

Arts & Humanities

Guided Pathway to Success - Year 1 (English)

The Arts and Humanities Pathway will introduce students to the history of ideas that have defined cultures through a study of the visual arts, literature, theater, music, and journalism. We emphasize connections among the arts, and how artistic expression has shaped humanity. Students may choose to pursue an AFA in Art or Music or an AA with tracks in English, Journalism/Mass Media, Music, or Theater that will prepare them to obtain a bachelor's degree and work in a wide variety of fields.

Extra-Curricular/Co-curricular Opportunities at ECC: The Fine Arts programs are known throughout the area for the ECC art gallery, band, music and theater performances that involve ECC students, ECC alumni, community members, and visiting artists and musicians. The English and Journalism/Mass Media Departments sponsor student publications and writing contests, and organize the ECC Film and Lecture Series.

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT HOUR	TERM OFFERED
COL 100	Campus Orientation	0	
COL 101	Falcon Seminar: Humanities	1	
PSC CIVICS	Civics Achievement Exam	0	
ENG 101 or ENG 114	Comp I or Honors Comp I (ENG114 Recommended for English and Journalism/ Mass Media tracks)	3	Honors: Fall
ENG 115	Honors Comp II or CORE 42 Oral Communications	3	Honors: Fall
MTH 140, MTH 150, MTH 170	Contemporary Math, Statistics, College Alg., or higher	3	
HST101, HST 102, or PSC102	CORE 42 Civics req. US Hist to 1877, US Hist since 1877, or US Government	3	
varies	Arts & Humanities Pathway Elective (see below)	3-5	
Total Credit Hours: 16-18			

MILESTONE NOTES
Complete COL 101
Complete ENG 101 (with grade of C or better)
Complete Core 42 Math

Arts & Humanities Pathway Electives:

ENGLISH: Spanish I (SPN 101) – 4

JOURNALISM/MASS MEDIA: Spanish I (SPN 101) & Applied Journalism (MCM 111) – 5

THEATER: Acting I (THE 121) – 3

MUSIC: Recital Attendance I (MUC 001), Class Piano I (MUC111), Ensemble I (MUE105, MUE115, MUE121) & Applied Major I – 4-5

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT HOUR	TERM OFFERED
ENG 102	Comp II or CORE 42 Oral Communications	3	
varies	CORE 42 Natural Science no lab	3	
varies	CORE 42 Social and Behavioral Science (MCM101 for Journalism/Mass Media)	3	
varies	CORE 42 Humanities and Fine Arts (MCM 104 for Theater, Journalism/Mass Media and English)	3	Spring
varies	Arts & Humanities Pathway Elective (see below)	1-5	
Total Credit Hours: 13-17			

MILESTONE NOTES
Meet with Academic Advisor
Complete Core 42 written communication requirements

Arts & Humanities Pathway Electives:

ENGLISH: Survey British Literature: Beginning - 1784 (ENG 210), Survey British Literature: Romantic - Present (ENG 211), Survey American Literature: Col-1865 (ENG 221), Survey American Literature 1865-Present (ENG 222), or Applied Journalism I (MCM 111) – 1 – 3

JOURNALISM/MASS MEDIA: Applied Journalism II (MCM 112) – 1

THEATER: Directing I (THE 131) (or Theater Practicum (THE 281)) – 3

MUSIC: Recital Attendance II (MUC 002), Class Piano II (MUC112), Ensemble II (MUE105, MUE115, MUE121, MUE106, MUE116, MUE122) & Applied Major II – 4-5

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Guided Pathway to Success - Year 2 (English)

The ECC Associate of Arts with an emphasis in English prepares students to transfer and obtain a bachelor's degree in English or related fields. The program of study consists of the general education core classes plus specific electives, including literature and writing courses. Those pursuing a degree in English become critical, analytical, and creative thinkers and writers. Students of English at ECC work closely with their instructors and advisors to choose courses that will challenge them and help them grow, all while transferring seamlessly to four-year colleges and universities. Obtaining an English degree opens up a world of possibilities for graduates. While English majors often go into fields such as publishing, corporate communications, copywriting, film and television, journalism, academia, technical writing and editing, English majors develop critical thinking, communication and analytical skills that can be highly sought after in business, marketing, finance, the nonprofit sector and public service. A bachelor's degree in English is often a foundational degree for further studies in law or library science.

Extra-Curricular/Co-curricular Opportunities at ECC: The ECC English Department holds a Writing Contest in fall and spring semesters, which awards students cash prizes and publication opportunities for creative and academic writing. Students can also get involved in the ECC Literary and Art Review by submitting work and helping create the publication, and Creative Writing students can be chosen to participate in the annual Faculty and Student Poetry Invitational Reading. ECC Student Media produces the student newspaper, the Cornerstone (in print and online); and an arts and culture magazine, the Cusp. The ECC Film and Lecture Series features critically acclaimed documentary and narrative films, scholars, authors, and journalists.

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT HOUR	TERM OFFERED
ENG210,211, 221 or 222	British or American Literature	3	
ENG 241	Creative Writing	3	Fall
ENG 214 or ENG217	Women's Literature or Intro to Shakespeare	3	Even Fall (ENG214) Odd Fall (ENG217)
SPN 102	Spanish II	4	
varies	English Pathway Elective (see below)	1 - 3	
Total Credit Hours: 14-16			

MILESTONE NOTES
Complete Core 42 Humanities
Complete ENG 241 - Creative Writing

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT HOUR	TERM OFFERED
varies	CORE 42 Social and Behavioral Science	3	
varies	CORE 42 Natural Sciences with Lab	4-5	
ENG 215	African American Literature	3	Spring
ENG 145 ENG 149	World Fiction or Mythology	3	
MCM 225 or ENG 104	News Writing or Technical Writing	3	News Writing: Odd Spring
Total Credit Hours: 16-17			

MILESTONE NOTES
Complete General Education requirements
Complete ENG 215 - African American Literature

English Pathway Electives:

Applied Journalism (MCM 111/112/211), Intro to Mass Media (MCM 101), Digital Design (ART 121), Digital Photography (ART 171) -FA, Digital Video Tech I (ART 165) -SP, Web Design and Development (CIS 127), Technical and Digital Literacy (CIS 110), Courses numbered 100 or above in ENG, ART, MUC, CIV, PHL, or THE

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