



UNIVERSITY TRANSFER DEGREES

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE

These requirements are effective for new students admitted to ECC beginning summer, 1998 or later.

This degree is designed for transfer to four year institutions and intended for students majoring in Art/Commercial Art, Behavioral Sciences, Communications, Criminal Justice, Education, Foreign Languages, Home Economics (Consumer and Family Studies), Humanities, Liberal Arts, Music, Pre-Law, Social Sciences and Theatre.

Graduates earning this degree meet the requirement for coursework on improving human relations as defined in 110 ILCS 205/9.21 (formerly Ill.Rev. Stat. 1991 Ch. 144 sec. 189.21) or PA-87-581.

The college recommends all students create an Educational Plan with a counselor in the ECC Counseling Center prior to registering. Students with previous academic, career and life experiences are encouraged to have a transcript analysis completed and to investigate CLEP and ECC Proficiency Credit to fulfill prerequisite, course and/or degree requirements.

Each of the courses listed below has an Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) equivalent number. Refer to the Course Description section in this catalog for course titles, IAI numbers, and specifics.

1. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT 37 sem. hrs.

A. Communications 9 sem. hrs.

Three courses including a two course sequence in writing (6 semester credits) and one course (3 semester credits) in oral communication. A C or better in English (ENG) 101 and 102 is required for those students entering summer 1999 or later.

ENG - English 101 and 102 6 sem. hrs.
SPH - Speech 101 3 sem. hrs.

B. Mathematics 3 sem. hrs.

One course from the list below
MTH - Math 101, 102, 120, 125, 126, 133, 134, 201
MTH 113 (for elementary education majors only)

C. Physical and Life Sciences 7 sem. hrs.

Two courses with one course selected from the life sciences and one course from the physical sciences and including one laboratory course

(Note: L=Lab)

Physical Sciences

ATY - Astronomy 100
CHM - Chemistry 115L
CHM 101L, 112L, 142L (only one counts for IAI Physical Sciences course)

GEO - Geography 115
GLY - Geology 105, 112L
PHY - Physics 101L, 111L
SPC - Physical Science 111L, 211L

Life Sciences

BIO - Biology 105, 110L, 113L, 115L, 135L, 150L
ZOL - Zoology 101L

D. Humanities and Fine Arts 9 sem. hrs.

Three courses with at least one course selected from humanities and at least one course from the fine arts
(Note: N=human diversity from a non-western perspective; D=human diversity within the United States)

Humanities

Foreign Languages FLF 104, FLG 104, FLS 104 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
HIS - History 118, 160
HUM - Humanities 110, 112, 113, 170N, 202, 203N, 204, 205, 216
HUM 115, 116 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
LIT - Literature 201, 202, 203, 205, 210D, 211D, 214, 215, 216, 217, 223N, 229, 235
LIT 230, 241, 243, 245 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
LIT 231, 242, 244 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)

Fine Arts

ART - Art 115, 151, 154N, 155
ART 152, 153 (only one counts for IAI Fine Arts course)
MUS - Music 104N, 105, 106
SPH - Speech 106
THE - Theatre 100, 122, 124

Interdisciplinary Humanities & Fine Arts

(May count as either Humanities or Fine Arts)
HUM - Humanities 101, 102, 103N

E. Social & Behavioral Sciences 9 sem. hrs.

Three courses with at least one course selected from Social Sciences and at least one course selected from Behavioral Sciences
(Note: N=human diversity from a non-western perspective; D=human diversity within the United States)

1. Social Sciences

BEC - Economics 101, 102, 103
GEO - Geography 116N
HIS - History 101, 102, 115N, 116N, 120N, 121N, 130N, 131N, 140N, 141N, 151, 152
POS - Political Science 150, 151, 152, 250, 251N, 253N

2. Behavioral Sciences

ATR-Anthropology 110, 120N, 210, 220N
PSY-Psychology 100, 212, 214, 218
SOC-Sociology 100, 201, 209D, 210, 220D
PSY 215, SOC 215 (only one counts for IAI Behavioral Sciences course)

2. MAJOR FIELD & ELECTIVE COURSES 23 SEM. HRS.

Students should choose an intended major at a transfer institution as soon as possible and select courses which are required for their major.

After fulfilling required courses for their major, students may complete this area with electives. In general, any course numbered 100 or above with a 1.1 code in the course description may be used. If the student wishes to enroll in a course which does not have a 1.1 code he/she should see a counselor prior to enrolling to discuss the transferability of the course.

3. COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

1. A total of 60 hours or more must be completed as specified. This total cannot include any credits earned in courses numbered below 100 nor any courses with ABE, DPB or ESL prefixes. The 60 hours total may include up to four hours of credit in Physical Education, courses prefixed by PHC, PHM, or PHW.
2. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 for all courses numbered 100 and above.
3. Meet the college's Academic Residency requirement which means a minimum of 15 semester hours in courses numbered 100 and above must have been achieved at ECC, excluding CLEP and proficiency credits.
4. Fulfill the requirements of Illinois Senate Bill 195 in one of the following ways:
 - a. A transcript from an Illinois high school, college or university (or GED scores) which shows evidence that the Constitution requirement has been met since 1953 and is on file in the ECC Records Office.
 - b. A passing grade in either POS 150 or HIS 151 at ECC or its equivalent at another Illinois college or university.
 - c. Successful completion of a Constitution Review test at ECC.



