




ALMA COLLEGE

Jackson College Course Equivalency Guide

The following is a guide to our general education requirements at Alma College. Our goal is to provide a broad education, which includes knowledge, skills and understanding. We take pride in developing a personal plan with each of our incoming students. For a complete listing of Alma College's general education requirements, please visit our website at <http://www.alma.edu/live/files/601-2014-15-academic-catalog>. The College requires that candidates for all degrees complete the following:

I. First Year Seminar	2 credits
Minimum of 2 credits for all students entering Alma College as freshmen. Course may be taken in the first or second term.	
II. Writing Proficiency	16 credits
ENG 101 (or equivalent) with a grade of "C" or better, plus 12 additional credits of Quill writing courses. One of these courses must be in the major.	
III. Second Language/International Awareness	8 credits
One 4-credit course in a second language plus one of the following: an additional 4-credit course in the same or another second language, a term of study in a foreign country, or a 4-credit course with non-U.S. or comparative international content or perspective. In this catalog, Second Language/International Awareness courses are marked with a  .	
IV. Distributive Requirements	36 credits
At least 12 credits in each of the following three divisions with no more than 4 of these credits from any one program. Practicum and independent study credits cannot be counted toward this requirement.	
Arts and Humanities (AH)	12 credits
12 credits (no more than 4 credits from any one subject area) chosen from: All courses in ART, COM, MUS, PHL, REL, THD All ENG courses at the 110 level or higher All language courses at the 112 level or higher HUM 100	
Social Sciences (SO)	12 credits
12 credits (no more than 4 credits from any one subject area) chosen from: All courses in ECN, HST, POL, SOA	
Natural Sciences (NS)	12 credits
At least 4 credits in each of the following three areas; must include at least two laboratory courses from different programs.	
NS-1 Life Sciences	4 credits
4 credits chosen from: All courses in BCM, BIO, PSY ENV 105 IPH 212, 214, 215, 220, 224, 225, 226, 327, 328, 331, 340, 344, 401, 428, 430	
NS-2 Physical Sciences	4 credits
4 credits chosen from: All courses in AST, CHM, GEO, PHY ENV 110, PSC 101	
NS-3 Mathematics/Computation	4 credits
4 credits chosen from: CSC 120 or higher, MTH 110 or higher, PHL 303, PSY 220	

Note: Transfer credit will be individually evaluated for general education requirement status. **Below is not a comprehensive list of all courses that will transfer to Alma College.** The classes you have taken may also meet major and minor requirements. Checking with our Registrar's Office will help ensure that you are taking the right courses for your intended major. Please provide our office with a copy of your transcript as early as possible so we can help you develop a transfer plan. Please contact Anneliese Fox, Transfer Coordinator, at (989) 463-7324 or foxal@alma.edu with any questions.

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Alma College General Education Requirements:

Students enrolled at Jackson College can fulfill general education requirements by taking the following courses. Classes must be graded 'C' (2.0 on 4.0 scale) or better to transfer. Other courses than those appearing on this guide should be checked for transferability to Alma College. Sixty-eight (68) credits toward your Alma College degree must be completed in residence at Alma College or through an approved Alma College program.

First Year Seminar – This requirement is waived for students who transfer 25 or more credits.

Writing: ENG101 during the first year

ENG 132	Writing Experience I	ENG 101
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Second Language/International Awareness:

FRN 131	Elementary French I	FRN 111
FRN 132	Elementary French II	FRN 112
GER 131	Elementary German I	GRM 111
GER 132	Elementary German II	GRM 112
SPN 131	Elementary Spanish I	SPN 111
SPN 132	Elementary Spanish II	SPN 112

Humanities: (AH) 12 credits from 3 different departments (no more than 4 credits from any one subject area) chosen from:

