



**St. Edward Central Catholic
High School & Elgin
Community College Dual
Credit Program and
Application Guide**

School Year 2026 to 2027

What is Dual Credit?

Elgin Community College and its partner School Districts offer several dual credit program options to allow high school students to enroll in college courses. Students earn simultaneous high school and college credit. These programs provide a way to save time and money toward attaining higher education goals, experience college life, and prepare for a successful transition after high school.

Each Dual Credit program offers a unique opportunity to accommodate students' academic, behavioral, or social needs. **A summary of the available programs is outlined below.**

PROGRAM	SUMMARY
Part-Time Dual Credit at High School or ECC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Junior and senior enrollment• Enroll in 1 to 2 courses each semester• Maximum of 11 credit hours each semester• Courses fulfill part of the postsecondary General Education Core Curriculum
Part-Time Career Technical Education at ECC	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Junior and Senior enrollment• Maximum of 11 credit hours each semester• Courses applied toward the requirements of an Associate of Applied Science degree• Most programs provide students the opportunity to earn an academic and/or industry certification

Why Enroll?

ECC's Dual Credit Program is one of two programs in the state of Illinois to receive accreditation from the National Alliance of Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships (NACEP), recognizing the value ECC has for providing high school students with rigorous coursework that will help ease their transition from high school to postsecondary.

Students opt to participate in Dual Credit courses to:

- Experience rigorous coursework and experience the college environment
- Earn college credit to help gain a head-start on college courses
- Stand out in the college admission process
- Develop skills, behaviors, and knowledge to support their transition to college
- Save money – students should follow up with their district to see what costs are covered

Program Details

PART-TIME DUAL CREDIT PROGRAM

High school juniors and seniors enroll in 1-2 college courses each semester. Courses offered at the ECC campus are selected from a variety of academic disciplines, including general education (i.e., English, math, history, science, etc.) and career and technical education (CTE) programs (i.e. automotive, culinary arts, paralegal, etc.). A limited list of course options is available for courses offered at the high school campus.

Part-Time Dual Credit at ECC or High School

PROGRAM QUALIFICATIONS

- Current sophomore or junior at the time of application
- Demonstrate college-readiness – PSAT/SAT/ACT or ECC Placement Tests; these vary from course to course, or CTE program
- Meet other high school requirements as noted by high school policies

GENERAL EDUCATION

- Current sophomore or junior at the time of application
- Students enroll in a maximum of 11 credit hours each semester (including in-high school dual credit courses)
- Students choose courses based on academic interests and goals

- Course options are pre-selected by ECC and high school to ensure courses meet high school graduation requirements
- Courses meet part of the General Education Core Curriculum requirements for a two-year college degree, which may transfer to a four-year college
- Participation in high school activities may be impacted by the meeting times of course sections selected by the student

PART-TIME GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

The following is helpful when selecting courses with the help of your school counselor:

- **General Education:** In addition to courses required for specific majors, General Education courses satisfy a required set of core courses considered an essential foundation for a well-rounded education. NOTE: All General Education courses can also count as elective credit.
- **Elective:** Each program/institution sets a minimum number of credits that students must complete separate from General Education that may include courses requirements for your intended Major/Minor.
- **Prerequisite:** Courses that require the successful (C or better) completion of another course in order to continue in the specified sequence (i.e. Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, and/or Physics) are marked as "Prerequisite".
- **Course descriptions** are available in the [ECC Catalog](#).

