

General Education Quick Reference Guide

Mohawk Valley Community College General Education Quick Reference Guide

As determined by the State Education Department, an AAS degree program requires a minimum of one-third of the credit hours (based on 60 credits) to make up the liberal arts and sciences component (20 credits); an AS degree program requires a minimum of one-half (30 credits); and an AA program requires a minimum of three-quarters (45 credits). Certificate and AOS programs are not required to include general education courses.

The General Education program at MVCC includes 12 categories. Students in AAS, AS, and AA degree programs must take at least one course from each of categories 1-6 as determined by their program:

AS and AA degree programs must also include at least 3 of the categories 7-12, with at least one course from categories 7-9 and one course from categories 10-12. Courses that were used to meet categories 1-6 may also be used to meet this requirement if the course is designated in more than one category.

Degree Type	Required Hours	Number of General Education Required Hours and Courses				
AAS	20	One course from each of categories 1-6				Additional courses from categories 3-12 needed to meet the minimum number of 20 hours
AS	30	One course from each of categories 1-6	One course from categories 7-9	One course from categories 10-12	One further course from categories 7-12	Additional courses from categories 3-12 needed to meet the minimum number of 30 hours
AA	45	One course from each of categories 1-6	One course from categories 7-9	One course from categories 10-12	One further course from categories 7-12	Additional courses from categories 3-12 needed to meet the minimum number of 45 hours

General Education Course List

Required Competencies	Required SUNY Knowledge Areas 3-6				AS/AA Require at least 3 Areas covered from 7-12						
	Need ALL Four				AS/AA Require at least one from Areas 7-9			AS/AA Require at least one from Areas 10-12			
	#3 SUNY Area: Communication: Written & Oral	#5 SUNY Area: Natural Sciences & Scientific Reasoning	#6 SUNY Area: Diversity: Equity, Inclusion, and Social Justice	#7 SUNY Area: Social Sciences	#8 SUNY Area: US History and Civic Engagement	#9 SUNY Area: World History and Global Awareness	#10 SUNY Area: Humanities	#11 SUNY Area: The Arts	#12 SUNY Area: World Languages		
#1 SUNY Competency: Critical Thinking	EN102	EN101	BI103	AN102	AN101	AC131	AN102	EN102	EN197	AL101	FL101
		EN102	BI105	BM100	BM101	HI111	GE101	EN148	GC244	SP101	FL102
		EN105	BI110	BM101	BM110	HI112	HI101	EN198	HU183	SP102	FL111
		EN106	BI141	PY101	BM115		HI102	EN240	HU184	SP191	FL112
		EN110	BI142	SO101	CI104		HI103	EN241	HU187	SP192	FL141
		EN147	BI201	HU204	ED205		HI104	EN248	HU188	SP201	FL142
#2 SUNY Competency: Information Literacy		EN150	BI202		GE101	HU204	EN249	HU204	SP202	FL151	
		EN153	BI209		IS100	HU205	EN255	HU205	SP301	FL152	
		EN154	BI216		IS101	HU227	EN256	HU210	SP302	FL173	
		EN196	BI217		PS101	HU228	EN265	HU220	FR101	FL174	
			CH101		PS202	HU290	EN271	HU292	FR102	FL211	
			CH111		PS203	HU295	EN272	MD161	FR181	FL212	
AN102	#4 SUNY Area: Mathematics & Quantitative Reasoning	CH112		PS204		EN280	PT103	FR191	FL300		
EN102		CH115		PS205		EN281	PT111	FR192	GR101		
PY101		CH120		PY101		GC244	PT205	FR201	GR102		
SO101		CH131		PY201		GC245	PT206	FR202	GR201		
		CH135		PY202		HU186	TH193	FR301	GR202		
		MA108	CH141		PY203		HU187	TH195	FR302	GR301	
	MA110	CH142		PY204		HU188			GR302		
	MA115	CH229		PY205		HU204			IT101		
	MA118	CH246		PY206		HU205			IT102		
	MA119	CH247		PY207		HU210			IT191		
	MA121	CH248		PY208		HU220			IT192		
	MA122	GL100		PY212		HU280			IT201		
	MA125	GL101		SO101		HU289			IT202		
	MA131	GL102		SO202		HU290			IT301		
	MA139	GL203		SO203		HU291			IT302		
	MA140	PH106		SO204		HU292					
	MA150	PH112		SO205		HU295					
	MA151	PH113		SO206		HU296					
	MA152	PH131		SS218		PT111					
	MA172	PH141				PT205					
	MA223	PH142				PT206					
	MA253	PH151									
	MA260	PH152									
	MA275	PH261									
	MA280	PH262									
		WE101									

