# KIRKWOOD COMMUNITY COLLEGE
## Arts and Sciences Degree Requirements

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◆ Students seeking an AA degree from Kirkwood Community College must complete one approved Diversity (D) course.

Courses marked on this form with (D) fulfill both Diversity and core requirements.

## A. COMMUNICATION - WRITING  5 c.h.

Any student planning to enroll in an Arts and Sciences writing course (Elements of Writing, Composition I or College Writing) is **REQUIRED** to provide one of the following:

1. ACT scores, not older than three years
2. COMPASS scores (writing and reading components), not older than three years
3. College transcripts to show successful completion of appropriate prerequisite
   - ENG120 College Writing (Comp I-II equivalent) **OR**
   - ENG105 Composition I **AND**
   - ENG106 Composition II **OR**
   - ENG108 Composition II: Technical Writing

## B. COMMUNICATION - SPEECH  3 c.h.

- SPC101 Fundamentals of Oral Communication **OR**
- SPC112 Public Speaking

## C. HISTORY/CULTURES  6 c.h.

◆ Select one course from 1 and one course from 1 or 2.

1. **Introductory Courses**
   - (D) FLF142 Elementary French II
   - (D) FLF231 Intermediate French I
   - (D) FLF232 Intermediate French II
   - (D) FLS142 Elementary Spanish II
   - (D) FLS231 Intermediate Spanish I
   - (D) FLS232 Intermediate Spanish II
   - (D) FLG142 Elementary German II
   - (D) FLG231 Intermediate German I
   - (D) FLG232 Intermediate German II
   - (D) ASL171 American Sign Language II
   - (D) ASL241 American Sign Language III
   - (D) ASL271 American Sign Language IV
   - (D) HIS121 Ancient Mediterranean World
   - (D) HIS122 Europe-Age of Monarchy
   - (D) HIS123 Europe-Age of Revolution
   - (D) HIS124 Europe-Age of Nationalism
   - (D) HIS151 U.S. History to 1877
   - (D) HIS152 U.S. History since 1877
   - (D) HIS291 History of Science
   - (D) REL101 Survey of World Religions
   - (D) REL120 Judaism, Christianity & Islam
   - (D) REL130 Introduction to Religions of the East
   - (D) ART105 Art Appreciation
   - (D) ART203 Art History I
   - (D) ART204 Art History II
   - (D) DRA101 Introduction to Theatre
   - (D) DRA116 Film Analysis
   - (D) DRA125 Introduction to Play Analysis
   - (D) HUM123 U.S. Film History
   - (D) HUM124 World Film History
   - (D) MUS100 Music Appreciation
   - (D) MUS209 Topics in Western Music History
   - (D) PHI101 Introduction to Philosophy
   - (D) PHI105 Introduction to Ethics
   - (D) PHI11 Basic Reasoning
   - (D) PHI125 Intro to Non-Western Philosophy/ Native Amer. Philosophies
   - (D) PHI126 Intro to Non-Western Philosophy/ Chinese Philosophies
   - (D) PHI132 Philosophy of Education

2. **Literature (Prereq: ENG105 or ENG120)**
   - (D) LIT203 Forms of Literature: Story Cycle
   - (D) LIT204 Forms of Literature: Nonfiction
   - (D) LIT205 Forms of Literature: Drama
   - (D) LIT206 Forms of Literature: Fiction
   - (D) LIT207 Forms of Literature: Poetry
   - (D) LIT208 Forms of Literature: New Media
   - (D) LIT222 Literature & Culture: American Dreams
   - (D) LIT224 Literature & Culture: Women and Work
   - (D) LIT226 Literary Themes: Search for Identity
   - (D) LIT227 Literature & Culture: World Poetry

3. **Interdisciplinary Humanities**
   - (D) CLS190 American Pluralism
   - (D) CLS191 Culture and Technology
   - (D) HUM105 Working in America
   - (D) HUM116 Encounters in Humanities

