Muskegon Community College Curriculum Guide

Curriculum: CRIMINAL JUSTICE – GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY

The following courses will fulfill requirements for the Associate in Science and Arts Degree. It is designed for students who plan to transfer to G.V.S.U. and major in Criminal Justice after completing the A.S.A. degree at M.C.C.

REQUIRED FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS – You must demonstrate a minimum level of achievement, either by successful testing or satisfactory course completion (a grade of “C” or better) in four areas:

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<tr>
<td>Writing</td>
<td>English 085, 089, 091 or 114</td>
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<td>Reading</td>
<td>Reading 040A or 040C</td>
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<td>Math</td>
<td>Mathematics 050 or 107 (or complete higher level course)</td>
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<td>Computers</td>
<td>CIS 100 or any other CIS course (Consult a counselor regarding transferability. CIS 110 or 120A are strongly recommended.)</td>
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English, Reading and Mathematics Placement Tests may be required and are available in Testing Services, located in Room 134 – 777-0394. English and Reading placement tests may be waived if you show documentation of a proficiency level 1 or 2 on the high school MEAP or MME writing and reading tests or if you have an ACT composite score of 22 or greater. The Mathematics placement test may be waived if you show documentation of a score of 28 or above on the ACT Math test.

GENERAL EDUCATION

COMMUNICATION

English 101 and 102 English Composition 6

SCIENCE/MATH

Courses must be taken in more than one academic area. Must include at least 4 credits of lab science.

Lab Science options:

- Biology 100 (10A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, J), 103 Lec & 103A, 104 Lec & 104A, 105 Lec & 105C, 106 Lec & 106A, 109, 110, 120, 122, 207 Lec & 207A
- Geography 101A, 215
- Geology 101A, 102
- Physical Science 101A
- Physics 201L&L, 202L&L, 203L&L, 204L&L

(Chemistry 100 modules are no longer being offered.)

Non-lab options:

- Anthropology 105
- Astronomy 101, 105A (same course as Physics 105A)
- Biology 200, 207 – lecture only
- Geography 101
- Mathematics 105, 107, 109, 111, 112, 115 (or Business 105), 151, 161, 162, 215, 274, 276, 283, 295
- Physics 105A (same course as Astronomy 105A)

THE HUMAN EXPERIENCE

AESTHETIC VALUES

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<tr>
<th>Art</th>
<th>104, 105B (was 105), 107, 108, 109, 204B (was 204), 205, 207, 208, 209, 211</th>
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<td>Dance</td>
<td>100, 101, 102, 106, 200, 201, 206, 213, 218</td>
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<td>English</td>
<td>208 (or Communications 203), 223</td>
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<td>Music</td>
<td>any 100 level or above course</td>
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ETHICS AND LOGIC
    Philosophy 101, 102, 104, 202, 204, 205, 207

SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS
    Economics 101, 102, 130
    Psychology 102, 201, 202, 203, 205A, 207, 208, 210 (same as Sociology 210)
    Sociology 101, 102, 202, 203, 206, 210 (same as Psychology 210)
    Women’s Studies 101

HUMAN CULTURES
WESTERN WORLD
    Art 198, 199, 202
    English 200, 201, 204, 205, 206, 210, 213, 225, 226, 227, 228
    History 101, 102, 204
    Humanities 195
    Music 103
    Political Science 203
    Theater 201

AMERICAN
    History 201, 202, 207, 211
    Political Science 111, 205

INTERNATIONAL
    If the credit hours from AMERICAN CULTURES and SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS total less than 8 credits, the choices are:
        Anthropology 103, 110
        Geography 104 (was 102A, 102C), 105
        History 195
        Political Science 202, 211
    If the credit hours from AMERICAN CULTURES and SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS total 8 credits or more, then other options are:
        English 207, 211, 218
        French 101, 102, 201, 202
        German 101, 102, 201, 202
        History 210
        Philosophy 203, 210
        Spanish 101, 102, 201, 202

PHYSICAL EDUCATION
    Choose one from PEA 101A, 103, 104A, 118, or 201 and one PEA or DNC credit hour of choice.

CHOOSE FROM THE FOLLOWING FOR A TOTAL OF 62 CREDITS

G.V.S.U. BASIC SKILL REQUIREMENT
    One course from: Mathematics 050, 109, 111, 112, 161
    (or proficiency testing at G.V.S.U.)

ADDITIONAL G.V.S.U. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS
    Choose one course from the following if not taken to fulfill a general education requirement:
        Anthropology 110; English 211; Foreign Language 202; Geography 105; Philosophy 210;
        Political Science 211
    Choose one course from the following if not taken to fulfill a general education requirement:
        Anthropology 103; Sociology 102, 202

MAJOR RELATED COURSES
    Criminal Justice 101 Introduction to Law Enforcement
    Criminal Justice 104 Criminology
    or
    Criminal Justice 109 Crime Prevention & Juvenile Delinquency
## COGNATE REQUIREMENTS

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<td>B.A. – Foreign Language – third-semester proficiency</td>
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<td>B.S. – Business 105 or Mathematics 115 Statistics</td>
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<td>Two additional courses at G.V.S.U.</td>
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## CRIMINAL JUSTICE ELECTIVES (see Note below)

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**NOTE:**

*G.V.S.U. awards the same equivalency credit for M.C.C.’s History 102 and 210. Students are advised not to take both courses at M.C.C. if they wish to transfer to G.V.S.U.

Transfer students are required to have a minimum transfer GPA of 2.5.

Only a total of 4 Criminal Justice courses will transfer directly into the major; any other Criminal Justice courses taken will transfer as general credits toward the degree.

Students should check the M.C.C. catalog for course prerequisites.

It is recommended that Criminal Justice majors become familiar with the Criminal Justice section in the G.V.S.U. catalog; copies are available in Room 1106 in the Stevenson Center for Higher Education.

The information contained in this curriculum guide is accurate as of March 2010 and is subject to change by both institutions.