CAREER TECHNICAL EDUCATION

- Current sophomore or junior at the time of application
- Students choose a CTE program of study, which prepares students for careers and/or employment in a career or technical area.
- Course options are offered on the ECC campus or at the high school
- Each program includes courses from an Associate in Applied Science degree or certificate program
- Credits earned are not designed to transfer to a baccalaureate program
- Participation in high school activities may be impacted by the meeting times of course sections selected by the student

PART-TIME CAREER-TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

- Business & Financial Services
- Automotive Service Technology
- Basic Nursing Assistant Training Program and Clinical Lab Technology
- Communication Design
- Computer Aided Design
- Criminal Justice and Digital Forensics

- Culinary Arts, Pastry Arts, Restaurant Management
- Early Childhood Education
- Fire Science & Safety – Fire Protection
- Information Technology
- Welding

Financial Aid and Minimum Academic Standards Requirements

Financial aid is not available to dual credit students; however, dual credit courses count as credits attempted/completed and are included when determining a student's academic progress and eligibility for future financial aid.

The Standard Academic Progress (SAP) policy measures a student's academic progress in three ways. Students must meet all three standards to be in good status.

- A. **Cumulative Grade Point Average:** You must achieve and maintain at least a cumulative grade point average of 2.00 at the College, including transferred, repeated, and remedial credits.
- B. **Cumulative Completion Rate:** You must successfully complete at least 66.67% of all credit hours attempted at the College, including transferred credits.
 - a. Grades of A, B, C, D, CR, and S count as credit hours attempted and completed.
 - b. Grades of E, F, W, WF, AW, and Z count as credit hours attempted but not completed.
 - c. Grades of I, U, AU, NR, and NC do not count in this calculation as they are neither attempted nor completed.
 - d. **Note:** Transferred, repeated, and remedial courses are included in determining if you meet the cumulative completion rate standard.
- C. **Maximum Time Frame:** You must complete your program of study within 150% of attempted credit hours relative to the credit hours required to complete the program.
 - a. Example: A degree-seeking student may attempt no more than 90 credit hours to complete a 60-credit hour program; a certificate-seeking student may attempt no more than 45 credit hours to complete a 30-credit hour program. If, during the SAP review, it becomes clear that you cannot mathematically complete your program within the maximum time frame, you may become ineligible for financial aid.

- b. **Note:** Transferred, repeated, and remedial courses are included to determine if you meet the maximum time frame standard.

What Is Next?

1. Review the dual credit program options carefully.
2. Talk with your parents/guardians about the program options to identify which may work best for you.
3. Schedule a meeting with your high school counselor to confirm which program may work best for you, including reviewing the criteria for participating in these programs and ECC minimum requirements for enrollment.
4. If you meet the Dual Credit Program requirements, complete ECC's Dual Credit application by the end of course registration (**no later than February 20th, 2026**).

How do I Apply?

This section provides information about the application and testing process for students applying to an ECC Dual Credit program. Students can meet with their **high school counselor to review the application process, timeline, and deadlines** specific to their school district as needed.

Please note that each Dual Credit option (i.e., Full-Time vs. Part-Time) may have different criteria for qualifying. For example:

- Minimum Competencies (i.e., Benchmark scores in reading, writing, and/or math)
- Satisfactory progress towards High School Graduation
- Attendance Record

After students discuss their eligibility with their high school counselor, they must complete an ECC application. Instructions on how to fill out the application are included in the following sections. Please follow these steps carefully; failure to do so will result in an incomplete application.

The ECC Dual Credit Office will communicate with high schools throughout the application and testing process. Confirmation of application and test scores will be continuously shared with the high school counseling staff. Students are highly encouraged to follow up with their high school counselor with any questions regarding their application and admissions status.

As a reminder, all admissions decisions will be based on students meeting all ECC and high school requirements. High schools will communicate admission decisions, and ECC will follow up with an invitation to a “Welcome Night” event for students accepted into a Dual Credit program.

Application Timeline and Deadlines

1. Complete the **Dual Credit St Edward Central Catholic High School Program Agreement** and submit it to your school. These will be available from your school in mid-January.
2. **ECC Application Deadline:** February 20, 2026
3. **Placement Testing Deadline:** February 20, 2026
4. **Admission Decision:** February 27, 2026

Dual Credit Application Instructions

[ECC Dual Credit Application Steps are kept up to date here](#)

Submitting Transcripts

Elgin Community College and the high school will confirm students’ current unweighted high school GPA before a final admission decision is determined.

