehicles. Service procedures include braking fundamentals, air
brake foundation systems and air brake circuits, hydraulic and air over hydraulic braking systems, anti-lock, vehicle stability and servicing of these systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examinations required to become a Michigan Certified Technician. 

Prerequisite: AUT 101 and AUT 234

AUT 263 HEAVY DUTY STEERING AND SUSPENSION (3 CR)
A comprehensive study including a hands-on repair of the medium and heavy duty trucks’ steering and suspension systems. Service procedures include pre-alignment inspections, commercial vehicle tires, wheels, front axles and vehicle alignment factors suspension systems and steering systems, component replacement, and troubleshooting the various systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examination required for mechanic licensing.

Prerequisite: AUT 101 and AUT 234

AUT 268 HEAVY DUTY HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING (3 CR)
A comprehensive study including hands-on repair of the automobile’s air conditioning and heating systems. Service procedures include cooling system service, refrigeration system service, control system repair, heater service, component testing, environmental issues (the ASE Refrigerant and Recovery Certification test is included and required), and troubleshooting the various systems. This course prepares the student with job skills for entry into the workforce and the knowledge for successfully completing the Michigan or ASE certification examination required for mechanic licensing.

Prerequisite: AUT 101 and AUT 234

BIOLOGY (BIO)

BIO 110 INTRODUCTORY BIOLOGY (4 CR)
Students will investigate the nature of science and critically analyze scientific data. Basic biological concepts including cancer, biostatistics, organic molecules and nutrition, biotechnology, nutrient cycles, and evolution are presented in the context of current issues. This course includes a discussion component which involves reading, critically evaluating, and discussing scientific papers: thus strong college reading and writing skills are recommended. The course is designed for non-science majors and includes a laboratory component.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

BIO 132 HUMAN BIOLOGY (4 CR)
Students focus on the structure and function of the human body, the unity and diversity of life, the nature of scientific inquiry, and the principles and processes of evolution as well as contemporary issues that relate to biology. Course includes a laboratory component which focuses on human anatomy.

Prerequisite: MAT 04* or higher

BIO 140 PUBLIC HEALTH AND DISEASE (3 CR)
This lecture/discussion course provides an evidence-based approach to the concepts of public health. Topics covered include infectious and non-infectious diseases along with genetic and environmental factors in health and disease. Students will explore local and national public health resources with an emphasis on how public health data can be used to inform decisions about their own health.

Prerequisite: MAT 040* or higher

BIO 158 ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE (4 CR)
This course serves as a foundation for environmental science majors. It is also suitable for non-majors interested in environmental topics. Emphasis is placed on laboratory experience, environmental surveys, and class
discussions to reinforce scientific principles. Environmental case studies are covered in detail. In the laboratory, the students will learn how to analyze quantitative environmental data through application. This class has a laboratory component.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

**BIO 161 GENERAL BIOLOGY I (4 CR)**

Biology 161 is the first semester of a one-year general biology experience intended for science majors or pre-professional students. This course covers nature of science, a survey of the major groups of living organisms (bacteria, fungi, plants and animals), the process and evidence for evolution, and the fundamentals of ecology. It provides the foundation for upper-level biology courses. This course includes a laboratory component which includes dissection of preserved specimens.

Prerequisites: MAT 033* or higher

**BIO 231 GENERAL BOTANY (4 CR)**

Emphasizes the development, anatomy, physiology and evolution of angiosperms. A survey of the plant kingdom with representative life cycles stresses relationships among plant groups. Course includes a laboratory component.

Prerequisites: BIO 110, BIO 161 or BIO 162

**BIO 162 GENERAL BIOLOGY II (4 CR)**

Biology 162 is the second semester of a one-year general biology experience intended for science majors or pre-professional students. This course covers the chemical basis of life, cell structure and function, photosynthesis and cellular respiration, molecular and Mendelian genetics, cell division, gene regulation and biotechnology. It provides the foundation for upper level biology courses. This course includes a laboratory component. Successful completion of BIO 161 is recommended prior to enrollment.

Prerequisites: CEM 131 or higher

**BIO 232 GENERAL ZOOLOGY (4 CR)**

A comparative study of the anatomical and evolutionary relationships of the major animal phyla with emphasis on development, structure and function of vertebrate systems. Course includes a laboratory component.

Prerequisites: BIO 110, BIO 161 or BIO 162

**BIO 253 HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I (4 CR)**

This is the first course of a two-semester course sequence in which students study the anatomy and physiology of the human body. The course includes introductions to basic chemistry, biology and histology and extends to the survey of the integumentary, skeletal, muscular and nervous systems. This course includes a laboratory component in which students are responsible for performing dissections and making original observations on dissected material. The laboratory experience culminates with the use of a plastinated human specimen for observation. A strong background in biology and/or chemistry is highly recommended.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

**BIO 254 HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II (4 CR)**

This is the second course of a two-semester course sequence in which students study the anatomy and physiology of the human body. The course includes the autonomic nervous system, sensory, motor, and integrative systems, special senses, endocrine system, cardiovascular systems, lymphatic system and immunity, respiratory systems, digestive system, metabolism and nutrition, urinary system and reproductive systems. This course includes a laboratory component in which
students are responsible for performing dissections and making original observations on dissected material. The laboratory experience culminates with the use of a plastinated human specimen for observation. Because physiological processes are based on the principles of chemistry, prior chemistry coursework is strongly recommended for this course. 

Prerequisite: BIO 253

BIO 258 FIELD ECOLOGY (5 CR)
This course is designed to provide hands-on field research experiences in ecology and environmental science. Students will be introduced to quantitative field science methodology, natural history, current research issues, and will participate in data collection for ongoing research projects. The ecological concepts that underlie modern hypothesis tests in ecology will be explored through discussions, readings and field research activities. Conducting regionally based ecological projects with ecological mathematical methods are a major component of this course. People highly allergic to poison ivy, insects, molds or pollen need to take precautionary steps during field studies.

Prerequisites: MTH 033* or higher

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BUSINESS (BUA)

BUA 100 CONTEMPORARY BUSINESS (3 CR)
As business speeds into the 21st century, new techniques, population shifts, and shrinking global barriers are altering the world at a frantic pace. This course will offer the student an overview of the concepts required for managers and leaders to promote the success of today’s contemporary business to include management, leadership, human resource management, marketing, business law, and finance. Finally, this course will offer each student the opportunity to explore the many components of a business plan as they develop their own business ideas and create a personalized business plan.

Prerequisites: CIS 095*, ENG 086* and ENG 091*

BUA 111 PERSONAL FINANCE (3 CR)
Provides a fundamental knowledge of financial concerns including financial services, stocks, bonds, budgeting, insurance, real estate, estate and tax planning, buying on credit, borrowing, saving, investing intelligently, and retirement. Analysis of personal objectives to financial planning will be discussed and put into practice.

Prerequisites: CIS 095*

BUA 120 HUMAN RELATIONS IN BUSINESS (3 CR)
Effective human relations are an indispensable tool in developing a successful professional presence in today’s world. Topics include self-understanding, as well as the understanding of others, motivation, productivity, morale, conflict and change, stress, ethics, diversity, goal setting, the power of positive reinforcement, image building, emotional control, assertiveness, effective communication and different leadership styles.

Prerequisites: CIS 095*

BUA 121 LEADERSHIP (3 CR)
Both knowledge and behavior contribute to effective leadership skills needed to enhance the contribution of your team. Students explore topics including shared vision and values, team building, and decision making. You will study leadership theory in ways that encourage the development of your leadership skills, including effective use of power and influence, motivational tools, personality assessment, team communication, role modeling, and performance appraisals.

Prerequisites: CIS 095*

BUA 122 SUCCESSFUL SMALL BUSINESS (3 CR)
Do you have what it takes to own your own business? Discover that, as well as sources of financing, forms of legal ownership, niche
marketing, and most importantly, how to avoid business failure.

**Prerequisites: CIS 095**

**BUA 130 CUSTOMER SERVICE (3 CR)**
In the face of change, an uncertain economy, and intensive competition, the student will learn how to create an unexpected, highly evolving experience, to create customer loyalty and compelling word of mouth customers. The core element of service quality will be applied to both people-centered and technology-centered businesses, industries and organizations. The ultimate goal of this course is to help improve students’ abilities to communicate effectively with internal and external customers.

**Prerequisites: CIS 095**

**BUA 170 Fundamentals of Project Management (3 CR)**
Ranging from the Empire State Building to the Hoover Dam, projects have required hundreds to thousands of people working together to achieve a common goal. Throughout history, individuals have been tasked with managing these projects. Today’s fast-paced businesses are constantly investigating new ventures to further their stance in the selected industry. This course analyzes the knowledge and skills necessary to be a successful project leader. Methods of planning, executing, managing, and evaluating complex projects are studied in detail. Topics include project selection, project organizational structures, project scheduling and budgeting, workflow analysis, managing risk, and forming and communicating with team members.

**Prerequisites: CIS 095 and ENG 086**

**BUA 220 PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT (3 CR)**
This management course exposes students to the dynamics of the changing world. Topics such as management functions/ processes, quality, leadership styles, power, global issues, and the challenges and opportunities of diversity are included. Emphasis is placed on ethics, decision making, effective communication, evaluating employees, motivational tools, organizational design, environmental scanning, supervising groups, controlling quality, productivity improvement, managing change and conflict, labor relations and time management.

**Prerequisites: CIS 095**

**BUA 221 HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT (3 CR)**
Create and maintain a desirable and productive work place by applying management skills with emphasis on improving performance and career development. Topics include: employment law, recruitment and selection, placement techniques, interview methods, job analysis, staffing, training and development, performance appraisals, team building, benefit administration, government regulation, compensation systems, health and safety, and labor-management issues.

**Prerequisites: CIS 095**

**BUA 230 PRINCIPLES OF MARKETING (3 CR)**
Students analyze the marketplace to identify customer wants and needs and develop effective strategies to satisfy them. Emphasis is placed on research, marketing environments, strategic planning, buyer behavior, evaluating key competitors, and the marketing functions of product or service planning, pricing, promotion and distribution.

**Prerequisites: CIS 095**

**BUA 231 ADVERTISING, PROMOTION & PUBLIC RELATIONS (3 CR)**
Students study the principles and practices of numerous promotional tools used in marketing communications. Topics include the creation of advertising, media strategies, message appeals, plus the use of specialty advertising, sales promotion and public relations to help sell goods, services and ideas.

**Prerequisites: CIS 095**
BUA 245 INTERNSHIP/EXTERNSHIP (3 CR)
Students will have meaningful work experience with an appropriate company. The company and job must be approved by the supervising faculty member.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required

BUA 250 BUSINESS LAW I (3 CR)
This course offers an introduction to law and the legal system, dispute resolution and courts, business ethics, torts, contracts, sales and leases of goods, and negotiable instruments.
Prerequisites: CIS 095*

BUA 270 Teamwork and Project Teams (3 CR)
Teamwork and project leadership are key components of successful project managers. In this course, students will gain an understanding of the concepts and practices necessary to lead companies in a project environment and learn the key concepts related to effective teamwork. The course will focus on translating organizational objectives into project goals that meet the demand of the corporate strategies. Topics include leadership and communication skills, the role of the project manager, and the associated skills required to be both a team member and team leader. Special focus is given to agile project management concepts necessary to operate in today’s dynamic business environments.
Prerequisites: BUA 170 and ENG 131, and MAT 131* or higher

BUA 315 INNOVATION, BRANDING, AND STRATEGIC MARKETING (3 CR)
Students will analyze methods for creating innovative product and service offerings as part of an overall brand strategy for a hospitality establishment. This course will equip students with analytical tools used in developing brands to capture market share and adapt to ever-changing consumer preferences. A robust brand strategy aligns with an organization’s internal systems and culture. As a result, students will adopt the perspective of senior managers, considering the importance of team building, market research/product testing, competitive analysis, quality control/consistency, outsourcing, and complying with legal/regulatory requirements.
Prerequisite: BUA 230 and CUL 100

BUA 420 PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP (3 CR)
Students will experience and complete the entire project management process, from start to finish. Each student will create a project proposal, develop scope definitions, determine schedule, allocate resources, establish cost predictions, manage risk and critical path threats, communicate with stakeholders, close out and document the project. Additional topics include building and leading project teams, utilizing industry project management software, and following the Project Management Body of Knowledge (PMBOK) framework.
Prerequisites: PHL 232, CIS 101* or CIS 201*, ENG 131, and MAT 131* or higher

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COMPUTER ASSISTED DRAFTING (CAD)

CAD 151 AUTOCAD 1 (3 CR)
This course covers the applications in which the phases of computer graphics are involved. A general introduction to drafting application will be presented. Recommended: Microsoft Windows and blueprint reading experience.
Prerequisite: MFG 105

CAD 251 AUTOCAD II (3 CR)
This is a second level CAD-based design course that will expand the student’s knowledge of 3D CAD modeling, 3D assemblies, and more complex CAD-based designs. 3D Stereolotystographic printers and other prototyping equipment will be used to construct design projects.
Prerequisite: CAD 151

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CLIMATE CONTROL TECHNOLOGY (CCT)

CCT 121 INTRODUCTION TO HVAC (3 CR)
The course will introduce the student to a variety of professions and work opportunities in the HVAC field. Students will also review the tools of the trade, safety practices, a basic introduction to components of heating and air conditioning equipment, heat transfer, psychometrics and air quality.

CCT 160 FUNDAMENTALS OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY (2 CR)
(Same as ALT 210)
This course will explore the fundamentals of designing and maintaining an energy efficient building to reduce a homeowner or business’s cost of utilities. Students will learn techniques to identify wasted energy and the methods needed to modernize an energy inefficient home.
Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

CCT 162 ENERGY AUDIT TECHNIQUES (3 CR)
(Same as ALT 215)
This course will explore the necessary knowledge and skills to conduct a building energy audit. The class will learn how to operate the latest building science technology and equipment to identify heating, cooling, base load, and air leakage problems in a building.
Prerequisites: CCT 160 and MAT 033* or higher

CCT 165 GEOTHERMAL ENERGY & SYSTEMS (2 CR)
(Same as ALT 260)
This course will explore the basics of geothermal energy production, theory and technology. Residential system installation, maintenance, and problem diagnosis will also be covered.
Prerequisites: CCT 121 and CCT 131 or ELT 120

CCT 167 SOLAR THERMAL ENERGY & SYSTEMS (2 CR)
(Same as ALT 265)
This course will explore the basics of solar thermal energy technology and application. The class will also cover system installation, maintenance and problem diagnosis.
Prerequisites: CCT 121 and CCT 131 or ELT 120

CHEMISTRY (CEM)

CEM 131 FUNDAMENTALS OF CHEMISTRY (4 CR)
Fills requirement for some non-science majors. Provides background for CEM 141 for those with no recent high school chemistry. Fundamental principles of chemistry such as states of matter, simple atomic and molecular structure, and the periodic classification of elements. The study of water emphasizes the properties of solutions and acid-base relations. Course includes a laboratory component.
Prerequisites: MAT 033* or higher

CEM 132 FUNDAMENTALS OF ORGANIC & BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY (4 CR)
This course is an extension of material covered in CEM 131. It is required in many bachelor’s degree programs, including nursing. Organic topics include the structure, physical properties and chemical behavior of the major classes of organic compounds. The structure, function, formation and reactions of carbohydrates, fats, proteins, and nucleic acids are covered, including enzymes, chemical messengers and biochemical energy production. Course includes a laboratory component.
Prerequisite: CEM 131 or CEM 141

CEM 141 GENERAL CHEMISTRY I (5 CR)
This course is required for most sciences, engineering, and pre-professional health majors. Students who are required to take organic chemistry for their major should enroll in CEM 141 during their first semester. Topics include atomic and molecular structure, periodicity, chemical bonding, states of matter,
kinetic molecular theory and stoichiometry. Course includes a laboratory component.  

Prerequisites: CIS 095* and MAT 131* or higher

CEM 142 GENERAL CHEMISTRY II (5 CR)  
This course is the second semester of general chemistry and extends material covered in CEM 141. Covered concepts include chemical thermodynamics, electrochemical reactions, reaction kinetics, acid-base theories, nuclear chemistry, and aqueous solutions with emphasis on equilibrium. Experiments include quantitative methods, stoichiometry, colorimetry and gravimetric analysis. Course includes a laboratory component.  

Prerequisite: CEM 141

CEM 241 ORGANIC CHEMISTRY I (5 CR)  
A comprehensive study of the major classes of organic compounds, their structures and reactions. The stereo-chemical properties and spectra (IR and NMR) of molecules and their mechanisms of reactions are stressed. The laboratory experiments demonstrate techniques used in organic reactions, syntheses illustrating types of reactions, analysis of major classes of compounds, and kinetic studies.  

Prerequisite: CEM 142

CEM 242 ORGANIC CHEMISTRY II (5 CR)  
A continuation of CEM 241. Course includes a laboratory component.  

Prerequisite: CEM 241

COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS (CIS)  

CIS 090 COMPUTER BASICS (2 CR)  
This course introduces basic computer concepts and components. Topics include beginning computer concepts, identifying hardware, understanding software, using Microsoft Windows operating system, learning the keyboard, understanding the World Wide Web and conducting Internet searches, and introduction to e-mail communication. Students will apply concepts to real-life scenarios through active-learning strategies.  

CIS 095 COMPUTER LITERACY (2 CR)  
This course covers computer concepts, storage media, file management, word processing, online learning systems, e-mailing with attachments, and keyboarding. Students will apply concepts to real-life scenarios through active-learning strategies.  

Prerequisites: CIS 090*

CIS 101 INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER SYSTEMS (3 CR)  
Enhance computer knowledge. Course covers computer system concepts with an emphasis on several software applications. Typing ability necessary to be successful in this class.  

Prerequisites: CIS 095*, ENG 086*, ENG 091* and MAT 020* or higher

CIS 104 KEYBOARD SPEED/ACCURACY (1 CR)  
At course entry your keyboarding speed and accuracy is measured. A diagnosis of your specific keyboarding problem is made. Your skill improvement goals will be established and appropriate practice lessons selected. Periodic program check timings will be administered to measure your progress.

CIS 112 MICROSOFT OFFICE PROFESSIONAL INTRODUCTION (3 CR)  
Introduction and skill development in the four applications of Microsoft Office (Microsoft Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint), plus the full integration of all four packages.

CIS 117 MICROSOFT OUTLOOK WORKSHOP (1 CR)  
Learn to use Outlook components to create and use the calendar feature to schedule meetings and multiple day events, establish a “contacts” database, keep journals, notes and use the task manager for prioritizing jobs. This is an optional component of the Microsoft Office User Specialist Expert certification tests. Typing ability necessary to be successful in this course.
CIS 119 MICROSOFT® POWERPOINT - WINDOWS (2 CR)
Students will learn how to create electronic presentations using design templates, slide layouts, the outline tab, clip art, from other programs such as Microsoft Word and how to enhance slideshows with visual elements in presentation formats. Student will also learn how to create presentations for the web, self-running presentations, presentations containing interactive documents and how to collaborate work groups. Keyboarding skills are essential.

CIS 120 MICROSOFT WORD COMPREHENSIVE - WINDOWS (3 CR)
Produce, store and revise letters, memos, tables and reports using Microsoft Word. Headers, footers, mail merge, document assembly, grammar and spell checker, thesaurus, and outlining are covered. Keyboarding skills are essential.

CIS 121 MICROSOFT EXCEL COMPREHENSIVE - WINDOWS (3 CR)
Learn Microsoft Excel components: charts, creating workbooks, using drawing tools, formatting and auditing worksheets, functions, Internet and intranet documents, modifying and printing workbooks, ranges, database queries, importing and exporting data, macros, working with multiple workbooks, working with existing and creating new templates, and advanced workgroup functions. Keyboarding skills are essential.

CIS 125 MICROSOFT® EXPRESSIONS® WEB (1 CR)
This course will show how to create websites with the Microsoft Expressions Web program. Topics will include how to create a website, managing and publishing a website, and how to use views, table and frames. Previous keyboarding experience is necessary to be successful in this course.
Prerequisite: CIS 095*

CIS 126 DIGITAL DESIGN FUNDAMENTALS (3 CR)
Students explore fundamental methods used to compose persuasive digital layouts. Strategies in aesthetics, personal methodology, industry-standard practices are performed with the intent to deliver a clear, unique and proficient message.
Prerequisites: MAT 131 or higher

CIS 127 INTRODUCTION TO CREATIVE SOFTWARE (3 CR)
Understanding the full potential and limitations of software is essential to the success of graphic design students. Introduction to Creative Software is an entry-level course that takes the student who is new to graphic design and creative careers into this dynamic industry and lets them explore common software used.

CIS 128 TYPOGRAPHY & LAYOUT (3 CR)
Learn the history and principles of type identification, selection and use in the professional rendering of comprehensive print and digital layouts. Utilization of digital tools, materials and techniques are emphasized.
Prerequisite: CIS 127

CIS 129 INTRODUCTION TO PRODUCTION FOR THE DESIGNER (3 CR)
This course introduces the graphic design student to the fundamentals of production printing processes.
CIS 131 METHODS IN 3-D PROTOTYPING (1 CR)
Students propose concept development and build three-dimensional product mock-ups. Dexterity, craftsmanship and implementation using innovative logistical methods are practiced and delivered.

CIS 132 GRAPHIC ILLUSTRATION (ADOBE® ILLUSTRATOR®) (3 CR)
Learn how to create professional looking illustrations using Adobe® Illustrator®. This course introduces the student to techniques used by professional designers and illustrators. 
Prerequisite: CIS 127

CIS 133 BRAND IDENTITY DESIGN (1 CR)
This course introduces students to common contemporary practices of corporate brand identity design. Review and discussion of brand-building concepts are researched and analyzed.

CIS 134 GRAPHIC IMAGING (ADOBE® PHOTOSHOP®) (3 CR)
Learn the intricacies of scanning and editing images for producing practical and expressive images on a computer using Adobe® Photoshop® software.

CIS 135 OPEN SOURCE WEB DESIGN (1 CR)
This course will explore several open source web design software programs available, their risks and advantages in the web development arena. Students will create an eCommerce website, learn to manage the site using open source utilities available and discover strategies for the security of website information and eCommerce transactions.

CIS 136 INTEGRATED DESIGN (ADOBE® INDESIGN®) (3 CR)
Learn the basics of desktop publishing using Adobe® InDesign®. Students use computers and laser printers to create professional-looking publications that incorporate illustrations and bitmap graphics. 
Prerequisite: CIS 127

CIS 137 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY I (3 CR)
(Same as ART 137)
This course demonstrates how to use and handle a digital camera, capturing the image, editing and processing images for output — such as printing, or preparing images for upload to the Internet for websites or social media platforms. The class will include techniques and instruction on layout, composition, rules of design, history of photography, and Adobe® Photoshop® or image altering program applications.

CIS 138 IMAGE EDITING APPLICATIONS (1 CR)
Students will be exposed to current applications and technical aspects of image manipulation in a variety of contexts. They will become familiar with applications through research, demonstrations and structured exercises as well as open-ended assignments.

CIS 143 HTML (2 CR)
Create web pages using HTML. Students will learn techniques and strategies to build and promote successful web pages. Features such as columns, frames, image maps and META tags will be covered in this course. 
Prerequisite: CIS 095*

CIS 146 WEB DESIGN & DEVELOPMENT (3 CR)
Do you want to build web pages but have no previous experience? This course will start with the basics of web design and progress to creating a dynamic and interactive web site that adapts for mobile devices. You will learn how to use the latest techniques, best practices, and current web standards including HTML5, CSS#, and JavaScript.

