

Lansing Community College – Fall 2009

Community Education Offerings

Community Education offers courses that are designed primarily for personal interest and enrichment. The courses listed below are non-credit. Community Education courses for credit are listed in the main Course Offerings. These courses may be found within the following course codes: ARTS, ARWS, CABS. For further information on any course, please call the Office of Extension and Community Education at (517) 483-1860.

CRN#	Type	Cr/Bill Hrs	Start/End Dates	Days	Times	Location	Instructor	W/E*
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Noncredit Community Education

NCCE100	Comp/Multimedia/Tech Seminars	Pass/Fail (P/Z)
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Prerequisite: None

Exploring the Internet

43240	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/12	S	09:10am-4:00pm	EAST	Wynnal M	W
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The Internet is a great tool for finding information. Some topics that will be explored are using search engines, finding people, businesses, maps, driving directions, real estate and tax information, and more. Participants will be introduced to many useful online resources, learn to evaluate their sources by asking questions about a site's origin and authorship, and explore some best practices for finding information. Feel free to come with questions! Cost of this seminar is \$49.

Free Internet Resources

43202	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/19-10/17	S	09:00am-12:00pm	EAST	Fu J	W
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The World Wide Web can be a tool to improve and transform your life and work. Explore the many opportunities to become more literate in this significant means of communication. Learn step-by-step how to use featured Internet resources for personal and professional development. Cost of this seminar is \$99.

Blog for Fun & Profit!

42625	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/10-10/17	S	09:10am-4:00pm	EAST	Tapia A	W
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Blogging is easy! Learn to blog hands-on from a professional blogger for several online networks. You will enjoy this informal fun approach to discovering the best platforms, the easiest way to get started, and how this new skill might be utilized to earn some spending money. Cost of this seminar is \$99.

Social Media for Newbies

43203	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	11/07	S	09:10am-4:00pm	EAST	Tapia A	W
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Do you know what a Tweet is? Or how to Digg a blogpost? Want to join your co-workers on LinkedIn or your teens on MySpace? This class has the answers! Spend a day setting up and using the top social networking sites on the net. Basic internet/computer knowledge is helpful. Cost of this seminar is \$45.

NCCE200	Creative Arts	Pass/Fail (P/Z)
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Prerequisite: None

Beginning Mountain Dulcimer

42615	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	08/20-10/14	M	6:30pm-9:00pm	EAST	Block E	E
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Learn more about this stringed instrument rich in decades of American history. Whether you are planning a new purchase or currently own a dulcimer, this class will provide you with valuable information. From selection of an instrument to playing techniques and tuning, this class is for you! Cost of this seminar is \$139.

Advanced Oriental Watercolor

42618	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	08/20-10/14	T	6:10pm-9:00pm	GB-150	Brogan C	E
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This course is a continuation of the concepts, approaches, and techniques involved in Oriental Watercolor painting. Students will advance into more complex subjects and craftsmanship as ability develops. Supplies required. Cost of this seminar is \$157.

Introduction to Calligraphy

43204	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	08/20-09/24	R	7:10pm-9:00pm	EAST	Darnell K	E
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You will find many ways to apply the skills you learn in this introduction to the art of beautiful writing. Learn basic pen techniques and a variety of traditional calligraphy styles to enhance favorite texts, wedding remembrances, award certificates and special correspondence. Cost of this seminar is \$99.

Portrait Painting

43182	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	08/26-11/11	W	6:10pm-9:00pm	GB-151	Brogan C	E
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Gain an introduction to basic concepts, approaches, and techniques involved in painting the human face and features. Both oil and/or acrylic paints may be utilized. Advanced students will progress into more complex projects and techniques as ability develops. Supplies required. Cost of this seminar is \$229.

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NCCCE200		Creative Arts			Pass/Fail (P/Z)			

Prerequisite: None

Express the Feminine Identity

42621 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 10/02-11/06 F 2:00pm-4:00pm EAST Summit A

Georgia O'Keefe, Mary Cassatt, and you! Generations of women have expressed life experiences from their perspective through art. Explore the work of contemporary and historical women artists. Let your own creativity flourish as you integrate art and personal experiences that combine to create your own unique visual legacy. Some material provided. Cost of this seminar is \$139.

