

ACCESS Recommended Courses

Other courses may be considered, providing requirements are met and permission is obtained from the faculty and advisors. Generally 100 level courses are the most suitable.

ADV 215 - Introduction to Advertising

Introduction to all sides of the advertising field and to the process by which the sales message is planned.

ARHS 101 - Landmarks of World Art

Introduction to the study of art history from prehistory to the present.

BIOL 101 & 103 - General Biology I Lecture and Lab

First sequence of a linked lecture – laboratory course for non – majors

BIOL 102 & 104 - General Biology II Lecture and Lab

Second sequence of a linked lecture – laboratory course for non – majors

Pre Req: Biology 101 & 103

BIOL 105 & 106 - Environmental Biology Lecture and Lab

Intended for non-biology majors.

Population growth and human impacts on the environment

BIOL 106 students must also register for BIOL 105

BIOL 115 - Principles of Biology

BIOL 117 - Introductory Physiology

The diversity of reproductive, developmental, functional, and integrative mechanisms in plants and animals.

BN 215 - Introduction to Broadcasting

Survey of the broadcasting industry from the perspective of broadcast journalists

CHEM 110 - Introduction to Chemistry.

Scientific terminology and concepts; chemical arithmetics; chemical symbols, formulae and equations; mole concepts; problem solving. May not count for credit toward graduation if taken after credit for another course in chemistry has been established.

CHEM 115 - Fundamentals of Chemistry

Chemistry 115 is the first semester of a full-year college general chemistry courses taken by science and engineering majors at WVU.

CHEM 116 - Fundamentals of Chemistry

Chemistry 116 is a continuation of Chemistry 115 and requires satisfactory completion of Chemistry 115 in order for a high school student to qualify.

Pre Req: Grade of C or better in Chemistry 115

COMM 105 - Intro to Mass Media

Critical examination of mass media with special emphasis on the influences of social, economic and psychological factors

CLAS, FRCH, GER, ITAL, RUSS, or SPAN 101 - First course – Elementary Level of: Latin, French, German, Russian or Spanish
Department of Foreign Languages placement test results will determine entry course level.

CLAS, FRCH, GER, ITAL, RUSS, or SPAN 102 - Second course – Elementary Level of: Latin, French, German, Russian or Spanish
Department of Foreign Languages placement test results will determine entry course level.
Passing grade in Target Language 101 or equivalent

CLAS, FRCH, GER, ITAL, RUSS, or SPAN 203 - Third course – Elementary Level of: Latin, French, German, Russian or Spanish
Department of Foreign Languages placement test results will determine entry course level.
Passing grade in Target Language 102 or equivalent

CLAS, FRCH, GER, ITAL, RUSS, or SPAN 204 - Fourth course – Elementary Level of: Latin, French, German, Russian or Spanish
Department of Foreign Languages placement test results will determine entry course level.
Passing grade in Target Language 203 or equivalent

Computer Science 101 - Intro Computer Applications
Introduction to spreadsheets and databases for problem-solving in disciplines such as math, science, engineering, business, social sciences, behavioral sciences, and environment: using computer applications to create technical reports and presentations.

ENGL 131 - Poetry and Drama
An introduction to the genres

ENGL 132 - Short Story and Novel
An introduction to the genres

ENGL 139 - Contemporary African Literature
A survey of contemporary African poetry, drama, and fiction

ENGL 154 - Literature of African America
A historical introduction and survey from its beginning to the present

ENGL 156 - Literature of Native America
A historical survey of Native American prose, poetry, song, and story from beginning to present

GEOG 101 - World Regions
Comparison and relationships of world regions

GEOG 107 - Physical Geography
Introduction to global environmental systems operating on the Earth's surface

GEOG 108 - Human Geography
Introduction to geographical dimension in human behavior and human-altered landscape

GEOL 101 - Planet Earth
Composition and structure of the Earth and the physical processes that change Earth's surface

GEOL 110 - Environmental Geoscience

Physical aspects of the Earth with emphasis on natural resources, environmental degradation, and hazards

HIST 101 - W Civilization: Antiquity to 1600

Survey of the major developments in Western civilization beginning with ancient Mediterranean world and concluding with Reformation Europe

