

Illinois Central College Early College

Online Classes Spring 2022

Course Descriptions

ART 110 Art Appreciation (F2 900)

3 Credit Hours (Transfer Credit)

This course is a survey of the visual arts, exploring the nature, language, and history of art, in relation to cultural, humanistic, and aesthetic values. Lectures are reinforced by written assignments, presentations, gallery visits, critical evaluations of art, and introductory art experiences. This course is acceptable for Humanities credit in the area of Fine Arts. It is intended for general studies of non-majors.

Prerequisite: Approved reading placement score, or equivalent

BUS 110 Introduction to Business

3 Credit Hours (Transfer Credit)

This course covers the factual and informational survey of business designed to give the student a background for understanding the principles and practices governing the operation of modern business.

COMM 110 Introduction to Communication: Presentation and Theory (C2 900)

3 Credit hours (Transfer Credit)

This course provides the foundations for theoretical understanding about interpersonal communication, intercultural communication, group communication, nonverbal communication, verbal communication, intrapersonal communication, and rhetorical strategies. The course also provides practical application in public speaking and group membership.

Prerequisite: Approved reading placement score, or equivalent.

ENGL 110 Composition I (C1 900)

3 Credit Hours (Transfer Credit)

This course progresses the student from writing expressive compositions (expressing the ideas of the writer) to writing referential compositions (explaining or analyzing the subject matter for the reader) to writing persuasive compositions (persuading an audience), through critical reading, discussion, exercises, conferences, and revision. The majority of the writing is referential.

Prerequisite: Approved reading placement score, or equivalent, or ENGL 095 or 099 or an equivalent course with a grade of "C" or better

ENGL 111 Composition II (C1 901R)

3 Credit Hours (Transfer Credit)

This course progresses the student from writing analysis of and inquiring about issues to writing argumentative and persuasive compositions using research, through critical reading, discussion, exercises, conferences, and revision. The majority of the writing is argumentative.

Prerequisite: Approved reading placement score, or equivalent, and ENGL 110 or equivalent course with a grade of "C" or better

HLTH 121 Medical Terminology

2 Credit Hours (CTE Credit)

This course is a study of terminology used in all areas of medical and paramedical specialties. Emphasis is placed on word-building techniques and understanding of typical medical reports.

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Prerequisite: Accuplacer reading score 237 or greater; or equivalent reading placement score; or department approval.

MATH 110 Concepts of Mathematics (M1 904) 3 Credit Hours (Transfer Credit)

This course introduces the nature of mathematics through a study of elementary logic, set theory, statistics, geometry, and the mathematics of finance. The course will focus on mathematical reasoning and real-life problem solving. This is not intended to be a survey course or a math appreciation course.

Prerequisite: Approved reading placement score or equivalent, and MATH 098 or MATH 099 or completion of high school Algebra 2 or high school transitional math, any with a grade of "C" or better, or concurrent enrollment in MATH 080, or appropriate placement score.

MATH 111 General Education Statistics (M1 902) 3 Credit Hours (Transfer Credit)

This course includes a study of frequency distribution, graphs (histograms, pie charts, etc.), measures of location (mean, median, mode, and percentile), measures of dispersion (variance, standard deviation), probability, estimating and predicting, normal distribution, binomial distribution, and correlation. This course will emphasize the quantitative portion of descriptive statistics -- gathering, analyzing, presenting, and interpreting data.

Prerequisite: Approved reading placement score or equivalent and MATH 098 or MATH 099 or high school Algebra 2 or appropriate high school transitional math, any with a grade of "C" or better, or concurrent enrollment in MATH 081, or appropriate placement score or department approval.

PSY 110 Introduction to Psychology (S6 900) 3 Credit Hours (Transfer Credit)

Psychology is the scientific study of behavior and mental processes. This course will introduce the student to fundamentals of physiological psychology, sensation and perception, learning, emotions and motivation, and psychological disorders and their treatment. The role of research and the scientific method are emphasized throughout the course.

Prerequisite: Approved reading placement score, or equivalent.

SOC 110 An Introduction to Sociology (S7 900) 3 Credit Hours (Transfer Credit)

This course utilizes the approaches of functionalism, conflict theory, and interactionism to analyze the structures and processes of group life from a scientific perspective. Major areas of inquiry include theory and methodology, culture, social organizations, socialization, groups, institutions, formal organizations, collective behavior, and social change.

Prerequisite: Approved reading placement score, or equivalent