

Update #: 40

Title: **History (HIS) Requirement in Associate Degrees**

Type: The HIS 101/102 (History of Western Civilizations) requirement in associate degree programs will be replaced with HIS 111/112 (History of World Civilizations). HIS 111/112 is more relevant to global view, most VCCS colleges offer HIS 111/112 instead of 101/102, and most Virginia four-year colleges require HIS 111/112 instead of 101/102. Transfer students would be better prepared. This change impacts the following degree programs:

- AA&S Business Administration (216)
- AA&S Education (624)
- AA&S General Studies (697)
- AA&S General Studies, specialization in Computer Science (697-02)
- AA&S Science (881)

Effective: May 2017 (Summer term)

Business Administration (216)		
<i>Sample Schedule</i>		
First Semester		
ENG 111	College Composition I	3
HIS 121 or HIS 111	US History I or History of World Civilizations I	3
MTH 163	Pre-Calculus I or MTH 151 or MTH 271 ²	3
ITE 115	Introduction to Computer Applications and Concepts	3
ECO 201	Macroeconomics	3
SDV 100	College Success Skills	1
	Total Semester Credits	16
Second Semester		
ENG 112	College Composition II	3
HIS 122 or HIS 112	US History II or History of World Civilizations II	3
MTH 164	Pre-Calculus II or MTH 152 or MTH 240	3
Humanities Elective		3
ECO 202	Microeconomics	3
	Total Semester Credits	15
Third Semester		
Science Elective BIO 101, CHM 111, or PHY		4

ACC 211	Principles of Accounting I	3
HLT ____	Health/Physical Education	1
CST 100	Principles of Public Speaking	3
Transfer Elective ¹		3
	Total Semester Credits	14
Fourth Semester		
Science Elective		4
ACC 212	Principles of Accounting II	3
HLT xxx	Health/Physical Education	1
Humanities ____	Humanities Elective	3
Transfer Electives		5
	Total Semester Credits	16
	Total Credits	61
¹ Some university programs require literature in the second year.		
² Students and their advisors should choose the mathematics sequence required by the institution where the student plans to transfer.		

Education (624) <i>Sample Schedule</i>		
FIRST Semester		
ENG 111	College Composition I ¹	3
HIS 121	US History I	3
MTH 151/164	Math for Liberal Arts I or Pre-Calculus I ²	3
ITE 115	Intro. to Computer App. and Concepts	3
HLT/PED ____	Health/Wellness Elective	2
SDV 100	College Success Skills	1
	Total Semester Credits	15
SECOND Semester		

ENG 112	College Composition II ¹	3
HIS 122	US History II	3
MTH 152/164/240	Math for Liberal Arts II, Pre-Calculus II, or Statistics	3
PLS 130	Basics of American Politics	3
Fine Arts ____	Art or Music Elective	3
	Total Semester Credits	15
THIRD Semester		
BIO 101	Biology I	4
EDU 200	Intro to Teaching	3
ECO 201/202	Principles of Macro or Microeconomics	3
HIS 111/112	History of World Civilizations I or II	3
CST 100	Principles of Public Speaking	3
	Total Semester Credits	16
FORTH TERM		
BIO 102 or GOL 110	Biology II or Earth Science	4
ENG xxx	Literature elective	3
GEO 210	People & the Land; Cultural Geography	3
Humanities ____	Humanities elective	3
Transfer ____	Transfer Elective	<u>3</u>
	Total Semester Credits	16
	Total Credits	62

¹. A grade of "C" or better in ENG 111 and 112 is required for graduation.

². Students and their advisors should choose the mathematics sequence required by the institution where the student plans to transfer.

General Studies – General (697)*Sample Schedule***First Semester**

ENG 111	College Composition I	3
HIS 111/121	History of World Civilizations I or US History I	3
MTH 151/163	Math for Liberal Arts I or Pre-Calculus I ²	3
ITE 115	Intro to Computer Apps & Concepts	3
HLT/PED xxx	Health/Physical Education Elective	1
SDV 100	College Success Skills	<u>1</u>
	Total Semester Credits	14

Second Semester

ENG 112	College Composition II	3
HIS 112/122	History of World Civilizations II or US History II	3
MTH 152/164/240	Math for Liberal Arts II, Pre-Calculus II, or Statistics	3
Humanities ____	Humanities elective ¹	3
HLT/PED ____	Health/Physical Education	1
Transfer ____ ³	Transfer elective	<u>3</u>
	Total Semester Credits	16

