2023-2024 Colorado Mesa University Baccalaureate and Associate (AA/AS) Degree Requirements

Please check the program sheet for your major before selecting courses below as some majors require specific essential learning courses.

ARTE 101

ARTE 102

HIST 225

Essential Learning Core – 31 credit hours

All CMU essential learning core courses are approved by the Colorado Department of Higher Education for statewide guaranteed transfer except courses marked with + which are not approved.

English* - Pick Option 1 or 2

Option 1 ENGL 111 ENGL 112 Option 2	English Composition I (3) English Composition II (3)	*A grade of "C" or higher is required for graduation.
ENGL 112	English Composition II (3)	
ENGL 219	Introduction to Professional Wi	riting (3)

Mathematics* - Pick 1 class

MATH 110 MATH 113 MATH 113R	College Mathematics (3) College Algebra (4) College Algebra with Review (5)	*A grade of "C" or higher is required for graduation.
MATH 119** MATH 131	Pre-Calculus Mathematics (5) Applied Calculus (4)	**May also satisfy this requirement by
MATH 151 MATH 205	Calculus I (5) Elements of Mathematics II (3)	completing both MATH 119A and MATH 119B.

Humanities - Pick 1 class

ENGL 131	Western World Literature I (3)
ENGL 132	Western World Literature II (3)
ENGL 150	Introduction to Literature (3)
ENGL 222	Mythology (3)
ENGL 254	Survey of English Literature I (3)
ENGL 255	Survey of English Literature II (3)
ENGL 261	Survey of American Literature I (3)
ENGL 262	Survey of American Literature II (3)
FLAS 211+	Second-Year Spanish I (3)
FLAS 213+	Spanish Conversation and Grammar (3)
HIST 101	Western Civilization I (3)
HIST 102	Western Civilization II (3)
HIST 131	United States History I (3)
HIST 132	United States History II (3)
HIST 225	History of Colorado (3)
MASS 110	Mass Media Impact and History (3)
PHIL 105	Critical Thinking (3)
PHIL 110	Introduction to Philosophy (3)
PHIL 120	Ethics (3)
PHIL 130	Philosophy of Religion (3)
SPCH 102+	Speechmaking (3)
Social and Bo	ehavioral Sciences - Pick 2 classes

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Social and Be	ehavioral Sciences - Pick 2 classes
ANTH 202	Introduction to Anthropology (3)
ANTH 220	Principles of Archaeology (3)
ANTH 222	World Prehistory (3)
ANTH 231/231	L Survey of Biological Anthropology and Lab (3+1)
CSCI 100+	Computers in Our Society (3)
ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics (3)
ECON 202	Principles of Microeconomics (3)
GEOG 102	Human Geography (3)
GEOG 103	World Regional Geography (3)
POLS 101	American Government (3)
POLS 151+	Introduction to Political Ideas (3)

POLS 261	Comparative Politics (3)
POLS 270+	World Politics (3)
PSYC 150	General Psychology (3)

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PSYC 233	Human Growth and Development (3)

SOCI 101 Introduction to LGBT Studies (3) SOCI 102 Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies (3)

SOCI 120 Technology and Society (3) Marriage and Families (3) SOCO 144 SOCO 260 General Sociology (3) SOCO 264 Social Problems (3)

SPCH 101+ Interpersonal Communication (3)

Fine Arts -	Pick 1	class
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ARTE 103	Digital Art and Design (3)	
ARTE 115	Art Appreciation (3)	
ARTE 118	Survey of Art History, Prehistory -	Renaissance (3)
ARTE 119	History of Art, Renaissance to Pres	ent (3)
DANC 115	Dance Appreciation (3)	
FINE 101	The Living Arts (3)	
MUSA 220	Music Appreciation (3)	
MUSA 222	History of Country Music (3)	
MUSA 266	History of Popular Music (3)	
MUSA 267	Jazz History and Literature (3)	
THEA 141	Theatre Appreciation (3)	
THEA 145	Introduction to Dramatic Literature	e (3)
History** - F	Pick 1 class	
HIST 101	Western Civilization I (3)	**An additional Hist

Two-Dimensional Design (3)

Three-Dimensional Design (3)

HIST 101	Western Civilization I (3)	**An additional History
HIST 102	Western Civilization II (3)	course may be chosen
HIST 131	United States History I (3)	to fulfill Humanities.
HIST 132	United States History II (3)	