All students admitted into a Dual Credit program will have their final (AY-2025-2026) high school transcript submitted no later than June 30, 2026.

Note: Your high school administration will send an official transcript to the ECC’s Admissions Office.

Preparing for Testing

Placement tests assess students’ skill levels and are used to confirm academic readiness to enroll in college courses. Before taking the placement test, review the “How does the test work?” and “How can I prepare for the test?” sections on the linked pages below for access to practice questions and examples. The more practice, the better students will do!

- [Reading Placement Test Prep](#)
- [Writing Placement Test Prep](#)
- [Math Placement Test Prep](#)

Testing Information

After submitting an online application, students must complete the required placement tests associated with their program/courses. *If students have qualifying PSAT, SAT, or ACT scores, they must submit their score report to the ECC Admissions Office.*

All students must meet the minimum college-level benchmarks in reading, writing, mathematics, and foreign language required by the courses/program for which you are seeking enrollment in the next academic year.

Placement tests can be taken remotely or on campus. Visit the [ECC Testing Services webpage](#) for more information.



An appointment is required for testing. Visit registerblast.com/elgin to schedule an appointment OR scan the QR code.

Students who plan to complete ECC's Placement Tests are limited to two (2) attempts for the Reading and Writing tests and five (5) attempts for the Math test.

Note: Allotted attempts do not reset after high school graduation. Reading and Writing test scores expire after five (5) years and two (2) years for Math scores. If a student plans to continue at ECC after high school graduation, then they should be aware that the scores they earn while applying to one of the Dual Credit programs may be used for placement and enrollment.

Testing Accommodations

If you have a documented accommodation and need to arrange for testing, please make an appointment with the coordinator of ADA and Student Disability Services by calling 847-214-7717.

PSAT/SAT or ACT Testing

Students can use their qualifying PSAT/SAT or ACT to fulfill their ECC placement requirements. Please contact your school counselor to learn more about these testing options.

Testing Requirements – Benchmark scores

Full-Time Dual Credit Program

Below are the benchmark scores students must earn to meet the Full-Time Dual Credit Program’s testing requirements. Students in the Full-Time program will select from courses that require they meet the reading, writing, and mathematics minimum competencies.

Subject	ECC Placement	PSAT/SAT	ACT
Reading Score	95	480	19
Writing/English Score	55	480	19
Math Score	46	530	22

Subject	PSAT/SAT	ACT
Reading Score	480	19
Writing/English Score	480	19
Math Score	530	22

Part-Time Dual Credit Program

Students applying to a Part-Time Dual Credit Program are required to meet the minimum competencies associated with their General Education course/s or CTE program. All General Education courses require satisfaction of minimum competencies listed above, and select courses require higher test scores to satisfy specific course prerequisites (see the [ECC Course Catalog](#) for specific course prerequisites). Students can fulfill these requirements through their PSAT/SAT or ACT scores.

Part-Time General Education Course Options

In place of the PSAT/SAT or ACT scores noted above, students may complete ECC’s placement tests to meet the minimum competencies. Plan to review testing requirements for specific courses with your high school counselor before submitting your Dual Credit application.

Course	Course Prefix	Reading Test	Writing Test	Math Test
COMMUNICATIONS				

Course	Course Prefix	Reading Test	Writing Test	Math Test
*English Composition I	ENG 101	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
*English Composition II	ENG 102	Prerequisite = Grade of C or better in ENG 101; or AP score of 3 Lang/Comp exam		
*Fundamentals of Speech	CMS 101	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
MATHEMATICS				
*General Education Statistics	MTH 102	Yes (95)	None	Yes (46)
		Students can also complete the HS TRANSITIONAL MATH COURSE to fulfill the prerequisite		
Trigonometry	MTH 114	Yes (95)	None	Yes (61)
LIFE SCIENCES				
Biology for Contemporary Society	BIO 108	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	Yes (30)
FINE ARTS				
Art Appreciation	ART 115	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
Music Appreciation	MUS 105	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
Theater Appreciation	THE 101	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
HUMANITIES				
Ethics	HUM 216	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
Introduction to Western Humanities	HUM 101	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None

