

**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 EDUCATION - TEACHER/COACH  
WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY**

**Curriculum Code: W09B**

The following courses will fulfill requirements for the Associate in Science and Arts Degree. It is designed for students who plan to transfer to W.M.U. and major in Physical Education 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.)
<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>
<b><u>COMMUNICATION</u></b>	
English 101 and 102 English Composition	6
<b><u>SCIENCE/MATH</u></b>	
Biology 103Lec & 103A Introductory Biology, Lec and Lab	4
Chemistry 100Lec & 100A Fundamentals of Chemistry, Lec and Lab (prerequisite: Mathematics 050) (Not required by W.M.U. but is recommended as a prerequisite for M.C.C.'s Biology 106Lec & 106A; see an M.C.C. counselor or the M.C.C. catalog for other options.)	5
<b><u>THE HUMAN EXPERIENCE</u></b>	
<b><u>AESTHETIC VALUES</u></b>	3
Art 101, 104, 105B (was 105), 107, 108, 109, 204B (was 204), 205, 207, 208, 209, 211 Dance 100, 101, 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, 144, 145, 147, 148, 160, 201, 203, 210, 212, 217, 260	
<b><u>ETHICS AND LOGIC</u></b>	3
Philosophy 101, 102, 104, 202, 204, 205 (Philosophy 204 will satisfy a 300-level general education requirement at W.M.U.)	
<b><u>SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS</u></b>	3
Economics 101, 102, 130 Psychology 102, 201, 202, 203, 205A Sociology 101, 102, 202, 203, 206 Women's Studies 101	

	<b><u>MINIMUM CREDITS</u></b>
<b><u>HUMAN CULTURES</u></b>	
<b><u>WESTERN WORLD</u></b>	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	
<b><u>AMERICAN</u></b>	3
History 201, 202, 207, 211, 220	
Political Science 111, 205, 220	
<b><u>INTERNATIONAL</u></b>	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, 210, 211	
If the credit hours from AMERICAN CULTURES and SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS total 8 credits or more, then <u>other</u> 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	
(History 210 will satisfy a 300-level general education requirement at W.M.U.)	
<b><u>PHYSICAL EDUCATION</u></b>	2
Choose one course from PEA 101A, 103, 104A, 118, or 201 <b>and</b> one PEA credit hour of choice.	
<b><u>MAJOR RELATED COURSES</u></b>	
Biology 105Lec & 105C Anatomy & Physiology II, Lec and Lab	4
Biology 106Lec & 106A Anatomy & Physiology II, Lec and Lab	4
PEP 203 Fundamentals of Coaching	3
Health Education 100-A Community First Aid and Safety	2
Health Education 106 Concepts of Health and Well-being	3
Health Education 202A Sports Injuries and Prevention	3
PEA 103 Weight Training	1
PEA 253 Baseball II (other options available at W.M.U.)	1
Choose two from the following:	2
PEA 130, 131, 133, 134-A Swimming	
<b><u>ELECTIVE(S)</u></b>	variable
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	TOTAL 62

NOTES:

The Physical Education major at W.M.U. requires a minimum of 2 credit hours of aquatics.

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

It is recommended that Physical Education majors become familiar with the Physical Education section in the W.M.U. catalog available on-line at [www.wmich.edu/catalog](http://www.wmich.edu/catalog).

## **IMPORTANT NOTE:**

All students who request a program leading to a teaching certificate will be assigned to the Pre-Education curriculum upon admission to the University.

## **SELECTION FOR ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY EDUCATION**

In order to enroll for the upper-level professional education courses, you must be accepted into either the Elementary or Secondary Education program. Upper professional level admission requirements, links, and forms are available at [www.wmich.edu/coe/admissions](http://www.wmich.edu/coe/admissions). The following are minimum requirements that must be met:

1. Completed and submitted all materials required for admission to the University to the W.M.U. Office of Admissions, 2240 Seibert Administration Building, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI 49008-5211.
2. Completed and submitted the College of Education and Human Development application when requirements are met to the Office of Advising, 2504 Sangren, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, MI 49008-5275.
3. Achieved passing scores on the Michigan Test for Teacher Certification (MTTC) – Basic Skills section. This test should be taken in advance. Due to a change in State of Michigan instructions, official MTTC Basic Skills Test scores must be sent directly to W.M.U. from the testing agency. Students should designate W.M.U. as a recipient institution when they register for the test or they will have to pay a fee to send official scores after the test.
4. Completed 35 hours.
5. Completed all Western Michigan University Intellectual Skills Development requirements if required (e.g. Math, English, Reading).
6. Completed an approved college-level writing course.
7. Completed W.M.U.'s HPER 2400 with a grade of "C" or better.
8. Achieved a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or better at the time of application.
9. Students who are enrolled in the P.E. curriculum must apply to W.M.U.'s HPER Department after completion of 35 credit hours. Details are available at the HPER Department Advising Office.
10. Completion of Livescan background check less than one year prior to application to the College of Education and Human Development.

Students are allowed to apply to the upper division Elementary and Secondary Education programs when all of the above requirements are met.