Confident Interior Decorating

43239 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 10/02-11/20 F 10:10am-12:00pm EAST Johnson C

Gain the basic skills to stage your home with confidence! Explore the styles and techniques of interior decorating to create functional and unique living spaces for your home. Walk away with a better understanding of the principles and elements of good design and color selection, furniture selection and arrangement, window treatments, and the effective use of accessories. Cost of this seminar is \$109.

Digital Photo for Professional

42623 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 11/14 S 09:10am-4:00pm EAST Pope W W

This one-day, seven-hour seminar covers: buying a digital camera, understanding the menu (jpeg, white balance, ISO), exposure, lighting & composition. Instructor will demonstrate how to scan 35mm slides to digital, copyright & protect photos, use photos in MS PowerPoint, take self-portraits for use in websites, business cards & presentations, create a ten-second video clip for blogging & self-promotion. Students are encouraged to bring their digital cameras/camcorders & owner's manuals to class. Cost of this seminar is \$49.

New Music Ensemble

42624 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 08/27-12/13 T 7:10pm-9:00pm GB-161 Potes C E

Performs a wide range of new and experimental music for diverse instruments and voices. Audition required; music reading skills recommended. For audition information, please contact the Humanities and Performing Arts Department at (517)483-1018. Cost of this seminar is \$79.

Concert Choir

42627 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 08/27-12/13 MW 2:10pm-3:30pm GB-161 Bowen M

A large, mixed-voice (male/female) ensemble featuring art music of all stylistic periods. Audition required. For audition information, please contact the Humanities and Performing Arts Department at (517)483-1018. Cost of this seminar is \$79.

Guitar Ensemble

42628 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 08/27-12/13 F 10:10am-12:00pm GB-161 Rollins C

Performs solo and combo works in classical, jazz, and contemporary music styles. Audition required; music reading skills recommended. For audition information, please contact the Humanities and Performing Arts Department at (517)483-1018. Cost of this seminar is \$79.

Jazz Ensemble

42629 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 08/27-12/13 W 7:10pm-10:00pm GB-161 Gewirtz J E

A big band sound that performs a broad spectrum of jazz styles from Swing to Bebop and beyond. Audition required; music reading skills recommended. For audition information, please contact the Humanities and Performing Arts Department at (517)483-1018. Cost of this seminar is \$79.

Lansing Concert Band

42630 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 08/27-12/13 M 7:10pm-9:50pm OKCE Endahl J E

A community band serving as the official band of the City of Lansing. The group performs throughout the year and plays all types of music with an emphasis on traditional concert band literature. Participants will play in public performances of the band. Prerequisite: Instrumental audition. Participants will be required to successfully audition for the Lansing Concert Band. Cost of this seminar is \$0.

Lansing Vocal Jazz Ensem

42631 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 08/27-12/13 TR 5:10pm-6:30pm GB-161 Bastian W E

A mixed-voice (male/female) vocal jazz ensemble. Some instrumentals may be needed. Audition required; music reading skills recommended. For audition information, please contact the Humanities and Performing Arts Department at (517)483-1018. Cost of this seminar is \$79.

Percussion Ensemble

42632 Lecture 0.00/ 0.00 08/27-12/13 M 5:10pm-8:00pm GB-161 Lewis E E

Performs traditional and eclectic works for a wide range of percussion instruments. Audition required; music reading skills recommended. For audition information, please contact the Humanities and Performing Arts Department at (517)483-1018. Cost of this seminar is \$79.

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NCCCE200		Creative Arts			Pass/Fail (P/Z)			

Prerequisite: None

Cool Photography

43205	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/14-11/02	M	6:10pm-9:00pm	EAST	Staff	E
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What does it take to turn a snapshot into a professional finished photo? Gain confidence using your camera. Learn to set up studio lighting, effectively utilize the latest photographic technologies, and skillfully pose people to achieve a final image that is of professional quality. NOTE: Basic camera operation needed. Cost of this seminar is \$145.

