

**IT IS IMPORTANT TO SEE AN M.C.C. COUNSELOR EACH SEMESTER FOR ACADEMIC ADVISING. TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT CALL (231) 777-0362.**

**Muskegon Community College Curriculum Guide**

**Curriculum: PHILOSOPHY - GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY**

**Curriculum code: G01N**

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 Philosophy after completing the A.S.A. Degree at M.C.C.

<b>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:</b>	
1. Writing	English 085, 089, 091 or 114
2. Reading	Reading 040A or 040C
3. Math	Mathematics 050 or 107 (or complete higher level course)
4. Computers	CIS 100 or any other CIS course (Consult a counselor regarding transferability. CIS 110 or 120A are strongly recommended.)

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.

<u>GENERAL EDUCATION</u>	<u>MINIMUM CREDITS</u>
<b><u>COMMUNICATION</u></b>	
English 101 and 102 English Composition	6
<b><u>SCIENCE/MATH</u></b>	8
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	
!!!	Chemistry 100 Lec & 100A, 101 Lec & 101A, 102 Lec & 102A, 109 Lec & 109A, 120 Lec & 120A, 130 Lec & 130A, 201E & 201F, 202F & 202G
	Geography 101A, 215
	Geology 101A, 102
	Physical Science 101A
	Physics 201L&L, 202L&L, 203L&L, 204L&L
	<b>(Biology 100 modules are no longer being offered.)</b>
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)
!!!	Chemistry Placement Test is required prior to taking Chemistry 101 Lec & 101A
<b><u>THE HUMAN EXPERIENCE</u></b>	
<b><u>AESTHETIC VALUES</u></b>	3
Art 104, 105B (was 105), 107, 108, 109, 204B (was 204), 205, 207, 208, 209, 211	
Dance 100, 101, 102, 106, 200, 201, 206, 213, 218	
English 208 (or Communications 203), 223	
Music – any 100 level or above course	
Theater 101, 102, 108, 120, 141, 142, 144, 145, 147, 148, 160, 201, 202, 203, 210, 212, 217, 260	

**MINIMUM CREDITS**

**ETHICS AND LOGIC** 3  
Philosophy 101, 102, 104, 202, 204, 205, 207

**SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS** 3  
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** 3  
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** 3  
History 201, 202, 207, 211  
Political Science 111, 205

**INTERNATIONAL** 3  
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** 2  
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** 0-4  
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: 0-4  
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: 0-3  
Anthropology 103; Sociology 102, 202

**MAJOR RELATED COURSE**  
Philosophy 102 Principles of Logic 3  
or  
Philosophy 104 Symbolic Logic 3

**MINIMUM CREDITS**

**COGNATE REQUIREMENT**

B.A. – Foreign Language – third-semester proficiency

0-12

**ELECTIVES** – Consult a counselor

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Philosophy 101 Basic Concepts of Philosophy

Philosophy 202 Introduction to Ethics

Philosophy 204 Biomedical Ethics

or

Philosophy 205 Business Ethics

or

Philosophy 207 Environmental Ethics

Philosophy 203 Philosophy of Religion

TOTAL 62

NOTES:

\*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.

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

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