

Pittsburg State University General Education

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Program Description

In the 2024-25 academic year, The Kansas Board of Regents (KBOR) approved the Systemwide General Education Framework. It is comprised of 34-35 credit hours organized in six discipline-based “buckets” and an institutionally designed bucket. A student who satisfies all seven buckets will complete the systemwide GE program.

Please note this framework applies to the completion of General Education requirements required for the Associate of Arts (AA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/archives/2025-26/degree/requirements/associate-arts/>), Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/archives/2025-26/degree/requirements/associate-fine-arts/>) and Associate of Science (AS) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/archives/2025-26/degree/requirements/associate-science/>) degrees only. Students that have not completed the General Education requirements for the AA, AFA, or AS, will have coursework reviewed on a course-by-course basis.

The Associate of Applied Science (AAS) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/archives/2025-26/degree/requirements/associate-applied-science/>) degree and the Associate of General Studies (AGS) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/archives/2025-26/degree/requirements/associate-general-studies/>) degree do not apply to the KBOR Systemwide General Education Framework. Please see your JCCC Counselor if you are pursuing the AAS or AGS degree.

It is the STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer guide is provided as a service and is updated as needed. Degree requirements at the four-year colleges are subject to change by those institutions. To ensure you have the most accurate information about the program, you must meet with an advisor at the transfer institution.

Transfer Requirements

Course Code	Course Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
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English Bucket – 6 hours required

Select one of the following:

ENGL 121	Composition I*	3	ENGL 101	College English I	3
ENGL 119	College Composition I with Review*	5	ENGL 101 English Composition		
ENGL 122	Composition II*	3	ENGL 299 Introduction to Research Writing		

Communications Bucket – 3 hours required

Select one of the following:

COMS 121	Public Speaking	3	COMM 207	Speech Communication	3
COMS 125	Personal Communication	3	COMM 207	Speech Communication	3

Mathematics & Statistics Bucket – 3 hours required

MATH 171	College Algebra*	3	MATH 113	College Algebra	3
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MATH 173	Precalculus*	5	MATH 126	Calculus II	4
MATH 161	Elementary Statistics*	3	MATH 143	Elementary Statistics	3
MATH 210	Mathematics for Elementary Teachers I*	3	MATH 204	Mathematics for Education I	3
MATH 241	Calculus I*	5	MATH 150	Calculus I	5

Natural & Physical Sciences Bucket – 4-5 hours required from One Subject (must include a lab)

ASTR 122	Astronomy	4	PHYS 175 Descriptive Astronomy AND PHYS 176 Astronomy Lab		
BIOL 121	Introductory Biology for Non-Majors	4	BIOL 111 General Biology AND BIOL 112 General Biology Lab		
BIOL 135	Principles of Cell and Molecular Biology	4	BIOL 211	General Biology II	4
CHEM 120	Chemistry in Society*	4	CHEM 105 Introductory Chemistry AND CHEM 106 Introductory Chemistry Lab		
CHEM 124 & CHEM 125	General Chemistry I Lecture* and General Chemistry I Lab*	4	CHEM 215 & CHEM 216	General Chemistry I and General Chemistry I Laboratory	2
EVRN 130 & EVRN 132	Environmental Science and Environmental Science Laboratory*	3	BIOL 113	Environmental Life Science	4
GEOS 130	General Geology	5	PHYS 160 Physical Geology AND PHYS 165 Physical Geology Lab		
GEOS 160	Introduction to Meteorology	5	PHYS 166 Meteorology AND PHYS 167 Meteorology Lab		
PHYS 130	College Physics I*	5	PHYS 100 College Physics I AND PHYS 130 Elementary Physics I Lab		
PHYS 220	Engineering Physics I*	5	PHYS 104 Engineering Physics I AND PHYS 130 Elementary Physics I Lab		
PSCI 120	Physical Science	4	PHYS 171 Physical Science AND PHYS 172 Physical Science Lab		

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Social & Behavioral Sciences Bucket – 6 hours required in at least Two Courses from Two Subject Areas

ANTH 125	Cultural Anthropology	3	ANTH 101	Biological Anthropology	3
ECON 132	Survey of Economics	3	ECON 191	Issues in Today's Economy	3
ECON 230	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECON 201	Introduction to Macroeconomics	3
ECON 231	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON 200	Introduction to Microeconomics	3
GEOS 145	World Regional Geography	3	GEOG 106	World Regional Geography	3
GEOS 155	Human Geography	3	GEOG 304	Human Geography	3
POLS 124	American National Government	3	POLS 101	American Government	3
POLS 132	Introduction to Comparative Government	3	POLS 103	Comparative Politcl Institutns	3



PSYC 130	Introduction to Psychology	3	PSYCH 155	General Psychology	3
SOC 122	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology	3
WGS 201	Global Women's Studies	3	WGS 200	Introduction to Women's Stds	3

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Arts & Humanities Bucket - 6 hours required in at least Two Courses from Two Subject Areas