CIS 158 PROGRAMMING LOGIC (3 CR)
Students explore the development of the logic and theory for writing business programs that control the operation of a computer. Course covers the development of both structured design and object-oriented design. Topics include control structures, arrays, data validation, testing and debugging. 
Prerequisite: CIS 095*
CIS 165 JAVA PROGRAMMING (3 CR)
Students use procedural and object-oriented programming capabilities to design, develop, and test computer programs. Topics covered include control structures, methods, object-oriented programming, classes, applets and user interfaces.
Prerequisites: CIS 095* and MAT 033* or higher

CIS 170 PROGRAMMING IN C++ (3 CR)
(Same as CPS 177)
Students study digital computing systems and how they are used to solve problems. Students use procedural and object-oriented programming capabilities to design, develop, and test computer programs. Topics covered include program development, functions, control structures, text file operations, classes, recursion, arrays and pointers.
Prerequisites: CIS 095* and MAT 033* or higher

CIS 171 3D MODELING I (4 CR)
Students will begin learning the basic low polygon modeling techniques. Special emphasis on character design and environmental modeling will be the key to this class along with a flow into topics of human topology. This course is perfect for an artist or a technical-minded individual.
Prerequisite: CIS 095*

CIS 172 LIGHTING AND TEXTURING (4 CR)
Students will learn how to set up 3D environments, dynamic and static lighting and be able to use mappings to manipulate that light on a 3D surface. Material and surface terminology will also be taught. Students will be introduced to 2D matte painting techniques for environmental backdrops.
Prerequisite: CIS 171

CIS 173 ANIMATION I (4 CR)
This course introduces students to the techniques necessary to produce animated digital image sequences. Using industry-standard software tools, students develop graphics and initiate the movement of their 2D and 3D objects in frame animation by actions such as rotating, scaling, and teening.
Prerequisite: CIS 171

CIS 174 PC REPAIR/A+ HARDWARE COMPONENT (3 CR)
Course covers basic computer theory, logic, technological evolution, fundamental PC components, I/O peripheral identification, implementation, functionality, and printer fundamentals / types / diagnostics / troubleshooting / basic repair.

CIS 175 PC REPAIR/A+ SOFTWARE COMPONENT (3 CR)
Students gain familiarization with basic DOS functionality and manipulation for diagnostics, troubleshooting and repair with Microsoft Windows O/S. Installation, configuration, troubleshooting, diagnostics, upgrade familiarity with necessary Microsoft product for A+ certification.
Prerequisite: CIS 174

CIS 176 A+ CERTIFICATION EXAM PREPARATION (1 CR)
Focus on A+ core exam module component essentials/ fundamentals, includes real-time test environment and materials.
Prerequisite: CIS 175

CIS 179 NETWORK+ CERTIFICATION EXAM PREPARATION (1 CR)
Focus on Network+ core exam module component essentials/ fundamentals to include real-time test environment and materials.
Prerequisite: CNS 101

CIS 201 ADVANCED INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES (3 CR)
(Same as ECM 201)
This course enhances electronic communication skills and computer concepts essential to using current advanced information technologies. Topics include web collaboration, web conferencing, web 2.0 applications, social media, mobile computing, file conversions and cross-platform compatibility.
Prerequisites: CIS 095*

CIS 203 INTRODUCTION TO PROBABILITY & STATISTICS (4 CR)
(Same as MAT 133)
This course is an introduction to experimental design, data representation, basic descriptive statistics, probability theorems, frequency distributions and functions, binomial and normal probability distributions and functions, probability density functions, hypothesis testing, statistical inference, Chi-square analysis, linear regression, correlation and application of the above in making informed, data-driven decisions in real-world contexts. Both graphing calculators and computer-based statistical software (Microsoft Excel) will be used. If the prerequisite is more than two years old, then the mathematics department recommends the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student.
Prerequisite: MAT 033* or MAT 130* or higher

CIS 210 OFFICE ADMINISTRATION SYSTEMS (4 CR)
Develop and integrate administrative support skills in communication, information technologies, administrative procedures and problem solving. Topics include: records management, information/communication systems, including electronic, space management and ergonomics, quality and productivity improvement techniques, meeting/travel planning, record preparation/presentation and employment skills. Keyboarding skills are essential.
Prerequisite: CIS 120

CIS 220 DATABASE SYSTEMS (3 CR)
This course covers the fundamental concepts of database systems focusing on design, implementation, and management. Relational, object-oriented, noSQL, and distributed database systems will be studied. Topics include data models, normalization, SQL, database administration, and connectivity to the internet.

CIS 230 PRACTICUM IN PRINTING (4 CR)
Students receive a hands-on introduction on how to screen and offset printing works. The class will be project-oriented.
Prerequisite: CIS 127

CIS 232 INTEGRATED DESIGN II (ADOBE® INDESIGN®) (3 CR)
Students will design creative publications via Adobe® InDesign® while integrating designs from Adobe® Photoshop® and Illustrator®. Topics in this class include: page layouts, styles, layers, color separation and interactive PDFs.
Prerequisites: CIS 128 and CIS 132 or CIS 136

CIS 234 GRAPHIC TECHNOLOGY APPLICATIONS (3 CR)
Students prepare for career opportunities by defining areas of employment and identifying prospective employers in the graphic design profession. Students also create a professional portfolio to be used for employment interview purposes.
Prerequisites: CIS 126, CIS 127, CIS 128, CIS 132, CIS 136 and CIS 230

CIS 237 DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY II (3 CR)
(Same as ART 237)
This course provides the opportunity to refine and extend the skills of photographic seeing. Personal skills in digital photography will be used to explore a complete body of work. Students will be using Photoshop® CS5 to edit and explore their creative outlets further. Students’ individual personal goals will be set and executed during the semester.
Prerequisite: ART 137 or CIS 137

CIS 244 WEB PROGRAMMING (3 CR)
Students will learn to design and maintain interactive and dynamic web applications within a server-based scripting environment.
Prerequisites: CIS 146 and CIS 158

CIS 245 INTERNSHIP/EXTERNSHIP (3 CR)
This course will provide comprehensive work experience to assist students in the development of essential skills to be successful
The position must be obtained by the student and approved by the department before registration is permitted. 

Prerequisite: Instructor permission required

**CIS 247 WEB PAGE DESIGN II (DREAMWEAVER®) (3 CR)**
The course covers advanced concepts of web page design using Dreamweaver®. This course will teach students advanced design techniques to add efficiency, interactivity, and visual interest to their Internet website. 

Prerequisite: CIS 147

**CIS 265 ANDROID DEVELOPMENT (3 CR)**
In this course, students will use the latest development languages for Android mobile application development. This course will introduce you to the basics of the Android platform, Android application components, activities and their lifecycle, UI design, multimedia, 2D graphics and networking support in Android. Prior programming experience is required. 

Prerequisite: CIS 165

**CIS 273 SYSTEMS CONCEPTS AND DESIGN (3 CR)**
Students will design a system, prepare the related documentation and required programs, using an existing business as a model. Course covers flow charting a system, defining problems, and preparing new forms. Students determine a desirable file structure. 

Prerequisites: CIS 165 or CIS 170

**COMMUNICATIONS (COM)**

**COM 231 COMMUNICATION FUNDAMENTALS (3 CR)**
Students will learn the basic principles of speech communication including speech development and delivery, interpersonal message, non-verbal messages, and small group dynamics. The course is designed to prepare students to be effective communicators in a diverse global society. Student speeches will be evaluated for effectiveness.

**COM 231A COMMUNICATION FUNDAMENTALS (3 CR)**
Students will learn the basic principles of speech communication including speech development and delivery, interpersonal message, non-verbal messages, and small group dynamics. The course is designed to prepare students to be effective communicators in a diverse global society. Student speeches will be evaluated for effectiveness. 

Corequisites: ENG 086

**COM 233 ARGUMENTATION & DEBATE (3 CR)**
Students are provided theory and practice in debate, emphasizing principles of research, logical reasoning, and oral presentation of reasoned discourse in group situations. 

Prerequisite: COM 231

**COM 234 PUBLIC ADDRESS (3 CR)**
Explore the role of the speaker, audience, occasion and the message. Opportunities are offered for participation in all general purposes of speech plus some special occasion speeches. Delivery methods are impromptu, extemporaneous, manuscript and memorized. Outlining, organization, delivery technique and other theories of public address stressed.

**COM 240 INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION (3 CR)**
Students will learn to improve communication in one-on-one and small group situations. In this course, students will examine basic verbal and non-verbal elements affecting communication between individuals in family, peer group and work contexts. Specific units of discussion include intrapersonal perspective, conflict resolution, self-disclosure, message generation, intercultural messages and non-verbal communication.
COM 250 INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION  
(3 CR)  
*(Students cannot receive credit for both COM 250 and COM 350)*  
This course will explore how diverse cultural orientations influence the way we perceive and interact with an increasingly culturally diverse world. We will discuss the causes of intercultural conflicts in different communication settings (interpersonal, small group, school, workplace and global) and how to manage them effectively.

COM 251 INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION - IMMERSIVE (3 CR)  
This course will explore how diverse cultural orientations influence the way we perceive and interact with an increasingly culturally diverse world. We will discuss the causes of intercultural conflicts in different communication settings (interpersonal, small group, school, workplace and global) and how to manage them effectively. This course will include a mandatory travel study experience organized by Jackson College.

COM 350 INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION FOR MANAGEMENT (3 CR)  
*(Students cannot receive credit for both COM 250 and COM 350)*  
This course will explore how diverse cultural orientations influence the way we perceive and interact with an increasingly culturally diverse world. We will discuss the causes of intercultural conflicts in different communication settings (interpersonal, small group, school, workplace and global) and how to manage them effectively. This course is tailored for those students seeking management/leadership positions and the unique needs of cross-cultural communication in those areas.  
*Prerequisites: COM 231 or 240 and ENG 131*

COMPUTER NETWORKING AND SECURITY (CNS)  

CNS 101 NETWORK FUNDAMENTALS/NETWORK+ (4 CR)  
This course introduces students to fundamental networking concepts and technologies. It is the first of four courses that help prepare students for the Cisco CCNA certification exam. The course materials will assist in developing the skills necessary to plan and implement small networks across a range of applications. It also helps prepare the student for the CompTIA Network+ certification exam.

CNS 106 Computer Networking II  
This course covers the architecture, components, and operations of routers and switches in a small network. Students learn how to configure a router and a switch for basic functionality. The course, along with others in the sequence help prepare students for the Cisco Certified Entry Networking Technician (CCENT) certification.  
*Prerequisites: CNS 101*

CNS 107 Computer Networking III  
This course covers the architecture, components, and operations of routers and switches in larger and more complex networks. Students learn how to configure routers and switches for advanced functionality. This course is the third of a four-course sequence that helps prepare students for the Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA) Routing and Switching certification.  
*Prerequisites: CNS 106*

CNS 108 Computer Networking IV  
This course discusses the WAN technologies and network services required by converged applications in a complex network. The course enables students to understand the selection criteria of network devices and WAN technologies to meet network requirements. This course is the fourth of a four-course sequence that helps students prepare for the
Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA) Routing and Switching certification.

Prerequisites: CNS 106

CNS 121 MICROSOFT® NETWORKING CLIENT I (3 CR)
This course will help students gain the knowledge and skills required to configure Microsoft Windows Vista for optimal performance on the desktop. This course focuses on installing the client software, migrating from previous versions of the Microsoft Windows client, and configuring systems settings, security features, network connectivity, communications and media applications, and mobile devices.

Prerequisite: CNS 121

CNS 122 MICROSOFT NETWORKING CLIENT II (3 CR)
This course covers how Microsoft Windows Vista is used in a medium to large enterprise. It focuses on the various technologies used to deploy and manage the operating system, including Windows Image Manager, Windows PE, Group Policy, User Account Control and Encrypted File System.

Prerequisite: CNS 121

CNS 123 MICROSOFT® NETWORKING SERVER I (3 CR)
This course covers installing Microsoft Windows Server 2008, configuring remote access, Network Access Protection (NAP), network authentication, IPv4 and IPv6 addressing and Domain Name System (DNS) replication: capturing and deploying Microsoft® Window® Deployment Services images; creating virtual machines; and installing server core.

Prerequisites: CNS 101 and CNS 121

CNS 124 MICROSOFT® NETWORKING SERVER II (3 CR)
This course covers planning Microsoft Windows Server 2008 roles; maintaining server security; planning data storage, network load balancing, and server backups; managing software deployment and versions; monitoring IPv6, server performance and capacity, and AD replication; scheduling server deployments; and designing a rollback contingency plan.

Prerequisite: CNS 123

CNS 125 MICROSOFT DIRECTORY SERVICES (3 CR)
This course covers configuring, managing and supporting user and computer accounts, groups, Domain Name System zones and clients settings; group policy objects; the new Active Directory® Lightweight Directory Service and Active Directory Rights Management Service; backup and recovery; and communication security.

Prerequisites: CNS 123

CNS 126 POWERSHELL SCRIPTING FOR NETWORK ADMINISTRATORS (3 CR)
Students will develop the knowledge and skills to utilize Microsoft PowerShell to automate common administrative tasks on a Microsoft network. This course assumes no prior programming skills.

Prerequisite: CNS 121 or CNS 123

CNS 131 LINUX ADMINISTRATION I (3 CR)
This course introduces Linux to experienced computer users and to those with a basic knowledge of computers. Students will install and configure a distribution of Linux. They will learn to use a command line shell and a GUI to manage the file system, create user and group accounts, and manage file permissions. This course will cover how to set up a Linux system on a TCP/IP network, bash shell concepts, printing and installing programs Linux.

Prerequisite: CNS 131

CNS 132 LINUX ADMINISTRATION II (3 CR)
In this course, the student will learn how to implement, configure and troubleshoot Linux, particularly as a network server. The student will configure Linux to provide DNS, DHCP, as a firewall and basic routing functions. The student will set up and secure the Apache web service and set up Linux to provide e-mail service. They will also set up Linux to interoperate within a Microsoft Active Directory environment.

Prerequisite: CNS 131
CNS 141 WIRELESS NETWORKING (3 CR)
This course introduces the basic concepts of wireless networking. Students will work with various types of equipment needed to set up and maintain local wireless networks of various sizes. Considerable emphasis will be placed on how to secure access to and the information that travels across wireless networks.
Prerequisite: CNS 101

CNS 201 NETWORK SECURITY/SECURITY+ (3 CR)
The student will be introduced to computer network vulnerabilities and threats and how to safeguard computer networks from those vulnerabilities and threats. This course will expose the student to network security planning, network security technology, network security organization and the legal and ethical issues associated with network security. In this course, students will learn the skills necessary for Security+ certification.
Prerequisite: CNS 131

CNS 210 Python Scripting for Security (3 CR)
This course covers an overview of Python, including how to create and run scripts, use threads, and handle exceptions. It will progress on how to networking, including using Python libraries for networking scripting and developing basic scripts with network functionality. HTTP programming and client, security scripting, Twisted Python, the Echo server, and forensic scripting are also covered. The course emphasizes debugging capability and security testing using Python.
Prerequisite: CNS 101

CNS 221 SECURING MICROSOFT NETWORKS (3 CR)
This course will cover how to protect your Microsoft Windows-based clients, server roles, networks, and Internet services. Students learn how to plan and implement comprehensive security with special emphasis on new Microsoft Windows®security tools, security objects, security services, user authentication and access control, network security, application security, Windows Firewall, Active Directory security, group policy, auditing and patch management.
Prerequisite: CNS 123

CNS 231 FIREWALL INTRUSION DETECTION (3 CR)
This course will cover how to install, configure and manage network and host-based firewalls. It will cover how to set up and configure popular network-based firewalls and host-based firewalls with various operating systems. It will instruct the students how to set up both network- and host-based intrusion detection systems to determine if and when a network or system has been breached.
Prerequisite: CNS 201

CNS 232 COMPUTER FORENSICS I (3 CR)
This course deals with the preservation, identification, extraction, documentation and interpretation of computer data. Topics covered include evidence handling, chain of custody, collection, preservation, identification and recovery of computer data.
Prerequisite: CNS 201

CNS 233 HACKER TECHNIQUES AND INCIDENT HANDLING (3 CR)
Introduces common computer and network hacking techniques. With a sound understanding of how hackers can compromise computers and computer networks you will learn how to identify when an incident has happened, how to respond in a comprehensive manner, and what steps to take to protect yourself in the future.
Prerequisites: CNS 131

CNS 234 ETHICAL HACKING (3 CR)
This course introduces the concept of ethical hacking and how to perform penetration tests of computer networks. In hands-on labs an emphasis will be placed on how to use tools to discover weaknesses in computer networks and how to improve the defenses of those networks against malicious attacks.
Prerequisite: CNS 201

CNS 235 PACKET ANALYSIS AND NETWORK FORENSICS (3 CR)
Students utilize common packet sniffing tools, intrusion detection tools and packet analysis tools to determine if malicious activity is occurring on a network. They learn details about how network protocols can be abused by hackers. They find how network connection logging provides a valuable source of evidence. 
Prerequisite: CNS 201

CNS 245 Internship/Externship (3 CR)
The student will have meaningful work experience related to computer networking and security with an appropriate organization. The organization and position must be approved by supervising faculty member.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required

CNS 251 Cloud Computing (3 CR)
This course covers the widest spectrum of topics starting from Classic Data Center to IT-as-a-Service. It provides a strong foundation for the understanding of virtualization and cloud computing technologies. You will learn about the transition from classic data center to virtualized data center to cloud computing. This would encompass virtualization technologies at computer, storage, network, desktop, and application level as well as cloud building blocks, which are created on virtualized infrastructure. The course emphasizes deployment models, business continuity solutions, infrastructure, service management and security in a cloud environment.
Prerequisite: CNS 101

CNS 252 Virtualization I (3 CR)
This course features intensive hands-on training that focuses on installing, configuring, and managing VMware vSphere®, which includes VMware ESXi™ and VMware vCenter Server®. This course prepares you to administer a vSphere infrastructure for an organization of any size. It is the foundation for most other VMware technologies in the software-defined data center.
Prerequisite: CNS 101

CNS 253 Virtualization II (3 CR)
This course will teach you advanced skills for configuring and maintaining a highly available and scalable virtual infrastructure. Through a mix of lecture and hands-on labs, you will configure and optimize the VMware vSphere® features that build a foundation for a truly scalable infrastructure, and you will discuss when and where these features have the greatest effect. This course will deepen your understanding of vSphere and how its advanced features and controls can benefit your organization.
Prerequisite: CNS 252

CNS 254 Information Storage and Management (3 CR)
This course provides a comprehensive understanding of the various storage infrastructure components in data center environments. It enables participants to make informed decisions on storage-related technologies in an increasingly complex IT environment, which is fast changing with the adoption of software-defined infrastructure management and third platform technologies (cloud, Big Data, social, and mobile technologies). Participants will learn about storage networking technologies such as FC SAN, IP SAN, and FCoE SAN; backup and replication; the highly-critical area of information security; and storage infrastructure management.
Prerequisite: CNS 101

COMPUTER SCIENCE (CPS)

CPS 177 PROGRAMMING IN C++ (3 CR)
( Same as CIS 170)
Students study digital computing systems and how they are used to solve problems. Students
use procedural and object-oriented programming capabilities to design, develop and test computer programs. Topics covered include program development, functions, control structures, text file operations, classes, recursion, arrays and pointers.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE (CRJ)

CRJ 101 CRIMINAL LAW (3 CR)
This course covers both substantive and procedural law at local, state and federal levels. Special emphasis given to the Michigan Penal Code and landmark court decisions.

CRJ 102 CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION (3 CR)
This course covers the fundamentals of criminal investigation, theory and practice, from crime scene to courtroom, with emphasis on techniques appropriate to specific crimes.

CRJ 104 CRIMINAL JUSTICE PSYCHOLOGY (3 CR)
This course is an overview of criminal behavior from a psych-social perspective. Contemporary research, theory and practice concerning the psychology of crime are reviewed.

CRJ 111 INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE (3 CR)
This course covers the history, evolution and philosophy of the American criminal justice system. Emphasis on the interrelationship of system components: police, attorneys, courts and corrections.

CRJ 112 CRIME & DELINQUENCY (3 CR)
Introduction to deviant behavior and current criminological theories with emphasis on synthesis and police applications to juveniles; diversion and status offenses considered. Prerequisites: ENG 085* and ENG 090*

CRJ 113 INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINALISTICS (3 CR)
Scientific methods applied to the collection, identification, preservation and transportation of physical evidence and taught in a laboratory setting.

CRJ 114 POLICE ADMINISTRATION & OPERATIONS (3 CR)
Administration and operation of a police department including line/staff activities are explored.

CRJ 117 CRIMINOLOGY (3 CR)
(Same as SOC 117)
Provides an understanding of the cultural nature, origin and development of criminal behavior with attention given to the psychological and sociological factors involved.

CRJ 119 CLIENT GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT (3 CR)
A corrections-oriented course involving the study of normal versus criminal behavior, human development and criminal pattern. Also involves the study of specific problems including substance abuse, sexual and medical problems and disorders.

CRJ 120 HUMAN RELATIONS FOR CORRECTIONS (3 CR)
A study of the meaning and function of culture and the social and psychological implications of discrimination. Also involves a survey of minorities in Michigan, attitude formation and professional responsiveness.

CRJ 121 INTRODUCTION TO CORRECTIONS (3 CR)
A survey of the American corrections system as a component of the criminal justice system.

CRJ 124 INSTITUTION POPULATIONS (3 CR)
The nature, composition and dynamics of the prison population as a separate society are central topics in this course.
CRJ 125 PAROLE & PROBATION (3 CR)
Pre- and post-institutional treatment and alternatives are presented. Consideration also given to diversion and community-based correctional programs.

CRJ 127 CORRECTIONS LAW (3 CR)
Deals with the law as it applies to the correctional system. Applicable court cases and legislation will be considered. Topics will include sentencing, prisoners’ rights and responsibilities; loss of rights, prisoner remedies; community corrections and restoration of rights of offenders.

CRJ 203 FIELD STUDIES (3 CR)
(Same as SOC 203)
This course provides an opportunity for students to work for one semester in a law enforcement or corrections agency. Only open to students who have reached sophomore level (26 or more credit hours), minimum 2.5 GPA and permission of the instructor.

CRJ 224 HEALTH AND SAFETY IN CORRECTIONS (3 CR)
This course is a Michigan Corrections Officer Training Council approved curriculum under Public Act 415, requiring the training of new corrections officers. The course provides information and practical demonstration to prepare the student for certification as a corrections officer. Topics of instruction cover the health and safety of prisoners and corrections officers in the confined institution, identification and response in fire safety and hazardous material including applicable MIOSHA standards. Areas of safety include infectious disease, stress management and hostage awareness. Students learn and demonstrate the proper techniques to maintain personal and prisoner safety in the prison.

CRJ 225 WORKPLACE RELATIONS IN CORRECTIONS (4 CR)
This course is a Michigan Corrections Officer Training Council approved curriculum under Public Act 415, requiring the training of new corrections officers. The course provides information and practical demonstration to prepare the student for certification as a corrections officer. Workplace Relations covers the relations inside the prison setting as it pertains to communications, safety, harassment and prisoners conduct. Topics of instruction include: workplace policies, rules and guidelines for state corrections officers, discrimination, computer security, segregation, set ups and professional conduct, ethics and report writing.

CRJ 231 OFFENDER MANAGEMENT IN CORRECTIONS (6 CR)
This course is a Michigan Corrections Officer Training Council approved curriculum under Public Act 415, requiring the training of new corrections officers. The course provides information and practical demonstration to prepare the student for certification as a corrections officer. Offender management is a course in the management and discipline of prisoners in the institutional setting. The course instructs students in the areas of self-defense and prisoner restraints that are necessary to maintain order in a custody setting. Instruction includes firearms familiarization, restraints, chemical agent use and preparation and disturbance control. Students are required to demonstrate proficiency in each technique to meet the standards for certification.

CULINARY ARTS (CUL)

CUL 100 INTRODUCTION TO HOSPITALITY (3 CR)
Students are exposed to the social, economic and environmental context within which the hospitality industry operates. Student will study the structure, nature and operating characteristics of the different sectors of the hospitality industry including food service, lodging and tourism. Students are also exposed to the various functions of management, their interrelationships with marketing, finance and
human resource management. Students study the role of managers in the hospitality industry and highlight their principal responsibilities.