Course	Course Prefix	Reading Test	Writing Test	Math Test
SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES				
Principles of Microeconomics	ECN 201	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	Yes (46)
US History to 1870	HIS 151	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
US History Since 1865	HIS 152	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
American Government	POS 150	Yes (95)	Yes (55)	None
Principles of Sociology	SOC 100	Yes (95)	Yes (95)	None
MODERN LANGUAGES				
Elementary Japanese I	JPN101	None	None	None
Elementary Japanese II	JPN 102	Prerequisite = Grade of C or better in JPN 101; one year of H.S. Japanese with grade of C or better; or appropriate placement score on WebCAPE exam		
Spanish Conversation and Composition	SPN 261	Prerequisite = Grade of C or better in SPN 202; or appropriate placement score on WebCAPE exam		
ELECTIVES & CAREER TECHNICAL OPTIONS				
Introductory Accounting	ACC 100	None	None	None
Introduction to Digital Design	CDN 107	None	None	None
Basic Web Design	CDN 219	Grade of C or better in CDN 107		
Intro to Videography	CDN 230	None	None	None

Course	Course Prefix	Reading Test	Writing Test	Math Test
Computer Concepts & Business Applications	CIS 110	None	None	None
Word Processing Applications	CIS 241	None	None	None
Spreadsheet Applications	CIS 242	None	None	None
Entrepreneurship	ENT 101	None	None	None
Introduction to the Hospitality Industry	HOS 101	Yes (95)	None	None

Part-Time Career Technical Education Program

In place of PSAT/SAT or ACT scores, students may complete ECC's placement tests to meet the minimum competencies. Plan to review testing requirements for specific courses and programs with your high school counselor before submitting your Dual Credit application.

Note: Students applying for any of these programs should anticipate courses requiring online and in-person instruction. All courses below are subject to availability, and alternative course options may be offered to align with the career of interest in a case-by-case situation. Visit the [Credit Classes page](#) of the ECC website for information on the different instructional delivery methods students can expect.

Course delivery terms may differ based on seat limitation, e.g., students in the Basic Nursing Assistant Training Program and Clinical Lab Technology may take CLT courses during the fall and NUR courses during the spring term and vice versa.

Business and Financial Services	
Testing Requirements: <u>ECC Placement Math Score:</u> First Year = 14 or higher (Required for BUS 120); Second Year = 46 or higher (Required for ECN 201/202) <u>ECC Placement Reading Score:</u> First Year = Not required for courses in First Year; Second Year = 95 or higher (Required for ECN 201/202) <u>ECC Placement Writing Score:</u> First Year = Not required for courses in First Year; Second Year = 55 or higher (Required for ECN 201/202)	
First Year – Fall Term – Day & Times subject to change	ECC Credit Hours

Business and Financial Services		
BUS 100-Introduction to Business	Prerequisite: None	3
CIS 110-Introduction to Computers	Prerequisite: None	3
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
BUS 120-Business Mathematics	Prerequisite: Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 090 or an appropriate placement score.	3
ACC 100-Introductory Accounting	Prerequisite: None	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
ACC 200-Financial Accounting	Prerequisite: Math: Grade of C or better in MTH112 or BUS120, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Writing: Grade of C or better in ENG 098 or LTC 099 or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	4
ECN 201-Microeconomics	Prerequisite: Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Writing: Grade of C or better in ENG 098 or LTC 099 or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 098 or MTH 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	3
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
ACC 240-Managerial Accounting	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in ACC 200. Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 112 or BUS 120, or satisfaction of other placement criteria Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Writing: Grade of C or better in ENG 098 or LTC-099 or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	4
ECN 202-Macroeconomics	Prerequisite: Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Writing: Grade of C or better in ENG 098 or LTC 099 or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 098 or MTH 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	3