ART 101	Two-Dimensional Design	ART 180
ART 103	Drawing I: Foundations	ART 101
ART 111	Art History: Prehistoric to 1400	ART 111
ART 112	Art History: Renaissance to Present	ART 112
COM 231	Communication Fundamentals	COM 111
COM 240	Interpersonal Communication	COM 201
DAN 121	Jazz Techniques	THD 145
ENG 201	Advanced Composition	ENG 180
ENG 246	Short Story & Novel	ENG 110
ENG 247	Poetry & Drama	ENG 110
ENG 255	American Literature – 19th Century	ENG 280
ENG 256	American Literature – 20th Century	ENG 280
ENG 257	World Literature I	ENG 241
ENG 261	Creative Writing I	ENG 190
MUS 130	Music of Non-Western Cultures	MUS 180
MUS 132	History of American Popular Music	MUS 180
PHL 231	Introduction to Philosophy	PHL 102

PHL 232	Logic	PHL 103
PHL 236	Ethics	PHL 280
PHL 243	Great World Religions	REL 180
THR 116	Introduction to Theatre	THD 180
THR 131	Stagecraft I	THD 170
THR 145	Fundamentals of Acting I	THD 125
THR 146	Fundamentals of Acting II	THD 225
THR 260	Introduction to Directing	THD 232

Social Sciences: (SO) 12 credits from 3 different departments (no more than 4 credits from any one subject area – ANT and SOC are considered the same area) chosen from:

ANT 131	Cultural Anthropology	ANT 180
ECN 231	Macroeconomics	ECN 201
ECN 232	Microeconomics	ECN 202
HIS 120	Ancient History	HST 180
HIS 131	Western Civilization to 1555	HST 180
HIS 132	Western Civilization 1555 to Present	HST 180
HIS 231	Development of the U.S. through the Civil War	HST 104
HIS 232	Development of the U.S. from the Civil War	HST 105
HIS 235	20th Century History	HST 280
PLS 141	American National Government	POL 180
SOC 152	Social Psychology	SOC 251*
SOC 231	Principles of Sociology	SOC 101
SOC 235	Minority Groups in America	SOC 241

*Cannot count SOC 152/PSY 152 for 2 different DR areas. May count only in the subject area under which the course was taken.

Natural Sciences: At least 4 credits in each of the following three areas; at least two laboratory courses from different departments.

Life Science (NS-1) 4 credits chosen from:

BIO 110	Introductory Biology	BIO 101
BIO 132	Human Biology	BIO 180
BIO 158	Environmental Science	ENV 180
BIO 161	General Biology I	BIO 180
BIO 162	General Biology II	BIO 121
BIO 232	General Zoology	BIO 203
PSY 140	Introduction to Psychology	PSY 121 (no lab)
PSY 152	Social Psychology	PSY 236*
PSY 251	Abnormal Psychology	PSY 280
PSY 290	Human Sexuality	PSY 245

* Cannot count SOC 152/PSY 152 for 2 different DR areas. May count only in the subject area under which the course was taken.

Physical Science (NS-2) 4 credits chosen from:

CEM 131	Fundamentals of Chemistry	CHM 103
CEM 132	Fundamentals of Organic & Biological Chemistry	CHM 180
CEM 141	General Chemistry I	CHM 115
CEM 142	General Chemistry II	CHM 180
CEM 241	Organic Chemistry I	CHM 223
CEM 242	Organic Chemistry II	CHM 224
GEL 109	Earth Science	GEO 180
GEL 160	Introduction to Geology	GEO 101
NSC 131	Contemporary Science	NSC 180
PHY 151	Astronomy	AST 112
PHY 231	College Physics I	PHY 112
PHY 232	College Physics II	PHY 113
PHY 251	Modern University Physics I	PHY 121
PHY 252	Modern University Physics II	PHY 122

Mathematics/Computation (NS-3) 4 credits chosen from:

MAT 131	Intermediate Algebra	MTH 108
MAT 133	Introduction to Probability & Statistics	MTH 116
MAT 141	Pre-Calculus	MTH 112
MAT 151	Calculus I	MTH 121
MAT 154	Calculus II	MTH 122
CPS 177	Programming in C++	CSC 120

Other courses to transfer:

BUA 100	Contemporary Business	BUS 121
ACC 231	Principles of Accounting I	BUS 221
ACC 232	Principles of Accounting II	BUS 222

For further information and advising, contact Anneliese Fox, Transfer Coordinator, (989) 463-7324 or by email at foxal@alma.edu, or Kathy Doran, Transcript Specialist, (989) 463-7372 or by email at doran@alma.edu. You can visit Alma College's website at www.alma.edu.

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