Healing Benefit of Photography

43206	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/14-09/28	M	6:10pm-8:00pm	EAST	Staff	E
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The art of photography can be therapeutic in many ways. Learn how to produce images that can enhance the healing process and bring comfort to those around us. Discussion of subject matter, color and symbolism will be included. Basic knowledge of camera use required. Cost of this seminar is \$45.

Photo Safari: Tawas Point

42633	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/02-10/04	FSU	Arranged	EAST	Pope W	
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This three-day weekend field trip to Tawas Point State Park near Tawas, Michigan will focus on fall colors, landscapes/lakescapes & migrating songbirds & raptors. Instruction will include photo lectures, field trips and a brief photo critique of student images. Students are responsible for their own travel, lodging and meals. They are encouraged to bring their own camera, owner's manual and laptop computer. Visit the Tawas Point website at www.michiganandr.com/parksandtrails for additional park information. Cost of this seminar is \$165.

NCCCE300		Language/Communication Seminar			Pass/Fail (P/Z)			
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Prerequisite: None

Intro to Freelance Writing

42634	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/12-09/19	S	09:10am-4:00pm	EAST	Tapia A	W
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Want to get paid to write for magazines, websites and companies? Allena Tapia, full-time free-lance writer will talk about the two major outlets for new freelance writers: copywriting and magazine writing. She will also discuss where to find opportunities, how to apply for them, how to make time for writing, how to successfully pitch magazines, and how to market yourself and your writing. Cost of this seminar is \$99.

Elementary Chinese Language

43207	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/14-10/19	M	7:10pm-9:30pm	EAST	Jiang Y	E
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This course is designed for people to explore the Chinese language in an enjoyable, interactive way. Participants will learn fundamental language skills and gain interesting cultural knowledge. Communication skills using a second language will improve through speaking, reading and writing. Cost of this seminar is \$99.

Marketing & Social Networking

43241	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/08-10/15	R	7:10pm-9:00pm	EAST	Wygnał M	E
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Learn how social networking can be a marketing tool for your business or career. This seminar explores how a successful social networking campaign will result in added value to your offline life. Discussion will focus on Facebook and related platforms, explore the impact building online relationships has on furthering entrepreneurial and personal endeavors, and examine pros and cons of social networking campaigns. Get and stay connected with customers and colleagues online! Cost of this seminar is \$25.

Say It In Sign Language

43208	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/21-12/09	W	6:10pm-9:00pm	EAST	Grzemkowski A	E
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American Sign Language (ASL) is the third most-popular language in the U. S. Explore a variety of elements of ASL such as non-verbal communication and facial expressions and learn a great tool for furthering effective communication. Learn to demonstrate your expressive ability to correctly sign from the following topics: people, work, home, food, animals, colors, shapes, travel and time. Cost of this seminar is \$129.

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NCCCE400	Business and Finance Seminars		Pass/Fail (P/Z)					

Prerequisite: None

Create Your Own Spending Plan

43209	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/16	W	6:30pm-8:00pm	EAST	Staff	E
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With grocery prices and energy costs on the rise, consumers are seeing less and less of their hard earned money. There are things you can do right now to start taking control of your finances. If you're looking for ways to stretch your dollar, or would simply like to find ways to tighten your household budget, this seminar is designed to help you find out where your money goes and how to adjust your spending habits. Learn how to create your own personal budget -- it is vital in keeping your financial house in order. Presented by Karen Casler, CCUFC, Certified Credit Union Financial Counselor, CASE Credit Union. Cost of this seminar is \$0.

Home Loans in Today's Market

43210	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/07	W	6:30pm-8:00pm	EAST	Staff	E
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Whether it's purchasing your first home or refinancing your fifth, you'll learn the best way to shop for and secure the right mortgage loan for you. Learn about credit, different loan programs, what it will cost you, and the entire process from pre-qualification through closing. Interest rates are still low. Take action now, armed with the knowledge and know-how you need to make good decisions. Speaker: David Stinson, CASE Credit Union Mortgage Loan Officer. Cost of this seminar is \$0.