These requirements are effective for new students admitted to ECC beginning summer, 1998 or later.

This degree is designed for transfer to four year institutions and intended for students majoring in Aviation, Business, Computer & Information Sciences, Engineering, Health related fields, Math, Physical Education/Recreation, Pre-medicine/dentistry, and Science.

Graduates earning this degree meet the requirement for coursework on improving human relations as defined in 110 ILCS 205/9.21 (formerly Ill.Rev. Stat. 1991 Ch. 144 sec. 189.21) or PA-87-581.

The college recommends all students create an Educational Plan with a counselor in the ECC Counseling Center prior to registering. Students with previous academic, career and life experiences are encouraged to have a transcript analysis completed and to investigate CLEP and ECC Proficiency Credit to fulfill prerequisite, course and/or degree requirements.

Each of the courses listed below has an Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) equivalent number. Refer to the Course Description section in this catalog for course titles, IAI numbers, and specifics.

1. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT 41 sem. hrs.

A. Communications 9 sem. hrs.

Three courses including a two course sequence in writing (6 semester credits) and one course (3 semester credits) in oral communication. A C or better in English (ENG) 101 and 102 is required for those students entering summer 1999 or later.
 ENG - English 101 and 102 6 sem. hrs.
 SPH - Speech 101 3 sem. hrs.

B. Mathematics 6 sem. hrs.

Two courses selected from the courses listed below
 MTH - Math 101, 102, 120, 125, 126, 133, 134, 201
 MTH 113 (for elementary education majors only)

C. Physical and Life Sciences 8 sem. hrs.

Two courses with one course selected from the life sciences and one course from the physical sciences and including one laboratory course
 (Note: L=Lab)

Physical Sciences

- ATY - Astronomy 100
- CHM - Chemistry 115L
- CHM - 101L, 112L, 142L (only one counts for IAI Physical Sciences course)
- GEO - Geography 115
- GLY - Geology 105, 112L
- PHY - Physics 101L, 111L
- SPC - Physical Science 111L, 211L

Life Sciences

- BIO - Biology 105, 110L, 113L, 115L, 135L, 150L
- ZOL - Zoology 101L

D. Humanities and Fine Arts 9 sem. hrs.

Three courses with at least one course selected from humanities and at least one course from the fine arts
 (Note: N=human diversity from a non-western perspective; D=human diversity within the United States)

Humanities

- Foreign Languages FLF 104, FLG 104, FLS 104 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
- HIS - History 118, 160
- HUM - Humanities 110, 112, 113, 170N, 202, 203N, 204, 205, 216
- HUM 115, 116 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
- LIT - Literature 201, 202, 203, 205, 210D, 211D, 214, 215, 216, 217, 223N, 229, 235
- LIT 230, 241, 243, 245 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
- LIT 231, 242, 244 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)

Fine Arts

- ART - Art 115, 151, 154N, 155
- ART 152, 153 (only one counts for IAI Fine Arts course)
- MUS - Music 104N, 105, 106
- SPH - Speech 106
- THE - Theatre 100, 122, 124

Interdisciplinary Humanities & Fine Arts

(May count as either Humanities or Fine Arts)
 HUM - Humanities 101, 102, 103N

E. Social & Behavioral Sciences 9 sem. hrs.

Three courses with at least one course selected from Social Sciences and at least one course selected from Behavioral Sciences

(Note: N=human diversity from a non-western perspective; D=human diversity within the United States)

1. Social Sciences

- BEC - Economics 101, 102, 103
- GEO - Geography 116N
- HIS - History 101, 102, 115N, 116N, 120N, 121N, 130N, 131N, 140N, 141N, 151, 152
- POS - Political Science 150, 151, 152, 250, 251N, 253N

2. Behavioral Sciences

- ATR - Anthropology 110, 120N, 210, 220N
- PSY - Psychology 100, 212, 214, 218
- SOC - Sociology 100, 201, 209D, 210, 220D
- PSY 215, SOC 215 (only one counts for IAI Behavioral Sciences course)

2. MAJOR FIELD & ELECTIVE COURSES 19 sem. hrs.

Students should choose an intended major at a transfer institution as soon as possible and select courses which are required for their major.

After fulfilling required courses for their major, students may complete this area with electives. In general, any course numbered 100 or above with a 1.1 code in the course description may be used. If the student wishes to enroll in a course which does not have a 1.1 code he/she should see a counselor prior to enrolling to discuss the transferability of the course.

3. COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

1. A total of 60 hours or more must be completed as specified. This total cannot include any credits earned in courses numbered below 100 nor any courses with ABE, DPB or ESL prefixes. The 60 hours total may include up to four hours of credit in Physical Education, courses prefixed by PHC, PHM, or PHW.
2. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 for all courses numbered 100 and above.
3. Meet the college's Academic Residency requirement which means a minimum of 15 semester hours in courses numbered 100 and above must have been achieved at ECC, excluding CLEP and proficiency credits.
4. Fulfill the requirements of Illinois Senate Bill 195 in one of the following ways:
 - a. A transcript from an Illinois high school, college or university (or GED scores) which shows evidence that the Constitution requirement has been met since 1953 and is on file in the ECC Records Office.
 - b. A passing grade in either POS 150 or HIS 151 at ECC or its equivalent at another Illinois college or university.
 - c. Successful completion of a Constitution Review test at ECC.



UNIVERSITY TRANSFER DEGREES
ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS DEGREE

These requirements are effective for new students admitted to ECC beginning summer, 1998 or later.

VISUAL ART EMPHASIS

Illinois colleges and universities offer two different bachelor's degrees in art: the professional Bachelor of Fine Arts (B.F.A.) Degree and the Bachelors of Arts (B.A.) Degree with a major in art. In general, the B.F.A. Degree requires about 135 semester credits for completion, while the B.A. degree with a major in art requires 120 to 124 semester credits for completion. The B.F.A. degree generally requires more studio art courses than does the B.A. degree. In some colleges and universities, a B.A. degree requires competency in a foreign language, while the B.F.A. degree often does not.

To transfer as a junior into either a B.F.A. or a B.A. program with a major in art, students should select the option described below in consultation with a faculty member in the art department. Since transfer admission is competitive, completion of this option does not guarantee admission. Most institutions require a portfolio review for admission to a B.F.A. program, for registration in advance studio art courses, and/or for scholarship consideration. Community and junior college students are strongly encouraged to complete an associate degree before transferring.

The General Education courses required for the A.F.A. degree are approved by the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI); however, the structure of the A.F.A. degree does not meet the minimum IAI general education core requirements.

1. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT 31-33 sem. hrs.
 Each of the courses listed below has an IAI equivalent number. Refer to the Course Description section in this catalog for course titles, IAI numbers, and specifics.

A. Communications 9 sem. hrs.
 Three courses including a two course sequence in writing (6 semester credits) and one course (3 semester credits) in oral communication. A C or better in English (ENG) 101 and 102 is required for freshmen entering summer 1999 or later.
 ENG - English 101 and 102 6 sem. hrs.
 SPH - Speech 101 3 sem. hrs.

B. Mathematics 3-4 sem. hrs.
 One course selected from the courses listed below
 MTH - Math 101, 102, 120, 125, 126, 133, 134, 201

C. Physical & Life Sciences 7-8 sem. hrs.
 Two courses with one course selected from the Physical Sciences and one course from the Life Sciences and including one laboratory course (Note: L=Lab)
Physical Sciences
 ATY - Astronomy 100
 CHM - Chemistry 115L
 CHM 101L, 112L, 142L (only one counts for IAI Physical Sciences course)
 GEO - Geography 115
 GLY - Geology 105, 112L
 PHY - Physics 101L, 111L
 SPC - Physical Science 111L, 211L
Life Sciences
 BIO - Biology 105, 110L, 113L, 115L, 135L, 150L
 ZOL - Zoology 101L

D. Humanities 6 sem. hrs.
 (Note: N=human diversity from a non-western perspective; D=human diversity within the United States)

Humanities:
 Foreign Language FLF 104, FLG 104, FLS 104 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
 HIS - History 118, 160
 HUM - Humanities 101, 102, 103N, 110, 112, 113, 170N, 202, 203N, 204, 205, 216
 HUM 115, 116 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
 LIT - Literature 201, 202, 203, 205, 210D, 211D, 214, 215, 216, 217, 223N, 229, 235
 LIT 230, 241, 243, 245 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
 LIT 231, 242, 244 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)

E. Social & Behavioral Sciences 6 sem. hrs.
 Two courses with one course selected from Social Sciences and one course from Behavioral Sciences
 (Note: N=human diversity from a non-western perspective; D=human diversity within the United States)

Social Sciences
 BEC - Economics 101, 102, 103
 GEO - Geography 116N
 HIS - History 101, 102, 115N, 116N, 120N, 121N, 130N, 131N, 140N, 141N, 151, 152
 POS - Political Science 150, 151, 152, 250, 251N, 253N
Behavioral Sciences
 ATR - Anthropology 110, 120N, 210, 220N
 PSY - Psychology 100, 212, 214, 218
 SOC - Sociology 100, 201, 209D, 210, 220D
 PSY 215, SOC 215 (only one counts for IAI Behavioral Sciences course)

2. MAJOR FIELD & ELECTIVE COURSES

Required Art Courses 21 sem. hrs.
 Art History, ART 151, 152, and/or 153 6 sem. hrs.
 Drawing, ART 101 and 102 6 sem. hrs.
 Two-Dimensional Design, ART 109 3 sem. hrs.
 Three-Dimensional Design, ART 110 3 sem. hrs.
 Life/Figure Drawing, ART 201 3 sem. hrs.
 Elective Studio Art Courses 9 sem. hrs.

