

**Columbia College Chicago  
Liberal Arts and Sciences Core Curriculum Requirements**

<b>Columbia College Chicago</b>	<b>BA Degree</b>	<b>BFA Degree</b>	<b>Equivalents: Heartland Community College</b>
<b>Communications: Knowledge &amp; Practice</b>	<b>12 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>9 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>Communications</b>
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) sequence in writing			ENGL 101 & 102
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in oral communications		Not required	COMM 101
One course (3 sem. hrs.) First Year Studies (Transfer students with more than 24 hours must substitute a core elective (sem. hrs.))			Must be taken at Columbia College Chicago.
<b>Physical &amp; Material World</b>	<b>9 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>9 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>Science and Mathematics</b>
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in college level mathematics or higher.			MATH 111 or higher (except MATH 135)
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of science; one course must have a laboratory component.			Any college level BIOL, CHEM, EASC, PHYS, PSCI; ASTR 121.
<b>Historical Narrative/Civic Consciousness</b>	<b>6 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>6 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>History</b>
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of history.			Any college level HIS
<b>Culture, Values and Ethics</b>	<b>15 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>12 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>Humanities</b>
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of humanities		1 or 2 courses	Any college level HUMA, PHIL, RELI, WST; ART 150, 211-214; FILM 101, 211; MUSI 150, 155, 160, 260; THEA 101; any foreign language.
			<b>Literature</b>
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in literature.		1 course	ENGL 111-118; 211-higher
			<b>Social Science</b>
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) in social science		1 or 2 courses	Any college level ANTH, ECON, GEOG, POS, PSY, SOC
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>42 sem. hrs.</b>	<b>36 sem. hrs.</b>	
<b>2000 Level Requirement</b> – 6 hours must be taken at the 2000 level or above (which may be the same as 200 level courses at other institutions.)			
<b>American Pluralism – diversity in the US</b> Satisfy by taking course with appropriate content from any category above.			
<b>Global Awareness – diversity outside the US</b> – Satisfy by taking course with appropriate content from any category above.			

College wide electives: Any college level ACCT, ART, BUSN, CHLD, COMM, DSGN, MUSI, ENGL 206.

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This chart is subject to periodic revision. Please consult with your Academic Advisor or contact Columbia College Chicago to make sure you have the latest course information. For more details please refer to Columbia's Transfer Credit Policy at <http://www.colum.edu/info/articulation/transfercredit.html>.