Corequisites: CUL 101 and CUL 120

**CUL 101 SERVSAFE FUNDAMENTALS (1 CR)**
This course focuses on food safety risks encountered in the food service industry including the characteristics and causes of the food-borne illnesses. Students are introduced to measures to prevent unsanitary conditions that cause food-borne illnesses, safe food handling, chemical use and storage, and management training tools. A study of the Michigan Food Law is incorporated into the class. Course completion involves passing the National Restaurant Association Education Foundation’s ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification Examination.

Corequisites: CUL 100 and CUL 120

**CUL 115 BAKING & PASTRY (3 CR)**
In this course students will produce classic and modern cakes, cookies, custards, chocolates, candies, hot and frozen desserts, classical plated desserts and centerpieces using several different mediums. Emphasis is on organization, sanitation, speed and presentation.

Prerequisites: CUL 120 and MAT 130* or higher

**CUL 118 NUTRITION FOR FOOD SERVICE AND CULINARY (3 CR)**
This course studies nutrients including functions, food sources, digestion, absorption and metabolism with application to normal and preventive nutrition needs, including nutrient intake analysis, energy expenditure evaluation and diet planning. Students recall and classify nutrient categories, their functions, digestion, absorption and metabolism; recommendations and nutrient categories; conduct personalized computerized nutrient analysis and calculate personalized energy needs; and plan a personalized diet according to the principles of the Exchange List System and the USDA Food Pyramid.

Prerequisites: CUL 100, CUL 101, and MAT 130* or higher

**CUL 120 CULINARY SKILLS (3 CR)**
Students are introduced to the principles of quantity food production, fabricating techniques, recipe conversions, costing, product identification and classical culinary skills. Students learn to operate and care for equipment, along with maintaining a safe and sanitary environment.

Corequisites: CUL 100 and CUL 120

**CUL 121 INTRODUCTION TO FOOD PRODUCTION TECHNIQUES (3 CR)**
This course will serve as an introduction to the basic concepts, techniques, terminology and methods involved in the preparation, presentation and portioning of various food and menu items. Students will rotate through the stations of a commercial kitchen gaining experience in knife skills, food production, food preparation, recipe understanding and the overall operation of a restaurant kitchen. This course will focus on à la carte, cooked to order foods as well as some quantity food production. Emphasis will be placed on the cookery process, food desserts, vegetables, salads, starches and entree preparations and also developing the proper techniques of plating and preparing desserts, vegetables, salads, starches and entree preparations.

Prerequisites: CUL 101 and CUL 120

**CUL 150 FOOD SERVICE MANAGEMENT (3 CR)**
Students are introduced to trends, organization and operations within the hospitality industry including tourism, lodging, restaurant, recreation and leisure, gaming, managed services, meeting/convention/exhibition, cruise, spa and resort segments.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

**CUL 175 INTERNATIONAL CUISINE (3 CR)**
The development of world cuisine is a direct result of topography, location, climate and cultural influence. This hands-on course offers the student practical exposure and historical insight to the varied world cuisines of Europe, Asia and the Mediterranean, working from the
roots of these civilizations to present day. As the particular aspects of regional ingredients and traditional cooking techniques are discovered, a rich source of inspiration is cultivated in future culinary professionals. 

**Prerequisites:** CUL 121 and MAT 040* or higher

**CUL 224 FOOD AND BEVERAGE COST CONTROL (3 CR)**

Students are introduced to concepts of food, beverage and labor cost control systems to students preparing for careers in the food, beverage and hospitality industry. Students analyze costs related to food and beverage, labor and supplies used in the industry as well as exercises that are related to purchasing and receiving. 

**Prerequisites:** CUL 121 and MAT 130* or higher

**CUL 227 CONTEMPORARY CUISINE (3 CR)**

This course emphasizes supervision and management concepts, knowledge and skills of contemporary cuisine including menu selection, layout and design, on/off premise catering, entrepreneurship, small business management and nutrition. Laboratory demonstrations and student experimentation parallel class work.

**Prerequisites:** CUL 121 and MAT 130* or higher

**CUL 231 À LA CARTE KITCHEN (3 CR)**

The focus is on modern, contemporary and classical cuisine for service in restaurants. Correct applications and fundamentals of culinary skills, quantity food production and organization, mise en place, cooking methods, improved knife skills, plate presentation and the use of standardized recipes will be stressed. Students prepare à la carte salads, dressings, marinades, vegetables, starches and entrees. Students hone their skills to be both creative in preparation and food presentation approaches.

**Prerequisites:** CUL 120, CUL 121, and MAT 130* or higher

**CUL 245 INTERNSHIP LEVEL I (1 CR)**

The internship offers students the opportunity to put learned theory to practice, while working in a paid or unpaid culinary related internship environment, involving employer(s) and departmental instructional staff. Students are required to complete a minimum of 60 hours and complete a portfolio on the internship. Periodic conferences between the site supervisor and Jackson College internship coordinators are scheduled to monitor and evaluate student progress. Students are responsible for identifying their own internship site. Lists of potential internship sites will be available through the Culinary Arts/Hospitality Management Department. Students must have permission of the department head and attend an internship orientation meeting before registering for this course.

**Prerequisites:** CUL 100, CUL 101, CUL 120, CUL 115 and CUL 121

**CUL 250 PRINCIPLES OF BEVERAGE SERVICE (3 CR)**

This course focuses on the study of the beverage service in the hospitality industry which includes spirits, wines, beers and non-alcoholic beverages. Topics include purchasing, resource control, legislation, marketing, physical plant requirements, staffing, service and the selection of wines to enhance foods. Students complete the ServSafe Alcohol training and national examination. Must have Culinary Arts and Hospitality Management associate degree as an active program of study to enroll.

**Prerequisites:** CUL 101

**CUL 345 INTERNSHIP LEVEL II (3 CR)**

The internship offers students the opportunity to put learned theory to practice, while working in a paid or unpaid culinary related internship environment, involving employer(s) and departmental instructional staff. Students are required to complete a minimum of 180 hours and complete a portfolio on the internship. Periodic conferences between the site supervisor and Jackson College internship coordinators are scheduled to monitor and evaluate student progress. Students are responsible for identifying their own internship site. Lists of potential internship sites will be available through the Culinary Arts/Hospitality Management Department. Students must have permission of the department head and attend an internship orientation meeting before registering for this course.

**Prerequisites:** CUL 100, CUL 101, CUL 120, CUL 115 and CUL 121
available through the Culinary Arts/Hospitality Management Department. Students must have permission of the department head and attend an internship orientation meeting before registering for this course. 

Prerequisites: CUL 100, CUL 101, CUL 120, CUL 115, CUL 121, and CUL 245

CUL 445 INTERNSHIP LEVEL III (3 CR)  
The internship offers students the opportunity to put learned theory to practice, while working in a paid or unpaid culinary related internship environment, involving employer(s) and departmental instructional staff. Students are required to complete a minimum of 180 hours and complete a portfolio on the internship. Periodic conferences between the site supervisor and Jackson College internship coordinators are scheduled to monitor and evaluate student progress. Students are responsible for identifying their own internship site. Lists of potential internship sites will be available through the Culinary Arts/Hospitality Management Department. Students must have permission of the department head and attend an internship orientation meeting before registering for this course. 

Prerequisites: Instructor Permission Required

DANCE (DAN)  

DAN 121 JAZZ TECHNIQUES (3 CR)  
( Same as HPF 221)  
Beginner to intermediate level class exploring contemporary jazz and modern dance techniques. Includes an introduction to the fundamentals of choreography, exploration of the elements of dance, and history of dance. 

DAN 122 JAZZ TECHNIQUES II (3 CR)  
An advanced approach to jazz dance with emphasis upon combining jazz pieces into complete choreographies.  
Prerequisite: DAN 121 or HPF 221

DENTAL HYGIENE (DHY)  

DHY 101 Principles in Dental Hygiene I (2 CR)  
This course introduces the profession of dental hygiene, the dental hygiene code of ethics, principles of infection and exposure control and the CDC Bloodborne Pathogens Standard. Fundamental concepts on dental hygiene process of care including patient management, dental hygiene diagnosis, oral health education techniques, and disease prevention strategies will be discussed. Additionally, dental instrumentation and oral deposits are discussed.  
Prerequisites: Admission into the DENT.AAS program  
Corequisites: DHY 102, DHY 103, DHY 104 and DHY 105

DHY 102 Preclinical Dental Hygiene (2 CR)  
The principles, protocols, and components learned in DHY 101 will be performed in this clinical setting with an introduction in dental hygiene procedures, basic instrumentation, and development of manual dexterity, dental charting, and preventive education.  
Prerequisites: Admission into the DENT.AAS program  
Corequisites: DHY 101, DHY 103, DHY 104 and DHY 105
DHY 103 Head, Neck, and Oral Anatomy (3 CR)
This course is designed for first-semester dental hygiene students. The topics include anatomy of the teeth and dental nomenclature, the development, eruption, function, and morphological characteristics of the human deciduous and secondary dentition, and a review of the bones and muscles of the orofacial complex. This examination of the temporomandibular joint and function, and dental occlusion classification will complete this course.
Prerequisites: Admission into the DENT.AAS program
Corequisites: DHY 101, DHY 102, DHY 104 and DHY 105

DHY 104 Biochemistry & Nutrition (2 CR)
This course provides dental hygiene students with an overview of nutrition biochemistry, nutritional guidelines, diet analysis and planning. The role of nutrition in dental health and systemic diseases are emphasized along with the clinical application of nutritional counseling strategies.
Prerequisites: Admission into the DENT.AAS program
Corequisites: DHY 101, DHY 102, DHY 103, and DHY 105

DHY 105 Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office (1 CR)
Familiarity with critical steps in prevention, preparation, early recognition, and appropriate management of common medical emergencies in the dental office.
Prerequisites: Admission into the DENT.AAS program
Corequisites: DHY 101, DHY 102, and DHY 104

DHY 111 Principles in Dental Hygiene II (2 CR)
The development of a theoretical framework of dental hygiene treatment to begin attainment of proficiency in all areas of dental hygiene treatment. Presentation and discussion of case histories from patients and preventive measures employed against disease with emphasis on special needs patients.

DHY 112 Clinical Dental Hygiene I (2 CR)
The principles, protocols and components of dental hygiene process of care are introduced in this clinical setting emphasizing patient care. The development of skills includes ultrasonic instrumentation, case management, treatment planning and dental hygiene prevention services.
Prerequisites: DHY 101, DHY 102, DHY 104 and DHY 105
Corequisites: DHY 111, DHY 113, and DHY 114

DHY 113 Dental Radiology (3 CR)
This course is designed to provide the student with the theory and procedures used in dental radiography. Topics include history of the dental x-rays, radiation safety, and film exposure techniques, processing and mounting of radiographs, radiographic findings and patient management.
Prerequisites: DHY 101, DHY 102, DHY 104 and DHY 105
Corequisites: DHY 111, DHY 112, and DHY 114

DHY 114 Periodontology (3 CR)
This course is designed to provide advanced study of the periodontium and its relationship to the pathogenesis of periodontal disease. It focuses on the relationships between periodontal disease, systemic health, prevention, risk assessments, classifications, current modalities of treatment and management strategies.
Prerequisites: DHY 101, DHY 102, DHY 104 and DHY 105
Corequisites: DHY 111, DHY 112, and DHY 113

DHY 120 Dental Materials (2 CR)
This course is designed for dental hygiene students and is the study of dental materials including their biological, physical, mechanical and chemical properties. The lab portion of this course includes proper manipulation and technique, handling, and storage of dental
materials. The course is designed to discuss commonly used dental products.

**Prerequisites:** DHY 111, DHY 112, DHY 113, and DHY 114

**Corequisites:** DHY 121 and DHY 122

**DHY 121 Pharmacology for the Dental Hygienist (2 CR)**

Classifications and varieties of drugs, pharmacologic effects, adverse reactions, usual indications and contraindications. Discussion of drugs utilized to treat common diseases. Pharmacokinetics of local and general anesthetic agents and their use.

**Prerequisites:** DHY 111, DHY 112, DHY 113, and DHY 114

**Corequisites:** DHY 120 and DHY 122

**DHY 122 Clinical Dental Hygiene II (1 CR)**

The principles, protocols and components of dental hygiene process of care are continued in this clinical setting emphasizing patient care. The continued advancement of skills includes sealant placement, ultrasonic instrumentation, case management, treatment planning and dental hygiene prevention services.

**Prerequisites:** DHY 111, DHY 112, DHY 113, and DHY 114

**Corequisites:** DHY 121 and DHY 122

**DHY 201 Principles in Dental Hygiene III (2 CR)**

Continued development of a theoretical framework of dental hygiene treatment with advancement of dental hygiene proficiency in all areas of dental hygiene treatment. Presentation and discussion of case histories from patients and preventive measures employed against disease with emphasis on special needs patients.

**Prerequisites:** DHY 120, DHY 121 and DHY 122

**Corequisites:** DHY 202, DHY 203, and DHY 204

**DHY 202 Clinical Dental Hygiene III (3 CR)**

The principles, protocols and components of dental hygiene process of care are continued in this clinical setting emphasizing patient care. The continued advancement of skills includes non-surgical periodontal treatment, ultrasonic instrumentation, case management, treatment planning and dental hygiene prevention services.

**Prerequisites:** DHY 120, DHY 121 and DHY 122

**Corequisites:** DHY 201, DHY 203, and DHY 204

**DHY 203 Pain Management (2 CR)**

This course will provide the student with basic and current concepts of local anesthesia and pain control for the safe and effective administration of local anesthesia and nitrous oxide/oxygen sedation. Instruction in local anesthetic technique and an introduction to the use of nitrous oxide as an analgesia is included. Successful completion of this course confers eligibility to take the CDCA exams for Local Anesthesia and Nitrous Oxide/Oxygen sedation with program director approval.

**Prerequisites:** DHY 120, DHY 121 and DHY 122

**Corequisites:** DHY 201, DHY 202, and DHY 204

**DHY 204 Oral Pathology (2 CR)**

This course is designed for dental hygiene students. The topics incorporate important concepts in general pathology and their relationship to the oral cavity. Fundamental concepts stress comprehensive oral examination procedures, disease recognition, and identification of pathological conditions that affect the patient’s systemic health in relation to the oral cavity.

**Prerequisites:** DHY 120, DHY 121 and DHY 122

**Corequisites:** DHY 201, DHY 202, and DHY 203

**DHY 211 Principles in Dental Hygiene IV (2 CR)**

Ethics, jurisprudence, and practice management concepts, including a study of state practice acts and business management procedures. Comprehensive review of formats and procedures involved in national, regional, and state board examinations. Guidance will be given in developing employment-seeking skills, including résumé writing. The course includes case-based study questions relative to dental hygiene with emphasis on content and test-taking strategies.

**Prerequisites:** DHY 201, DHY 202, DHY 203 and DHY 204
Corequisites: DHY 212 and DHY 213

DHY 212 Clinical Dental Hygiene IV (4 CR)
The principles, protocols and components of dental hygiene process of care are continued in this clinical setting emphasizing patient care. The continued advancement of skills includes non-surgical periodontal treatment, ultrasonic instrumentation, case management, treatment planning and dental hygiene prevention services.
Prerequisites: DHY 201, DHY 202, DHY 203 and DHY 204
Corequisites: DHY 211 and DHY 213

DHY 213 Community Dental Health (2 CR)
This course is designed for the dental hygiene student to review the history, philosophy, administration and current events of community oral health. Topics include emphasis on health promotion, epidemiology of dental disease, community service, designing, implementing and assessing a community health project.
Prerequisites: DHY 201, DHY 202, DHY 203 and DHY 204
Corequisites: DHY 211 and DHY 212

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DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL SONOGRAPHY (DMS)

DMS 101 SONOGRAPHIC ORIENTATION (3 CR)
This course prepares sonography students for their clinical work-site experiences. Students will explore interpersonal relationship skills, ethical decision making, and a review of clinical technical skills as they relate to the on-site work experience. Students will learn basic cross-sectional anatomy as related to beginning sonographic scanning of the abdomen.
Prerequisite: Acceptance into DMS program

DMS 104 INTRODUCTION TO SONOGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTATION (3 CR)
In this course students will learn the history and basic principles of static and real-time ultrasound machines. The instrumentation of A-mode and its conversion into the real time B-mode scanners will be explored. Laboratory assignments reinforce learning activities.
Prerequisites: MAT 131* or higher, plus signed DMS fact sheet (EQV-DMSFS)

DMS 105 SONOGRAPHIC TECHNIQUES (3 CR)
This course instructs the DMS student in scan planes, anatomical positioning, scan protocols, scan preparations, scan scheduling, appropriate history recording, correlations with other diagnostic procedures, and the techniques required for initiating and completing diagnostic sonographic procedures of the abdominal, obstetrical and gynecological patients.
Prerequisites: DMS 101 and DMS 104

DMS 107 SONOGRAPHIC ORIENTATION-VASCULAR (3 CR)
This course prepares sonography students for their clinical work-site experiences. Students will explore interpersonal relationship skills, ethical decision making, and a review of clinical technical skills as they relate to the on-site work experience. Students will learn basic cross-sectional anatomy as related to beginning sonographic scanning of the arterial and venous systems, of the extremities, neck and abdomen.
DMS 108 ESSENTIALS OF SONOGRAPHY (3 CR)
This course will address the high priorities in the health care field such as good character, strong work ethic and professional traits and behaviors that apply to all health care workers. Affective domain, as well as the ability to process and understand physical relationships among objects, will be assessed through scanning exercises.

DMS 122 CLINICAL EXPERIENCE I (6 CR)
In this course, students receive supervised clinical work experience in an approved clinical education center. This course provides basic scanning opportunities, patient interviewing techniques, professional attitudes and ethics, and other basic patient/professional situations under the direct supervision of a registered diagnostic medical sonographer (RDMS). Completions of professional and technical scanning proficiencies are required. A minimum of 515 hours are required to complete this course.
Prerequisite: DMS 101

DMS 140 SONOGRAPHIC ORIENTATION & TECHNIQUE (3 CR)
In this course students learn the principles of application of ultrasound as it pertains to echocardiographic exam. Topics of study include: windows and views, anatomy and physiology of the heart and great vessels, Doppler techniques, nomenclature of cardiac structures per ASE guidelines, LV assessment and function, as well as clinical indications for the echo. These studies are for preparation of applying correct techniques in the acquisition of sonographic cardiac images.
Prerequisites: DMS 140 and DMS 141

DMS 141 ADULT ECHO I (4 CR)
In this course students learn fundamentals of cardiac pressures, cardiac cycle, and the cardiac conduction system. Studies include: cardiac valves – normal and abnormal conditions, flow abnormalities, and physiological complications from these conditions. These studies are for preparation of applying correct techniques in the acquisition of sonographic cardiac images.
Prerequisite: DMS 142
Corequisite: DMS 144

DMS 142 ECHO CLINICAL I (2 CR)
In this course students will attend a supervised clinical experience in an approved clinical education center. This course provides hands-on experience in basic cardiac imaging, patient care, and application of knowledge and skills acquired in DMS 140 and DMS 141. Successful completion of professional and technical scanning proficiencies is required to remain in the program. This course is the first in a series of three clinical courses that prepare the student for the final objective of performing and evaluating the adult echocardiogram.
Prerequisite: Acceptance into the DMS program.
Corequisite: DMS 140 and DMS 141

DMS 144 CARDIOVASCULAR PRINCIPLES (3 CR)
This course is a study of cardiac anatomy and physiology, cardiac hemodynamics, principles of Doppler, and ECG interpretation. Problem solving, evaluation, and echo interpretation will be emphasized in this course. This course contains materials and instruction that will prepare the student in meeting the program’s final objective of independent performance and evaluation of the complete adult echocardiogram.
Prerequisites: DMS 140 and DMS 141

DMS 148 ECHO CLINICAL II (7 CR)
In this course, students will attend a supervised clinical experience in an approved clinical education center. This course provides hands-on experience in intermediate level cardiac imaging and use of cardiovascular equations. Successful completion of scanning proficiencies is required to remain in the program. This course is the second in a series of three clinical courses that has the final objective of independent performance and evaluation of the adult echocardiogram.
Prerequisite: DMS 142
Corequisite: DMS 144

DMS 151 PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL I (3 CR)
This course facilitates student learning of diagnostic testing methods for the peripheral arterial systems of the upper and lower
extremities. Testing methods covered will include segmental pressures, color Doppler imaging (CDI) and duplex sonography.

**Prerequisite:** BIO 132 or BIO 253

**DMS 152 PERIPHERAL ARTERIAL II (3 CR)**
This course, a continuation of DMS 151, facilitates student learning of diagnostic testing methods for the peripheral arterial systems of the upper and lower extremities. Testing methods covered will include segmental pressures, color Doppler imaging (CDI) and duplex sonography. Abdominal vascular testing techniques will be included.

**Prerequisite:** DMS 151

**DMS 155 PERIPHERAL VENOUS (3 CR)**
This course facilitates student learning of diagnostic testing methods for the peripheral venous systems of the upper and lower extremities. Venous hemodynamics and testing methods covered include all areas of color Doppler imaging (CDI), air and photo plethysmography.

**Prerequisite:** BIO 132 or BIO 253

**DMS 161 VASCULAR CLINICAL I (4 CR)**
In this course students receive 300-plus hours of supervised clinical experience in an approved vascular laboratory. This course provides hands-on experiences in basic color Doppler imaging (CDI), hemodynamics, segmental pressures and duplex sonography. Students are instructed and supervised by registered vascular technologists. Completion of clinical competencies is required to complete this course.

**DMS 196 INTRODUCTION TO CARDIAC CLINICAL (5 CR)**
This course prepares cardiac sonography students for their clinical externship. Students will study and practice the technical as well as personal skills as they relate and are required for the on-site work experience. Students will demonstrate sonographic scanning of their discipline with the expected outcome of a basic level competency. Admission to the cardiac sonography program required to register for this course.

**DMS 197 INTRODUCTION TO CLINICAL (5 CR)**
This course will allow students to gain basic knowledge and practical skills that are necessary to begin a clinical externship in sonography. Students will study and practice: 1) communication skills as they are applied to the student- to patient/sonographer/physician relationship, 2) patient assessment, and 3) scanning techniques that will be a part of their daily routine in their clinical practice. Admission to the sonography program required to register for this course.

**DMS 198 INTRODUCTION TO VASCULAR CLINICAL (5 CR)**
This course prepares sonography students for their clinical work-site experiences. Students will review clinical technical skills as they relate to the on-site work experience. Students will learn sonographic scanning of their program discipline with the outcome of a basic level competency. Admission to the vascular sonography program required to register for this course.

**DMS 200 ABDOMEN AND SMALL PARTS SONOGRAPHY (4 CR)**
In this course students learn in-depth, cross-sectional anatomy and pathology as related to sonographic scanning of the abdomen and small parts in the adult and pediatric patient. The class gives attention to physiologic and pathological changes of specific, non-specific diseases, and trauma as they relate to sonographic interpretation of the abdomen and small parts. Mastery level achievement is encouraged and expected.

**DMS 201 OBSTETRIC AND GYNECOLOGIC SONOGRAPHY (4 CR)**
Students learn in-depth, cross-sectional anatomy and pathology as related to sonographic scanning of the pelvis in the adult and pediatric patient, and the gravid uterus. The class gives attention to physiologic and
pathological changes of specific, non-specific diseases, and trauma as they relate to sonographic interpretation of the pelvis and gravid uterus. Mastery level achievement is encouraged and expected.

**DMS 206 SONOGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTATION (4 CR)**
Students explore the mechanics of A-mode, B-mode, M-mode, Doppler, and real-time equipment. Accessory equipment such as cameras, transducers, phased, annular and linear arrays, and all types of hard copy documentation instruments are investigated. Multiple methods of preventative maintenance and quality control are presented. Laboratory reinforces learning activities.

**DMS 212 COMPREHENSIVE SONOGRAPHY (4 CR)**
This course includes advanced scanning practices with introduction to cardiac, peripheral vascular, neurosonography, breast, prostate, and musculoskeletal scanning. Invasive procedures and intra-operative scanning protocols and techniques will be enhanced upon. Opportunity and aid is given for ARDMS board applications. Extensive review of all facets of sonography is included in preparation for the ARDMS board exams.

