

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: PHYSICAL THERAPY - GRAND VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY

Curriculum code: G18

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 complete the Clinical Doctorate in Physical Therapy after completing the A.S.A. Degree at M.C.C. Students typically complete a Bachelors Degree in a health science area prior to completing the Clinical Doctorate in Physical Therapy.

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:	
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.)
<p>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.</p>	

<u>GENERAL EDUCATION</u>	<u>MINIMUM CREDITS</u>
<u>COMMUNICATION</u>	
English 101 and 102 English Composition	6
<u>SCIENCE/MATH</u>	
Choose one course from:	4
Mathematics 109, 111, 112, 151 (Math 112 is a prerequisite for M.C.C. Physics 201L&L)	
Biology 103Lec & 103A or 100 (10A,F,G,H) or (10A,E,F,G) Introductory Biology	4
(Biology 100 modules are no longer being offered.)	
<u>THE HUMAN EXPERIENCE</u>	
<u>AESTHETIC VALUES</u>	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	
<u>ETHICS AND LOGIC</u>	3
Philosophy 101, 102, 104, 202, 204, 205, 207	
(Philosophy 204 Biomedical Ethics is strongly recommended.)	
<u>SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS</u>	4
Psychology 201 General Psychology	

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

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AMERICAN

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

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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

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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.

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CHOOSE FROM THE FOLLOWING FOR A TOTAL OF 62 CREDITS**ADDITIONAL G.V.S.U. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

Choose one course from the following if not taken to fulfill a general education or major related requirement:

Anthropology 110; English 211; Foreign Language 202; Geography 105; Philosophy 210;
 Political Science 211

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Choose one course from the following if not taken to fulfill a general education requirement:

Anthropology 103; Sociology 102, 202

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MAJOR RELATED COURSES

Mathematics 115 Probability & Statistics

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or

Business 105 Business Statistics

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Biology 105Lec & 105C Anatomy & Physiology I, Lec & Lab (must take

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Biology 106Lec & 106A Anatomy & Physiology II, Lec & Lab (both courses)

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(recommended prerequisite: Chemistry 100Lec & 100A)

Physics 201L&L General Physics, Lec & Lab (prerequisite: Mathematics 112)

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Physics 202L&L General Physics, Lec & Lab

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Education 250 Human Growth & Learning

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or

Psychology 207 Life Span Development

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Sociology 101 Principles of Sociology (other option available at G.V.S.U.)

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or

Anthropology 110 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology “ “

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Chemistry 100Lec & 100A Fundamentals of Chemistry, Lec & Lab (dependent on major chosen)

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or

Chemistry 109Lec & 109A Chemistry for Health Science, Lec & Lab (dependent on major chosen)

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COGNATE REQUIREMENTS

B.A. /B.S. – Dependent on major chosen. Consult the G.V.S.U. catalog.

MINIMUM CREDITS

variable

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 Physical Therapy majors become familiar with the Physical Therapy section in the G.V.S.U. catalog; copies are available in Room 1106 in the Stevenson Center for Higher Education. For additional information contact the Physical Therapy Program, G.V.S.U. (616) 895-3356. Their website is www.gvsu.edu/pt.

PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM ADMISSION CRITERIA

(Physical Therapy is not a declarable undergraduate major)

PHASE I

1. Academic achievement: Students must have a minimum average GPA of 3.0 in pre-professional program courses requirements, and a 3.0 GPA overall. Admission deadline is October 15.
2. Recommendations. Two recommendations must be submitted including one from a licensed physical therapist. Letters must be on university forms (refer to website).
3. Observational experience. A minimum of 50 hours of observational experience under the supervision of a physical therapist.
4. Abbreviated resume on university form listing educational, professional, leadership, scholarly and volunteer activities.
5. Bachelor's degree required.
6. Official transcripts.
7. Graduate application.
8. Graduate Record Exam (GRE)

PHASE II

1. Interview with faculty.