ART 130	Drawing I	3	ART 233	Drawing I	3
ART 135	Painting I	3	ART 277	Painting I	
ART 140	Printmaking I	3	ART 275	Printmaking I	
ART 142	Ceramics I	3	ART 244	Ceramics I	
ART 145	Sculpture I	3	ART 266	Sculpture I	
ART 148	Metal and Silversmithing I	3	ART 222	Jewelry/Metals I	
ARTH 180	Art History: Ancient to Medieval	3	ART 288	Introduction to Art History I	3
ARTH 182	Art History: Renaissance to Modern	3	ART 289	Introduction to Art History II	3
ENGL 130	Introduction to Literature*	3	ENGL 113	Literature and Culture	3
ENGL 217	Literature by Women*	3	ENGL 122	Intro to Women's Literature	3
ENGL 223	Introduction to Creative Writing*	3	ENGL 250	Intro to Creative Writing	3
ENGL 227	Introduction to Poetry*	3	ENGL 118	Introduction to Poetry	3
ENGL 230	Introduction to Fiction*	3	ENGL 117	Introduction to Fiction	3

Select one of the following:

HUM 155	Classical Mythology	3	ENGL 114	General Literature (Genre)	3
HUM 156	Contemporary Approaches to World Mythology	3	ENGL 114	General Literature (Genre)	3
ENGL 244	Literature of American Popular Music*	3	MUSIC 121	Introduction to Music Literature	
FL 130	Elementary Spanish I	5	MLL 154	Spanish Language Culture I	
FL 140	Elementary French I	5	MLL 124	French Language Culture I	3-5
HIST 140	U.S. History to 1877	3	HIST 201	American History to 1865	3
HIST 141	U.S. History Since 1877	3	HIST 202	American History from 1865	3

Select one of the following:

HIST 125	Western Civilization: Ancient World to the Renaissance	3	HIST 101	World History to 1500	3
HIST 151	World History: Traditional	3	HIST 101	World History to 1500	3

Select one of the following:

HIST 126	Western Civilization: Scientific Revolution to the Modern Age	3	HIST 102	World History from 1500	3
HIST 152	World History: Modern World	3	HIST 102	World History from 1500	3

Select one of the following:

MUS 121	Introduction to Music Listening	3	MUSIC 120	Music Appreciation	3
MUS 125	Introduction to Jazz Listening	3	MUSIC 120	Music Appreciation	3
MUS 126	Introduction to World Music	3	MUSIC 120	Music Appreciation	3
MUS 128	History of Rock and Roll Music	3	MUSIC 120	Music Appreciation	3
PHIL 121	Introduction to Philosophy	3	PHIL 103	Introduction to Philosophy	3
PHIL 128	Environmental Ethics	3	PHIL 114	Environmental Ethics	3
PHIL 140	Business Ethics	3	PHIL 113	Business Ethics	3
PHIL 143	Ethics	3	PHIL 105	Critical Reasoning	3
PHIL 155	Bioethics*	3	PHIL 112	Biomedical Ethics	3

Select one of the following:

REL 120	Exploring World Religions	3	PHIL 231	World Religions	3
REL 126	Religions of the West	3	PHIL 231	World Religions	3

Select one of the following:

THEA 120	Introduction to Theater	3	COMM 105	Performance Appreciation	3
FMS 100	Intro to Film	3	COMM 105	Performance Appreciation	3

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Institutionally Designated Bucket – 6 hours required

UGS 150 Gorilla Gateway (2 hrs) Waived for transfer students with 45 credits or more

Any 1 credit hour class from the following:

Select one of the following:

HPER 192	Wellness for Life	1	HHP 150	Lifetime Fitness Concepts	1
HPER 240	Lifetime Fitness I	1	HHP 150	Lifetime Fitness Concepts	1
HPER 215	Introduction to Exercise Science	3	EXSCI 200	Introduction to Exercise Science	

Any 3 credit hour class from Bucket #4, Bucket #5, Bucket #6 or the following:

Select one of the following:

BIOL 235	The Science of Human Nutrition*	3	FCS 203	Nutrition and Health	3
DIET 151	Nutrition and Meal Planning	3	FCS 203	Nutrition and Health	3
BUS 121	Introduction to Business	3	BUS 101	Introduction to Business	3



BUS 123	Personal Finance	3	FCS 230	Consumer Educ Pers Finance	3
Select one of the following:					
CIS 124	Introduction to Computer Concepts and Applications	3	DSIS 130	Computer Information Systems	3
CIS 201	Introduction to Information Systems*	3	DSIS 130	Computer Information Systems	3
EDUC 121	Introduction to Teaching*	3	EDUC 261	Explorations in Education	3
EDUC 224	Technology in Education for K-12 Educators	3	EDTH 330	Techniques Teaching/Learning	3
ENGR 131	Engineering Graphics I:AutoCAD*	4	MECET 121	Engineering Graphics I	3
PHIL 124	Logic and Critical Thinking	3	PHIL 208	Logic	3

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

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