

LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE

CURRICULUM GUIDE

American Studies
Associate in Arts Degree

Curriculum Code: 0142 (Effective Fall 2007 – Summer 2012)

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a baccalaureate degree in this subject area. Students completing this curriculum will also satisfy the MACRAO Transfer Agreement between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan. General education and subject area requirements vary from one college or university to another.

Prior to beginning this curriculum, students should contact the Counseling and Advising Center, Room 204, Gannon Building, telephone number (517) 483-1904, to consult with an academic advisor or counselor and obtain an appropriate transfer guide. They are also available on the web at www.lcc.edu/transfer/guides. Students should also contact the school to which they will transfer for specific transfer institution requirements. (See *Transfer Opportunities* for a list of institutions for which transfer guides are available.)

PREREQUISITES

Students should see *Course Descriptions* or *Course Offerings* for course prerequisite information. See the *Assessment and Placement Testing* section for skills assessment and advising information.

INFORMATION

Contact the Humanities and Performing Arts Department, Arts and Sciences Building, Room 255, telephone number (517) 483-1018 (Website: <http://www.lcc.edu/hpa/>) or Counseling and Advising Center, Gannon Building, Room 204, telephone number (517) 483-1904.

REQUIREMENTS

CODE	TITLE	TOTAL: 28 CREDITS CREDIT HOURS
ENGL255	American Literature I	4
ENGL256	American Literature II	4
HIST211	U. S. History to 1877	4
HIST212	U. S. History: 1877 to Present	4
HIST214	African History	4
HUMS214	World Civilizations II	4
HUMS215	American Civilization	4

LIMITED CHOICE REQUIREMENTS

TOTAL: 35-49 CREDITS

Complete the indicated number of credits from EACH CHOICE listed below.

CHOICE 1: General Education MACRAO Requirements

16 Credits

(See *Transfer Information/MACRAO Transfer Agreement* for approved courses in each area.)

English Composition (see Note 2)	0
Science and Mathematics (see Note 3)	8
Social Science (see Note 3)	8
Humanities (see Note 1)	0

CHOICE 2: General Education Core Requirements **3–17 Credits**
 (See *General Education Core Requirements* for information on how to fulfill these requirements. Core area proficiency exams, where appropriate, are available for each core area. Meeting Core with a proficiency test may require additional MACRAO credits.)

Communication Core Area	3–4
Global Perspectives and Diversity Core Area (see Note 3)	0–4
Mathematics Core Area (see Note 3)	0–4
Science Core Area (see Note 3)	0–5
Writing Core Area (see Note 2)	0

CHOICE 3: Writing (Complete one course from each subchoice) **8 Credits**

Subchoice 3A

WRIT121 Composition I	4
WRIT131 Honors Composition I	4

Subchoice 3B

ENGL122 Writing About Literature and Ideas	4
ENGL132 Honors Writing – Literature and Ideas	4

CHOICE 4: Related Courses (see Note 4) **8 Credits**

ENGL260 African–American Literature	4
HIST150 African–American History	4
HIST220 Michigan History	4
POLS120 American Political System	4

MINIMUM TOTAL **63**

NOTES:

1. Students completing “REQUIREMENTS” have fulfilled the requirements for these MACRAO and Core areas.
2. Students completing CHOICE 3 have fulfilled the requirements for these MACRAO and Core areas.
3. Certain Core courses may also be used to meet MACRAO requirements. See *Transfer Information/LCC Core–MACRAO Crosswalk* for suggested courses.
4. Students using CHOICE 4 courses to fulfill MACRAO and/or Core requirements must take additional CHOICE 4 courses to complete this requirement.