

**Columbia College Chicago
General Education Core Curriculum Requirements**

Columbia College Chicago	Prairie State Equivalents:
Communications	Communications
Total of three courses (9 sem. hrs.) Two course (6 sem. hrs.) sequence in writing; English Composition I and II. One course (3 sem. hrs.) in oral communications.	ENG 101 & 102. COMMUNICATIONS 101.
Mathematics	Mathematics
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in college level mathematics or higher.	MATH 112 or Higher.
Computer Applications	Computer Applications
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in Computer Applications.	CIS 101 or 110.
Science	Sciences
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of science, either physical or life science; one course must have a laboratory component.	Any College Level, ASTRO or BIOL or CHEM or GEOLO or METEO or PHYSC or PHYSI or GEOG 105.
History	History
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of history.	Any College Level, HIS.
Humanities	Humanities
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) with one course in the comparative study of the arts and the other selected from approved humanities courses.	Any College Level, HUM or PHILO or ART 121-130. THE 101,103,104 or MUS 130,131,132 or PHOTO 291 or GC 184 & 297.
Literature	Literature
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in literature.	Any College Level, LIT.
Social Science	Social Science
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) in social science with courses selected from two different disciplines.	Any College Level, ANTHR or ECON or POLSC or PSYCH or SOCSO or SOCIO or GEOG 101,102 & 104.
General Education Electives	General Education Electives
One course (3 sem. hrs.) selected from science, history, humanities, literature, mathematics, social science.	May be completed by taking additional courses from the above beyond the required number of semester hours.
Senior Seminar	
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in ethics, to be taken at Columbia as a capstone general education experience.	
Total 16 courses (48 sem. hrs.)	

Open College Wide Electives: Any College Level, ART or GC or ID or JRNLM or MUSIC or PHOTO or PE (Up to 8 semester hours only) or THTRE or BUS 101, 103, 105, 119, 120, 121, 122, 125, 127, 131, 132, 135, 137, 157, 159, 165, 167, 170,175,201,203,205,210,215,231,232,233, 234,240,241,242,243,249,251,254,260,261; or CIS 106,142 & 144; or ENG 109 & 110; or SPCH 102,103 & 108. Foreign Language.

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