**DMS 223 CLINICAL EXPERIENCE II (6 CR)**
This course includes supervised clinical experience in an approved clinical education center, advanced scanning techniques to demonstrate cross-sectional anatomy and pathology of specific and non-specific disease and traumatic changes. Specific attention is given to fetal development, fetal anomalies, abnormal prenatal and maternal conditions as they relate to sonographic scanning and interpreting of images. Although the student is still under the supervision of a RDMS professional, the student is expected to perform sonographic procedures independently as a regular portion of this course. The completion of professional and technical scanning proficiencies is required. A minimum of 515 clinical hours are required for successful completion of this course.

Prerequisites: DMS 122 and DMS 200

**DMS 224 CLINICAL EXPERIENCE III (6 CR)**
This course includes supervised clinical experience in an approved clinical education center. Advanced scanning procedures, methods and experience are provided in this course. Students experience advanced scanning modalities via M-mode, Doppler, 3D, real-time and invasive procedures. Comparative interpretations of sonographic imaging with other diagnostic imaging modalities are provided. Students are expected to initiate, perform, and complete all sonographic procedures with direct supervision by a RDMS. The successful completion of professional and technical scanning proficiencies is required. A minimum of 320 clinical hours are required to successfully complete this course.

Prerequisites: DMS 201 and DMS 223

**DMS 240 ADULT ECHO II (4 CR)**
In this course, students will focus their studies on the abnormal heart. Valvular disease, coronary artery disease, diseases of the myocardium, cardiac masses, and tumors. Pericardial disease, and diseases of the aorta are some of the topics to be studied. Students will learn the various appearances of congenital heart disease in the adult heart. This advanced course contains materials and instruction that will assist the student in meeting the final objective of independent performance and evaluation of the complete adult echocardiogram.

Prerequisite: DMS 144
Corequisite: DMS 244

**DMS 244 ECHO CLINICAL III (6 CR)**
In this course students will attend a supervised clinical experience in an echo lab at an approved medical facility. This course provides hands-on experience at an advanced level of cardiac imaging and use of cardiovascular equations.
Interpretation skills will apply. Successful completion of scanning proficiencies is required to graduate from the program. This clinical course is the final course in a sequence of three, and the final objective to be met is successful, independent performance and evaluation of the complete adult echocardiogram.

**Prerequisites:** DMS 148

**Corequisite:** DMS 240

**DMS 251 CEREBROVASCULAR IMAGING (3 CR)**

This course facilitates student learning of diagnostic testing methods and hemodynamics of the extracranial vessels of the head and neck. Testing methods covered include color Doppler imaging (CDI) and duplex sonography.

**Prerequisite:** BIO 132 or BIO 253

**DMS 254 TRANSCRANIAL DOPPLER IMAGING AND CAPSTONE (3 CR)**

This course will facilitate student learning of diagnostic testing methods and hemodynamics of the intracranial vessels. Testing methods covered will include: color Doppler imaging (CDI) and duplex sonography. In this course a strong emphasis is placed on registry preparation and job placement. Topics include: testing tips and techniques (during weekly class sessions students will individually and on a team basis complete a 200 question mock registry using testing tips and techniques), and the process of developing a résumé and cover letter.

**Prerequisite:** DMS 251

**DMS 265 VASCULAR CLINICAL II (4 CR)**

This course is a continuation of DMS 161. Students receive 300 plus hours of supervised clinical experience in an approved vascular laboratory. It also provides hands-on experiences in advanced color Doppler imaging (CDI), hemodynamics, segmental pressures and duplex sonography. Students are instructed and supervised by registered vascular technologists. Completion of clinical competencies required to complete this course.

**DMS 266 VASCULAR CLINICAL III (4 CR)**

This course is a continuation of DMS 265. Students receive 300 hours of supervised clinical experience in an approved vascular laboratory. It also provides hands-on experiences in advanced color Doppler imaging (CDI), hemodynamics, segmental pressures and duplex sonography. Students are instructed and supervised by registered vascular technologists. Completion of clinical competencies is required to complete this course.

**ECOMMERCE (ECM)**

**ECM 101 ECOMMERCE FUNDAMENTALS (3 CR)**

The course introduces revenue models for conducting business transactions globally with customers over the Internet. Topics include integrating eBusiness strategies with traditional store-front objectives, procuring hardware and software resources, optimizing web marketing opportunities, and complying with legal, ethical and regulatory restrictions. Student will apply concepts to real-life scenarios through active-learning strategies.

**Prerequisites:** CIS 095* and MAT 040* or higher

**ECM 201 ADVANCED INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES (3 CR)**

(*Same as CIS 201*)

This course enhances electronic communication skills and computer concepts essential to using current advanced information technologies. Topics include web collaboration, web conferencing, web 2.0 applications, social media, mobile computing, file conversions and cross-platform compatibility.

**Prerequisites:** CIS 101

**ECM 220 EBUSINESS: SEO/MANAGEMENT (3 CR)**

This course covers search engine optimization, analyzing web marketing efficiencies and evaluating content management systems.
Topics include competitive comparison, keyword analysis, effective link building, blogs and eCommunities setup. Specific eBusiness components, such as Google Analytics, social networking sites and pay-per-click advertising campaigns are emphasized to increase the efficiency of eCommerce site operations. 

Prerequisite: CIS 095*

ECONOMICS (ECN)

ECN 231 MACROECONOMICS (3 CR)
This course covers macroeconomics and explains the operation of free markets, the role of government in the economy, measurement of the national product, inflation and unemployment, monetary and fiscal policy, and economic growth. 

Prerequisites: ENG 086*, ENG 091* and MAT 131 or higher

ECN 232 MICROECONOMICS (3 CR)
This course covers microeconomics: the market structure of firms operating in competition and monopoly, labor markets and unions, how income is distributed, current economic problems, international economics, and alternative economic systems. 

Prerequisites: ENG 086*, ENG 091* and MAT 131 or higher

EDUCATION (EDU)

EDU 100 PRE-TEACHING PATHWAY (3 CR)
A career track introduction to the teaching profession designed for students with basic skill levels in reading, writing and math/science. Experiences in the course will include an introduction to: professional portfolio, teaching professionalism and technology. Students will begin the professional career path with grades pre-K to 12 field experiences and professional pathway planning, as well as investigating opportunities in the field of teacher education. 

EDU 221 EXPLORING TEACHING (3 CR)
“What are the things prospective teachers beginning their formal study of teacher education should know?” Students will gain knowledge of the role of a professional teacher and education topics: schools, diverse students and their needs, historical and current education issues and trends, as well as philosophical and legal foundations in American education. Students will explore and experience key concepts and skills through reading, research, presentation of a lesson, development of a professional portfolio and a teaching philosophy, documented technology and education site-based field experiences. Minimum of 16 hours field experience is included. 

Prerequisites: ENG 131

EDU 232 THE EXCEPTIONAL CHILD (3 CR)
This survey course introduces the learner to exceptional children from pre-kindergarten through adolescence. Characteristics, educational considerations and implications for educators and parents are a sample of the topics addressed. Developmental factors and the role of families in education and intervention, appropriate practices, culturally competent professional behavior, and collaborative interpersonal and inter-professional actions are included. The course includes historical and organizational factors, laws, and implications of all areas of exceptionality that govern special education. A minimum of five hours of approved literacy field service is required. 

Prerequisites: ENG 131

EDU 263 CHILD GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT (3 CR)
This course surveys learning development from prenatal stages through adolescence. Students study normal and exceptional development of the physical, cognitive, emotional and social domains of children in the contexts of home,
school and group settings. Students study developmental theories and best practice methods. A minimum of 20 hours of approved field service including a group diversity project is required.

*Prerequisite: ENG 131*

**EDU 290 INSTRUCTIONAL SKILLS WORKSHOP (2 CR)**
Instructional skills workshop course brings together best practices in education and a proven process that fosters personal growth and reflections about the teaching/learning process. The course includes: best practices in teaching/learning, lesson development and delivery, lesson assessment skills, and feedback skills. In addition, best practices in teaching techniques are explored and include: cooperative learning, multiple intelligences, assessment techniques, curriculum alignment, etc. This course is intended for anyone interested or employed in the teaching profession.

ENERGY SYSTEMS (EGY)

**EGY 101 ENERGY INDUSTRY FUNDAMENTALS (3 CR)**
Energy Industry Fundamentals (EIF) provides a broad understanding of the electric and natural gas utility industry and the generation, transmission, and distribution infrastructure, commonly called the “largest machine in the world,” which forms the backbone for the industry. The course includes business models, regulations, types of energy and their conversion to useable energy such as electric power, emergent technologies, and the connection to careers in the energy industry. An ANSI-accredited EIF Certificate will be awarded upon successful completion of final certification exam.

*Prerequisite: MAT 020*

**EGY 220 ENERGY INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE**
This is a field-based course that includes tours of power production, transmission, and distribution facilities with guided conversation and reflection. Prepares students for internship selection.

*Prerequisite: EGY 101*

**EGY 345 ENERGY SYSTEMS INTERNSHIP (3 CR)**
This course offers meaningful industry experience within the energy systems arena. The internship demands intentional reflection on the part of student based upon feedback from their industry supervisor. A specific internship site, industry supervisor and learning outcomes must be jointly agreed upon between the student, the faculty member and the site supervisor. A portfolio of the internship will be created and submitted to the faculty member. Student may only take twice for credit.

*Prerequisites: Instructor permission required*

**EGY 361 INDUSTRY MATERIALS ANALYSIS (3 CR)**
This course provides students with the necessary concepts, terminology, and principles to interact effectively with engineers and engineered materials in a power plant or other energy industry environment. Topics include stress/strain, tensile strength, yield strength, fatigue, dynamic loading, and basic finite element analysis (FEA). In addition, students will explore additional principles of power engineering and roles within the energy industry. The term project will cover the complete design and specification process for engineered materials.

*Prerequisites: EGY 101, MFG 105, CAD 151, and PHY 231 or PHY 251*

**EGY 380 POWER GRID/SMART GRID (3 CR)**
The electric power grid has quietly supported our industrialized society for over a century, but a changing world poses major challenges. Today, new technology is transforming the energy industry as smart grid solutions and renewable energies enter the market. Industry professionals need to understand the evolution
of the present system, the technology and challenges that have emerged in recent years, and additional changes that are on the horizon. Topics include: advanced metering systems, powerline communications, integration of renewables, cyber security, microgrids, and more.

Prerequisites: EGY 101, ALT 200, and PHY 231 or PHY 251

EGY 499 SENIOR SEMINAR (3 CR)
This course is the capstone experience for the Bachelor of Science in Energy Systems Management degree. The course centers around an energy-related capstone project, which may be community-based, industry-based, or student-created. Students will draw upon their previous coursework, synthesize skills, knowledge, and experience, and demonstrate their potential to make a positive difference in the industry or community.

Prerequisites: STM 401, COM 350, and senior standing in program

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ELECTRONIC TECHNOLOGY (ELT)

ELT 105 INTRODUCTION TO ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS (3 CR)
This course provides non-electricians an introduction to principles of electricity, circuits, electrical devices and electrical safety. Students gain hands-on experience wiring circuits, using test equipment, and troubleshooting electrical equipment problems. The course gives students the tools necessary to work safely with and around electricity in an industrial environment that may include special machines, facility (process) support equipment, energy production equipment, and energy distribution systems.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

ELT 120 CIRCUIT ANALYSIS I (4 CR)
Students examine the fundamental concepts of DC circuits including electricity and magnetism, resistance, capacitance, inductance, series and parallel circuits, power and basic electrical measurements.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

ELT 126 CIRCUIT ANALYSIS II (4 CR)
A study of alternating electrical current is presented. Topics include AC measurements, resistance, inductance and capacitance in AC circuits.

Prerequisite: ELT 120

ELT 130 ELECTRONICS I (4 CR)
Study of electronic devices including diodes, bipolar and field effect transistors, integrated circuits, and other semiconductor devices; their parameters, nomenclature, characteristics, and application to practical circuitry.

Prerequisite: ELT 126

ELT 140 INTRODUCTION TO DIGITAL ELECTRONICS (4 CR)
This course is the beginning course in digital electronics. Topics include number systems, Boolean algebra, and basic logic gates and circuits.

Prerequisite: MAT 040* or higher

ELT 150 RESIDENTIAL WIRING (2 CR)
Topics covered in this course include blueprint reading, NEC code, branch circuit design, service entrance and switch control. Students are required to practice wiring and design skills with hands-on experiences.

ELT 151 COMMERCIAL WIRING (2 CR)
Topics covered in this course include wiring plans of commercial buildings, three phase 208/120 volt services, lighting fixtures, service entrances and metering facilities. The students will be given opportunities to practice skills in the wiring laboratory.

Prerequisite: ELT 105 or 150

ELT 152 INDUSTRIAL WIRING (2 CR)
Topics covered in this course include: substation and high voltage metering, feed duct, panel boards, motors and controllers,
signal systems, ventilation and others. Students will be given opportunities to practice skills in the electrical wiring laboratory.  
*Prerequisite: ELT 150*

**ELT 160 PRINCIPLES OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY (3 CR)**
*(Same as ALT 200)*
This course will introduce students to alternative energy systems and their design and applications. The course will focus primarily on wind turbines, solar systems, and hydrogen fuel cells. A basic understanding of electricity is highly recommended.  
*Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

**ELT 163 WIND ENERGY (3 CR)**
*(Same as ALT 250)*
In this course students are exposed to many of the skills necessary to install a residential wind turbine system. Topics include siting wind turbines, turbine components, estimating turbine electricity output, loading, battery, inverters and off-grid/grid-connected systems. Labs include hands-on activities with turbines and electrical equipment. Prior electrical skills and knowledge are required to be successful in this course.  
*Prerequisites: ELT 126 and ELT 151*

**ELT 166 SOLAR ENERGY (3 CR)**
*(Same as ALT 255)*
This course explores the design, installation and maintenance of photovoltaic (PV) systems. Topics include site survey and assessment, estimating solar array electricity output, inverters, battery systems and off-grid/grid-connected systems. Labs include hands-on activities with solar panels and electrical equipment. Prior electrical skills and knowledge are required to be successful in this course.  
*Prerequisites: ELT 120 and ELT 151*

**ELT 215 ELECTRICAL TROUBLESHOOTING (2 CR)**
This course explores troubleshooting in various areas such as: control circuits, combination starters, control devices, special controls, DC motors, AC motors, lighting systems with use of schematics, building drawings, and with emphasis on cutting trouble-shooting time.  
*Prerequisites: ELT 126 and ELT 152*

**ELT 220 INDUSTRIAL MOTION CONTROL (3 CR)**
This course covers motion controls as used in real world situations, including PLC, robotics, servos, sensing devices, actuators and controls.  
*Prerequisite: ELT 105 or ELT 126*

**ELT 250 ELECTRIC MOTORS & CONTROLS (4 CR)**
Basic principles involved in the operation of motors and controls. Study includes single-phase motors and their operating principles, polyphase systems and the various control devices used with these systems.  
*Prerequisite: ELT 126*

**ELT 260 BASIC PROGRAMMABLE CONTROLLERS (4 CR)**
Basic programmable controllers is a course for apprentices and skilled trades trainees looking at the history, characteristics, application and limitation of PCs. Numeration systems, binary-coded decimals, ASCII, gray code and Boolean logic studied. Additional study includes input/output devices, processing and programming functions, program development, documentation, start-up and troubleshooting.  
*Prerequisite: ELT 126*

**ELT 261 ADVANCED PLC PROGRAMMING (2 CR)**
This course introduces topics that include advanced PLC programming, troubleshooting and data communications.  
*Prerequisite: ELT 260*

**ELT 274 ELECTRICIAN’S NATIONAL CODE (3 CR)**
This course is an extensive study of the national and local electric codes for wiring and apparatuses. It covers wiring design and protection, wiring methods and materials, equipment for general use including motors and controllers, special occupancies such as hazardous location; special equipment such as electric welding and machine tool wiring, and the use of tables and diagrams for the solution of practical wiring problems.
Prerequisite: ELT 150

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS)

EMS 113 MEDICAL FIRST RESPONDER (5 CR)
The medical first responder course (MFR) is a minimum 64-hour lecture, lab and practical based emergency medical education program in a wide variety of medical and trauma settings. This level of education is the first level of licensure that the State of Michigan recognizes for a professional emergency health care provider. The scope of practice is typically utilized by rural fire departments, police and security agencies, industrial plant workers, lifeguards, search and rescue teams, along with private and public school personnel.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required

EMS 114 EMS MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY/A & P (3 CR)
This course provides demonstration and foundation development for medical terminology, anatomy and physiology for students pursuing an EMS education. The structure of this course will be a lecture/lab format focused on anatomy and physiology of the human body combined with word building, definitions, spelling, usage and pronunciation of medical terminology utilized specifically for the entry-level EMS student.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required

EMS 122 EMT BASIC TECHNOLOGY (12 CR)
The basic emergency medical technician course is a Michigan Department of Community Health approved course. This program provides the information and experience necessary to prepare the student to sit for the National Registry Basic EMT Certification exam. Topics include: legal responsibilities, anatomy, physiology, patient assessment, management of various emergency situations, extrication, and current standards for EMTs in the field.

Students will also participate in scenario-based education and computer-based testing and scenarios to reinforce skills learned within these areas. Students must complete a minimum of four 12-hour experiences in the hospital emergency room setting and with a pre-hospital life support agency. Laboratory and clinical experiences are included.
Corequisites: EMS 1220 (Lab) and EMS 1221 (Clinical)

EMS 150 EMT INTERMEDIATE TECHNOLOGY (I-85) (8 CR)
The intermediate emergency medical technician (EMT-I) course is a classroom and field-based emergency medical education program that prepares students to take the National Registry Intermediate EMT Certification exam. Students learn the role and responsibilities of an emergency medical technician at an intermediate level in providing emergency care. Content areas are covered in lectures, practical skills practiced in a laboratory setting along with observations and experience that will be gained in a clinical and/or internship setting.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required

EMS 160 PARAMEDIC ADVANCED PRACTICE: I (4.25 CR)
This course is designed to prepare the student for licensure as an advanced emergency medical technician (paramedic) in the State of Michigan. This course includes patient assessment techniques and concepts, advanced airway management, fluid and shock resuscitation, acid/base and body buffer systems, and multi-systems trauma treatments. Included in this course is a module on medical terminology. The course involves medical procedures and use of equipment as prescribed by the U.S. Department of Transportation, Michigan Department of Community Health, and Jackson County Medical Control Authority.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required
Corequisites: EMS 161, EMS 162, EMS 163, EMS 164 and EMS 166.
EMS 1600 PARAMEDIC SKILL LAB: I (2 CR)
This course is designed to provide the paramedic student with the skills as prescribed by the Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) for the paramedic curriculum. This course includes skill practice and scenarios (both computer and classroom).
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required
Corequisites: EMS 160, EMS 162, EMS 163, EMS 164 and EMS 1601.

EMS 162 PARAMEDIC PHARMACOLOGY: I (2.25 CR)
This course is designed to provide the paramedic students with a knowledge of basic pharmacological principles, biological factors influencing drug actions, predictable effects of drugs on physiologic problems, modifiers of predictable effects, commonalities and variations between the actions of drugs employed for comparable therapeutic effect, adverse effects of drugs that can and do commonly occur, and application for pharmacological therapy in the pre-hospital setting. Concentration will focus on cardiovascular drugs in this semester.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required
Corequisites: EMS 160, EMS 161, EMS 163, EMS 164 and EMS 166.

EMS 163 PARAMEDIC CARDIOLOGY: I (2.25 CR)
This is a course designed to provide knowledge in cardiology to fulfill the needs of the paramedic program. This course involves medical procedures and use of equipment as stated by the U.S. Department of Transportation, Michigan Department of Community Health, and the American Heart Association Advanced Cardiac Life Support standards. Topics include: rapid interpretation of EKGs, static recognition of EKGs, electrical therapy, pharmacological therapy, and basic algorithms for treatment of cardiac arrhythmias.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required
Corequisites: EMS 160, EMS 161, EMS 162, EMS 164 and EMS 166.

EMS 164 PEDIATRIC ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT (2 CR)
This course is designed to provide the paramedic student with the skills and knowledge to handle pediatric emergencies in the pre-hospital setting. Pediatric patients are not treated as “young” adults. They are a distinct population with different responses to injuries than adults.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required
Corequisites: EMS 160, EMS 161, EMS 162, EMS 163 and EMS 166.

EMS 1601 PARAMEDIC CLINICAL: I (3 CR)
This course is designed to provide the first semester clinical hours necessary to meet the requirements of the Michigan Department of Community Health paramedic curriculum. This course includes clinical rotations at various sites including ambulance, hospital, and skilled care facilities. In addition, classroom time is scheduled to review clinical procedures and review progress of the students.
Prerequisite: Instructor Permission Required
Corequisites: EMS 160, EMS 1600, EMS 162, EMS 163 and EMS 164.

EMS 170 PARAMEDIC ADVANCED PRACTICE: II (4.25 CR)
This course is designed to prepare the student for licensure as a paramedic in the State of Michigan. The course involves medical procedures and use of equipment as prescribed by the U.S. Department of Transportation, the Michigan Department of Community Health, and Jackson County Medical Control Authority. Topics include: advanced life support in gynecological emergencies, behavioral emergency management, gastrointestinal emergencies, lab test analysis, and other medical emergencies.
Prerequisites: EMS 160, EMS 161, EMS 162, EMS 163, EMS 164, and EMS 166.
Corequisites: EMS 171, EMS 172, EMS 173, EMS 174 and EMS 176.
EMS 1700 PARAMEDIC SKILL LAB: II (2 CR)
This course is designed to provide the paramedic student with the skills as prescribed by the Michigan Department of Community Health (MDCH) for the paramedic curriculum. This course includes skill practice and scenarios (both computer and classroom).
Prerequisites: Instructor Permission Required
Corequisites: EMS 170, EMS 172, EMS 173, EMS 174 and EMS 1701

EMS 172 PARAMEDIC PHARMACOLOGY: II (2.25 CR)
This course is designed to provide pharmacological information on the remaining non-cardiac drugs, which a paramedic will experience in the pre-hospital and hospital setting. This course is based on the paramedic education program requirements as set by the Michigan Department of Health.
Prerequisites: EMS 160, EMS 161, EMS 162, EMS 163, EMS 164 and EMS 166.
Corequisites: EMS 170, EMS 171, EMS 173, EMS 174 and EMS 176

EMS 173 PARAMEDIC CARDIOLOGY: II (2.25 CR)
Course is designed to provide knowledge in cardiology to fulfill the needs of the AEMT (paramedic) program. This course involves medical procedures and use of equipment as stated by the U.S. Department of Transportation, Michigan Department of Community Health, and the American Heart Association Advanced Cardiac Life Support standards. Topics include pathophysiology of heart disorders, 12 lead EKG interpretation, pediatric ACLS, pharmacological therapy.
Prerequisites: EMS 160, EMS 161, EMS 162, EMS 163, EMS 164 and EMS 166.
Corequisites: EMS 170, EMS 171, EMS 172, EMS 174 and EMS 176

EMS 174 PARAMEDIC ADVANCED PRACTICE: III (4.25 CR)
This course provides the paramedic student the knowledge in the transport of patients with special considerations and advanced EMT operations as prescribed in the U.S. Department of Transportation’s paramedic curriculum. Student will take a comprehensive exam at the conclusion of this course for certification by Jackson College. This certification can be used as evidence of completion for the National Registry Exam (passage of which leads to licensing in most U.S. states).
Prerequisites: EMS 160, EMS 161, EMS 162, EMS 163, EMS 164 and EMS 166.
Corequisites: EMS 170, EMS 171, EMS 172, EMS 173 and EMS 176

EMS 1701 PARAMEDIC CLINICAL: II (3 CR)
This course is designed to provide the second-semester clinical hours necessary to meet the requirements of the Michigan Department of Community Health Paramedic curriculum. This course includes clinical rotations at various sites including ambulance, hospital, and skilled care facilities. In addition, classroom time is scheduled to review clinical procedures and review progress of the students.
Prerequisites: EMS 160, EMS 161, EMS 162, EMS 163, EMS 164 and EMS 166.
Corequisites: EMS 170, EMS 1700, EMS 172, EMS 173 and EMS 174

EMS 280 EMS INSTRUCTOR COORDINATOR I (4 CR)
This course is the first of three consecutive courses designed to prepare currently licensed EMT or AEMT for State EMS Instructor Coordinator Licensure. This course is a Michigan Department of Community Health EMS and Trauma Systems section approved program. This course includes state-mandated modules with a primary focus on educational pedagogy related to teaching EMS. The first semester includes: Blooms Taxonomy, creating lessons, classroom management, critical thinking and assessment, etc.
Prerequisite: Licensed EMT-B, EMT-I or EMT-P with a minimum of three years of field experience. Instructor permission required.
EMS 282 EMS INSTRUCTOR COORDINATOR II (4 CR)
This course is the second of three consecutive courses designed to prepare currently licensed EMT or AEMT for State EMS Instructor Coordinator Licensure. This course is a Michigan Department of Community Health EMS and Trauma Systems section approved program. This course includes state-mandated modules with a primary focus on state requirements for EMS education. This semester includes: guided student teaching, guidance in didactic and laboratory skills, information related to adhering to state mandates policies and procedures EMS education.
Prerequisite: EMS 280 Instructor Coordinator I.
All EMS students must complete EDU-290 Instructional Skills Workshop as the third course component.
Instructor permission required.
Corequisite: EDU 290

EMS 245 PARAMEDIC CLINICAL INTERNSHIP
This course is designed to provide the field internship as prescribed by Michigan Department of Transportation and the requirements of the Michigan Department of Community Health paramedic curriculum. This course is the last course taken as part of the paramedic program. This course includes clinical rotations at ambulance services as the lead paramedic under the supervision of a field paramedic. Students are expected to complete their clinical competencies during this class. In addition, classroom time is scheduled to review clinical procedures and review progress of the students. This course includes up to eight hours of medical simulation to help achieve any missing paramedic competencies.
Prerequisites: EMS 170, EMS 171, EMS 172, EMS 173, EMS 174 and EMS 176

ENGINEERING (EGR)

EGR 153 ENGINEERING DRAWING (4 CR)
Students examine the communication aspects of graphics emphasizing sketching and computer-aided drafting and design. This course covers simple pictorial and working drawings, orthographic and isometric projections, an introduction to the mechanical design process, the basics of freehand sketching and of computer aided drafting (CAD) and the computer as a design tool.