Automotive Service Technology

ECC Certificates: BVS in Engine Mechanical Repair Specialist and Brake and Suspension Specialist

Testing Requirements: None		
First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
AUT 151-Automotive Engine Service & Repair	Prerequisite: None	7
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
AUT 171-Automotive Suspensions & Wheel Alignment	Prerequisite: None	5
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
AUT 172-Automotive Brake Systems	Prerequisite: None	5
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
BUS 101-Business Communications	Prerequisite: None	3

Basic Nursing Assistant Training Program and Clinical Lab Technology

ECC Certificates: BVS in Basic Nurse Assistant Training Program

Industry Certification: Certified Nursing Assistant (Exam administered by the Illinois Department of Public Health)

Testing Requirements: <u>ECC Placement Math Score:</u> First Year = ALEKS score of 14 or higher (for NUR 105); Second Year = 46 or higher (Required for BIO 110) <u>ECC Placement Reading Score:</u> First Year = 95 or higher (for NUR 105); Second Year = 95 or higher (Required for BIO 110 and PSY 100) <u>ECC Placement Writing Score:</u> First Year = Not required; Second Year = 55 or higher (Required for BIO 110 and PSY 100)		
First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
NUR 105-Basic Nurse Assistant Training Program	Prerequisite: Reading minimum competency: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Math minimum competency: Grade of C or better in MTH 090 or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	7
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours

Basic Nursing Assistant Training Program and Clinical Lab Technology

ECC Certificates: BVS in Basic Nurse Assistant Training Program

Industry Certification: Certified Nursing Assistant (Exam administered by the Illinois Department of Public Health)

PBT 101-Phlebotomy	Dual Credit office approval	3
HPE 112-Intro to Medical Terminology	Prerequisite: None	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
BIO 110-Principles of Biology	Prerequisite: Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Writing: Grade of C or better in ENG 098 or LTC 099 or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 095, MTH 098 or MTH 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	4
PSY 100-Introduction to Psychology	Prerequisite: Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Writing: Grade of C or better in ENG 098 or LTC 099 or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	3
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
BIO 245-Anatomy and Physiology I	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in BIO 110 or BIO 113	4

Communication Design

ECC Certification: BVS in ADOBE® Creative Suite

Testing Requirements:		
None		
First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CDN 107- Introduction to Digital Design	Prereq: none; BVS: Web Design; BVS: Adobe Creative Suite	3
CDN 111- Typography	Prereq: none	
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CDN 110- Digital Imaging	Prereq: CDN 107 or consent; BVS: Adobe Creative Suite	3
CDN 109- Digital Illustration	Prereq: CDN 107 or consent; BVS: Adobe Creative Suite	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CDN 120- Graphic Design I	Prereq: CDN111; and Grade of C or better in CDN109 or CDN110; BVS: Adobe Creative Suite	3
CDN 102- UX/UI Design	Prereq: none; BVS: Web Design	3

Communication Design		
ECC Certification: BVS in ADOBE® Creative Suite		
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CDN 210- Graphic Design II	Prereq- CDN120	3
CDN 219- Web Design I	Prereq: CDN 102 & 107 (or concurrent enrollment); BVS: Web Design	3

Computer Aided Design		
ECC Certification: BVS in Solidworks		
Testing Requirements:		
None		
First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CAD 101-Introduction to Engineering Design	Prerequisite: None	4
CAD 120-Introduction to SOLIDWORKS	Prerequisite: None	3
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CAD 206-Industrial Design Problems		4
CAD 121-Adv. Concepts in SOLIDWORKS	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in CAD 120	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CAD 108 –Intro. to MicroCAD/AutoCAD	Prerequisite: None	3
CAD 118-Computer Graphics-Adv. AutoCAD	Prerequisite: CAD 108	3
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CAD 208- Applied Descriptive Geometry & Statistics	Prerequisite: CAD 101 or EGR 101	4
CAD 205- Geometric Dimension & Tolerance	Prerequisite: CAD 101 or EGR 101	3

