

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

Columbia College Chicago	BA Degree	BFA Degree	Equivalents: Oakton
Communications: Knowledge & Practice	12 sem. hrs.	9 sem. hrs.	Communications
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) sequence in writing			EGL 101 & 102
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in oral communications		Not required	SPE 103
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.			MAT 125 or higher
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of science; one course must have a laboratory component.			College level BIO; CHM; EAS; NSC; PHY
Historical Narrative/Civic Consciousness	6 sem. hrs.	6 sem. hrs.	History
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of history.			College level HIS
Culture, Values and Ethics	15 sem. hrs.	12 sem. hrs.	Humanities
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) of humanities		1 or 2 courses	ART 114; HUM 120, 121, 122, 123, 125, 127, 131, 140, 142, 160 165, 175, 190, 220; MUS 236; PHL 105, 106, 170, 212, 125, 170, 201, 205, 215, 230, 231, 240; any foreign language.
One course (3 sem. hrs.) in literature.		1 course	Literature HUM 210, EGL 115, 115, 117, 129, 215, 221, 222, 231, 232, 234, 241, 242; FRE 210; GER 210; SPN 210
Two courses (6 sem. hrs.) in social science		1 or 2 courses	Social Science College level ANT; ECO; GEG; PSC; PSY; SOC; SSC
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			

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College wide electives: Any college level ACC; ARC; ART; BUS; COM; JRN; MGT; MKT; MUS; PED; THE: EGL 111, 201, 202, 203; SPE 104, 105. Revised 6/09

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>.