Select studio art courses from **at least two** of the following disciplines in consultation with an art faculty member:
 Painting, ART 107, *108
 Ceramics, ART 105, *106
 Sculpture, ART 103, *104
 Printmaking, ART 113, *114
 Jewelry and Metalworking, ART 111, *112
 Photography, ART 120, *121

*Transferability of this course is dependent on a portfolio examination at the senior institution.

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ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS DEGREE

MUSIC PERFORMANCE EMPHASIS

Any community or junior college student who intends to major in music for the baccalaureate degree is strongly encouraged to complete the Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) Degree in music, not the Associate in Arts (A.A.) Degree or the Associate in Science (A.S.) Degree prior to transfer.

To transfer as a junior into either a baccalaureate program with a major in Music, students should select the option described in consultation with a faculty member in the music department. Completion of the A.F.A. degree, however, does not fulfill the requirements of the Illinois General Education Core Curriculum, nor does it fulfill the requirements for the A.A. or the A.S. degree. Therefore, students will need to fulfill the general education requirements of the institution to which they transfer. Transfer admission is competitive. Completion of this option alone does not guarantee admission either to the baccalaureate program or to upper-division or specialty music courses. Students may be required to demonstrate skill level through auditions and placement testing at the institution to which they transfer. In some colleges and universities, a baccalaureate degree may also require competency in a foreign language.

The General Education courses required for the A.F.A. degree are approved by the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI); however, the structure of the A.F.A. degree does not meet the minimum IAI general education core requirements.

1. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT 28-32 sem. hrs.
Each of the courses listed below has an Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) equivalent number. Refer to the Course Description section in this catalog for course titles, IAI numbers, and specifics.

A. Communications 9 sem. hrs.
Three courses including a two course sequence in writing (6 semester credits) and one course (3 semester credits) in oral communication. A C or better in English (ENG) 101 and 102 is required for freshmen entering summer 1999 or later.
ENG - English 101 and 102 6 sem. hrs.
SPH - Speech 101 3 sem. hrs.

B. Mathematics 3-4 sem. hrs.
One course selected from the courses listed below
MTH - Math 101, 102, 120, 125, 126, 133, 134, 201

C. Physical & Life Sciences 7-8 sem. hrs.
Two courses with one course selected from the Physical Sciences and one course from the Life Sciences and including one laboratory course (Note: L=Lab)
Physical Sciences
ATY - Astronomy 100
CHM - Chemistry 115L
CHM 101L, 112L, 142L (only one counts for IAI Physical Sciences course)
GEO - Geography 115
GLY - Geology 105, 112L
PHY - Physics 101L, 111L
SPC - Physical Science 111L, 211L
Life Sciences
BIO - Biology 105, 110L, 113L, 115L, 135L, 150L
ZOL - Zoology 101L

D. Humanities 6-7 sem. hrs.
(Note: N=human diversity from a non-western perspective; D=human diversity within the United States)

Humanities:
Foreign Language FLF 104, FLG 104, FLS 104 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
HIS - History 118, 160
HUM - Humanities 101, 102, 103N, 110, 112, 113, 170N, 202, 203N, 204, 205, 216
HUM 115, 116 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
LIT - Literature 201, 202, 203, 205, 210D, 211D, 214, 215, 216, 217, 223N, 229, 235
LIT 230, 241, 243, 245 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)
LIT 231, 242, 244 (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)

E. Social & Behavioral Sciences 3-4 sem. hrs.
One course selected from the courses listed below
(Note: N=human diversity from a non-western perspective; D=human diversity within the United States)

Social Sciences
BEC - Economics 101, 102, 103
GEO - Geography 116N
HIS - History 101, 102, 115N, 116N, 120N, 121N, 130N, 131N, 140N, 141N, 151, 152
POS - Political Science 150, 151, 152, 250, 251N, 253N
Behavioral Sciences
ATR - Anthropology 110, 120N, 210, 220N
PSY - Psychology 100, 212, 214, 218
SOC - Sociology 100, 201, 209D, 210, 220D
PSY 215, SOC 215 (only one counts for IAI Behavioral Sciences course)

2. MAJOR FIELD COURSES 35 sem. hrs.

Music Theory & Aural Skills 16 sem. hrs.
MUS 128, 129, 228, and 229
Music Literature/History 3 sem. hrs.
MUS 106
Keyboard Skills 4 sem. hrs.
MUS 126 and 127
Ensemble 4 sem. hrs.
MUS 101, 102, 108, 110, 111, 112, 124
Applied Instruction 8 sem. hrs.
MUS 140 and 240

3. COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

1. A total of 60 hours or more must be completed as specified. This total cannot include any credits earned in courses numbered below 100 nor any courses with ABE, DPB or ESL prefixes. The 60 hours total may include up to four hours of credit in Physical Education, courses prefixed by PHC, PHM, or PHW.
2. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 for all courses numbered 100 and above.
3. Meet the college's Academic Residency requirement which means a minimum of 15 semester hours in courses numbered 100 and above must have been achieved at ECC, excluding CLEP and proficiency credits.
4. Fulfill the requirements of Illinois Senate Bill 195 in one of the following ways:
 - a. A transcript from an Illinois high school, college or university (or GED scores) which shows evidence that the Constitution requirement has been met since 1953 and is on file in the ECC Records Office.
 - b. A passing grade in either POS 150 or HIS 151 at ECC or its equivalent at another Illinois college or university.
 - c. Successful completion of a Constitution Review test at ECC.