Criminal Justice- 1 year cohort

Testing Requirements:

Testing Requirements:

ECC Placement Reading Score:

First Year = 95 or higher (Required for SOC 100 & CMS 101)

ECC Placement Writing Score:

First Year = 55 or higher (Required for SOC 100 & CMS 101)

First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CRJ 101-Introduction to Criminal Justice	Cohort sections are Monday-Friday 8:00-9:15am at ECC's Main Campus	3
CMS 101-Fundamentals of Speech	Cohort sections are Monday-Friday 8:00-9:15am at ECC's Main Campus	3
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CRJ 110-Introduction to Corrections	Cohort sections are Monday-Friday 8:00-9:15am at ECC's Main Campus	3
SOC 100-Principles of Sociology	Cohort sections are Monday-Friday 8:00-9:15am at ECC's Main Campus	3

Criminal Justice

Testing Requirements:

None

First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CRJ 101-Introduction to Criminal Justice	Prerequisite: None	3
CRJ 110-Introduction to Corrections	Prerequisite: None	3
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CRJ 111-Stress Management in Law Enforcement	Prerequisite: None	3
CRJ 198 The Police Service	Prerequisite: CRJ 101	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CRJ 180-Crime Prevention	Prerequisite: None	3
CRJ 205 Criminal Law	Prerequisite: CRJ 101	3
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CRJ 199-Community Based Policing	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in CRJ 101	3
CRJ 231 Juvenile Justice	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in CRJ 101	3

Culinary Arts, Pastry Arts, Restaurant Management

ECC Certification: BVS in Cook Assistant/Baker Assistant

Industry Certification: ServSafe Manager

Testing Requirements:

ECC Placement Math Score:

First Year = 14 or higher (Required for CUL 106)

ECC Placement Reading Score:

First Year = 95 or higher (Required for HOS 100 and HOS 101); **Second Year** = 95 or higher (Required for BIO 101)

First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
PAS 101-Baking Fundamentals I	Prerequisite: Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 90, or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	4
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
HOS 101-Intro to the Hospitality Industry	Prerequisite: Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	3
CUL 101-Cooking Fundamentals I	Prerequisite: Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 090, or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	4
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
HOS 212-Quantity Food Purchasing	Prerequisite: HOS-101 or concurrent enrollment. Math: Grade of C or better in MTH-090, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG-091 or LTC-099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria.	3
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
HOS 215-Hospitality Supervision	Prerequisite: HOS 101	3

Early Childhood Education

Testing Requirements:

ECC Placement Reading Score:

First Year = 95 or higher (Required for PSY 100)

ECC Placement Writing Score:

First Year = 55 or higher (Required for PSY 100)

Early Childhood Education		
First Year–Fall Term- Day & Times subject to change & may require in-person attendance		ECC Credit Hours
ECE 100-Health, Safety, Nutrition/Young	Prerequisite: None	3
ECE 102-Introduction to Early Childhood Education	Prerequisite: None	3
First Year–Spring Term- Day & Times subject to change & may require in-person attendance		ECC Credit Hours
ECE 174-Child Growth and Development	Prerequisite: None	3
ECE 124-Curriculum Planning/Young Child	Prerequisite: None	3
Second Year–Fall Term- Day & Times subject to change & may require in-person attendance		ECC Credit Hours
ECE 220- Child, Family & Community	Prerequisite: None	3
BUS 120 Business Math or MTH 104 Gen Ed Math	BUS 120- Prerequisite: Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 090 or an appropriate placement score. MTH 104- Prerequisite: Math: Grade of C or better in MTH 095 or MTH 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria. Reading: Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099, or satisfaction of other placement criteria	3
Second Year- Spring Term- Day & Times subject to change & may require in-person attendance		ECC Credit Hours
ECE 224 Exceptional Young Children	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in ECE 102	3
ENG 101 English 101 English Composition I	Prerequisite: Reading: (1) Grade of C or better in RDG 091 or LTC 099; or (2) satisfaction of other placement criteria. Writing: (1) Grade of C or better in ENG 098 or LTC 099; or (2) concurrent enrollment in ENG 098; or (3) satisfaction of other placement criteria.	3