History of Colorado (3) Non-Lab Natural Sciences*** - Pick 1 class

CHEM 100	Chemistry and Society (3)	
CHEM 111+ ENVS 101	Introduction to Concepts of General Chel Introduction to Environmental Science (3	, , ,
GEOL 100 GEOL 103 GEOL 104 GEOL 105 GEOL 106	Survey of Earth Science (3) Weather and Climate (3) Oceanography (3) Geology of Colorado (3) Introduction to Dinosaurs (3)	***An additional Natural Science with a Lab may be taken to fulfill this requirement
GEOL 107	Natural Hazards and Environmental Geol	ogy (3)

Natural Sciences with Labs - Pick 1 lecture/lab pairing BIOL 101/101L General Human Biology and Lab (3+1)

BIOL 105/105L	Attributes of Living Systems and Lab (3+1)
BIOL 108/108L	Diversity of Organisms and Lab (3+1)
BIOL 250/250L	Introduction to Microbiology and Lab (3+1)
CHEM 121/121L	Principles of Chemistry and Lab (4+1)
CHEM 122/122L	Principles of Organic Chemistry and Lab (4+1)
CHEM 131/131L	General Chemistry I and Lab (4+1)
CHEM 132/132L	General Chemistry II and Lab (4+1)
CHEM 151/151L	Engineering Chemistry and Lab (4+1)
GEOL 111/111L	Principles of Physical Geology and Lab (4+1)
GEOL 112/112L	Principles of Historical Geology and Lab (4+1)
GEOL 113/113L	Field-Based Intro. to Physical Geology and Lab (4+1)
PHYS 103/103L	General Astronomy and Lab (3+1)
PHYS 111/111L	General Physics I and Lab (4+1)
PHYS 112/112L	General Physics II and Lab (4+1)
PHYS 131/131L	Fundamental Mechanics and Lab (4+1)
PHYS 132/132L	Electromagnetism and Optics and Lab (4+1)

Wellness Requirements - Must take both classes

KINE 100	Health and Wellness (1)
KINA	100-level Kinesiology Activity ▲ (1)

[▲]Some majors require two KINA activities. Consult your program requirements. Fulfilled by any KINA course, DANC 160, 169, 174, 177, 180, or MUSP 147. Only one varsity sport course may be used to meet the activity requirement.

Essential Learning Capstone - Must take both classes

(Applies to Bachelor's degrees only)

ESSL 200	Essential Speech (1)
ESSL 290	Maverick Milestone (3

ESSL 200 and 290 are co-requisites and must be taken together in the same semester. The Essential Learning Capstone must be completed between 45 and 75 credits hours.

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GEOL 108 Water, People, and Environment (3)

PHYS 100 Concepts of Physics (3) **PHYS 101** Elementary Astronomy (3)

2023-2024 Colorado Mesa University Associate of Applied Science Requirements

Please check the program sheet for your major before selecting courses below as some majors require specific essential learning courses.

Essential Learning Core – 15 credit hours

All CMU essential learning core courses are approved by the Colorado Department of Higher Education for statewide guaranteed transfer except courses marked with + which are not approved. Courses marked with a \Diamond can only be used once for graduation.

English - Pick Option 1, 2, or 3 Mathema		ics - Pick 1 class		
Option 1		MATH 107*+	Career Math (3)	*Specific degrees
ENGL 111	English Composition I (3)	MATH 108*+	Technical Mathematics (3)	only. Consult your
ENGL 112	English Composition II (3)	MATH 110	College Mathematics (3)	program sheet.
Option 2		MATH 113	College Algebra (4)	program sneet.
ENGL 111	English Composition II (3)	MATH 113R	College Algebra with Review (5)	**May also satisfy this
SPCH 101+◊	Interpersonal Communication (3)	MATH 119**	Pre-Calculus Mathematics (5)	requirement by
Option 3		MATH 151	Calculus I (5)	completing both MATH
ENGL 111	English Composition II (3)	MATH 205	Elements of Mathematics II (3)	119A and MATH 119B.
SPCH 102+◊	Speechmaking (3)			

Social & Behavioral Sciences, Humanities, Fine Arts, and Natural Sciences - Pick 2 classes

Only one varsity sport course may be used to meet the activity requirement.