Third Term

Science xxx	BIO 101, CHM 111, GOL 111, NAS or PHY elective	4
Social Science	ECO, PLS, PSY, SOC elective	3
CST 100	Principles of Public Speaking	3
Transfer ____ ³	Transfer elective	3
Transfer ____ ³	Transfer elective	<u>3</u>
	Total Semester Credits	16

Fourth Semester

Science ____	BIO 102, CHM 112, GOL 112, NAS or PHY elective	4
Social Science	ECO, PLS, PSY, SOC elective	3

Humanities ____	Humanities elective	3
Transfer ____ ³	Transfer elective	3
Transfer ____ ³	Transfer elective	2
	Total Semester Credits	15
	Total Credits	61

¹ Some university programs require literature in the second year.

² Students and their advisors should choose the mathematics sequence required by the institution where the student plans to transfer. Certain programs at four-year colleges require only three credits of mathematics; in such cases three of the six mathematics credits in the General Studies curriculum become a transfer elective.

³ Transfer Electives must be courses that transfer to four-year institutions. Students should consult with their faculty advisor or counselor and the college or university where they plan to transfer, to ensure the transferability of the course.

General Studies – Computer Science (697-02)

Sample Schedule

First Semester

ENG 111	College Composition I	3
HIS 111/121	History of World Civilizations I or US History I	3
MTH 151/163	Math for Liberal Arts I or Pre-Calculus I ²	3
ITE 115	Intro. to Computer Apps & Concepts	3
HLT/PED ____	Health/Physical Education Elective	1
SDV 100	College Success Skills	<u>1</u>
	Total Semester Credits	14

Second Semester

ENG 112	College Composition II	3
HIS 112/122	History of World Civilizations II or US History II	3
MTH 152/164/240	Math for Liberal Arts II, Pre-Calculus II, or Statistics ²	3
CSC 200	Introduction to Computer Science	3

Humanities ____	Humanities Elective ¹	3
HLT/PED ____	Health/Physical Education Elective	<u>1</u>
	Total Semester Credits	16
Third Semester		
Science ____	BIO 101, CHM 111, GOL 111, NAS, or PHY	4
CSC 201	Computer Science I	4
Social Science ____	ECO, PLS, PSY, SOC elective	3
CST 100	Principles of Public Speaking	3
	Total Semester Credits	14
Fourth Semester		
Science ____	BIO 102, CHM 112, GOL 112, NAS, or PHY	4
CSC 202	Computer Science II	4
Social Science ____	ECO, PLS, PSY, SOC elective	3
Humanities ____	Humanities Elective	3
CSC 205	Computer Organization	<u>3</u>
	Total Semester Credits	17
	Total Credits	61
<p>¹ Note: Some university programs require literature in the second year.</p> <p>² Students and their advisors should choose the mathematics sequence required by the institution where the student plans to transfer. Most Computer Science programs require Calculus, so the student should prepare to take those classes.</p>		

Science (881)		
<i>Sample Schedule</i>		
FIRST YEAR		
Fall Term		
ENG 111	College Composition I	3
MTH 163	Pre-Calculus I	3
ITE 115	Introduction to Computer Applications and Concepts or CSC xxx	3

SDV 100	College Success Skills	1
Science Elective BIO 101, or CHM 111		4
Health/Physical Education Elective		<u>1</u>
	Total Semester Credits	15
Spring Term		
ENG 112	College Composition II	3
MTH 164	Pre-Calculus II	3
Science Elective BIO 102 or CHM 112		4
Humanities elective		3
Health/Physical Education elective		1
	Total Semester Credits	14
SECOND YEAR		
Fall Term		
Science Elective BIO 200 level elective or CHM elective		4
Area Elective MTH 271, MTH 273, MTH 240,		3
Social Science ECO, PLS, PSY, SOC elective		3
CST 100	Principles of Public Speaking	3
HIS 121 or HIS 111	US History I or History of World Civilizations I	3
	Total	16
Spring Term		
Science Elective BIO 200 level elective or CHM elective		4
Area Elective MTH 272, MTH 274, MTH 240,		3
Humanities elective	Humanities elective	3
Social Science elective		3
HIS 122 or HIS 112	US History II or Western Civilization II	3
	Total	16

	Minimum Credits Required	61
1. Some universities require literature in the second year.		
2. Students and their advisors need to be aware of the transfer institution's requirements.		