ENGLISH (ENG)

ENG 086 ACTIVE READING (3 CR)
Using a wide range of reading materials, students will employ metacognitive processes to enhance understanding and will find connections between a text and their own lives, the world, and other texts. They will also learn and practice strategies for expanding vocabulary. Student writing is a significant component of the course.

ENG 091 INTRODUCTION TO COLLEGE WRITING (3 CR)
This is an intensive course to give students a strong foundation for the work of English 131. Students explore genres in order to meet the expectations of audiences for a variety of purposes. A personal approach helps students enhance their writing abilities, resolve writing problems, and explore writing strategies. An end-of-the-semester portfolio is required.
Corequisite: ENG 131A

ENG 131 WRITING EXPERIENCE I (3 CR)
This is an intensive writing course. Narrative and descriptive modes are stressed. Basic research strategies are introduced. An end-of-the-semester portfolio is required.
Prerequisites: ENG 086* and ENG 091*
ENG 131A WRITING EXPERIENCE I (3 CR)
(Same as ENG 131)
This is an intensive writing course. Narrative and descriptive modes are stressed. Basic research strategies are introduced. An end-of-the-semester portfolio is required.
Prerequisite: ENG 086*
Corequisite: ENG 091

ENG 132 WRITING EXPERIENCE II (3 CR)
This is an intensive writing course. Analytical and persuasive modes are stressed. Advanced research writing strategies are used. Database and primary research methods are emphasized. An end-of-the-semester portfolio is required.
Prerequisite: ENG 131

ENG 186 INTRODUCTION TO PHOTOJOURNALISM (3 CR)
Use of the 35-millimeter single reflex camera and introduction to digital camera use. Camera operation and darkroom procedures (film development and enlargements) are covered. Instruction emphasizes photographic equipment, lenses, exposure and composition.

ENG 201 ADVANCED COMPOSITION (3 CR)
An advanced course offering. Selected students practice peer tutoring and research writing. Emphasis is placed on student writing conferences, process writing, and standard research methods. End-of-the-semester portfolio of research paper is required. Additionally, all students enrolled in this course work as tutors in the Writing Center.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required

ENG 210 FILMS AS LITERATURE (3 CR)
Students analyze films as texts by learning to evaluate the story structure of different films and how a film’s visual elements work to enhance the story. Students also examine the cultural and societal impact of films. Readings in the narrative structure of films, cultural impact, and film techniques. Includes Jackson College Winter Film Series.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 232 TECHNICAL & BUSINESS WRITING (3 CR)
A course designed to provide practice in a variety of written and oral communications to meet the requirements of the workplace. Projects may include descriptions, instructions, résumés, proposals, reports or online documents. It involves frequent writing, both in and out of class, as well as oral presentations, collaborative activities and individual conferences.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 242 SPORTS IN FILM AND LITERATURE (3 CR)
This course is an inquiry into historical and changing role of sports in American culture through novels, essays, biographies, films, documentaries and sports-related poetry.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 246 SHORT STORY & NOVEL (3 CR)
Students are introduced to traditional and contemporary fictional genres. This course emphasizes understanding, appreciation and the critical analysis of narrative art. Selections for study are chosen from English and American literature as well as world literature in translation.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 247 POETRY & DRAMA (3 CR)
Students are introduced to lyric and dramatic genres. This course emphasizes understanding, appreciation and enjoyment of poetry and theatre as language performances and literary forms. Selections for study are chosen from English and American literature as well as world literature in translation.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 249 AFRICAN-AMERICAN LITERATURE (3 CR)
Survey of the literature of African-American writers. Emphasis is on the major writers in narrative, poetry, fiction, essay and drama.
Prerequisites: ENG 131
ENG 252 SHAKESPEARE (3 CR)
Students read representative plays and are introduced to the Elizabethan world. Course emphasizes developing understanding, appreciation and critical analysis skills.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 254 CHILDREN’S LITERATURE (3 CR)
Students survey the various genres of children’s literature from a critical point of view. Course emphasizes developing student competency in oral reading and presentation of children’s literature.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 255 AMERICAN LITERATURE-19TH CENTURY (3 CR)
Students examine the development of a distinctive American literature and culture during the 19th century. Students read selections from many writers, with emphasis on major figures such as Hawthorne, Melville, Thoreau, Emerson, Poe, Dickinson, Whitman, Douglass and Jacobs.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 256 AMERICAN LITERATURE-20TH CENTURY (3 CR)
Students examine the literature and culture of America from 1890 to the present, with emphasis on the development of organic and post-modern writing in narrative, poetic and critical modes.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 257 WORLD LITERATURE I (3 CR)
Students compare major themes and writers from Africa, America, Asia and Europe.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 261 CREATIVE WRITING I (3 CR)
Students experiment with writing poetry, fiction, drama and creative nonfiction for discussion and criticism. Students invent, collaborate and revise before submitting a portfolio of their work. Contemporary readings and visiting authors/videos enhance the class, but primary attention is given to students’ creative writing process.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

ENG 262 CREATIVE WRITING II (3 CR)
Students in this workshop write fiction, poetry and other forms, and present writing for criticism and discussion. Contemporary readings emphasize participation of writers in a living act. Students write and workshop fiction, poetry and other genres. Contemporary readings emphasize writing invention and writing communities.
Prerequisite: ENG 261

ENTREPRENEURSHIP (ENT)

ENT 101 ENTREPRENEURSHIP: CREATING YOUR OWN JOB (3 CR)
There will be only one constant throughout your career, and that constant is change. The preferences of consumers are constantly changing, entire industries are rising and falling, and hard-working people often are finding themselves looking for a job. This course provides you with the foundation to design your own job, whether in the context of an existing organization (i.e., as an “intrapreneur”) or as someone who starts a new enterprise (i.e., as an “entrepreneur”). In this course you will learn more about your own strengths and weaknesses, as well as the key characteristics shared by successful entrepreneurs. You’ll also gain skills for matching your strengths with a business idea that fits you well, so that both you and your customers will benefit. Finally, you will begin developing analytical tools to help make sound decisions in a rapidly changing world.
Prerequisites: CIS 095*

ENT 102 ENTREPRENEURIAL MARKETING: FINDING YOUR NICHE (3 CR)
Organizations grow by serving the needs of customers. These needs are frequently changing; at times even the customers
themselves don’t accurately express what they need. The key to entrepreneurial success is identifying the underlying needs of specific niches within the changing marketplace and then devising a plan which matches your driving passion and unique capabilities with the specific needs you have identified. This process is entrepreneurial marketing. In this course you will work with market research tools and develop analytical processes for identifying the needs of target customers, and you will produce marketing plans designed to capitalize on your unique advantages in order to delight customers. Simultaneously, you will begin developing a brand identity intended to become the preferred choice among your target customers.

Prerequisite: CIS 095*

**ENT 169 BUSINESS PLAN (3 CR)**
The student will be able to evaluate their business concept and write a sound business plan for their entrepreneurial venture. In the process of doing so, the student will be able to assess the strengths and weaknesses of a business concept; collect and organize market research data into a marketing plan; and prepare the financial projects for their business venture. In addition, students will be able to identify and evaluate various resources available for funding the entrepreneurial venture. To be successful in this course, basic computer skills are required.

Prerequisites: ENT 102

**FYS 105 COLLEGE SUCCESS SEMINAR (1 CR)**
This first-year experience course focuses on the transition of high school graduates into their first semester of college with an emphasis on developing study strategies, teamwork and problem solving. Basic academic areas will be reviewed to improve skill levels prior to fall semester.

**FYS 110 LIFE MAPS (1 CR)**
This first-year experience course equips students for transitions in education and life. Students will be actively involved in learning and integrating practical applications to promote success. Students will develop a learning portfolio and an educational plan while enhancing critical thinking and study strategies.

**FYS 131 Navigating College and Life (2 CR)**
Students will develop and apply soft skills such as self-management, emotional intelligence, interdependence and resiliency in order to promote success in education and in life. Learners will become better equipped as self-advocates in navigating the academic advising and financial aid systems of higher education. Student Education Plans (SEP) and the Life Maps Project will be completed and academic success strategies are introduced and reinforced throughout the course.

**FYS 150 HONORS LEADERSHIP (2 CR)**
This course introduces students to the mission, vision and values of Jackson College and introduces students to leadership principles with individual and group service learning projects centered on improving connections with area high schools, the community and stakeholders. Prerequisite: Instructor permission required.
FRENCH (FRN)

FRN 131 ELEMENTARY FRENCH I (4 CR)
Introduces and develops the four skills of language learning: listening, speaking, reading and writing, with special emphasis on listening and speaking.

FRN 132 ELEMENTARY FRENCH II (4 CR)
Provides increased practice in the basic language skills: listening, speaking, reading and writing.
Prerequisite: FRN 131

GEOLOGY (GEL)

GEL 109 EARTH SCIENCE (4 CR)
This course serves as a foundation for the Earth sciences and Earth science majors. Emphasis is placed on laboratory experience and class discussions to reinforce scientific principles. Earth science case studies are covered in detail. In laboratory, the students will learn how to apply basic scientific principles through active learning and application. This course has a laboratory component.

GEL 160 INTRODUCTION TO GEOLOGY (4 CR)
The course covers minerals, rocks, earthquakes and volcanoes. It also covers the landscapes and behaviors of continents and oceans. Diagrams, photographs, topographic maps, Internet resources and hands-on exercises are utilized to support the concepts. Course includes a laboratory component.

GERMAN (GER)

GER 131 ELEMENTARY GERMAN I (4 CR)
Introduces and develops the four skills of language learning: listening, speaking, reading and writing, with special emphasis on listening and speaking.

GER 132 ELEMENTARY GERMAN II (4 CR)
Continuation of GER 131 with increased practice in the basic language skills: listening, speaking, reading and writing with special emphasis on listening and speaking.
Prerequisite: GER 131

HISTORY (HIS)

HIS 120 ANCIENT HISTORY (3 CR)
This course attempts to answer the question, “Where did it all begin?” with a survey of the politics, art and religion of the ancient world.
from history’s beginning in Samaria to the end of the ancient world when the Western Roman Empire faded out of sight in 476 A.D.

**HIS 125 AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY (3 CR)**
Examines the role African-Americans have historically played in the political, economic and social construction of America. Prerequisites:

**HIS 131 WESTERN CIVILIZATION TO 1555 (4 CR)**
HIS 131, together with HIS 132, constitutes the basic history course, as well as an introduction to the humanities. This course examines the roots of Western culture and its development through the Reformation. The course also surveys the social, philosophical, scientific, artistic, religious and political setting evolution with emphasis on the role of ideas and their consequences in the history of the human kind from the beginning to the 16th century.

**HIS 132 WESTERN CIVILIZATION 1555 TO PRESENT (4 CR)**
HIS 131, together with HIS 132, constitutes the basic history course, as well as an introduction to the humanities. This course is a continuation of HIS 131, emphasizing the development of new political areas, economic and social theories, the evolution and expansion of modern states, and efforts to control international tensions from the 16th century to the present.

**HIS 211 MINORITY GROUPS IN AMERICA (3 CR)** *(Formerly SOC 235)*
History of dominant-minority relations in contemporary American society. Attention to specific ethnic, religious, and racial minorities in terms of prejudice and discrimination.

**HIS 231 DEVELOPMENT OF THE U.S. THROUGH THE CIVIL WAR (3 CR)**
This course is the study of American national history beginning with the colonization to the Civil War. Themes include exploration and settlement, development of political theory, development of the West and its influence on the country, the growth of sectionalism and the Civil War.

**HIS 232 DEVELOPMENT OF THE U.S. FROM THE CIVIL WAR (3 CR)**
This course examines the period from the Civil War and Reconstruction to the present day. Emphasizing industrial, commercial and agricultural expansion; intellectual currents; outstanding social changes; the nation’s expanding role in the world affairs, and the Cold War.

**HIS 235 20TH CENTURY HISTORY (3 CR)**
Examination of national and international developments in the past century focusing on such matters as colonialism, global warfare and emerging nations, appearance and disappearance of communism. In addition, polarization of wealth and power, the revolution in technology, communication, businesses and industry, the conflict between the globalization movement and national tendencies will be examined.

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**HEALTH OCCUPATIONS (HOC)**

**HOC 110 CPR AND ADVANCED FIRST AID (2 CR)** *(PREVIOUSLY EMS 110)*
This course leads to certification in First Aid through the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons American College of Emergency Physicians and the American Heart Association Healthcare Provider CPR and AED course. The course will prepare students to recognize when an emergency situation exists and how to properly care for the patient until professional help arrives.

**HOC 135 ELECTROCARDIOGRAPHY TECHNICIAN (4 CR)**
This course will consist of an overview of the cardiovascular system, proper documentation, and vital signs, along with HIPAA compliance and infection control in the clinical setting. The
main focus of this course will be on how to perform and analyze an EKG and recognize various arrhythmias. Students will also learn about exercise electrocardiography and how to perform ambulatory monitoring. The course will also include extensive instruction on cardiovascular pharmacology.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

HOC 140 PHARMACY TECHNICIAN CONCEPTS & CALCULATIONS (4 CR)
This course applies mathematics in the calculations required for determination of proper dosages, conversion operations, as well as in preparation of parenteral solutions for injections, IVs, etc. Detailed instruction in the techniques used in dosage preparation aseptic techniques will be provided. Knowledge of pharmaceutical and medical terms, abbreviations, and symbols commonly used in the prescribing, dispensing and charting medications. Demonstrating drug purchasing and inventory control concepts. Preparation and pretesting for sitting for the Pharmacy Technician Certification Exam (PTCE) included.

Prerequisites: CIS 095* and MAT 040* or higher

HOC 145 PHLEBOTOMY TECHNICIAN (4 CR)
This course will prepare students for performing phlebotomy procedures in a variety of health care settings. Students will learn about the roles and responsibilities of the phlebotomist which will include infection control procedures, legal and ethics issues, working with special populations and situations, and proper specimen collection and handling procedures. The focus will be on performing venipuncture and capillary procedures properly to obtain specimens for various laboratory testing.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

HOC 150 ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORDS SPECIALIST (3 CR)
This course provides students with skills necessary to work with Electronic Health Records. This course is ideal for those currently working in the health field or those looking to enter into a health-related program who are hoping to learn more about key concepts and the use of Electronic Health Records in the medical setting. Topics include the cost and needs to consider when implementing an EHR system, how to utilize an EHR system to meet government requirements and medical practice needs, and practical application of various EHR tasks. The course will also cover basic medical terminology and basic medical coding principles. Students who complete this course with a passing grade will be eligible to sit for the Certified Electronic Health Record Specialist exam.

Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

HEALTH & PHYSICAL FITNESS (HPF)

HPF 110 GOLF (1 CR)
Learn beginning skills, rules and courtesies. This course emphasizes the swing, chipping and putting. Golf clubs are not provided.

HPF 119 INTRODUCTION TO YOGA (1 CR)
Participants will begin to develop yoga as a practice to facilitate lifelong skills enhancing physical, emotional and intellectual strength, flexibility and power. Emphasis is on conscious awareness and internal focus through asana practice, relaxation, body alignment and breathing techniques. Students are required to bring their own yoga mat.

HPF 141 GROUP CYCLING (1 CR)
A fast-paced, invigorating workout to music utilizing specialized “spinning” stationary exercise bikes. Students are able to exercise at their own pace. The class is designed for a wide range of fitness levels.

HPF 143 YOGA II (1 CR)
Participants develop yoga as a practice to facilitate lifelong skills, enhancing physical, emotional, and intellectual strength, flexibility, and power. The course emphasizes conscious awareness and internal focus through asana
practice, body alignment, breathing techniques, relaxation and beginning meditation. Students are required to bring their own yoga mat.

*Prerequisite: HPF 119*

**HPF 160 WELLNESS (1 CR)**
Learn the theoretical and practical relationship of lifestyle to productivity. Students examine attitudes and behaviors that enhance quality of life and maximize personal potential. Students have opportunities for self-evaluation.

**HPF 161 PERSONALIZED FITNESS (1 CR)**
A self-paced program in which students exercise independently in a supervised lab. Instructor’s guidance is available to develop an individualized plan to achieve personal health and fitness goals.

**HPF 168 WEIGHT TRAINING AND CONDITIONING (2 CR)**
Includes both didactic and practical application of the principles of comprehensive exercise. Learn about the multidimensional components of exercise including cardiovascular, flexibility and body composition. Special focus is placed on muscular strength and endurance within the context of a wellness perspective.

**HPF 169 AEROBIC RHYTHMS (1 CR)**
Students at various fitness levels participate in a choreographed exercise/dance and step class for the improvement of cardiovascular fitness, strength and flexibility.

**HPF 173 SPORTS MATTERS (3 CR)**
Students examine the changes and challenges in the field of sport and exercise today for the individual and society, including ethics and values, gender, ethnicity, leadership and politics.

**HPF 182 LIGHT WALKING (1 CR)**
Use walking to develop cardiovascular fitness and lose weight. This course emphasizes both muscular endurance and flexibility.

**HPF 186 WEIGHT TRAINING & WELLNESS (3 CR)**
The principle course focus is that of self-responsibility for well-being. Concentration is on aspects of wellness and conditioning that can be personally controlled and changed. Included are didactic and practical applications of principles for a comprehensive conditioning and wellness program in the context of creating a healthy lifestyle from a wellness perspective.

*Prerequisite: ENG 085*

**HPF 187 INTERVAL TRAINING (1 CR)**
Participate in a vigorous running workout. Intervals ranging in distance from 200-800 meters form the basis of the workout.

**HPF 221 JAZZ TECHNIQUES (3 CR)**
*(Same as DAN 121)*
Beginner to intermediate level class exploring contemporary jazz and modern dance techniques. Includes an introduction to the fundamentals of choreography, exploration of the elements of dance, and history of dance.

**HPF 268 ADVANCED WEIGHT TRAINING (2 CR)**
Participate in fitness evaluations and individually prescribed programs designed to develop strength, aerobic endurance and flexibility.

*Prerequisite: HPF 168 or HPF 186*

**HPF 277 STRESS MANAGEMENT (2 CR)**
Examine current information and techniques related to stress management. Students learn basic concepts and skills related to the holistic management of stress.

*Prerequisite: ENG 085*

**HPF 283 MANAGING STRESS AND HOLISTIC HEALTH (3 CR)**
This course provides students with a holistic approach to health focusing on competencies to manage stress. Students learn the relationship of lifestyle to their health. Through the reflective use of specific skills, tools and new knowledge students have an increased opportunity to enhance their lives and the lives of those around them.
HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT (HTM)

HTM 300 INTRODUCTION TO TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY (3 CR)
Students will explore careers and components of the tourism and hospitality industries, inclusive of lodging, restaurants, recreation/theme parks, clubs/gaming, and entertainment and events. Using the hospitality perspective, many business principles will be covered, such as: leadership, management, planning, organization, communication, decision-making, and quality control.
Prerequisites: BUA 220

HTM 305 HOSPITALITY FACILITIES MANAGEMENT (3 CR)
This course offers an overview of the operation of hospitality facilities, including operating costs for various types of facilities, types and characteristics of major building systems, sustainable aspects of building equipment and management, and the responsibilities of the engineering maintenance department. The study of technology, that aids renovation needs, will be explored so as to streamline operation procedures and key managerial aspects of hospitality facility maintenance.
Prerequisites: CUL 100, BUA 220, ENG 232 and STM 101

HTM 313 HOSPITALITY ETHICS (3 CR)
Students will develop theoretic lenses for understanding ethical issues that confront management in the hospitality and tourism industry while cultivating practical tools for accomplishing personal and organizational goals, and equally exploring how those issues might be handled in ethically defensible ways. This will chiefly be accomplished by way of case studies, self-assessments, experiential exercises, reading, discussion, papers and group activities.
Prerequisites: CUL 100, BUA 220 and ENG 232

HTM 320 CLUB AND SPECIAL EVENT MANAGEMENT (3 CR)
This course explores the management of, and leadership roles within, private city, country and athletic clubs. Topics include: the general manager function; organizational structure of clubs; membership requirements; the future of clubs; and the relationship of private clubs to the hospitality industry.
Students will examine the production and execution of special events, focusing on planning, developing, managing, and implementing all types of events, such as festivals, entertainment, corporate, cultural and sporting events.
Prerequisites: CUL 100, CUL 150 and BUA 220

HTM 325 GAMING AND CONVENTION SALES MANAGEMENT (3 CR)
This course is designed to focus on the planning and managing of events, meetings and conventions. Students will cover the basic techniques and processes behind event planning and meeting management. Emphasis will be given on technical, financial, operational and implementation skills, as well as identifying legal and strategic requirements. Furthermore, the student will be introduced to the multi-billion-dollar gaming industry. Topics include a historical overview of gaming and examines legal, social and economic issues within the industry. It also reviews the various games played in casinos, current trends, and most popular casino destinations in the world.
Prerequisites: CUL 100, CUL 150, and BUA 220

HTM 330 HOSPITALITY AND SALES MARKETING (3 CR)
Students analyze the hospitality and tourism industry to identify customer wants and needs and develop effective marketing strategies to satisfy them. Emphasis is placed on evaluating hospitality/tourism environments, identifying target markets, building brands, and the marketing functions of defining the product, pricing, promotion (direct and online) and placement/sales.
Prerequisites: BUA 230

HUMANITIES (HUM)

HUM 131 CULTURAL CONNECTIONS (3 CR)
This interdisciplinary course examines contemporary issues, their human and technological components, and their historical precedents through art, music, literature and philosophy.