Humanities		Fine Arts			
ENGL 131	Western World Literature I (3)	ARTE 101	Two	o-Dimensional Design (3)	
ENGL 132	Western World Literature II (3)	ARTE 102	Thr	ee-Dimensional Design (3)	
ENGL 150	Introduction to Literature (3)	ARTE 103	Dig	Digital Art and Design (3)	
ENGL 222	Mythology (3)	ARTE 115	Art	Appreciation (3)	
ENGL 254	Survey of English Literature I (3)	ARTE 118	Sur	vey of Art History, Prehistory - Renaissance (3)	
ENGL 255	Survey of English Literature II (3)	ARTE 119	Hist	tory of Art, Renaissance to Present (3)	
ENGL 261	Survey of American Literature I (3)	DANC 115	Dar	nce Appreciation (3)	
ENGL 262	Survey of American Literature II (3)	FINE 101	The	The Living Arts (3)	
FLAS 211+	Second-Year Spanish I (3)	MUSA 220	Music Appreciation (3)		
FLAS 213+	Spanish Conversation and Grammar (3)	MUSA 222	History of Country Music (3)		
HIST 101	Western Civilization I (3)	MUSA 266	History of Popular Music (3)		
HIST 102	Western Civilization II (3)	MUSA 267	Jazz History and Literature (3)		
HIST 131	United States History I (3)	THEA 141	Theatre Appreciation (3)		
HIST 132	United States History II (3)	THEA 145	Introduction to Dramatic Literature (3)		
HIST 225	History of Colorado (3)				
MASS 110	Mass Media Impact and History (3)	Non-Lab Natural Sciences			
PHIL 105	Critical Thinking (3)	CHEM 100	Che	emistry and Society (3)	
PHIL 110	Introduction to Philosophy (3)	CHEM 111+	Intr	Introduction to Concepts of General Chemistry (3)	
PHIL 120	Ethics (3)	ENVS 101	Intr	oduction to Environmental Science (3)	
PHIL 130	Philosophy of Religion (3)	GEOL 100	Sur	Survey of Earth Science (3)	
SPCH 102+◊	Speechmaking (3)	GEOL 103	We	Weather and Climate (3)	
		GEOL 104	Oce	eanography (3)	
Social and Be	chavioral Sciences	GEOL 105	Geo	ology of Colorado (3)	
ANTH 202	Introduction to Anthropology (3)	GEOL 106	Intr	oduction to Dinosaurs (3)	
ANTH 220	Principles of Archaeology (3)	GEOL 107		ural Hazards and Environmental Geology (3)	
ANTH 222	World Prehistory (3)	GEOL 108		Water, People, and Environment (3)	
ANTH 231/231	L Survey of Biological Anthropology and Lab (3+1)	PHYS 100	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
CSCI 100+	Computers in Our Society (3)	PHYS 101	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		
ECON 201	Principles of Macroeconomics (3)				
ECON 202	Principles of Microeconomics (3)	Natural Sci	ences	s with Labs	
GEOG 102	Human Geography (3)	BIOL 101/101		General Human Biology and Lab (3+1)	
GEOG 103	World Regional Geography (3)	BIOL 105/105		Attributes of Living Systems and Lab (3+1)	
POLS 101	American Government (3)	BIOL 108/108		Diversity of Organisms and Lab (3+1)	
POLS 151+	Introduction to Political Ideas (3)	BIOL 250/250		Introduction to Microbiology and Lab (3+1)	
POLS 261	Comparative Politics (3)	CHEM 121/12		Principles of Chemistry and Lab (4+1)	
POLS 270+	World Politics (3)	CHEM 122/12		Principles of Organic Chemistry and Lab (4+1)	
PSYC 150	General Psychology (3)	CHEM 131/13		General Chemistry I and Lab (4+1)	
PSYC 233	Human Growth and Development (3)	CHEM 132/13		General Chemistry II and Lab (4+1)	
SOCI 101	Introduction to LGBT Studies (3)	CHEM 151/151L		Engineering Chemistry and Lab (4+1)	
SOCI 102	Introduction to Women's and Gender Studies (3)	,		0 0	
SOCI 120	Technology and Society (3)	GEOL 111/11	1L	Principles of Physical Geology and Lab (4+1)	
SOCO 144	Marriage and Families (3)	GEOL 112/11		Principles of Historical Geology and Lab (4+1)	
SOCO 260	General Sociology (3)	GEOL 113/11		Field-Based Intro. to Physical Geology and Lab (4+1)	
SOCO 264	Social Problems (3)	PHYS 103/103		General Astronomy and Lab (3+1)	
SPCH 101+◊	Interpersonal Communication (3)	PHYS 111/11:		General Physics I and Lab (4+1)	
	quirements - Must take both classes	PHYS 112/112		General Physics II and Lab (4+1)	
KINE 100	Health and Wellness (1)	PHYS 131/13:		Fundamental Mechanics and Lab (4+1)	
KINA	100-level Kinesiology Activity ★ (1)	PHYS 132/132		Electromagnetism and Optics and Lab (4+1)	
	any KINA course, DANC 160, 169, 174, 177, 180, or MUSP 147.				
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