**Students seeking the Associate of Science (AS) degree should refer to the AS degree form.**
E. SOCIAL SCIENCE 9 c.h.

- CRJ100 Introduction to Criminal Justice 3
- CRJ200 Criminology 3
- CRJ201 Juvenile Delinquency 3
- ECN120 Principles of Macroeconomics 3
- ECN130 Principles of Microeconomics 3
- ECN210 Asian Economic Systems 3
- EDU240 Educational Psychology 3
- GEO115 Human Geography 3
- DS200 Exceptional Persons 3
- PRL101 Paralegal Studies Orientation 3
- MMS101 Mass Media 3
- PSY111 Intro to Psychology 3
- PSY121 Developmental Psychology 3
- PSY241 Abnormal Psychology 3
- PSY251 Social Psychology 3
- POL111 American National Government 3
- POL121 International Relations 3
- POL125 Comparative Government and Politics 3
- POL150 Introduction to U.S. Foreign Policy 3
- HSV110 Human Service Policy & Programs 3
- SOC110 Introduction to Sociology 3
- SOC115 Social Problems 3
- SOC120 Marriage and Family 3
- SOC200 Minority Group Relations 3
- SOC265 Intro to Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Studies 3
- SOC270 Social and Behavioral Research Methods 4

F. MATHEMATICS 3 c.h.

All Arts and Sciences students, both new and returning, who have not taken a mathematics course at Kirkwood will be REQUIRED to provide one of the following:
1. ACT scores, not older than one year
2. COMPASS mathematics scores, not older than one year
3. College transcript to show successful completion of appropriate prerequisite

- MAT115 Mathematics and Society 3
- MAT120 College Algebra 3
- MAT140 Finite Math 3
- MAT155 Statistical Ideas 3
- MAT157 Statistics 4
- MAT165 Business Calculus 3
- MAT136 Trigonometry and Analytic Geometry 5
- MAT138 College Algebra with Limits 4
- MAT175 Calculus for Biological Sciences 4
- MAT210 Calculus I 4
- MAT216 Calculus II 4
- MAT219 Calculus III 4
- MAT227 Differential Equations with Laplace 4

G. SCIENCE 6 c.h.

- BIO104 Introductory Biology w/ Lab 3
- BIO112 General Biology I 4
- BIO113 General Biology II 4
- BIO124 Botany for Non-Majors 4
- BIO154 Human Biology 3
- BIO189 Microbes & Society 3
- BIO190 Introduction to Biotechnology 3

- ENV115 Environmental Science 3
- ENV150 Global Seminar: Environmental Perspectives 3

- PHS170 Physical Geology * OR 3
- PHS175 Environmental Geology * 3
- PHS171 Physical Geology Lab 1
- PHS176 Environmental Geology Lab 1
- PHS180 Evolution of the Earth 3
- PHS181 Evolution of the Earth Lab 1
- BIO195 Human Evolution 3

Physical
- CHM110 Introduction to Chemistry 3
- CHM111 Introduction to Chemistry Lab 1
- CHM132 Intro to Organic and Biochemistry 4
- CHM165 General Chemistry I 4
- CHM175 General Chemistry II 4
- PHY120 Introductory Physics 3
- PHY151 Introduction to Astronomy 4
- PHY162 College Physics I 4
- PHY172 College Physics II 4
- PHY212 Classical Physics I 5
- PHY222 Classical Physics II 5

*Only one Geology course can count as Science credit.

H. ELECTIVES 21 c.h.

Electives are courses required for completing both an Associate of Arts (AA) and Associate of Science/Career Option (AS/CO) degree. They go beyond core requirements in providing an opportunity to pursue subjects of special interest. All students are encouraged to fulfill their electives by taking courses that are not listed as core requirements. Students in special majors or career option programs may be required to take specific courses to satisfy their major/career option requirements. Students pursuing the AA or AS/CO degree have numerous options to complete their electives. Electives may include:
- all "A" (transfer) credits
- up to 16 "B" (technical) credits
- two (2) "D" (developmental) credits

See an adviser for specific information regarding transfer of credits and grades.

Elective Course Credit Hours

- CRJ202 Intro to Criminal Justice (3 credit hours)
- LIT158 Intro to Literature (3 credit hours)
- IT130 Intro to Information Technology (3 credit hours)
- GEO121 Intro to World Regional Geography (3 credit hours)
- CLS125 Intro to Cultural Awareness (3 credit hours)

- Required GPA - 2.00
- KCC residency requirement - 16 credit hours
- Degree total - 62 credit hours
- Apply for graduation (by September 1 for fall graduates and by February 1 for spring and summer graduates)

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