HUM 220 US-BRAZIL CONNECT I (3 CR)
This course is only open to students who participate in the international program partnership between Jackson College and Denver-based US-Brazil Connect. The course introduces students to Brazilian history and culture while employing small team techniques to teach the students how to coach Brazilian high school students in English. This is a structured cross-cultural experience that will afford students the ability to examine the differences and similarities of two dynamic and unique cultures and languages.

HUM 250 STUDIES IN LEADERSHIP (3 CR)
The course provides emerging and existing leaders the opportunity to explore the concept of leadership and to develop and improve their leadership skills. The course integrates readings from the humanities, experiential exercises, films and contemporary readings on leadership.  
Prerequisite: FYS 150

MATHEMATICS (MAT)

MAT 019 RAPID REVIEW MATH (1 CR)
This course provides a rapid review of three pre-algebra: integers, fractions, and decimals. Placement testing and advising is included at the end of the review to determine the best math placement for the student for the remainder of the semester.

MAT 030 FOUNDATIONS OF MATH (4 CR)
This course is designed to prepare non-STEM major students for MAT 130, Quantitative Reasoning. Cultivates student skills in interpreting, understanding, and using quantitative information. Develops facility with numeracy, problem solving strategies, proportional and statistical reasoning through a quantitative literacy lens. Fosters skills in reading and writing quantitative information. Emphasizes critical thinking and the use of multiple strategies in applied contexts.

MAT 033 ALGEBRA FOR STATISTICS (4 CR)
As an alternative pathway toward college-level mathematics, this course introduces fundamental algebra concepts within an underlying framework of statistics and mathematical modeling based on real-world data. Major concepts and themes include: problem solving and experimental design; unit analysis and error in measurement; dimensional analysis and scientific notation; representing data and coordinate graphing; introduction to basic descriptive statistics and probability theorems; basic geometric principles (area, volume, perimeter); arithmetic operations on numbers, ratios, summations, and percents; solution and manipulation of formulas; modeling relationships (linear and exponential regression); solving equations and inequalities; and function arithmetic and graphing. Appropriate technology includes a graphing calculator. The mathematics department recommends that the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old, then the recommendation is that the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student. 
Corequisite: MAT 133A

MAT 039 BEGINNING ALGEBRA (4 CR)
Students will build algebraic skills working with expressions and linear and quadratic equations. The course particularly emphasizes graphs and equations of lines, factoring techniques,
methods of solving quadratic equations, and linear and quadratic modeling.

Prerequisite: Placement test only
Corequisite: MAT 131A

MAT 040 QUANTITATIVE REASONING FUNDAMENTALS (3 CR)
Quantitative Reasoning Fundamentals provides extra support for students concurrently enrolled in MAT 130 Quantitative Reasoning. The course will review mathematical topics needed to be successful in MAT 130, and will offer students the opportunity to review, ask questions, and receive additional help with the content of MAT 130.
Corequisite: MAT 130

MAT 130 QUANTITATIVE REASONING (4 CR)
Quantitative reasoning develops student skills in analyzing, synthesizing and communicating quantitative information. Cultivates algebraic reasoning and modeling skills through a quantitative literacy lens. Emphasizes critical thinking and the use of multiple strategies in applied contexts. Topics include proportional and statistical reasoning, probability, and evaluation of bias and validity.
Corequisite: MAT 040
Prerequisite: MAT 030* or MAT 040*

MAT 131 INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA (4 CR)
This course emphasizes simplifying expressions, solving equations, and graphing functions, including linear, quadratic, polynomial, rational, radical, exponential and logarithmic.
Problem solving and mathematical modeling are integrated throughout. Appropriate technology includes a graphing calculator. The mathematics department recommends the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old the recommendation is the course placement assessment be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student.
Prerequisite: MAT 039*

MAT 131A INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA (4 CR)
This course emphasizes simplifying expressions, solving equations, and graphing functions, including linear, quadratic, polynomial, rational, radical, exponential and logarithmic.
Problem solving and mathematical modeling are integrated throughout. Appropriate technology includes a graphing calculator. This course is offered only as a corequisite to MAT 039.
Corequisite: MAT 039

MAT 133 INTRODUCTION TO PROBABILITY & STATISTICS (4 CR)
(Same as CIS 203)
This course is an introduction to experimental design, data representation, basic descriptive statistics, probability theorems, frequency distributions and functions, binomial and normal probability distributions and functions, probability density functions, hypothesis testing, statistical inference, Chi-square analysis, linear regression, correlation and application of the above in making informed, data-driven decisions in real-world contexts. Both graphing calculators and computer-based statistical software (Microsoft Excel) will be used. If the prerequisite is more than two years old, then the mathematics department recommends the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student.
Prerequisite: MAT 033* or MAT 130* or higher

MAT 133A INTRODUCTION TO PROBABILITY & STATISTICS (4 CR)
(Same as MAT 133)
This course is an introduction to experimental design, data representation, basic descriptive statistics, probability theorems, frequency distributions and functions, binomial and normal probability distributions and functions, probability density functions, hypothesis testing, statistical inference, Chi-square analysis, linear regression, correlation and application of the above in making informed, data-driven decisions in real-world contexts. Both graphing calculators and computer-based
statistical software (Microsoft Excel) will be used. This course is offered only as a corequisite to MAT 033. 
Corequisite: MAT 033

MAT 135 FINITE MATHEMATICS (4 CR)
This course is for students whose programs do not require trigonometry (or the calculus sequence). The topics included are linear, exponential, quadratic, polynomial and logarithmic functions and models: systems of linear equations; linear regression; mathematics of finance and financial modeling; matrices, linear programming; permutations; combinations, probability theory; probabilistic simulations; decision theory; descriptive statistics; and Markov chains. The mathematics department recommends the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old, then the recommendation is that the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student. 
Prerequisite: MAT 033 or MAT 131*

MAT 139 COLLEGE ALGEBRA (4 CR)
Algebraic functions, graphs and models are addressed. Emphasis is placed on the following function types: polynomial, exponential, logarithmic, rational and radical. In all topic areas, covered content includes simplifying expressions, solving equations, graphing using transformations, mathematical modeling and problem solving. 
Prerequisite: MAT 039* or MAT 131* or higher

MAT 141 PRE-CALCULUS (5 CR)
Major emphasis is on the concept of functions. Study polynomial, rational, exponential, logarithmic, trigonometric and inverse trigonometric functions, their properties, graphs, and related equations and applications. Additional topics include systems of equations, matrices, conic sections, sequences and series, and probability. A graphing calculator is required and used extensively. The mathematics department recommends that the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old, then the recommendation is that the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student. 
Prerequisite: MAT 151*

MAT 154 CALCULUS II (5 CR)
This course explores the following topics: methods and applications of the derivative and integral for inverse trigonometric and hyperbolic functions, indeterminate forms, series and polar/parametric representation of functions. Graphing calculator required. The mathematics department recommends the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old, then the recommendation is that the course placement exam should be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student. 
Prerequisite: MAT 151*

MAT 210 FOUNDATIONS OF MATHEMATICS I (4 CR)
This course provides background material for students preparing to teach at the elementary level and emphasizes the structure and properties of the number system. It also covers concepts, models in algorithms for whole numbers, integers, fractions, decimals and percents. Some additional hours of on-site field
work may be required. The mathematics department recommends that the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old the recommendation is the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student.

Prerequisite: MAT 131* or higher

MAT 211 FOUNDATIONS OF MATHEMATICS II (4 CR)
This course will provide the second semester of math content for elementary education majors. It is a continuation course for MAT 210; Foundations of Mathematics I. Topics include probability and statistics, geometry and measurement. The mathematics department recommends that the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old then the recommendation is that the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student.

Prerequisite: MAT 210

MAT 251 CALCULUS III (4 CR)
Solid analytical geometry is integrated throughout this course covering the calculus of vector valued functions, multivariable functions, and vector fields with applications. Graphing calculator required. The mathematics department recommends that the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old then the recommendation is that the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student.

Prerequisite: MAT 154

MAT 254 DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS (4 CR)
Explore solutions of first order differential equations, linear differential equations with constant coefficients, variation of parameters, series solutions, Laplace transforms, eigenvectors and eigenvalues and application to solution of systems of linear first order equations. Graphing calculator required. The mathematics department recommends that the prerequisite not be more than two years old. If the prerequisite is more than two years old, then the recommendation is that the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student.

Prerequisite: MAT 154

MANUFACTURING TECHNOLOGY (MFG)

MFG 105 BLUEPRINT READING (2 CR)
This course will provide the student with a working knowledge and understanding of a variety of mechanical and electrical blueprints. Students will learn to recognize and identify symbols and specifications common to modern industrial blueprints. Topics will include: lines and symbols, views, form, position, title blocks, sketching, features and sections.

MFG 115 GD & T (2 CR)
This course will provide the student with a working knowledge and understanding of dimensioning and tolerancing for specific design requirements on engineering drawings. Students are exposed to symbols, terms, datums, material conditions, form, profile, orientation, runout and location tolerances. Content includes use and understanding of the symbolic method of specification relating to tolerances being applied using ANSI Y14.5M.

Prerequisite: MFG 105

MFG 131 PRODUCTION SAFETY (4 CR)
This course will guide students through an introduction to safety and effective communications in a manufacturing and production environment. This is a first course in a four courses series. (Course 1 of 4). Students may sit for the Certified Production Technologist (CPT) exam assessment after successful completion of each course.

MFG 132 PRODUCTION QUALITY
This course will guide students through an introduction to various activities related to quality control. Emphasis is placed on providing students with general knowledge in areas of print reading, measurement, and continuous quality improvement. (This is part two of a four part course series.) Students may sit for the Certified Production Technologist (CPT) exam assessment after successful completion of each course.

Prerequisite: MFG 131

MFG 133 PROCESSES AND PRODUCTION (4 CR)
This course will guide students through an introduction to various activities related to processes. Emphasis is placed on providing students with general knowledge in areas of materials, tooling, planning and distribution. (This is part three of a four part course series.) Students may sit for the Certified Production Technologist (CPT) exam assessment after successful completion of each course.

Prerequisite: MFG 132

MFG 134 MAINTENANCE AWARENESS (4 CR)
This course will guide students through an introduction to various activities related to production. Emphasis is placed on providing students with general knowledge in areas of welding, basic electrical and basic hydraulics and pneumatics. (This is part four of a four-part course series.) Students may sit for the Certified Production Technologist (CPT) exam assessment after successful completion of each course.

Prerequisite: MFG 133

MFG 150 MACHINING THEORY & METHODS (4 CR)
This course instructs students in machine tool principles and practices used in industry. Safety, terminology, manual milling, lathe, grinding, drilling, basic CNC, measurement and various shop procedures are used to complete projects. A working knowledge of hand and machine tools is achieved through a series of lectures, demonstrations and hands-on projects.

MFG 160 MATERIALS/METALLURGY (2 CR)
This course will provide the student with a working knowledge of the properties, uses and treatment methods used to alter the properties of commonly used metals and alloys. This knowledge may be applied to the design, selection, processing and testing of metal parts.

MFG 164 BASIC FABRICATION (4 CR)
This course instructs students in standard fabrication principles and practices used in industry. Safety, terminology, material milling, lathe, grinding, sawing, drilling, tapping, riveting, sheet metal working, standard layout skills, measurement and standard shop procedures are used to complete various projects. A working knowledge of hand and machine tools is achieved through a series of lectures, demonstrations and hands-on projects.

Prerequisite: MFG 105*

MFG 166 PRECISION MACHINING METHODS (2 CR)
This course instructs students in machine tool principles and practices used in industry. Safety, terminology, material milling, lathe, grinding, drilling, basic CNC, measurement and various shop procedures are used to complete projects. A working knowledge of hand and machine tools is achieved through a series of lectures, demonstrations and hands-on projects.

MFG 170 HYDRAULICS/PNEUMATICS (4 CR)
This course provides instruction in the basics of hydraulic and pneumatic systems including pumps, valving, control assemblies and actuators. Provides a general understanding of basic laws and formulas used in simple hydraulic circuits, including standard hydraulic symbols, and maintenance procedures.

MFG 172 CNC THEORY (2 CR)
This course will review the development of computer numerical control (CNC), where CNC
is used, terminology, and its advantages and shortcomings. Fundamentals of programming and tooling for basic CNC machining are also covered.

**MFG 174 CNC PROGRAMMING (2 CR)**
This course will provide students with a better understanding of set-up and operations of CNC machine tools. Special emphasis is placed on time-saving techniques in programming and operations.
*Prerequisite: MFG 172*

**MFG 185 MAINTENANCE & TROUBLESHOOTING (3 CR)**
Covers methods and means used to troubleshoot and maintain machines typically found in a manufacturing environment. Problem symptoms, problem identification, maintenance records and systems will be covered.

**MFG 190 DRIVE COMPONENTS & BEARINGS (2 CR)**
This course instructs students in the principles, applications, and maintenance of various types of bearings and mechanical couplings, including ball and roller, powdered metal, nonmetallic, hydrostatic bearings, couplings, such as shear, torque limiting, floating and insulated, speed reducers, seals and gears.

**MFG 200 BASIC GAUGES & MEASUREMENT (2 CR)**
This course provides instruction in inspection tools and inspection procedures commonly used in manufacturing.

**MFG 240 INTRODUCTION TO QUALITY MANAGEMENT (3 CR)**
This is a beginning course in the field of quality management. Students will be introduced to history of the field; problem solving strategies; root cause analysis; workflow diagramming; Six Sigma/Lean concepts; and basic statistical process control (SPC) as the concept of systems thinking is explored in practical scenario based projects. The concepts in this class are universal to all industries.
*Prerequisites: MAT 131* or higher, ENG 131 and CIS 101*

**MFG 261 STRENGTH OF MATERIALS FOR MANUFACTURING (3 CR)**
This course will build upon previous courses and provide students with a basic working knowledge of stress/strain, tensile strength, yield strength and some basic finite element analysis (FEA). Students will use standard and custom elements to calculate load capabilities for bolts, pins, axles, and structural material. Some analysis will be computer-based as well as standard engineering analysis.
*Prerequisites: MFG 105, MFG 160 and CAD 151*

**MEDICAL INSURANCE CODER/ BILLER (MIC)**

**MIC 101 ICD-CM CODING (3 CR)**
This course is an introduction to basic coding principles utilizing the International Classification of Diseases, Clinical Modification Coding System, with an emphasis on ICD-CM conventions, coding steps and guidelines, V and E codes, symptoms, signs, and ill-defined conditions and use of the medical record as a source for coding. The Uniform Hospital Discharge Data Set (UHDDS) and guidelines for coding neoplasms, injuries, burns, poisonings, adverse effects of drugs, and complications of surgery and medical care are also included.
*Prerequisites: BIO 132 or BIO 254 or PNC 100, and MOA 120*

**MIC 141 PRINCIPLES OF MEDICAL CODING AND BILLING (3 CR)**
Study principles and practices in health information management as it relates to documentation for medical billing. Introduction to ICD and CPT coding, private insurance, and government program claim processing, legal and health care finance issues, HIPAA and
release of information guidelines are emphasized.

Prerequisites: MOA 120, ENG 131, CIS 095*, and BIO 132 or PNC 100 or BIO 254

MIC 150 CPT CODING (3 CR)
This course provides an introduction to the study of Current Procedure Terminology (CPT) Coding. Simulation of outpatient coding, including ambulatory surgery, diagnostic testing and procedures, physician services using patient records, and encoder software are essential parts of this course. Emphasis is placed on the use of official CPT coding guidelines, compliance and Ambulatory Payment Classification (APC) calculations.

Prerequisites: BIO 132 or BIO 254 or PNC 100 and MOA 120

MIC 201 BILLING SYSTEMS (3 CR)
This course provides an introduction to the study of the billing and reimbursement processes of hospitals and ambulatory health care settings including: scheduling, registration, insurance verification, fee schedules, encounter forms, charge capturing, billing process, reimbursement process, patient payment and collections. Computer laboratory work with billing software is included.

Prerequisites: CIS 095*

MIC 211 ADVANCED CODING (3 CR)
This course serves as a continuation of basic ICD-CM Coding with application of guidelines in more advanced case scenarios. The content includes simulation of inpatient and outpatient coding of diseases, procedures and services of all body systems using patient records and encoder software. Emphasis is placed on the use of official coding guidelines and compliance.

Prerequisites: MIC 101 and MIC 150

MIC 242 ADVANCED MEDICAL BILLING (3 CR)
Designed to teach advanced skills in medical insurance billing. Correct preparation of major carrier claims including use of modifiers and rebilling skills emphasized.

Prerequisites: MIC 141

MIC 255 CODER/BILLER CAPSTONE (3 CR)
A student may choose to take the capstone instead of the practicum. In the capstone, you will not be performing hours at an external site, but rather perform extensive coding and billing exercises to prepare for the CPC exam, build a portfolio, and prepare for employment. Expect to spend approximately 10 hours a week minimum, outside of class time working on assigned items.

Prerequisite: MIC 211 and instructor permission

MEDICAL ASSISTANT (MED/ MOA)

MOA 112 MEDICAL LAW AND ETHICS (3 CR)
Principles and concepts of medical law and bioethics, as well as an overview of health care financing through third party payers are the main focus of this course. Topics include: medical practice management, medical law, liability and malpractice prevention, health information management, HIPAA and confidentiality of patient information, employment practices, consent, billing collections, insurance and government health care programs, codes of ethics and contemporary bioethical issues.

MED 120 MA MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY (3 CR)
This course provides an overview of medical terminology to include word roots, prefixes, and suffixes, building of words using word parts, words not built from word parts, common medical abbreviations, and proper spelling and pronunciation of medical terms. This class is not required if a previous medical terminology course has been taken and passed with a 2.5 grade or higher.

MOA 120 MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY (3 CR)
A programmed learning word-building system approach is used to teach basic medical terminology. Word roots, prefixes, suffixes, language origins, plural formation and grammar
rules are studied. Emphasis is placed on word building, definitions, spelling, usage, pronunciation and acceptable medical abbreviations.  

**Prerequisite:** ENG 085*

**MED 125 INTRODUCTION TO BODY SYSTEMS (3 CR)**  
This course provides an overview of the anatomy of each body system in relation to the field of medical assisting.

**MED 130 MA FUNDAMENTALS (4 CR)**  
This course provides students with an introduction to the medical assistant profession along with basic clinical skills such as aseptic techniques and hand washing, OSHA & blood borne pathogen training, vitals, patient communication, preparing for clinical procedures, and the top 50 prescribed drugs.  

**Prerequisites:** MED 125 and MED 120/MOA 120

**MED 140 CLINICAL PROCEDURES (2 CR)**  
Students will build upon the skills learned in MA Fundamentals. Topics will include assisting with exams, patient screening and assessment, and cardiology and radiology procedures.  

**Prerequisite:** MED 130

**MED 150 SPECIALTY CARE (2 CR)**  
In this course, students will learn the procedures and routines of specialty practices including well-child examinations and immunizations, obstetrics/gynecology, geriatrics, and administration of medications.  

**Prerequisites:** MED 130

**MED 230 SURGERY AND REHABILITATION (2 CR)**  
Students will learn the surgical process to include surgical procedures and minor office surgery, rehabilitation and healthy living, and responding to emergencies in the medical practice.  

**Prerequisites:** MED 140 and MED 150

**MED 240 LABORATORY PROCEDURES (2 CR)**  
In this course, students will become competent in lab safety, collection of lab specimens, performing CLIA waived lab testing, microscopy, and phlebotomy along with gaining an understanding of various test and departments of a medical laboratory.  

**Prerequisites:** MED 140 and MED 150

**MOA 240 MEDICAL OFFICE PROCEDURES (3 CR)**  
Through written and computerized medical office simulations the student will learn basic concepts and medical administrative practices. Topics include: medical office health information management, oral and written communication skills, patient account management, bookkeeping and accounting practices, electronic transmission of data, preparation of correspondence, understanding document content and use, reception and telephone etiquette, appointment scheduling and legal issues.  

**Prerequisites:** CIS 095*, ENG 131 and MOA 120

**MOA 241 PRINCIPLES OF MEDICAL CODING AND BILLING (3 CR)**  
Study principles and practices in health information management as it relates to documentation for medical billing. Introduction to ICD and CPT coding, private insurance, and government program claim processing, legal and health care finance issues, HIPAA and release of information guidelines are emphasized.  

**Prerequisites:** ENG 131, CIS 095*, MOA 120, and BIO 132 or PNC 100 or BIO 254

**MED 250 MA PRE-PRACTICUM CAPSTONE (2 CR)**  
This capstone course will assist in preparation for clinical practicum and completion of the MA program. Students will compile a portfolio and create a cover letter and resume to prepare for future employment, along with preparing for the CMA(AAMA) exam. Additionally, students will be evaluated for competency of skills learned in previous classes in a lab setting. Successful completion of this course is required to be eligible for the MA Clinical Practicum.
Prerequisites: MED 230 and MED 240

MED 252 MEDICAL ASSISTANT CLINICAL PRACTICUM (3 CR)
This clinical practicum provides an opportunity for a non-paid practical experience working in a qualified licensed health care practitioner’s office or clinic. The student will perform both clinical and administrative medical assisting while being supervised and evaluated by the office staff and monitored by the instructor. The student will also complete assignments via the virtual classroom.
Prerequisite: Instructor permission required

MOA 255 HAIS PRACTICUM (3 CR)
The practicum is a non-paid practical experience in which the student is placed in a medical office, clinic, or hospital setting under the supervision of a health care practitioner for 180 hours total. The student has the opportunity to apply the knowledge and skill learned in the classroom in a real life clinical situation. Depending on the placement, the student may perform medical office duties, coding/billing, or other administrative tasks learned in the program. The student will work with the program director to determine what type of practicum/placement they would prefer.
Prerequisite: MIC 211 and instructor permission required

MUSIC (MUS)

MUS 103 KEYBOARD I (2 CR)
Sequence of courses that teach music reading and performance on piano. The course stresses functional keyboard skills.

MUS 104 KEYBOARD II (2 CR)
Sequence of courses that teach music reading and performance on piano. The course stresses functional keyboard skills.
Prerequisite: MUS 103

MUS 105 KEYBOARD III (2 CR)
Sequence of courses that teach music reading and performance on piano. The course stresses functional keyboard skills.
Prerequisite: MUS 104

MUS 106 KEYBOARD IV (2 CR)
Sequence of courses that teach music reading and performance on piano. The course stresses functional keyboard skills.
Prerequisite: MUS 105

MUS 107 GUITAR I (2 CR)
Beginner class instruction in playing folk and classical guitar. Each student provides own guitar.

MUS 108 GUITAR II (2 CR)
Continuation of MUS 107.
Prerequisite: MUS 107

MUS 123 VOICE CLASS (2 CR)
Designed to aid in vocal techniques and develop stage presence. Topics include breathing techniques, vocal evaluation, developing a personal style and working with a microphone. May be taken two times for credit.

MUS 124 ADVANCED VOICE CLASS (2 CR)
Sequence of Voice Class, MUS 123. Class continues the development of vocal technique, with emphasis on performance. May be taken two times for credit.
Prerequisite: MUS 123

MUS 129 COMMUNITY CONCERT BAND (1 CR)
Study and performance of concert band music. May be taken four times for credit.

MUS 130 MUSIC OF NON-WESTERN CULTURES (3 CR)
Discovering the music of non-Western cultures through lecture and directed listening.

MUS 131 UNDERSTANDING MUSIC (3 CR)
Lecture and directed listening on the elements, forms and historic chronology of Western music.

**MUS 132 HISTORY OF AMERICAN POPULAR MUSIC (3 CR)**
Students explore the development of popular music in America and focus on the musical, social and economic influences of commercial music in a historical context.

**MUS 133 MUSIC EDUCATION (3 CR)**
The elementary education student is taught the fundamentals of music and then given practical experience in teaching, creating and accompanying songs and how to enhance an elementary classroom with music.

**MUS 135 AFRICAN DRUM ENSEMBLE (2 CR)**
Performance of African (Ashante) drums. Rehearsals with cultural exploration leading to performances of the music. May be taken two times for credit.