HIST 102 - W Civilization: 1600 to Present

Survey of major developments in Western civilization from 1600 to present

HIST 153 - Making of Modern America

Examination of basic political, economic, and social forces in the development of the U.S. since the Civil War

HUM 101 - Introduction to Western Civilization 1

High points of Greco-Roman and Medieval European civilizations

HUM 102 - Introduction to Western Civilization 2

High points of the Renaissance, Age of Classics, and the revolutionary nineteenth and twentieth centuries

Pre Req: Intro to Western Civilization 1

JRL 101 - Introduction to Mass Communication

Mass communicator's role in developing political, social, and economic fabrics of a democratic society

MATH 126 - College Algebra

Pre Req: Two units of algebra, one unit of geometry, and satisfactory performance on the [Quantitative Reasoning Assessment](#)

MATH 128 - Plane Trigonometry

Pre Req: A grade of C or better in MATH 126A or MATH 126B, or concurrent enrolment in MATH 126C, or two units of algebra, one unit of geometry, and satisfactory performance on the [Quantitative Reasoning Assessment](#)

MATH 153 - Calculus 1a with Pre-calculus

Pre Req: Two units of algebra, one unit of geometry, and satisfactory performance on the [Quantitative Reasoning Assessment](#)

MATH 154 - Calculus 1b with Pre-calculus

Pre Req: A grade of C or better in MATH 153

MATH 155 - Calculus I

Pre Req: Two units algebra, one unit geometry, one-half unit trigonometry, and satisfactory

performance on the [Quantitative Reasoning Assessment](#) or (C or better in MATH 126A,B or C and MATH 128)

MATH 156 - Calculus II

Pre Req: C or better in MATH 155 or C or better in Math 154

MUSC 170 - Introduction to Music

Develop an appreciation and understanding of the significance of music as a fine art

PHIL 100 - Problems of Philosophy

Examination of philosophical problems such as the mind-body problem, existence of God, freedom and determinism

PHIL 130 - Current Moral Problems

An examination of current moral problems

PHYS 101 - Introductory Physics

For students planning health science careers

Math 126, 128 or equivalent

PHYS 111 - General Physics

For students planning Engineering of Physics careers

Pre Req: Math 155

POLS 102 - Intro to American Government

General survey of American national government and politics

POLS 103 - Global Political Issues

Analysis of issues in post cold war international politics

PR 215 - Introductions to Public Relations

Introduces the student of the principles of public relations

PSYC 101 - Intro to Psychology

Survey of general psychology

PSYC 241 - Intro to Human Development

Survey of human psychological development across the life span

Pre Req: PSYC 101

PSYC 231 - Leadership and Human Relations

Principles of psychology that can be applied to improving relations with others as well as being a more effective leader

Pre Req: PSYC 101

PSYC 232 - Sex Roles and Behavior

Relates sex-typed behavior to physiological, social, and cultural processes

PSYC 251 - Intro to Social Psychology

Examination of social interaction and behavior from a psychological perspective

Pre Req: PSYC 101

PSYC 281 - Intro to Abnormal Psychology

Introduction to major categories of behavior disorders: etiology, prevention, and treatment

Pre Req: PSYC 101

RELG 105 - Intro to Issues in Religious Studies

Leading issues involved in religious studies

SOCA 101 - Intro to Sociology

Develop a perspective about the nature of social processes and the structure of society

SOCA 105 - Intro to Anthropology

Space permitting – Essentials of human evolution and prehistory

SOCA 107 - Social Problems

Causes of social disorganization in modern society and social life

SOCA 221 - Families and Societies

Historical comparative approach to changing structure and functions of the family institution

Pre Req: SOCA 101

SOCA 232 - Criminology

Exploration of various theories of criminal behavior

Pre Req: SOCA 101

SOCA 233 - Juvenile Delinquency

Nature, extent, and causal exploration of forms of juvenile delinquency

Pre Req: SOCA 101

SW 105 - Social Welfare Institutions

Examines the historical development of social welfare in the U.S. and the values that shape social welfare institutions

THET 101 - Introduction to Theatre

Survey of the nature and function, the arts and crafts, and major phases in the historical development of the theatre