NCCCE600	Citizenship and Law		Pass/Fail (P/Z)					
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Prerequisite: None

Citizen's Guide to the Law

43212	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/16-10/14	W	6:10pm-8:30pm	EAST	Staff	E
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Gain an understanding of the five basic areas of law -- Constitutional, Property, Contracts, Criminal, and Torts -- and realize more fully how these principles affect you and your family. Give yourself the tools to be a more informed and effective citizen, consumer, and community member. Cost of this seminar is \$90.

NCCCE700	Health and Wellness Seminars		Pass/Fail (P/Z)					
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Prerequisite: None

On the Ball

43213	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/10-10/01	R	6:10pm-8:00pm	EAST	Hubbard K	E
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Check out one of the leading fitness trends - stability ball exercise. This fun and exciting class combines circuit style training with body weight exercise for a complete total-body workout that will leave you feeling refreshed. This class is a great introduction to exercise for beginners, but will also challenge those looking to add a little spice to their current routine. Students must provide their own stability ball. Cost of this seminar is \$55.

Living with Loss & Grief

43214	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/03-10/10	S	1:00pm-3:30pm	EAST	Hilliker L	W
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There is help to cope with loss and grief. Learn valuable tools to help you or someone close to you find ways to live with loss. In part one, we will address skills needed to rebuild your life using various strategies such as confidence building practices and decision making skills. We will discuss how to develop a support system for you or your friend that is useful. In part two, we will examine what is helpful for bereaved people, what to do and say initially as well as what to do and say over time. Lastly, we will attempt to define what NOT to do and say to assist those suffering a significant loss. Cost of this seminar is \$35.

Heart Healthy Cooking

43215	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/05-10/12	M	6:10pm-9:00pm	EAST	Apostolos-Stowel	E
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Do something for yourself! Commit to end this year by actually keeping your New Year's Resolution to eat better! Learn from an expert how to plan, shop, and cook your way to a healthier life style! Cost of this seminar is \$42.

Healthy in a Hurry!

43216	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/19-10/26	M	6:10pm-9:00pm	EAST	Apostolos-Stowel	E
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NCCCE700		Health and Wellness Seminars		Pass/Fail (P/Z)				
Prerequisite: None								
Intro to Weight Management								
43217	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/29-11/19	R	6:10pm-8:00pm	EAST	Hubbard K	E
Whether you've been wanting to lose weight for a while or you just don't want to gain the typical 15 pounds over the holiday season, this class is the perfect jump start for you. This introductory course will discuss how simple lifestyle and behavior modifications can help you manage your weight. We will apply the latest research in emotional and mindless eating to give you a better understanding of the difference between psychological hunger and physiological hunger. Combined with a discussion of the key principles of nutrition and exercise, you will walk away with lots of tips and expert information to help you drop those pounds. Cost of this seminar is \$55.								
NCCCE800		Personal Interest Seminars		Pass/Fail (P/Z)				
Prerequisite: None								
Concealed Weapon License								
42635	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/12	S	08:00am-6:00pm	CRIA	Staff	W
This program complies with requirements of: PA 372 of 1927 Sec 5J2(b) as amended by PA 381 of 2000 and PA 1217 of 2002, Sec. 5J. It covers firearm safety, defensive shooting, firearms and the law, use of deadly force strategies for home safety, and responding to a violent confrontation. The class will be held at the Capital Regional International Airport Range at 4100 Capital City Blvd in Lansing. Cost of this seminar is \$130.								
Concealed Weapon Renewal								
42636	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/12	S	08:00am-11:00am	CRIA	Staff	W
This program is taught in conjunction with the Concealed Weapon/Concealed pistol License Certification class. Students will fill the requirements to renew their existing license. The class will be held at the Capital Regional International Airport Range at 4100 Capital City Blvd in Lansing. Cost of this seminar is \$42.								
Concealed Weapon License								
42637	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/03	S	08:00am-6:00pm	CRIA	Staff	W
This program complies with requirements of: PA 372 of 1927 Sec 5J2(b) as amended by PA 381 of 2000 and PA 1217 of 2002, Sec. 5J. It covers firearm safety, defensive shooting, firearms and the law, use of deadly force strategies for home safety, and responding to a violent confrontation. The class will be held at the Capital Regional International Airport Range at 4100 Capital City Blvd in Lansing. Cost of this seminar is \$130.								
Concealed Weapon Renewal								
42638	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/03	S	08:00am-11:00am	CRIA	Staff	W
This program is taught in conjunction with the Concealed Weapon/Concealed pistol License Certification class. Students will fill the requirements to renew their existing license. The class will be held at the Capital Regional International Airport Range at 4100 Capital City Blvd in Lansing. Cost of this seminar is \$42.								
Concealed Weapon Renewal								
42640	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	11/07	S	08:00am-11:00am	CRIA	Staff	W
This program is taught in conjunction with the Concealed Weapon/Concealed pistol License Certification class. Students will fill the requirements to renew their existing license. The class will be held at the Capital Regional International Airport Range at 4100 Capital City Blvd in Lansing. Cost of this seminar is \$42.								
Concealed Weapon License								
42639	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	11/07	S	08:00am-6:00pm	CRIA	Staff	W
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Women and Leadership								
43226	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/16-10/21	W	5:30pm-7:30pm	HHS-022	Wygnał M	E
This program meets once a week for six weeks and focuses on fostering leadership skills. It will include speakers, group discussion and assistance in pursuing individual goals. Participants will learn about leadership experiences and opportunities, explore multiple leadership techniques and develop an understanding of community responsibility in supporting leadership advancement for women. The program will also address overcoming obstacles to build personal and professional success. Cost of this seminar is \$59.								

