

The Core Curriculum

Students who complete the core curriculum (Areas A-F) at a University System of Georgia institution are guaranteed full credit in transfer to another System institution if they do not change major or program of study. Students who complete an area of the core curriculum will receive credit for that area if they transfer without changing their major. Transfer credit will normally be accepted by all other fully accredited colleges and universities in the nation. The following areas constitute the College's core curriculum.

AREA A: Essential Skills – 9 hours

ENGL 1101	Composition I	3
ENGL 1102	Composition II	3

Choose one of the following:

MATH 1101	Mathematical Modeling	3
MATH 1111	College Algebra	3
MATH 1112	Trigonometry	3
MATH 1113*	Pre-Calculus Mathematics	4

Science Majors

Allied Health, Physical Education & Nursing majors may take MATH 1111, MATH 1112, or MATH 1113.

MATH 2053 is required for Engineering majors.

MATH 1112 or MATH 1113 is required for all other Science majors and either course serves as an immediate prerequisite to MATH 2053. Completion of MATH 1112 fulfills the MATH 1113 requirement.

*Only Science majors that take a 4 hour MATH will have one hour that may be counted in Area F.

AREA B: Institutional Options – 4 hours

Choose any four or five hours from the following:

AGRI 2209	Agricultural Seminar	1
BUSA 1101	Business Seminar	1
CISM 2201	Fundamentals of Computer App	3
COMM 1000	Oral Communication Skills	2
COMM 1100	Human Communication	3
Foreign language (1002) or higher		3
HNRS 1101	Honors Seminar	1
HNRS 1102	Honors Seminar	1
HNRS 2101	Honors Seminar	1
HNRS 2102	Honors Seminar	1
HUMN 1100	Topics in the Humanities	1
PNUR 1106	Perspectives in Women's Healthcare	2
PNUR 1108	Cultural Diversity in Health and Illness	2
SCIE 1000	Addressing Environmental Issues	1
SOSC 1100	Values, Issues, & Perspectives in Social Sciences	1

Academic Programs

AREA C: Humanities/Fine Arts – 6 hours

Choose 1 of the following Humanities electives:

ENGL 2111	World Literature I	3
ENGL 2112	World Literature II	3
ENGL 2121	British Literature I	3
ENGL 2122	British Literature II	3
ENGL 2131	American Literature I	3
ENGL 2132	American Literature II	3

Choose 1 of the following Fine Arts electives:

ARTS 2211	Art History I	3
ARTS 2212	Art History II	3
ARTS 2213	Art Appreciation	3
ENGL 2111	World Literature I	3
ENGL 2112	World Literature II	3
ENGL 2121	British Literature I	3
ENGL 2122	British Literature II	3
ENGL 2131	American Literature I	3
ENGL 2132	American Literature II	3
Foreign language (1002) or higher (excluding 1110)		3
HUMN 2221	Western World Humanities I	3
HUMN 2222	Western World Humanities II	3
MUSC 1100	Music Appreciation	3
THEA 1100	Theatre Appreciation	3

AREA D: Science, Mathematics, & Technology – 11 hours

I. Non-Science Majors:

Choose two of the following lab science courses (8 hours):

BIOL 1003 & lab	Introductory Biology I	3/1
BIOL 1004 & lab	Introductory Biology II*	3/1
PHSC 1011 & lab	Physical Science I	3/1
PHSC 1012 & lab	Physical Science II	3/1
SCIE 1005 & lab	Environmental Science**	3/1

Plus one course from the following:

Any course from the above list		4
SCIE 1005 (w/o lab)	Environmental Science**	3
SCIE 1006	Marine Science**	3
SCIE 1007	Introductory Geology**	3
MATH 1112 or higher (except MATH 2008)***		3 - 4

*BIOL 1003 & lab is a pre-requisite for BIOL 1004 & lab.

**Either of the PHSC classes or BIOL 1003 & lab can serve as a pre-requisites for any SCIE course listed.

***Math electives may be discipline specific

Note: Students changing from a science to a non-science major or transferring from another USG institution may use courses taken in Area D part II, to meet the Core Area D requirement.

II. Science Majors:

Choose any sequence from the following:

BIOL 2107 & lab	Principles of Biology I AND	3/1
BIOL 2108 & lab	Principles of Biology II	3/1
CHEM 1211 & lab	Principles of Chemistry I AND	3/1
CHEM 1212 & lab	Principles of Chemistry II	3/1
PHYS 1111 & lab	Introductory Physics I AND	3/1
PHYS 1112 & lab	Introductory Physics II	3/1
PHYS 2211 & lab	Principles of Physics I AND	3/1
PHYS 2212 & lab	Principles of Physics II	3/1

Plus 3-4 hours from the following:*

Any lecture and lab course from the above list	4
Any MATH higher than 1113 (Except MATH 2003 and 2008)**	3 - 4

MATH 2053 is required for Mathematics, Chemistry, Pharmacy, Physics, & Computer Science majors.

MATH 2054 is required for Engineering majors.

Ag Ed majors are exempt from the Area D sequence requirement for Science majors.

*Science majors who choose 4 hours will have one hour that may be counted in Area F.

**Allied Health, Physical Education & Nursing majors may take MATH 1112 or MATH 1113

AREA E: Social Science – 12 hours

HIST 2112 United States History II	3
POLS 1101 American Government	3

Choose 6 hours from the following courses:

AECO 2258	Applied Economics OR	
ECON 2106	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON 2105	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
GEOG 1101	Introduction to Human Geography	3
HIST 1111	World History I	3
HIST 1112	World History II	3
HIST 2111	United States History I	3
HIST 2201	African-American History	3
HIST 2232	Minorities in American History	3
POLS 2401	Global Issues	3
PSYC 1101	Introduction to General Psychology	3
PSYC 2101	Introduction to the Psychology of Adjustment	3
RELG 1100	Introduction to World Religions	3
SOCI 1101	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOCI 1160	Introduction to Social Problems	3

AREA F: Major-Specific Courses – 18 hours