

LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Liberal Arts

Curriculum Code:
1628 (Effective Fall
2017 – Summer
2022)

Journalism A.A. Pathway

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 Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan and qualify for an LCC Transfer Studies Certificate of Achievement (1482).

General Education - MTA: MINIMUM: 30 credits
Complete General Education - MTA Requirements for the Associate of Arts Degree
A. English Composition: One course
B. English Composition (second course) or Communication: One course
C. Humanities and Fine Arts: A total of 2 courses, each from a different discipline
D. Mathematics: One course from Quantitative Reasoning, College Algebra or Statistics
E. Natural Sciences: A total of 2 courses, each from a different discipline; one must be a lab course
F. Social Science: A total of 2 courses, each from a different discipline

In order to graduate with this degree, a student must earn a minimum grade of 2.0 in all courses.

Semester I FALL 2017	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credit/ Billing Hours
General Education - Area A. English Composition - <i>Select 1</i>			
ENGL 121 <i>(formerly WRIT 121)</i>	Composition I	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 131 <i>(formerly WRIT 131)</i>	Honors Composition I	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 7	4 / 4
General Education - Area D. Mathematics - <i>Select 1</i>			
MATH 119	Math Applications for Living	(Minimum 2.0 in MATH 105 or MATH 106 or MATH 107 or Math Level 5) and Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 4	4 / 4
MATH 120	College Algebra	(Minimum 2.0 in MATH 109 or MATH 112 within 2 years or Math Level 6 within 2 years) and Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 4	4 / 4

General Education - Area E. Natural Sciences (Lab) - <i>Select 1</i> <i>This selection satisfies 1 of the 2 required courses</i>			
ASTR 201	Introductory Astronomy	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and (Math Level 5 or MATH 107 or MATH 109 concurrently)	4 / 5
CHEM 135	Chemistry in Society	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and Math Level 4	4 / 5
GEOG 221	Physical Geography	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ISCI 131	Integrated Physical Science	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and Math Level 4	4 / 6
Program of Study Requirements			
ENGL 264	Nonfiction Writing	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 8	3 / 3
Credits			15 / 15-17
Semester II SPRING 2018	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credit/ Billing Hours
General Education - Area B. English Composition or Communication - <i>Select 1</i>			
ENGL 122 <i>(WRIT 122 equivalent)</i>	Composition II	Minimum 2.0 in ENGL 121 (formerly WRIT 121) or ENGL 131 (formerly WRIT 131) or (Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 8)	4 / 4
ENGL 132 <i>(WRIT 132 equivalent)</i>	Honors Composition II	Minimum 3.5 in ENGL 121 (formerly WRIT 121) or ENGL 131 (formerly WRIT 131) or Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 8	4 / 4

General Education - Area C. Humanities and Fine Arts - <i>Select 1</i>			
<i>This selection satisfies 1 of the 2 required courses</i>			
ENGL 201	Introduction to Poetry	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 208	Children's Literature	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 220	Science Fiction	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 240	The Film as Art	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 270	Gender and Literature	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 290	Shakespeare	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
General Education - Area E. Natural Sciences - <i>Select 1</i>			
<i>The second required course</i>			
BIOL 120	Environmental Science	(Reading Level 5 or AASD 105 concurrently) and Writing Level 6	4 / 6
BIOL 125	Introductory Biology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 5
GEOL 221	Physical Geology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and Math Level 4	4 / 6
GEOL 230	Environmental Geology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and Math Level 4	4 / 6
PFHW 123	Human Nutrition	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	3 / 3
PHYS 120	The Art of Physics	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6 and (Math Level 5 or MATH 107 concurrently or MATH 109 concurrently)	4 / 5
Program of Study Requirements			
ENGL 279	Prose Style	Minimum 2.0 in (ENGL 121 or ENGL 131 or WRIT 121 or WRIT 131) or Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 8	3 / 3
Credits			14-15 / 14-17

Semester III FALL 2018	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credit/Billing Hours
General Education - Area C. Humanities and Fine Arts - <i>Select 1</i> <i>The second required course - it MUST be from a discipline different from ENGL</i>			
HUMS 140	Art of Being Human	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
HUMS 160	Mythology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
PHIL 151	Intro to Logic & Critical Think	Reading Level 5	4 / 4
PHIL 152	Introduction to Ethics	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
RELG 150	Intro to World Religions	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
General Education - Area F. Social Science - <i>Select 1</i> <i>This selection satisfies 1 of the 2 required courses</i>			
ANTH 270	Cultural Anthropology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	3 / 3
COMM 280	Intercultural Communication	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	3 / 3
PSYC 200	Introduction to Psychology	Reading Level 5 or AASD 105 concurrently	4 / 4
SOCL 120	Introduction to Sociology	Reading Level 5 or AASD 105 concurrently	4 / 4
Program of Study Requirements			
JRNL 151	Newswriting and Reporting	Minimum 2.0 in (ENGL 121 [formerly WRIT 121] or ENGL 131 [formerly WRIT 131]) or Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 8	3 / 3

Program Electives - <i>Select 1</i> <i>Courses may not be duplicated.</i>			
ENGL 211	World Literature I	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 212	World Literature II	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 245	Popular Culture and Mass Media	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 256	American Lit 1865 to Present	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 267	British Lit 1800 to Present	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
Credits			14-15 / 14-15
Semester IV SPRING 2019	Course Title	Prerequisites	Credit/Billing Hours
General Education - Area F. Social Science - <i>Select 1</i> <i>The second required course - it can not be duplicated from the previously selected course</i>			
ANTH 270	Cultural Anthropology	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	3 / 3
COMM 280	Intercultural Communication	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	3 / 3
PSYC 200	Introduction to Psychology	Reading Level 5 or AASD 105 concurrently	4 / 4
SOCL 120	Introduction to Sociology	Reading Level 5 or AASD 105 concurrently	4 / 4
Program of Study Requirements			
JRNL 251	News Design and Layout	Minimum 2.0 in JRNL 151	3 / 3
JRNL 254	Opinion Writing	Minimum 2.0 in (JRNL 151 or WRIT 121 or WRIT 131) or (Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 8)	3 / 3

Program Electives - <i>Select 2</i> <i>Courses may not be duplicated.</i>			
ENGL 211	World Literature I	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 212	World Literature II	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 245	Popular Culture and Mass Media	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 256	American Lit 1865 to Present	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
ENGL 267	British Lit 1800 to Present	Reading Level 5 and Writing Level 6	4 / 4
Credits			17-18 / 17-18
Total Credits			60-63 / 60-67