

Horticulture BS, Golf Course and Sports Turf Operations Specialization

Kansas State University

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The Associate of Arts, AA (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degreerequirements/associate-arts/>) at JCCC is a general transfer degree and partners well with the first two years of most bachelor degree programs. Students pursuing the AA may select courses that satisfy both the AA degree requirements and lower division requirements for a bachelor's degree at four-year institutions. The elective hours within the AA allow students to complete additional general education and lower division courses required for specific majors. The AA degree requires completion of 60 credit hours. Meeting with a JCCC counselor (<https://www.jccc.edu/student-resources/counseling/academic-counseling/>) is strongly recommended for selection of appropriate courses.

Golf Course and Sports Turf Operations Management

This program is designed to prepare for rewarding careers as the next generation of golf course superintendents and managers, and as turf managers for professional sports organizations, school districts, colleges and university grounds departments, and municipal park and recreation departments. The unique curriculum combines courses in business, communications, hospitality, and turfgrass management, along with two internships. Graduates are employed by golf courses, golf clubs, and other sports facilities all over the U.S. and world, as well as in industries allied to golf and turfgrass management.

This degree requires a minimum of 120 credit hours. No more than seventy-five hours may be transferred as credit from a community college.

General Education Program

- Students transferring to KSU, that complete the General Education requirements required for the Associate of Arts (AA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degreerequirements/associate-arts/>), Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degreerequirements/associate-fine-arts/>) or Associate of Science (AS) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degreerequirements/associate-science/>) degree from JCCC will be considered to have satisfied KSU's core general education curriculum.
- Students who transfer to KSU, without completing the General Education requirements required for the Associate of Arts (AA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degreerequirements/associate-arts/>), Associate of Fine Arts (AFA) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degreerequirements/associate-fine-arts/>) or Associate of Science (AS) (<https://catalog.jccc.edu/degreerequirements/associate-science/>) degree will have courses evaluated on a course-by-course basis toward meeting KSU requirements. To learn more about courses that satisfy KSU Core Requirements and KSU Transfer Equivalency Tool.
- Visit the KSU Core General Education Guide (<https://nam12.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fnextcatalog.jccc.edu%2Ftransfer-guides%2Fk-state%2Fk-state-general-education&data=05%7C02%7Cskhalif2%40jccc.edu%7C3bbbe8fc84564328cf7008de1320415e%7C15244239dcf245e7aefd127b69fc5438%7C1%7C0%7C638969226426376370%7CUnknown%7CTWfPbGZsb3d8eyJFbXB0eU1hcGkiOnRydWUslIYiOiIwLjAuMDAwMCIslIAiOiJXaW4zMilslkFoljoiTWfPbCislldUljoyfQ%3D%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=p6L6HF0HBpB3aL3uFUWnztw8qzBp%2FiSMV2qIS%2FvLwxE%3D&reserved=0>) for JCCC equivalents.
- Visit the KSU Catalog (<https://catalog.k-state.edu/>) for course descriptions and prerequisites.

The information below is a guide for students planning to take courses at JCCC that will apply toward the B.S. degree in Horticulture specializing in Golf Course and Sports Turf Operations Management at K-State.

K-State Core

Course Code	Course Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
Code	Title	Hours			
English (two courses)	Visit the KSU Core General Education guide for JCCC equivalents.	6			
Communications	Visit the KSU Core General Education guide for JCCC equivalents.	3			
Math and Statistics					
MATH 151	Contemporary Mathematics*	3	MATH 160	Introduction to Contemporary Mathematics	
Natural and Physical Sciences (One Subject area only, must include a lab)					
BIOL 135	Principles of Cell and Molecular Biology	4	BIOL 198	Principles of Biology	4
Social and Behavior Sciences (Select two courses in two subject areas)					
Arts and Humanities (Select two courses in two subject areas)					
Free Electives (Any 100 or 200 level courses may apply) Visit the KSU Core General Education guide for JCCC equivalents.					

Program Requirements

Course Code	Course Title	Course Hours	Transfer Code	Transfer Title	Transfer Hours
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ACCT 121 & ACCT 122	Accounting I and Accounting II*	3	ACCTG 241	Intro to Financial Accounting	3
ACCT 222	Managerial Accounting*	3	ACCTG 231	Intro to Managerial Accounting	3
BUS 241	Principles of Management	3	MANGT 220	Principles of Management	

Select one of the following:

CHEM 120	Chemistry in Society*	4	CHEM 110 General Chemistry/Lab
CHEM 122	Principles of Chemistry*	5	CHEM 110 General Chemistry/Lab

Select one of the following:

ECON 230 & ECON 231	Principles of Macroeconomics and Microeconomics	3	ECON 110 Principles of Macroeconomics
ECON 231	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON 120 Principles of Microeconomics
HMGT 123	Professional Cooking I*	3	HM 341 Principles of Food Production Management
HMGT 279	Beverage Control	3	HM 440 Beverage Management 3
HORT 201	Introduction to Horticultural Science	4	HORT 201 Prin of Horticultural Science 4
HORT 205	Plant Propagation*	3	HORT 350 Plant Propagation 3
HORT 214	Woody Plants, Deciduous	3	HORT 375 Landscape Plants II 3
HORT 215	Woody Plants, Evergreens	3	HORT 274 Landscape Plants I
MKT 230	Marketing	3	MKTG 400 Introduction to Marketing 3

Select 3 hours of Communications Elective:
Any level foreign language OR Foreign Language FL courses

ENGL 222	Advanced Composition: The Art of the Essay*	3	ENGL 300 Expository Writing III
ENGL 223	Introduction to Creative Writing*	3	ENGL 461 Intro to Fiction Writing 3
ENGL 232	Children's Literature*	3	ENGL 355 Literature for Children 3
ENGL 246	American Literature I*	3	ENGL 381 American Survey I 3
ENGL 247	American Literature II*	3	ENGL 382 American Survey II 3
ENGL 252	Introduction to Shakespeare*	3	ENGL 350 Intro to Shakespeare 3

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

** Students pursuing a K-State Business Minor should take K-State ECON 120 (JCCC ECON 231) as it is the prerequisite for K-State FINAN 450.