**MUS 136 BRASS ENSEMBLE (2 CR)**
Performance of music for brass chamber ensembles. May be taken four times for credit.

**MUS 137 JAZZ ENSEMBLE (2 CR)**
Performance of jazz with emphasis on improvisational skill development. May be taken two times for credit.

**MUS 138 WOODWIND ENSEMBLE (2 CR)**
Performance of woodwind chamber ensemble music. May be taken four times for credit.

**MUS 151 MUSIC THEORY I (4 CR)**
Study of scales, key signatures, chord structure, intervals, chord progression and non-harmonic tones. This course includes sight singing, keyboard harmony and ear training.

**MUS 152 MUSIC THEORY II (4 CR)**
Continued study of scales, key signatures, chord structure, intervals, chord progression and non-harmonic tones. This course includes sight singing, keyboard harmony and ear training. *Prerequisite: MUS 151*

**MUS 167 APPLIED MUSIC (1 CR)**
Private lessons taken for one credit, designed for music transfer students on secondary instruments, or recreational players looking to further their instrumental or vocal skills. Each face-to-face lesson will be 40 minutes, once per week, will include extra outside work, and require an end-of-semester recital performance combined with other private lesson students. *Prerequisite: MUS 167*

**MUS 168 APPLIED MUSIC (1 CR)**
Private lessons taken for one credit, designed for music transfer students on secondary instruments, or recreational players looking to further their instrumental or vocal skills. Each face-to-face lesson will be 40 minutes, once per week, will include extra outside work, and require an end-of-semester recital performance combined with other private lesson students. *Prerequisite: MUS 167*

**MUS 177 APPLIED MUSIC (2 CR)**
Private lessons taken for two credits, designed for music transfer students on secondary instruments, or recreational players looking to further their instrumental or vocal skills. Each face-to-face lesson will be 60 minutes, once per week, will include extra outside work, and require an end-of-semester recital performance combined with other private lesson students. *Prerequisite: MUS 167*

**MUS 178 APPLIED MUSIC (2 CR)**
Private lessons taken for two credits, designed for music transfer students on secondary instruments, or recreational players looking to further their instrumental or vocal skills. Each face-to-face lesson will be 60 minutes, once per week, will include extra outside work, and require an end-of-semester recital performance combined with other private lesson students. *Prerequisite: MUS 167*

**MUS 190 BROADWAY REVUE (1 CR)**
Study and perform Broadway, jazz and popular vocal literature. The performance aspect
includes singing, stage presence, staging and movement. This ensemble rehearses a total of three to four hours per week. Audition is required. May be taken four times for credit.

MUS 237 JAZZ ENSEMBLE II (2 CR)
Available to students who have already taken Jazz Ensemble I. Offers enhanced requirements of improvisation and mentoring of local music programs. May be taken two times for credit. 
*Prerequisite: MUS 137*

MUS 238 African Drum Ensemble II (2 CR)
Available to students who have already taken African Drum Ensemble I, but with enhanced requirements. May be taken two times for credit. 
*Prerequisite: MUS 135*

MUS 267 APPLIED MUSIC (1 CR)
Private study on all instruments is open to all students. This is a requirement for music majors pursuing a bachelor’s degree. All students must register with music department at the beginning of each semester. Recital and jury required. 
*Prerequisite: MUS 168 or MUS 178*

NATURAL SCIENCE (NSC)

NSC 120 FUNDAMENTALS OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE (4 CR)
This course is designed for students in the agricultural science degree program. It provides an overview of important concepts in biology and chemistry. Chemistry topics include atomic structure, energy, and acid and base chemistry. Biology concepts include cellular structure and energy production, biotechnology, evolution, and ecology. These concepts will be expanded and applied in later courses in the program. Course includes a lab component. 
*Prerequisites: MAT 040* *(course can be taken concurrently)*

NSC 131 CONTEMPORARY SCIENCE (4 CR)
An interdisciplinary course that introduces the nature of science as a process. Particular topics from biology, chemistry, physics, geology and astronomy covered with an emphasis on critical thinking and evaluating evidence to examine competing theories. This course is ideal as a first science course for students whose science background is minimal, who are anxious about science, or who have not had a science course for several years. Course includes a laboratory component. 
*Prerequisites: MAT 040* or higher

NURSING (NRS)

NRS 110 NURSING FUNDAMENTALS (5 CR)
This course introduces students to fundamental concepts of professional nursing and the nursing process. It is designed to teach students to utilize evidence-based practice in providing client-centered and culturally responsive care, advocate for the safety and well-being of clients, develop sound clinical reasoning, promote a spirit of inquiry, and build a strong foundation for a professional identity. Clinical experiences in the long term care facilities and in community settings are designed to reinforce theory concepts and the nursing process. 
*Prerequisite: Admission into the NURS.AAS program*

NRS 111 NURSING SKILLS (1 CR)
This course prepares students to safely and efficiently perform basic psychomotor nursing skills which are client-centered, culturally responsive and evidence-based. Classroom, laboratory and simulation experiences foster the development of clinical reasoning, a spirit of inquiry, and teamwork in preparation for the clinical experience. 
*Prerequisite: Admission into the NURS.AAS program*
NRS 116 PHARMACOLOGY (3 CR)
This course introduces students to basic principles of drug actions and nursing implications within the framework of the nursing process. Students will develop clinical reasoning and drug computation skills necessary to safely administer medications in a culturally responsive, client-centered manner. **Prerequisite: Admission into the NURS.AAS program**

NRS 119 HEALTH ASSESSMENT (3 CR)
This course prepares students to conduct evidenced-based, client-centered health assessments. Using a systematic and culturally responsive approach, the student will demonstrate safe assessment techniques and electronic health record documentation according to evidence-based practice. Classroom, laboratory and simulation experiences foster the development of clinical reasoning, a spirit of inquiry, and teamwork in preparation for the clinical experience. **Prerequisite: Admission into the NURS.AAS program**

NRS 145 NORMAL/THERAPEUTIC NUTRITION (3 CR)
Basic nutritional concepts are presented with emphasis on application to patient care. Selected nutritional disorders and fundamentals of diet therapy are also included.

NRS 210 MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING I (4 CR)
This course prepares the student to provide culturally responsive, safe, quality care while utilizing evidenced-based clinical reasoning that meets the educational and health promotion needs of the medical-surgical client and their families. Clinical experiences, designed to reinforce theory, are included in the acute care setting. **Prerequisite: NRS 110, NRS 111, NRS 116, NRS 119**

NRS 211 CARE OF WOMEN AND NEONATES (3 CR)
This course utilizes the nursing process to assist the student in collaborating with the client/family or other health care members to provide culturally responsive care during the childrearing experience. The student will address care issues from a physiological, pathophysiological, and psychosocial context using clinical reasoning to provide safe and quality care for women and neonates. Clinical experiences designed to reinforce theory are included in acute care clinical settings. **Prerequisite: NRS 110, NRS 111, NRS 116, NRS 119**

NRS 212 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH (3 CR)
This course prepares the student to provide culturally responsive, safe, quality care utilizing clinical reasoning when caring for clients and their families with behavioral health needs. Clinical experiences, designed to reinforce theory, practice standards, and current research, are included in both the acute care and community settings. **Prerequisite: NRS 210, NRS 211, and NRS 215**

NRS 213 PEDIATRICS (3 CR)
This course explores Family Centered Care (FCC) concepts according to theories of growth and development to provide culturally responsive, safe, quality care utilizing clinical reasoning in the practice of primary preventative, acute and chronic nursing care of the pediatric patient population. Digital documentation techniques along with clinical experiences designed to reinforce application of theory, practice standards, and current research are included in both the acute care and community settings. **Prerequisite: NRS 210, NRS 211 and NRS 215**

NRS 214 MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING II (4 CR)
This course prepares the student to provide culturally responsive safe, quality care while utilizing clinical reasoning to the complex medical surgical clients and their families while reinforcing health promotion. Clinical experiences designed to reinforce theory are include in both acute care and community settings.
Prerequisite: NRS 210 or NUR 220, NRS 211 or NUR 221, and NRS 215

NRS 215 PATHOPHYSIOLOGY (4 CR)
This course challenges student to apply the fundamental principles of pathophysiology in the management of the most relevant acute and chronic diseases within the framework of the nursing process. The student will use pathophysiology knowledge to develop sound clinical reasoning, promote a spirit of inquiry, and build a strong foundation for a professional identity. 
Prerequisite: NRS 110, 111, 116 and 119

NRS 220 TRANSITION BRIDGE (4 CR)
This course prepares the student to transition into the role of the professional nurse. Students build upon foundational concepts of critical thinking to further analyze the nursing process and evaluate plans of care that reflect culturally responsive, prioritized care utilizing evidenced-based clinical reasoning. Students expand physical assessment and lab skills to fulfill the professional nurse scope of practice.
Prerequisite: Admission into TNUR.AAS program

NRS 221 CARE OF WOMEN AND NEONATES – TRANSITION BRIDGE (.5 CR)
This course utilizes the nursing process to assist the student in collaborating with the client/family or other health care members to provide culturally responsive care during the childrearing experience. The student will address care issues from a physiological, pathophysiological and psychosocial context using clinical reasoning to provide safe and quality care for woman and neonates. This course is a one-day review of material that the LPN is expected to have gained in their LPN program. It is meant as a way to refresh the student on the material, and assess for basic competency in the care of women and neonates prior to becoming an RN.
Prerequisite: Admission into TNUR.AAS program

NRS 222 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH – TRANSITION BRIDGE (2 CR)
This course builds on prior knowledge to assist the student with the transition to the role of the registered nurse in the psychosocial setting. Students will build on past knowledge to provide culturally responsive, safe quality care utilizing clinical reasoning when caring for clients and their families with behavioral health needs. The clinical experiences are designed to identify and distinguish the expanded scope of nursing practice through reinforcement of theory, practice standards, and current research in both the acute care and community settings. 
Prerequisite: Admission into TNUR.AAS program

NRS 223 PEDIATRIC BRIDGE (.5 CR)
The instructional design of this course is a multimodal blend of classroom learning techniques such as: traditional lecture and team learning combined with electronic classroom teaching technologies. Students will attend a one-day theory review of previously learned pediatric concepts, and gain new knowledge bridging the role of the LPN to AND in pediatric nursing based on theoretical models of childhood growth and development, evidence-based practice and the nursing process.
Prerequisite: Admission into TNUR.AAS program

NRS 230 MEDICAL SURGICAL NURSING III (4 CR)
This course prepares students to provide culturally responsive safe, quality, transitional care while utilizing nursing judgment to increasingly complex, critically ill, and/or multiple clients and their families. Clinical experiences designed to reinforce theory are included in both acute care and community settings.
Prerequisite: NRS 212 or 222, NRS 213 or 223 and NRS 214

NRS 240 NURSING CAPSTONE (3 CR)
This course prepares students for the transition from student to graduate nurse through synthesis and evaluation of current health care trends, legal and ethical processes, and evidence-based practice. Clinical preceptorships
designed to integrate theory, practice and professional socialization are included.  
**Prerequisite:** NRS 212 or 222, NRS 213 or 223, NRS 214 and NRS 230

PHILOSOPHY (PHL)

PHL 231 INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY (3 CR)
In this course, you will be exposed to some of the major figures in Western philosophy, and through them, some of the most important philosophical questions. You will discuss questions such as: Is ethics all a matter of opinion? What is the good life for human beings? When is the state justified in using coercive power? What is the nature of knowledge, and how do we get knowledge? What is the nature of reality? Can we prove the existence of God?

PHL 232 LOGIC (3 CR)
This course gives you a background in both informal and formal logic. Informal logic, which is derived from everyday types of discussions and arguments, is dealt with first. Topics included are the nature of arguments in general, statistical arguments, and fallacies (bad arguments). Formal logic involves dealing with arguments in an artificial language and is the ancestor of digital computers and every computer programming language. You will learn how to manipulate the artificial language and construct relatively simple proofs.

PHL 236 ETHICS (3 CR)
In this course, students will examine various questions concerning the status of ethical judgments and become familiar with certain approaches to ethics that have been influential in Western philosophy, including Kantian ethics, utilitarianism and virtue-based ethical theories. In addition, students will consider how these approaches can be employed in ethical decision-making.

**Prerequisite:** ENG 131

PHL 243 GREAT WORLD RELIGIONS (3 CR)
Students examine the literature and historical settings of great world religions. The relationship of contemporary thought is considered for representative groups.

PHYSICS (PHY)

PHY 131 CONCEPTUAL PHYSICS (4 CR)
Become familiar with basic concepts used in physics to describe and explain various physical phenomena. The course covers the following topics: kinematics (the description of motion); mechanics (the study of force, momentum, and energy); the behavior of solids, liquids and gases; temperature and heat; waves and sound; electricity and magnetism; and optics. The course is designed to familiarize the student with the basics of physics using a minimum of mathematics. Course includes a laboratory component.  
**Prerequisites:** MAT 040* or higher

PHY 145 INTRODUCTION TO BASIC PHYSICS (2 CR)
This course addresses the basic principles of classical physics specifically for the sonography program with a minimal amount of mathematics. The topics covered include motion, mechanics, energy, properties of matter, waves, heat, electricity and magnetism.  
**Prerequisites:** MAT 040* or higher

PHY 150 CONCEPTS IN ASTRONOMY (3 CR)
A one-semester conceptual astronomy course for non-science majors. This is a survey course that focuses on four broad content categories: the motions of the sky, the solar system, light & stars, and the universe. The emphasis of the course is on critical thinking about specific topics in these categories with a minimum of...
There is no laboratory component.

**Prerequisites:** MAT 033* or higher

**PHY 151 ASTRONOMY (4 CR)**

A one-semester conceptual astronomy course for non-science majors. This is a survey course that focuses on four broad content categories: motions of the sky, the solar system, light and stars, and the universe. The emphasis of the course is on critical thinking about specific topics in these categories. The course has an associated laboratory in which students run experiments to verify the concepts presented. The mathematical skills necessary for this course include working with ratios, rates, scaling, unit conversion, percentages, exponents, graphing, basic geometry and substitution into formulas.

**Prerequisites:** MAT 033* or higher

**PHY 231 COLLEGE PHYSICS I (4 CR)**

Pre-professional and engineering technology students explore kinematics, mechanics, dynamics, thermodynamics, acoustics and general wave motion. Course includes a laboratory component.

**Prerequisite:** PHY 231

**PHY 232 COLLEGE PHYSICS II (4 CR)**

Students cover topics in electricity, magnetism and modern physics and is a continuation of PHY 231. Course includes a laboratory component.

**Prerequisite:** PHY 231

**PHY 251 MODERN UNIVERSITY PHYSICS I (5 CR)**

Students cover classical mechanics, thermodynamics and wave motion. This course should be elected by all science and engineering students. Course includes a laboratory component.

**Prerequisite:** MAT 151 or higher

**PHY 252 MODERN UNIVERSITY PHYSICS II (5 CR)**

Students cover topics in classical electricity and magnetism, optics, special relativity and modern physics. A continuation of PHY 251. Course includes a laboratory component.

**Prerequisite:** PHY 251

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**POLITICAL SCIENCE (PLS)**

**PLS 141 AMERICAN NATIONAL GOVERNMENT (3 CR)**

Develops a systematic framework for the interpretation of political activity in the United States. Numerous models explain the theoretical foundations of government and the decision-making process.

**PLS 262 INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (3 CR)**

Survey contemporary world affairs and examine the nation-state system, the struggle for power, and factors creating harmony and hostility among states.

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**PRACTICAL NURSING (PNC)**

**PNC 100 BODY STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION (4 CR)**

This course is a body systems approach to the body structures and functions providing a foundation of understanding normal and abnormal body functions and disease processes.

**Prerequisites:** ENG 086*

**PNC 110 FOUNDATIONS OF PRACTICAL NURSING (5 CR)**

Students are introduced to the nursing process and their role as caregiver. Maslow’s Hierarchy of needs is explored along with nursing skills that meet basic physiologic and safety needs. Clinical experience provides the student an opportunity to demonstrate initial application of the roles of nursing judgment and professional identity in a highly structured, supervised setting.
**Prerequisites:** Admission into the PNCE.CERT program

**PNC 111 Foundations Skills Lab (1 CR)**
This course introduces students to fundamental skills of practical nursing and the nursing process. The laboratory component will provide the student with visual demonstrations of procedures, as well as hands-on practice and group collaboration. **Prerequisites:** Admission into the PNCE.CERT program

**PNC 112 Practical Nurse Pharmacology I (2 CR)**
This course introduces the PNC student to basic principles of drug actions and nursing implications within the nursing process framework. Students will develop safe medication practices and accurate drug dosage computation skills in a culturally sensitive, client-centered manner. **Prerequisites:** PNC 111

**PNC 113 Practical Nurse Pharmacology II (1 CR)**
The student will explore the nursing process to understand the role of medications in relation to human disease, patient education, and disease management. **Prerequisites:** PNC 112

**PNC 120 Medical-Surgical Nursing I (5.5 CR)**
Students use the nursing process to implement the caregiver role with adult clients experiencing basic physiologic needs. How disease states of core systems alter clients’ needs and their ability to meet those needs is explored. Clinical experience provides student the opportunity to demonstrate increasing organizational skills in their roles of nursing judgment and professional identity. **Prerequisites:** PNC 120 and PNC 1201

**PNC 140 Medical-Surgical Nursing III (3 CR)**
Students use the nursing process to implement the nursing role with adult clients experiencing basic physical (sensory, renal, reproductive, musculoskeletal, and mental health) conditions. Emphasis will be placed on the special needs of elderly clients. Understanding of how client's response to disease states alters the safety, love and belonging, and self-esteem needs will be explored. Interventions helpful to the care of the elderly will be included. **Prerequisites:** PNC 130 and PNC 1301

**PNC 150 Maternal/Newborn Concepts (2 CR)**
Students will extend the use of the nursing process to women, obstetric patients, and neonates. Maslow's hierarchy of needs is utilized as a framework to care for the client who has a well-defined health care problem in a structured setting. **Prerequisites:** PNC 140, PNC 170, and PNC 1701

**PNC 160 Pediatric Concepts (2 CR)**
Students will extend the use of the nursing process to children and childrearing clients. Maslow’s hierarchy of human needs is utilized as a frame work to care for the client who has a well-defined health care problem in a structured clinical setting. **Prerequisites:** PNC 140

**PNC 170 Entry Into Practice (2 CR)**
Students will review the ethical/legal responsibilities of the licensed practical nurse along with the scope of practice of the LPN as defined by the Michigan Nurse Practice Act. Issues related to types of health care organizations, LPN organizations, continuing education, and licensure will be covered. NCLEX-PN and licensure forms will be received with instructions regarding completion of forms.
as well as the testing / licensure process. Information on the search for employment and job-seeking skills will be included. 
Prerequisite: PNC 130

PSYCHOLOGY (PSY)

PSY 140 INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY (4 CR)
Overview of the field of psychology, including learning, development, emotion, motivation, personality, abnormal behavior and psychotherapy. 
Prerequisites: ENG 086* and ENG 091*

PSY 140A INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY (4 CR)
(Same as PSY 140)
Overview of the field of psychology, including learning, development, emotion, motivation, personality, abnormal behavior and psychotherapy. 
Prerequisites: ENG 091*
Corequisite: ENG 086

PSY 144 INTRODUCTION TO PROBABILITY & STATISTICS FOR BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE RESEARCH (4 CR)
This course is an introduction to experimental design, data representation, basic descriptive statistics, probability theorems, frequency distributions and functions, binomial and normal probability distributions and functions, probability density functions, hypothesis testing, statistical inference, Chi-square analysis, linear regression, correlation and application of the above in making informed, data-driven decisions in real-world contexts. Both graphing calculators and computer-based statistical software (Microsoft Excel) will be used. If the prerequisite is more than two years old, then the mathematics department recommends the course placement exam be taken or the prerequisite be retaken to ensure the success of the student. 
Prerequisite: MAT 033* or MAT 130* or higher

PSY 152 SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY (3 CR)
(Same as SOC 152)
Theoretical synthesis of social influences, including attitude formation, social and cognitive development, aggression, prosocial behavior, prejudice, conformity, culture and gender differences, influences, group processes and interpersonal attraction will be studied. 
Prerequisite: PSY 140 or SOC 231

PSY 161 INTRODUCTION TO COUNSELING (3 CR)
Learn basic counseling skills against a backdrop of comparative theories and systems of counseling. Ethical, legal and practical issues included. 
Prerequisite: PSY 140

PSY 222 APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS (3 CR)
Methods and techniques for changing behaviors based on learning principles. Includes modeling, simulation, role playing, operant, aversion, fear reduction and self-management methods. 
Prerequisite: PSY 140

PSY 225 INTRODUCTION TO GROUP THERAPY (3 CR)
This course is designed to expose the student to the principles and concepts associate with the conduct of group therapy. The course will be a combination of lecture and application. The course is designed for psychology/social work majors with an interest in clinical application. 
Prerequisites: PSY 140 and PSY 161, PSY 251 or PSY 252

PSY 232 SPORTS PSYCHOLOGY (3 CR)
This course will cover various psychological principles associated with sport. The course is designed to introduce the student to the field of sport psychology through a broad overview of the major topics in sport psychology, including but not limited to: personality, motivation, arousal, imagery, goal setting, burnout, gender, diversity and culture. A focus will be on
performance enhancement through practical applications of theory.
Prerequisite: PSY 140

PSY 236 WOMEN IN A CHANGING SOCIETY (3 CR)
(Formerly ENG 236/SOC 236)
Inquiry into historical and changing roles of women, looking at causes of these changes and their effects on women and society through literature, sociology, biology and history.
Prerequisites: PSY 140

PSY 245 INFANCY AND CHILDHOOD (3 CR)
Physical, mental, emotional and social development of the human individual from conception through childhood. Genetic, prenatal and postnatal influences on development are examined. Cognitive and social learning theories are used to integrate research findings.
Prerequisite: PSY 140

PSY 251 ABNORMAL PSYCHOLOGY (3 CR)
Survey of those behaviors that do not fit the norm of society, including causal factors, specific disorders and treatment methods.
Prerequisite: PSY 140

PSY 252 DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY (3 CR)
Principles and theories of human development from conception through adulthood, with applications to foster optimal development. Cognitive, behavioral and social learning theories are used to integrate research findings.
Prerequisite: PSY 140

PSY 256 EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY (3 CR)
Application of psychological theories to the teaching-learning process. Principles of cognitive and social development discussed along with discipline, motivation and assessment and evaluation.

PSY 290 HUMAN SEXUALITY (3 CR)
Physiological, psychological and sociocultural influences on human sexuality, including gender, sexual maturation and behavior, identity, values, orientation, relationships, sexually transmitted diseases, sexual disorders and therapy.
Prerequisite: PSY 140

PSY 344 ORGANIZATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY (3 CR)
Performance management and organizational change techniques based on principles of behavioral psychology. Environmental change strategies are emphasized. Topics include personnel management, employee motivation, job satisfaction, compensation strategies and practices, employee behavior and leadership.
Prerequisite: ENG 131 and PSY 140

RADIOGRAPHY (RAD)

RAD 120 RADIOLOGIC ORIENTATION (2 CR)
This course orientates students to the field of radiography. Students are prepared to enter the hospital setting. Hospital personnel, departments, history, and means of operation are discussed. The moral, legal and professional rights and responsibilities of a radiographer are a focus.

RAD 121 RADIOGRAPHIC POSITIONING I (4 CR)
Students learn to formulate and apply a working knowledge of radiographic positioning and human anatomy. The student will learn to select and employ the correct procedure process during a radiographic examination and prepare to implement this knowledge in a clinical setting. The course covers anatomy and positioning of the chest, upper airway, abdomen, upper & lower extremity. Students will actively practice in a lab setting with a lab instructor.

RAD 125 RADIOGRAPHIC POSITIONING II (4 CR)
Students will continue to formulate and apply a working knowledge of radiographic positioning and human anatomy. The students will learn to select and employ the correct procedure process during a radiographic examination and
prepare to implement this knowledge in a clinical setting. This course will cover the bony thorax, spine, head, gastrointestinal tract, as well as urinary imaging.