These requirements are effective for new students admitted to ECC beginning Summer 1998.

Bachelor's engineering programs are highly structured to meet the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET) standards required for candidates seeking Illinois registration as a professional engineer. The Associate in Engineering Science (AES) Degree is designed to parallel the first two years of pre-engineering programs at most Illinois universities and facilitates students transferring into a bachelor's engineering program with junior standing.

Due to the rigor of the AES curriculum, it is ideal for students to have taken a fourth course of math in high school, or at least have an aptitude in science and math.

Students should select courses in consultation with a counselor and should decide on their engineering specialty and their preferred transfer school at the beginning of the sophomore year (at 30 semester hours), since engineering course selections may vary by specialty and school. Admission into engineering is very competitive. Completion of the pre-engineering courses alone does not guarantee admission to an engineering program.

The General Education courses required for the AES degree are approved by the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI); however, the structure of the AES does not meet the minimum IAI General Education Core Requirements. Students will need to complete the general education requirements of the school to which they transfer.

1. General Education Requirements 31-43 Sem. Hrs.

A. Communications 6 Sem. Hrs.

ENG 101(3), 102(3)

B. Mathematics 9 Sem. Hrs.

See prerequisite courses below

C. Life/Physical Science 10 Sem. Hrs.

See prerequisite courses below

D. Humanities/Fine Arts 3-9 Sem. Hrs.

Choose from approved IAI courses listed below. (If two courses are selected, a two-course sequence in the same discipline is recommended.)

Humanities

Foreign Language: FLF 104(4), FLG 104(4) FLS 104(4) (only one counts for IAI Humanities course)

History: HIS 118(3), 160(3)

Humanities: HUM 101(3), 102(3), 103N(3), 110(3), 112(3), 113(3), 170N(3), 202(3), 203N(3), 204(3), 205(3), 216(3)

HUM 115, 116 (only one counts as IAI Humanities course)

Literature: LIT 201(3), 202(3), 203(3), 205(3), 210D(3), 211D(3), 214(3), 215(3), 216(3), 217(3), 223N(3), 229(3), 235(3)

LIT 231(3), 242(3), 244(3) (only one counts as IAI Humanities course)

LIT 230(3), 241(3), 243(3), 245(3) (only one counts as IAI Humanities course)

Fine Arts

Art: ART 115(3), 151(3), 154N(3), 155(3)

ART 152(3), 153(3) (only one counts as IAI Fine Arts course)

Humanities: HUM 101(3), 102(3), 103N(3)

Music: MUS 104N(3), 105(3), 106(3)

Speech: SPH 106(3)

Theatre: THE 100 (3), 122 (3), 124(3)

E. Social/Behavioral Science 3-9 Sem. Hrs.

Choose from Approved IAI Courses listed below. (If two courses are selected, a two-course sequence in the same discipline is recommended.)

Social Science

Economics: BEC 101(3), 102(3), 103(3)

Geography: GEO 116N(3)

History: HIS 101(3), 102(3), 115N(3), 116N(3), 120N(3), 121N(3), 130N(3), 131N(3), 140N(3), 141N(3), 151(3), 152(3)

Political Science: POS 150(3), 151(3), 152(3), 250(3), 251N(3), 253N(3)

Behavioral Science

Anthropology: ATR 110(3), 120N(3), 210(3), 220N(3)

Psychology: PSY 100(3), 212(3), 214(3), 218(3)

Sociology: SOC 100(3), 201(3), 209D(3), 210(3), 220D(3)

PSY 215(3), SOC 215(3) (only one counts for IAI Behavioral Sciences course)

2. *Essential Prerequisite and Pre-Engineering Specialty Courses 22-33 Sem. Hrs.

A. Essential Prerequisite Courses 17 Sem. Hrs.

MTH 133(4), 134(5)

CIS/MTH 123(4)

MTH 201(5), 202(3)

CHM 142(5)

PHY 111L(5), 112(5)

B. Pre-Engineering Specialty Courses 5-16 Sem. Hrs.

BEC 103(3)

CHM 143(5), 234(5), 235(5)

CIS 223(4)

EGR 101(4), 152(3), 252(3)

PHY 113(1)

*No math lower than calculus I (MTH 133) will count towards the degree.

C. Major Field and Elective Courses by Specialty

1. For Mechanical Engineering (Also General Engineering, Aeronautical Engineering, Manufacturing Engineering, and Engineer Mechanics)

EGR 101, EGR 152, EGR 252

**Electrical Circuits

2. For Chemical Engineering

CHM 143, CHM 234, CHM 235

3. For Civil Engineering

EGR 101, EGR 152, EGR 252

4. For Computer and Electrical Engineering

**Electrical Circuits

5. For Industrial Engineering

EGR 152, EGR 252, BEC 103

**The Electrical Circuits courses are available to ECC students at several local community colleges at in-district tuition costs. Please check with the Dean of Counseling and Career Services for an up-to-date list and directions.