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Course	SUNY Area	Course	SUNY Area	Course	SUNY Area	Course	SUNY Area
AC131	UC	FL101	LA	HU227	WH	PS101	SS
AL101	LA	FL102	LA	HU228	WH	PS202	SS
AN101	SS	FL111	LA	HU280	HU	PS203	SS
AN102	IL, WH, DEI	FL112	LA	HU289	HU	PS204	SS
BI103	NS	FL141	LA	HU290	HU, WH	PS205	SS
BI105	NS	FL142	LA	HU291	HU	PT103	AR
BI110	NS	FL151	LA	HU292	AR, HU	PT111	AR, HU
BI141	NS	FL152	LA	HU295	HU, WH	PT205	AR, HU
BI142	NS	FL173	LA	HU296	HU	PT206	AR, HU
BI201	NS	FL174	LA	IS100	SS	PY101	IL, SS, DEI
BI202	NS	FL211	LA	IS101	SS	PY201	SS
BI209	NS	FL212	LA	IT101	LA	PY202	SS
BI216	NS	FL300	LA	IT102	LA	PY203	SS
BI217	NS	FR101	LA	IT191	LA	PY204	SS
BM100	DEI	FR102	LA	IT192	LA	PY205	SS
BM101	SS, DEI	FR181	LA	IT201	LA	PY206	SS
BM110	SS	FR191	LA	IT202	LA	PY207	SS
BM115	SS	FR192	LA	IT301	LA	PY208	SS
CH101	NS	FR201	LA	IT302	LA	PY212	SS
CH111	NS	FR202	LA	MA108	MA	SO101	IL, SS, DEI
CH112	NS	FR301	LA	MA110	MA	SO202	SS
CH115	NS	FR302	LA	MA115	MA	SO203	SS
CH120	NS	GC244	AR, HU	MA118	MA	SO204	SS
CH131	NS	GC245	HU	MA119	MA	SO205	SS
CH135	NS	GE101	WH, SS	MA121	MA	SO206	SS
CH141	NS	GL100	NS	MA122	MA	SO207	WH
CH142	NS	GL101	NS	MA125	MA	SP101	LA
CH246	NS	GL102	NS	MA131	MA	SP102	LA
CH247	NS	GL203	NS	MA139	MA	SP191	LA
CH248	NS	GR101	LA	MA140	MA	SP192	LA
CI104	SS	GR102	LA	MA150	MA	SP201	LA
ED205	SS	GR201	LA	MA151	MA	SP202	LA
EN101	CO	GR202	LA	MA152	MA	SP301	LA
EN102	CT, IL, CO, HU	GR301	LA	MA172	MA	SP302	LA
EN105	CO	GR302	LA	MA223	MA	SS218	SS
EN106	CO	HI101	WH	MA253	MA	TH193	AR
EN110	CO	HI102	WH	MA260	MA	TH195	AR
EN147	CO	HI103	WH	MA275	MA	WE101	NS
EN148	HU	HI104	WH	MA280	MA		
EN150	CO	HI111	UC	MD161	AR		
EN153	CO	HI112	UC	PH106	NS		
EN154	CO	HU183	AR	PH112	NS		
EN196	CO	HU184	AR	PH113	NS		
EN197	AR	HU186	HU	PH131	NS		
EN198	HU	HU187	AR, HU	PH141	NS		
EN240	HU	HU188	AR, HU	PH142	NS		
EN241	HU	HU204	AR, HU, WH, DEI	PH151	NS		
EN248	HU	HU205	AR, HU, WH	PH152	NS		
EN249	HU	HU210	AR, HU	PH261	NS		
EN255	HU	HU220	AR, HU	PH262	NS		
EN256	HU						
EN265	HU						
EN271	HU						
EN272	HU						
EN280	HU						
EN281	HU						

SUNY General Education Codes for Competencies
 CT: Critical Thinking
 IL: Information Literacy

SUNY General Education Codes for Knowledge Areas
 AR: The Arts
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