Prerequisite: RAD 121

RAD 126 CLINICAL PRACTICUM I (3 CR)
Clinical experience is provided in this course under the direct supervision of ARRT-registered radiographers. Clinical competencies will be given corresponding to the exams completed in the classroom. Performance standards are used to evaluate the student’s progress.

Prerequisite: RAD 121

RAD 160 FUNDAMENTALS OF RADIOLOGIC SCIENCE (4 CR)
This course will teach the student about the physics of radiology. The basic principles of electricity, magnetism and electromagnetic energy will be covered. This knowledge will help to provide an understanding of how a quality diagnostic radiograph is created, while taking into account safe exposure factors for a patient. Students will understand how x-rays are created and how they interact with tissues and matter. A clear understanding of the fundamentals of physics is the starting point for becoming a superior radiologic technologist.

Prerequisite: RAD 126

RAD 161 RADIOGRAPHIC EXPOSURE (4 CR)
This course will study in depth the four radiographic qualities of density, contrast, recorded detail and distortion. Factors that affect the four radiographic qualities will be discussed. Students will learn mathematical formulas that aid them in better understanding these factors. Lab and group performance will be utilized to help students learn and understand the content.

Prerequisite: RAD 126

RAD 162 CLINICAL PRACTICUM II (3 CR)
Continuation of Clinical Practicum I.

Prerequisite: RAD 126

RAD 209 CROSS SECTIONAL IMAGING (3 CR)
This course is designed to prepare imaging students for CT and MRI imaging. Students will learn how to identify and assess cross-sectional images. Expectations of radiologists and physicians will be clearly delineated in the course. Students that complete this course successfully will be better prepared for rotations in CT and/or MRI imaging.

Prerequisite: RAD 125

RAD 211 CLINICAL PRACTICUM III (6 CR)
Continuation of Clinical Practicum II.

Prerequisite: RAD 162

RAD 212 SPECIAL RAD STUDIES (4 CR)
This course will provide a detailed study of special radiographic procedures. The course will discuss the role of the technologist, equipment required in various procedures, and concerns of the technologist when performing these exams. The course also discusses radiation protection and health physics. This course will provide direction to students for registry preparation.

Prerequisite: RAD 160

RAD 213 RADIOBIOLOGY (2 CR)
Students review the basics of cell biology and study the basic biologic interaction of radiation. That study will include cellular and tissue response to radiation, as well as radiation pathology, the total body radiation response, and the late effects of radiation. It will conclude with a discussion of clinical radiobiology that includes diagnostic radiology, nuclear medicine and therapeutic radiology.

Prerequisite: RAD 211

RAD 214 CLINICAL PRACTICUM IV (5 CR)
Continuation of Clinical Practicum III.

Prerequisite: RAD 211

RAD 218 RADIOGRAPHIC PATHOLOGY (3 CR)
This course will introduce the student radiographer to pathology. Students will learn about how differing pathologies occur and how they present themselves radiographically. The course will also discuss how differing
pathologies affect the radiographic procedure itself.

**Prerequisite: RAD 213**

**RAD 219 CLINICAL PRACTICUM V (5 CR)**
Continuation of Clinical Practicum IV.

**Prerequisite: RAD 214**

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**RESPIRATORY CARE (RES)**

**RES 100 RESPIRATORY CARE TECHNIQUES I (7 CR)**
This classroom and laboratory course is an introduction to the duties and responsibilities of respiratory care practitioners. Topics covered include a review of physical science, cardiopulmonary anatomy and physiology, cardiopulmonary resuscitation, basic nursing skills, medical gas and aerosol administration, employee health and safety, pulmonary medications, and an orientation to clinical sites.

**RES 101 INTRODUCTION TO RESPIRATORY CARE (2 CR)**
The student in this course will be able to describe what a respiratory care practitioner does, where they work, the role of the respiratory care practitioner in patient care as well as to recognize the role of professional organizations in the career. Using a series of case studies the student will identify HIPAA violations. The student will be introduced to medical abbreviations, calculations commonly used in respiratory care, normal values for vital signs and the normal chest x-ray, basic heart/lung anatomy and physiology, lung volumes and capacities, and blood gas interpretation.

**RES 104 CARDIOPULMONARY ASSESSMENT (2 CR)**
This course is an introduction to basic physical and laboratory assessment of cardiopulmonary patients. Topics include basic pulmonary function and medical lab values, blood gas analysis, and bedside patient assessment equipment and techniques.

**RES 110 RESPIRATORY CARE TECHNIQUES II (5 CR)**
This classroom and laboratory course continues the introduction to basic duties of respiratory care practitioners. Emphasis will be placed on patient assessment, basic therapy modalities, airway management, cardiopulmonary diagnostic equipment and techniques and an introduction to continuous mechanical ventilation.

**Prerequisites: RES 100 and RES 104**

**RES 114 CARDIOPULMONARY PATHOPHYSIOLOGY I (2 CR)**
The student in this course will be able to describe the etiology, pathophysiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis and management of a variety of cardiopulmonary diseases and processes. Using a series of case studies, student will continue to develop assessment skills and apply clinical practice guidelines to develop care plans for patients with cardiopulmonary disease.

**Prerequisites: RES 100 and RES 104**

**RES 115 CLINICAL PRACTICE I (5 CR)**
This course provides a hospital experience in which previously acquired classroom theory and laboratory skills can be exercised. Skills practiced include those associated with patient respiratory assessment, oxygen therapy, a wide range of bronchopulmonary hygiene therapies, and equipment processing.

**Prerequisites: RES 100 and RES 104**

**RES 120 RESPIRATORY CARE TECHNIQUES III (6 CR)**
Mechanical ventilation topics are continued in this classroom and laboratory course. Topics presented include volume pre-set and pressure pre-set ventilator equipment and basic ventilator application and management techniques for adult patients.

**Prerequisites: RES 110 and RES 114**
RES 124 RESPIRATORY PHARMACOLOGY (2 CR)
This course provides an overview of general pharmacology with an emphasis on drugs used in the critical care management of cardiopulmonary conditions.
Prerequisites: RES 110, RES 114 and RES 115

RES 125 CLINICAL PRACTICE II (2 CR)
This clinical course provides three types of experience for the respiratory therapy student. First, there will be a continuation of basic respiratory care modalities from the previous semester. Second, the diagnostic areas of basic pulmonary function testing, arterial blood gas puncture and analysis, and 12-lead electrocardiography will be introduced. Third, the student will receive an orientation to volume control ventilation in the adult ICU environment. In addition, weekly clinic seminars will be held on campus to facilitate student learning.
Prerequisites: RES 110, RES 114 and RES 115

RES 126 CARDIOPULMONARY PATHOPHYSIOLOGY II (2 CR)
The student in this course will be able to describe the etiology, pathophysiology, clinical manifestations, diagnosis and management of a variety of advanced cardiopulmonary diseases and processes. Using a series of case studies, students will continue to develop assessment skills and apply clinical practice guidelines to develop care plans for patients with cardiopulmonary disease.
Prerequisite: RES 114

RES 204 DIAGNOSTIC THEORY (3 CR)
This course covers pulmonary function testing and blood gas analysis equipment and procedures in the laboratory and clinical settings and includes an emphasis on the interpretation of test results from this equipment. Ventilator graphics, an extension of PFT graphics, and their interpretation will be presented. Additionally, equipment and procedures in common use in the areas of ABG laboratories, cardiopulmonary stress testing, pulmonary rehabilitation, and pulmonary home care will be presented.
Prerequisites: RES 120, RES 125 and RES 126

RES 205 CLINICAL PRACTICE III (5 CR)
This clinical course allows students to assist in the pulmonary management of adults on mechanical ventilation. An integrated approach to patient care will be stressed through accurate patient assessment and application of various equipment and therapies. Students will also function as members of the health care team.
Prerequisites: RES 120, RES 124, RES 125 and RES 126

RES 207 ADVANCED CARDIOPULMONARY ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY (3 CR)
This course advances the student’s knowledge of cardiopulmonary physiology. The cardiac sections cover gross and histologic cardiovascular anatomy, neural/endocrinological control of cardiac function, hemodynamics, microcirculatory disorders, and a review of common cardiac arrhythmias. The pulmonary section covers bronchopulmonary anatomy, gas diffusion, blood flow, ventilation/perfusion relationships, gas transport, mechanics and control of ventilation, and lung responses to changing environments and conditions.
Prerequisites: RES 120, RES 125 and RES 126

RES 210 PERINATAL & PEDIATRIC RESPIRATORY CARE (3 CR)
This classroom and laboratory course covers topics including fetal growth and development, patient assessment, commonly encountered equipment and the clinical management of common neonatal/pediatric diseases and conditions.
Prerequisites: RES 120 and RES 205

RES 220 RESPIRATORY SEMINAR (2 CR)
This course presents a wide variety of topics for discussion. Included are respiratory care history, management and supervision, trends in
allied health, research, job acquisition skills and credentialing exam preparation.  
*Prerequisite: RES 210*

**RES 225 CLINICAL PRACTICE IV (5 CR)**  
This clinical course provides a varied experience for students who are about to graduate. A major emphasis will be in assisting with the pulmonary management of neonatal patients on mechanical ventilation. Other rotations will be in a variety to advanced diagnostic laboratories and alternate site venues where respiratory therapists are employed. In addition, weekly clinic seminars will be held on campus to facilitate student learning.  
*Prerequisite: RES 210*

**SEMINAR (SEM)**

**SEM 140 SEMINAR IN LIFE PATHWAYS (3 CR)**  
Seminar in Life Pathways (SEM 140) is the gateway course to Jackson College. This course is designed to help all students develop both the hard and the soft skills, the inner qualities and external behaviors needed to take charge of their academic and career success. Students will be guided through an extensive process in making career choices and selecting an academic program of study at Jackson College and beyond. With the exception of select second-admit programs, SEM 140 is required of all students. Students are expected to bring their own laptop or similar device for use in the course. Please view the Jackson College website, www.jccmi.edu/tbz, for technical specifications.

**SOCIAL WORK (SWK)**

**SWK 292 INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL WORK (3 CR)**  
An introduction to the social work profession, code of ethics, values, and social welfare policy.

This is an examination of the profession’s responsibilities in correlation to the populations served. This includes a history of social work as well as the role of the social work profession and different settings of practice.  
*Prerequisites: PSY 140 or SOC 231*

**SPORTS MANAGEMENT (SMT)**

**SMT 100 INTRODUCTION TO SPORTS MANAGEMENT (3 CR)**  
Students will explore careers in the sport industry, both in the U.S. and globally, inclusive of professional, collegiate, youth, and non-profit sport, as well global branding, sponsorships, merchandising and entertainment events. Using the sports industry perspective, many business principles will be covered, such as: marketing, strategic management, communication, sales and revenue generation, facility management and finance.  
*Prerequisite: CIS 095* and *MAT 033*

**SMT 230 PRINCIPLES OF SPORTS MARKETING (3 CR)**  
Students analyze the sport marketplace and consumption trends to identify customer wants and needs and develop effective marketing strategies to satisfy them. Emphasis is placed on evaluating sport/entertainment environments, identifying target markets, building brands, and the marketing functions of product or service planning, pricing, promotion and placement (distribution).  
*Prerequisites: CIS 095*, *MAT 033* and *HPF 173*

**SMT 245 INTERNSHIP (3 CR)**  
Students plan, organize, direct, and assess a public activity which integrates the learning objectives of the sports management degree. Students will have meaningful internship experience with an appropriate company.
company and job must be approved by the supervising faculty member.

Prerequisites: HPF 173, SMT 100, SMT 101, SMT 230, must meet with faculty advisor for approval

SOCIOLOGY (SOC)

SOC 112 SERVICE EXPLORATION AND SOCIAL ISSUES (1 CR)
Students will learn about the service learning design and prepare for travel during spring break by engaging in local service experiences. Students will develop team-building and communication skills, in addition to first aid response. Students will complete reflective essays related to local community service activities. Fundraising activities will be explored and implemented. A minimum of 16 hours of local service is required.

SOC 117 CRIMINOLOGY (3 CR)
(Same as CRJ 117)
Provides an understanding of the cultural nature, origin, and development of criminal behavior with attention given to the psychological and sociological factors involved.

SOC 122 SERVICE IN ACTION (2 CR)
Students will travel during spring break to a pre-determined site to perform a minimum of 45 hours of service learning. Students will demonstrate team-building and communication skills. Understanding of cultural and geographic issues will be assessed through reflective writings. Must be enrolled in six credits at the time of the service trip.
Prerequisite: SOC 112

SOC 152 SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY (3 CR)
(Same as PSY 152)

Theoretical synthesis of social influences, including attitude formation, social and cognitive development, aggression, prosocial behavior, prejudice, conformity, culture and gender differences/influences, group processes and interpersonal attraction.
Prerequisite: PSY 140 or SOC 231

SOC 203 FIELD STUDIES (3 CR)
(Same as CRJ 203)
Only open to students who have reached sophomore level (26 or more credit hours), a minimum 2.5 GPA and permission of the department. An opportunity for students to work for one semester in a law enforcement agency.

SOC 231 PRINCIPLES OF SOCIOLOGY (3 CR)
The discipline and its contributions to understanding the fundamental processes of social interaction. Includes development of self, socialization process, groups and social structure. Application of sociological principles to our society by examination of relevant research.
Prerequisites: ENG 085* and ENG 090*

SOC 236 WOMEN IN A CHANGING SOCIETY (3 CR)
(Same as ENG 236)
Inquiry into historical and changing roles of women, looking at causes of these changes and their effects on women and society through literature, sociology, biology and history.
Prerequisites: ENG 131

SOC 246 MARRIAGE AND FAMILY (3 CR)
The position and significance of marriage and the family in contemporary society are examined. Issues are examined within the larger political, historical and social context, including marriage and family values within diverse ethnic, minority and gender identity groups. SOC 231 recommended before enrolling in this course.
SPANISH (SPN)

SPN 131 ELEMENTARY SPANISH I (4 CR)
Introduces and develops the four skills of language learning: listening, speaking, reading and writing, with special emphasis on listening and speaking.

SPN 132 ELEMENTARY SPANISH II (4 CR)
Provides increased practice in the basic language skills: listening, speaking, reading and writing.
Prerequisite: SPN 131

SPN 221 SPANISH COMPOSITION & CONVERSATION I (3 CR)
This course is designed for the student with some prior background in Spanish. It offers additional practice in spoken and written Spanish to improve fluency and flexibility of expression. Students develop greater proficiency in pronunciation, build vocabulary and gain greater control over idiomatic expressions.
Prerequisite: SPN 131 or higher

SPN 222 SPANISH COMPOSITION & CONVERSATION II (3 CR)
This course offers additional practice in spoken and written Spanish to improve fluency and flexibility of expression. Communication skills strengthen while written texts approach norms of native composition. Students develop greater proficiency in pronunciation, build vocabulary and gain greater control over idiomatic expressions.
Prerequisite: SPN 131 or higher

SPN 231 INTERMEDIATE SPANISH I (4 CR)
Improves the basic skills of language learning with emphasis on speaking and writing. Introduces sustained readings in Spanish.
Prerequisite: SPN 132 or higher

SPN 232 INTERMEDIATE SPANISH II (4 CR)
Continues to stress speaking practice and writing improvement. Readings and discussions in Spanish, focusing on contemporary events and Hispanic culture.
Prerequisite: SPN 231

SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT (STM)

STM 101 INTRODUCTION TO SUSTAINABILITY (3 CR)
Students will familiarize themselves with the environmental issues facing our community, state, country and planet. This course will provide meaning to the term “sustainability” in order to build skills that will help the leaders of tomorrow protect the Earth’s resources and meet the needs of humanity indefinitely. It is an introduction to both the scientific and social sides of the environmental problems the world faces, with a specific aim at establishing a foundation in environmental comprehension and for further learning within the topic of sustainability.

STM 401 SYSTEMS THINKING: TOPICS IN SUSTAINABILITY (3 CR)
In a changing world, systems-thinking is needed to make wise decisions, solve complex problems, and understand your role within the larger context. This course uses topics in sustainability to develop systems thinking skills and to engage with real-world, meaningful issues. Topics include: complex systems theory, energy systems, social systems, ecosystems, and others. Students will research, speak, and write about these topics in depth to explore the complete system, the challenges involved, and the potential solutions that exist.
Prerequisite: STM 101, PHL 232 and MAT 131* or higher
THEATRE (THR)

THR 102 THEATRE ACTIVITIES (1 CR)
Students are actively involved in creating, producing, acting, building, designing and the technical direction of a small studio production. Involvement may include acting or technical production.

THR 116 INTRODUCTION TO THEATRE (3 CR)
Survey of Western theatre and drama. Appreciation of theatre through understanding of historical development and societal function. Theatre architecture, production, costuming and acting styles, and the artists who create them.

THR 131 STAGECRAFT I (3 CR)
Basic theory of set design, including tools, equipment, terminology and construction.

THR 134 STAGECRAFT II (3 CR)
Continuation of Stagecraft I focusing on further developing techniques of stage scenery construction, rigging, scene painting and technical drafting. Process and methods of communicating design ideas through graphic representation are presented.
Prerequisite: THR 131

THR 145 FUNDAMENTALS OF ACTING I (4 CR)
Fundamental theories and methodologies of acting and character development, using theatre games, improvisations and scene work with an emphasis on developing an ensemble.

THR 146 FUNDAMENTALS OF ACTING II (4 CR)
Advanced character work and an opportunity to rehearse and perform a studio theatre production.
Prerequisite: THR 145

THR 151 MAKE-UP FOR STAGE & VIDEO (3 CR)
Students learn the fundamental techniques of design and application of make-up for theatre and video.

THR 201 BACKSTAGE CERTIFICATION (1 CR)
Students receive training in manual and computerized light boards, sound systems, rigging and stage management and become certified on college equipment. Students crew a production.

THR 216 VOICE FOR THE ACTOR (3 CR)
This course will train the actor in the mechanics of vocal production, in the clarity, expressiveness and emotional context required for communicating the meaning of the spoken and written language and in dialects.

THR 241 LIGHTING FOR STAGE AND VIDEO (3 CR)
Students learn the theoretical and practical aspects of lighting design for theatre, dance and video. Emphasis on design, execution and problem solving.

THR 242 SOUND FOR STAGE AND VIDEO (3 CR)
Students learn the theoretical and practical aspects of creating sound tracks for theatre and video. Topics include recording techniques, multi-track recording and mixing, editing, sound effects and sound reinforcement.

THR 260 INTRODUCTION TO DIRECTING (3 CR)
Fundamentals of play directing. Exploration of text analysis, staging techniques and rehearsal processes. Student-directed scenes analyzed and critiqued. The instructor may allow you to take the prerequisite of THR 145 concurrently.
Prerequisite: THR 145

THR 268 THEATRE PRACTICUM (3 CR)
Practicum for actors, directors, technicians and playwrights. Students will gain practical experience within their field through active participation. Note: May be taken three times for credit (nine total credits may be earned).
Prerequisite: Instructor Permission Required
UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS (UAS)

UAS 101 Introduction to Unmanned Aerial Systems (4 CR)
This course prepares students to operate in the Federal Aviation Administration controlled and uncontrolled airspace system. Various rules and regulations regarding aircraft and unmanned aerial systems (UAS) will be covered. Flying of UAS will be included.

WELDING TECHNOLOGY (WLD)

WLD 100 FUNDAMENTALS OF WELDING (4 CR)
Fundamentals of oxyacetylene and electric arc processes, history and applications. Includes study of gases, electricity, equipment and safety procedures. Provides laboratory experience welding in flat and horizontal positions.

WLD 110 MIG/TIG WELDING (4 CR)
This is a welding course in GMAW (gas metal arc welding formally known as MIG welding) and GTAW (gas tungsten arc welding formally known as TIG welding) processes and techniques. Topics will include safety, use of equipment, power sources, shielding gases, filler metals, welding techniques, troubleshooting, weld defects and welding in the flat, vertical and horizontal positions.

WLD 115 WELD III-WELDING ALUMINUM AND STAINLESS STEEL (4 CR)
Covers theory and fundamental application of welding as required in fabrication of aluminum and stainless steel. Includes the development of basic skills in preparation, cutting and welding of these unique materials. Provides a hands-on experience with the use of GMAW and GTAW on aluminum and stainless steel.
Prerequisite: WLD 110

WLD 220 WELDING CERTIFICATION (4 CR)
This course provides a focus on welding certification component essentials to include real-time test environment and materials that meets the AWS welding standard.
Prerequisites: WLD 115

WORLD LANGUAGES (WRL)

WRL 102 PORTUGUESE CONVERSATION (2CR)
This course is designed for people who have little or no knowledge of Portuguese. The emphasis is on speaking and listening. The course introduces practical vocabulary, culture, pronunciation, and essential grammar with minimal reading and writing.

WRL 103 PORTUGUESE CONVERSATION II (2CR)
This course is designed for people who have little knowledge of Portuguese. The emphasis is on speaking and listening. The course presents additional practical vocabulary, culture, pronunciation, and essential grammar with minimal reading and writing.
Prerequisite: WRL 102

WRL 104 MANDARIN CONVERSATION I (2CR)
This course is designed for people who have little or no knowledge of Mandarin. The emphasis is on speaking and listening. The course introduces practical vocabulary, culture, pronunciation, and essential grammar with minimal reading and writing.

NONCREDIT COURSES

English Language Institute (ELI)
ELI 041 Speaking and Listening
This course is a communicative speaking/listening course that focuses on higher-level usage of speaking skills necessary for success in academic settings. Students will practice more with listening for the main idea, listening for details as well as improving their speaking skills in discussions, debates and critical thinking.

ELI 042 Reading and Vocabulary
Reading strategies and vocabulary building are developed in this level. Students will read about academic topics such as business, psychology, nutrition, medicine, literature and sociology. Key reading strategies are emphasized for future success in college-level courses.

ELI 043 Writing
Level 4 Writing is the introduction to the academic essays. Students will first review the structure of a paragraph with emphasis on unity, coherence and using outside sources. Then, students will learn the basic features of an essay and write three essay types: cause/effect, comparison/contrast and argumentative. Deeper development of critical thinking skills is taught throughout the course.

ELI 044 Grammar
Review of grammar features covered in the previous levels (Level 1-3) is made with further practice with the perfect simple and perfect progressive tenses and other new grammatical structures.

ELI 051 Speaking and Listening
Students continue to learn and master the skills of participating in and leading academic classroom discussions in a culturally, pragmatically appropriate way. More advanced complex topics are discussed at this level with practice on giving speeches, agreeing/disagreeing with others, identifying strong and weak arguments and supporting arguments with external sources.

ELI 052 Reading and Vocabulary
This course focuses on improving reading fluency through reading a high-level reading textbook combined with authentic texts. Reinforcement of the reading strategies is made continuously throughout the semester.

ELI 053 Writing
This course provides students with the strategies and skills needed to write and edit a variety of different essay types such as: classification, process, cause/effect, problem/solution, summary/response, argumentative and research papers. How to find credible sources of information and accurate use of APA and MLA style are emphasized.

ELI 054 Grammar
This course continues to build on grammatical features from ELI 044 with the additional of the passive voice, noun clauses, adjective clauses, gerunds and infinitives, coordinating conjunctions, adverb clauses and conditional structures.

WORK EXPERIENCE, INTERNSHIPS, SEMINARS — VARIABLE CREDIT
Learn through meaningful work experience with an approved company in any discipline. The position must be obtained by the student and approved by the department before registration is permitted. Students apply the skills and knowledge gained from course work. A department faculty member supervises.

SPECIAL OPTIONS
Each discipline offers the following options. Contact the specific faculty for more information.

INDEPENDENT STUDY — VARIABLE CREDIT
In-depth study of topics in any discipline that is of special interest to the student. Topic is
selected and detailed in consultation with a faculty member.

SPECIAL TOPICS — VARIABLE CREDIT
Intensive, in-depth investigation of one topic of current interest in any discipline. Different topics are chosen by the department.