6. Since the following specialties are only offered by one or two schools, see the school for advice on course selection:

Agricultural Engineering (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)

Bioengineering (University of Illinois at Chicago and at Urbana-Champaign)

Materials Sciences and Engineering (IIT and University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)

Mining Engineering (Southern Illinois University at Carbondale)

Nuclear Engineering (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)

3. College Requirements

- A total of 60 hours or more must be completed as specified. This total cannot include any credits earned in courses numbered below 100 nor any courses with ABE, DPB or ESL prefixes.
- No course with a grade less than C will transfer; transfer admission is very competitive.
- Meet the college's Academic Residency requirement, which means a minimum of 15 semester hours in courses numbered 100 and above must have been achieved at ECC, excluding CLEP and proficiency credits. Fulfill the requirements of Illinois Senate Bill 195 in one of the following ways:
 - A transcript from an Illinois high school, college or university (or GED scores) which shows evidence that the Constitution requirement has been met since 1953 and is on file in the ECC Records Office.
 - A passing grade in either POS 150 or HIS 151 at ECC or its equivalent at another Illinois college or university.
 - Successful completion of a Constitution Review test at ECC.



This highly individualized degree combines both liberal arts and sciences and occupational education course work. It provides a greater element of freedom for the student and is especially beneficial for anyone with broad life or educational experiences.

Because of the individualized nature of this degree, all students pursuing it should develop an educational plan with a counselor and should discuss transfer implications as they develop the plan.

The college requires these students to have a plan of study approved by the Dean of Students or the Associate Dean of Counseling and Career Services on file.

Students with previous academic, career and life experiences are encouraged to investigate the options of proficiency credit to substitute their acquired knowledge for prerequisite, course and/or degree requirements.

This degree is intended to articulate to universities offering the Board of Governor's baccalaureate degree. Transfer of this degree to institutions which do not offer it may result in some loss of credit. Universities offering the Board of Governor's degree are:

- Chicago State University
- Eastern Illinois University
- Governors State University
- University of Illinois at Springfield
- Western Illinois University

Graduates earning this degree meet the requirement for coursework on improving human relations as defined in 110 ILCS 205/9.21 (formerly Ill. Rev. Stat. 1991 Ch. 144 sec. 189.21) or PA-87-581.

1. COURSE REQUIREMENTS 60 SEMESTER HOURS

See the Course Description section of this catalog for course titles and descriptions.

A. Communications

- English Composition I and II (ENG) 101 and 102 ... 6 sem. hrs.
- Speech (SPH) 101 3 sem. Hrs

B. Science 3 sem. hrs.

ATY 100	Astronomy	3
BIO 105	Survey of Environmental Biology	3
BIO 110	Principles of Biology	4
BIO 113	Molecular & Cellular Biology	4
BIO 114	Organismal Bio, Evolution, Ecology	4
BIO 115	Environmental Biology	4
BIO 120	General Microbiology	4
BIO 130	Human Anatomy & Physiology	5
BIO 135	Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4
BIO 136	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4
BIO 145	Human Gross Anatomy	4
BIO 150	General Botany	4
CHM 101	Preparatory Chemistry	5
CHM 112	Elements of Chemistry: General	5
CHM 115	Chemistry and Society	4
CHM 142	General Chemistry I	5
CHM 143	General Chemistry II	5
CHM 170	Elementary Organic Chemistry	5
CHM 221	Quantitative Analysis	4
CHM 234	Organic Chemistry	5
CHM 235	Organic Chemistry	5
GEO 115	Introduction to Physical Geography	3
GLY 112	Physical Geology	4
PHY Any	Physics Course, except 105, 113, 115, and 116	5
SPC 111	Survey of Physical Science	4
SPC 211	Earth Science	4
ZOL 101	General Zoology	5

C. Math (MTH) or BUS 120 Business Mathematics 3 sem. hrs.

D. Behavioral Sciences 3 sem. hrs.

- Anthropology (ATR)
- Psychology (PSY)
- Sociology (SOC)

E. Social Sciences 3 sem. hrs.

- Economics (BEC/ECN) History (HIS)
- Geography (GEO 116 only) Political Science (POS)
- International Studies (INS), excluding non-traditional languages

F. Areas of Concentration 39 sem. hrs.

One area of concentration from an occupational/vocational field; another from the liberal arts and sciences curriculum.

2. COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

1. A total of 60 hours or more must be completed as specified above. This total cannot include any credits earned in courses numbered below 100 nor any courses with ABE, DPB or ESL prefixes.
2. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 for all courses numbered 100 and above.
3. Meet the college's Academic Residency requirement which means a minimum of 15 semester hours in courses numbered 100 and above must have been achieved at ECC, excluding CLEP and proficiency credits.
4. Fulfill the requirements of Illinois Senate Bill 195 in one of the following ways:
 - A. A transcript from an Illinois high school, college or university (or GED scores) which shows evidence that the Constitution requirement has been met since 1953 and is on file in the ECC Records Office.
 - B. A passing grade in either Political Science 150 or U.S. History 151 at ECC or its equivalent at another Illinois college/university.
 - C. Successful completion of a Constitution Review test at ECC.

CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION DEGREE & CERTIFICATES ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE



These requirements are effective for new students admitted to ECC beginning summer, 2002.

The college recommends that **all students** create an Educational Plan with a counselor in the ECC Counseling Center prior to registering. Students with previous academic, career and life experiences are encouraged to investigate the proficiency credit options to substitute their acquired knowledge for prerequisite, course and/or degree requirements.

This degree is **not intended for transfer**. For information about courses in the curricula that will transfer or about a transfer-oriented program, see an ECC counselor.

1. CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS

The student must satisfactorily complete all courses specified in the curriculum of their choice. See the Career & Technical Education Curricula section and the Course Description section of this catalog for details.

Accounting	Human Services
Automotive Service Technology	Early Childhood Education Option
Clinical Laboratory Technology	Family Violence Counseling Option
Computer Aided Design and Drafting Technology	Gerontology Mental Health Option
Computer & Information Sciences	Mental Health Generalist Option
Internet Specialist	Psychiatric Rehabilitation
Microcomputer Specialist	Substance Abuse Counseling Option
Network Specialist	Substance Abuse Prevention Option
Criminal Justice	Industrial Manufacturing Technology
Culinary Management	Machine Tool Technology
Culinary Arts	Management
Pastry Arts	Management-Retail
Restaurant Management	Multimedia Design
Electronics Manufacturing	Nursing
Electronics Technology	Office Administration Technology
Entrepreneurship	Administrative Office Professional Option
Environmental Control Systems	Legal Office Professional Option
Fire Science and Safety	Medical Office Professional Option
Graphic Design	Information Processing Professional Option
Computerized Graphic Design Option	Paralegal
Illustration Option	Welding Fabrication Technology
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration	
Hotel Management Operations	

2. GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

A. Communications 6-9 sem. hrs.

Unless particular courses are specified in the curriculum, students must take two of the writing courses listed below. See the Curriculum and Course Description sections of this catalog for details about courses.

ENG 101	English Composition I	3
ENG 102	English Composition II	3
BUS 101	Business Communications	3
BUS 142	Report Writing	3

Some curricula require SPH 101, Fundamentals of Speech (3), in addition to the 6 hours of written communications.

B. Social or Behavioral Science

Unless a particular course is specified in the curriculum, students must choose a course or courses numbered 100 and above from the disciplines listed below. See the Curriculum and Course Description sections for details about courses.

Anthropology (ATR)	Political Science (POS)
Economics (BEC/ECN)	Psychology (PSY)
Geography (GEO 116 only)	Sociology (SOC)
History (HIS)	
International Studies (INS), excluding non-traditional languages	

C. Math or Science

Unless a particular course is specified in the curriculum, students must choose a math or science course numbered 100 and above from the list below. See the Curriculum and Course Description sections for details about courses. (Please note: Although it does not have a MTH or science prefix, BUS 120 Business Mathematics (3) fulfills this requirement in all degrees with a business emphasis.)

Astronomy (ATY)	Microbiology (BIO)
Biology (BIO)	Physics (PHY)
Botany (BIO)	Physiology (BIO)
Chemistry (CHM)	Science (SCI/SPC)
Geography (GEO 115 only)	Zoology (ZOL)
Geology (GLY)	
Mathematics (MTH)	

D. A minimum of 3 hours in Liberal Education selected from among the following:

ART 115	Art Appreciation	3
ART 151	History of Art I	3
ART 152	History of Art II	3
ART 153	History of Art III	3
ART 154	Survey of Non-Western Art	3
ART 155	History of Photography	3
FRENCH, GERMAN, RUSSIAN or SPANISH		3-4
HIS 118	Foundations of Civilization	3
HIS 160	American Civilization	3
HUM, Any Humanities Course		3
INS, International Studies, non-traditional languages		2
LIT, Any Literature Course		3
MUS 104	Musics of the World	3
MUS 105	Music Appreciation	3
MUS 106	Music Literature 1440-1750	3
MUS 107	Music Literature 1750 to present	3
SPH 106	Introduction to Broadcasting & Film	3
SPH 120	Oral Interpretation of Literature	3
THE 100	Theatre Appreciation	3
THE 122	Intro-Theatre History & Literature	3
THE 124	Diversity of American Drama	3

3. COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

- A total of 60 hours or more must be completed in courses numbered 100 and above **as specified in the curriculum**. This total cannot include any courses with ABE, DPB or ESL prefixes.
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 for all courses that are applied to the degree.
- Meet the college's Academic Residency requirement which means a minimum of 15 semester hours must have been achieved at ECC, excluding CLEP and proficiency credits.
- Fulfill the requirements of Illinois Senate Bill 195 in one of the following ways:
 - A transcript from an Illinois high school, college or university (or GED scores) which shows evidence that the Constitution requirement has been met since 1953 and is on file in the ECC Records Office;
 - A passing grade in either Political Science 150 or U.S. History 151 at ECC or its equivalent at another Illinois college/university;
 - Successful completion of a Constitution Review test at ECC.