Fire Science & Safety - Fire Protection- 1 year cohort	
Testing Requirements: <u>ECC Placement Reading Score:</u> First Year = 95 or higher (Required for PSY 100 & CMS 101) <u>ECC Placement Writing Score:</u> First Year = 55 or higher (Required for PSY 100 & CMS 101)	
First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change	ECC Credit Hours

Fire Science & Safety - Fire Protection- 1 year cohort		
FSS 101-Principles of Emergency Services	Mondays and Wednesdays: 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM Or Tuesdays and Thursdays: 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM	3
CMS 101-Fundamentals of Speech	Mondays and Wednesdays: 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM Or Tuesdays and Thursdays: 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM	3
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
FSS 115-Emergency Medical Responder	Mondays and Wednesdays: 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM Or Tuesdays and Thursdays: 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM	3
PSY 100-Intro to Psychology	Mondays and Wednesdays: 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM Or Tuesdays and Thursdays: 8:00 AM – 9:15 AM	3

Fire Science & Safety - Fire Protection		
ECC Certificate: BVS in Fire Science <u>AND</u> BVS in Emergency Medical Technician-Basic		
Testing Requirements: None		
First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
FSS 101-Principles of Emergency Services	Prerequisite: None	3
FSS 102- Fire Prevention Principles I	Prerequisite: None	3
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
FSS 103- Fire Suppression & Building Construction	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better FSS 101	3
FSS 204-Fire Protection Systems	Prerequisite: Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in FSS 101	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
FSS 201 Fire Fighting Strategy & Tactics	Prerequisite: Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in FSS 101	3
FSS 115-Emergency Medical Responder	Prerequisite: None	3
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours

Fire Science & Safety - Fire Protection

ECC Certificate: BVS in Fire Science AND BVS in Emergency Medical Technician-Basic

Testing Requirements: None

FSS 215-Emergency Medical Technician-Basic	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in FSS 115	8
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Information Technology

Testing Requirements:

ECC Placement Math Score:

First Year = 46 or higher (Required for CIS 105)

First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CIS 231-Intro to Windows OS	Prerequisite: None	4
CIS 110-Introduction to Computers	Prerequisite: None	3
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CIS 230-Computer Hardware & Troubleshooting	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in CIS 110 or CIS 105	3
CIS 105- Python Programming I	Prerequisite: (1) Grade of C or better in MTH 098 or MTH 099 or satisfaction of other placement criteria	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CIS 252-Network Fundamentals	Prerequisite: None	3
CIS 253- Principles of Cyber Security	Prerequisite: None	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
CIS 256- Network Administration/Microsoft	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in CIS 231 or concurrent enrollment in CIS 231	4

Welding

ECC Certificate: Welding BVS

Testing Requirements:

None

First Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
WEL 101-Welding I	Prerequisite: None	2.5

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IMT 103 - Industrial Manufacturing Tech I		4
First Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
WEL 102-Welding II	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in WEL 101	4
WEL 213- Welding Metallurgy	Prerequisite: Effective Summer 2026 Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in WEL-102	3
Second Year – Fall Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
WEL 214 Cutting Processes	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in WEL 101	2.5
WEL 222- Blueprint Reading & Fabrication	Prerequisite: None	4
Second Year – Spring Term - Day & Times subject to change		ECC Credit Hours
WEL 208-Welding III	Prerequisite: Grade of C or better in WEL 102	4
WEL 220-MIG Welder Qualification	Prerequisite: (1) Grade of C or better in WEL 208 or concurrent enrollment in WEL 208	3

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