

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

Columbia College Chicago	BA Degree	BFA Degree	Equivalents: Joliet Jr. College
Communications: Knowledge & Practice	12 sem. hrs.	9 sem. hrs.	Communications
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) sequence in writing			ENG 101 & 102
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in oral communications		Not required	SPCH 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.
Physical & Material World	9 sem. hrs.	9 sem. hrs.	Science and Mathematics
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in college level mathematics or higher.			MATH 127 or higher
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of science; one course must have a laboratory component.			ASTR; BIO: CHEM; GEOG 111, 112; GEOL 101, 102; PHYS; PHSCI 120
Historical Narrative/Civic Consciousness	6 sem. hrs.	6 sem. hrs.	History
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of history.			Any college level history course
Culture, Values and Ethics	15 sem. hrs.	12 sem. hrs.	Humanities
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of humanities		1 or 2 courses	ART 109; ENG 190; MUS 101, 102, 103, 107; PHIL 101, 102, 103; THEA 101; SOC 240; any foreign language.
			Literature
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in literature.		1 course	ENG 103, 104, 105, 106, 208, 209, 220, 250, 260, 270
			Social Science
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) in social science		1 or 2 courses	ANTH; ECON; PSCI; PSYC; SOC; GEOG 102, 104, 106
TOTAL	42 sem. hrs.	36 sem. hrs.	
2000 Level Requirement – 6 hours must be taken at the 2000 level or above (which may be the same as 200 level courses at other institutions.)			
American Pluralism – diversity in the US Satisfy by taking course with appropriate content from any category above.			
Global Awareness – diversity outside the US – Satisfy by taking course with appropriate content from any category above.			

College wide electives: Any college level ACCY, ADV, ART, BUS, BLAW, COMM, ENG 112, 120, FMER, FIN, INTD, JOUR, LRES, MGMT, MKTG, MATH, MUS, HPR, SPCH 131.

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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/transfercrredit.html>.