CAREER & TECHNICAL EDUCATION DEGREE & CERTIFICATES

VOCATIONAL SPECIALIST CERTIFICATES

The college recommends that **all students** create an Educational Plan with a counselor in the ECC Counseling Center prior to registering. Students with previous academic, career and life experiences are encouraged to investigate the proficiency credit options to substitute their acquired knowledge for prerequisite, course and/or degree requirements.

These certificates are **not intended for transfer**. For information about courses in the curricula that will transfer see an ECC counselor.

1. CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS

The student must satisfactorily complete all courses specified in the curriculum of their choice. For details about these curricula, see the Career & Technical Education Curricula and Course Description sections of this catalog.

A. For curricula with 30-50 total semester hours of credit, the Vocational Specialist Certificate is awarded.

- Accounting/Office Technology
- Administrative Office Assistant
- Advanced Entrepreneurship
- Computer Programming
- Computer Technical Support
- Data Communications and Networking
- Dental Assisting
- Electronics Technology
- Emergency Medical Technology-Paramedic
- Environmental Control Systems
- Family Violence Counseling
- Fire Science & Safety
- First Cook
- Heating AC & Refrigeration Level III
- Hotel Management & Marketing
- Hotel Management Operations
- Human Services - Early Childhood Education
- Human Services - Gerontology Mental Health
- Human Services - Mental Health
- Human Services - Substance Abuse Counseling
- Human Services - Teacher Aide
- Information Processing Assistant
- Intermediate Entrepreneurship
- Legal Office Assistant
- Machine Tool Operations
- Medical Office Assistant
- Mold Making
- Pastry Chef Assistant
- Practical Nursing
- Public Safety Communications
- Restaurant Operations
- Sheet Metal Mechanics
- Supervisory & Administrative Management
- Surgical Technology
- Welding

In most cases, the courses required for a Vocational Specialist Certificate may be applied toward an Associate of Applied Science Degree in the same field should the student wish to continue study. See an ECC counselor for details.

B. For curricula with 3-29 total semester hours, the Basic Vocational Specialist Certificate is awarded.

- Advanced Web Design
- Airbrush Design
- Arc and MIG Welding
- Arc Welding
- Auto-CAD
- Automotive Electrical Specialist
- Baking Assistant
- Basic Nurse Assistant Training Program
- Brake & Suspension Specialist
- Clinical Laboratory Assistant
- CNC Operator
- Computer Office Assistant
- Computer Service Technician
- Culinary Management Cooks Helper
- Data Communications Technologies

- Data Entry Office Assistant
- Digital Technology
- Electronic Communications
- EMS
- Engine Mechanical Repair Specialist
- Engine Performance Specialist
- Fire Officer I
- Fire Science
- Graphic Software Level I
- Graphic Software Level II
- Hazardous Materials & Apparatus
- Heating AC & Refrigeration Level I
- Heating AC & Refrigeration Level II
- Hospitality
- Information Processing Assistant
- Internet Programming
- Introductory Entrepreneurship
- Lead Baker
- Linear Electronics
- Management - Marketing
- Management - Retail
- Management - Supervisory and Administrative Mgmt
- Meeting and Convention Planning
- MIG Welding
- Montessori Early Childhood
- Montessori Infant/Toddler
- MOS Access Preparation
- MOS Excel Preparation
- MOS Powerpoint Preparation
- MOS Word Preparation
- Network Administration
- Nurse-Legal Consultant
- Office Assistant
- Paralegal
- Personal Trainer
- Practicing Professional-ProE
- Prep Cook
- Psychiatric Rehabilitation
- Public Safety Communications
- Real Estate
- Thermoplastics Injection Molding
- Tool & Die Making
- Transmission & Drivetrain Specialist
- Truck Driving
- Truck Driving Owner/Operator
- Visual Basic Programming
- Web Design
- Web Technician
- Welding

In most cases, courses required for a Basic Vocational Specialist Certificate may be applied to the Vocational Specialist Certificate and/or the Associate of Applied Science Degree in the same field if the student wishes to continue study. See an ECC counselor for details.

2. COMMUNICATIONS REQUIREMENT

Unless a particular course is specified, students must choose communications courses from the list below **if they are required in the curriculum**. See the Curriculum and Course Description sections of this catalog for details about courses.

ENG 097	Communication Skills	3
ENG 098	Developmental Composition	3
ENG 101	English Composition I	3
ENG 102	English Composition II	3
BUS 101	Business Communications	3
BUS 142	Report Writing	3

3. COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS

1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.0 for all courses that are applied to the certificate.
2. Meet the college's Academic Residency requirement which means one-fourth of the curriculum requirements but no less than eight semester hours of credit must have been achieved at ECC, excluding CLEP and proficiency credits. If the certificate requires less than eight semester hours, all courses must be completed at ECC.