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NCCCE800		Personal Interest Seminars			Pass/Fail (P/Z)			

Prerequisite: None

Lunch and Learn

Get the most out of your lunch hour by participating in one or all of these timely sessions. Improve your knowledge and skills as interest or need dictate. Each workshop runs for two hours and includes a light lunch. Cost of any of these seminars is \$14.

Distance Communication

43218	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	09/25	F	11:30am-1:30pm	EAST	Fu J
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Distance communication can help develop a teaching environment that overcomes the schedule conflicts between you and your students; initiates a hybrid classroom; and facilitate learning collaboration in a more effective and efficient way. This seminar will introduce you several FREE distance communication tools, and their applications in educational settings. Cost of this seminar is \$14.

Universal Design & Technology

43219	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/09	F	11:30am-1:30pm	EAST	Davis P
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This workshop will define Universal Design. Gain an understanding of innovative ways to create effective and accessible PowerPoint presentations and websites for students with disabilities. Learn about resources that will help you apply Universal Design techniques to accommodate the widest spectrum of students. Cost of this seminar is \$14.

Blogs & Wikis

43220	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	10/23	F	11:30am-1:30pm	EAST	Fu J
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How do you develop Blog or Wiki to enrich classroom teaching and learning? Join us! Refresh your understanding of creativity and collaboration in teaching by exploring exemplary Blogs and Wikis for educational purpose; learn innovative instructional technologies; and obtain hands-on experience to develop your own Teaching Blog and Wiki! Cost of this seminar is \$14.

Elements of a Great Website

43221	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	11/06	F	11:30am-1:30pm	EAST	Siegle A
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A quality website is a must in the world today. Learn what elements are needed to create a great web page and where to find free software and other how-to resources to take your skills to the next level on your own. This course is designed for participants with some computer experience. Cost of this seminar is \$14.

Letterpop & Web Inspiration

43222	Lecture	0.00/ 0.00	11/20	F	11:30am-1:30pm	EAST	Fu J
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Are you looking for options for you and your students to publish projects, research results, or reports? Join us! Check out the FREE online resources to enhance your understanding of digital literacy and improve your teaching skills in the New Technology Era! Cost of this seminar is \$ 14.