MUS 121-122  Music Appreciation I and II
PHI  All courses with this prefix
REL  All courses with this prefix
SPA 101-102 Beginning Spanish I and II
SPA 201-202 Intermediate Spanish I and II

Approved Social Science Transfer Electives
ECO 120  Survey of Economics
ECO 201-202 Principles of Economics I and II
GEO 210  People and the Land: An Introduction to Cultural Geography
GEO 221-222 Regions of the World I and II
HIS 111-112 History of World Civilization I and II
HIS 121-122 United States History I and II
PLS 211-212 United States Government I and II
PSY  All courses with this prefix
SOC  All courses with this prefix

Courses Requiring Reading Prerequisite

Many LFCC courses require a reading level prerequisite. Students’ placement test scores may indicate the need to satisfactorily complete developmental reading instruction before enrolling in these courses. To determine whether a reading prerequisite applies to a specific course, see Course Descriptions beginning on page 131.

Core Computer Competency Requirements

Overview
A minimum level of proficiency in the use of computers and various software applications is essential in today’s technological world. Therefore, LFCC requires each degree-seeking student to demonstrate proficiency in using a Windows-based operating system along with word processing, spreadsheet, database, presentation, and communications applications. Students may then select an appropriate elective to complete the required credit hours for their degree.

Computer Competency Testing

LFCC requires many degree-seeking students to demonstrate proficiency in computer operations and software applications. Students may take ITE 115 in computer literacy and competency. Students may demonstrate proficiency in core computer competencies by passing each of the three sections of the IC³: Internet and Computing Core Certification (Computer Competency Certification Exam). The three sections cover topics in Computing Fundamentals, Key Applications, and Living Online. Each section requires the purchase of an exam voucher. In the event of a student not passing a section, two retakes are allowed, with the purchase of additional vouchers. There is no waiting period required for the initial retake and a mandatory seven day waiting period for the second retake. Students should allow approximately three hours to complete all three exams.

Individuals seeking IC³ certification are required to take and pass all three IC³ exam sections. Each section must receive a passing score to achieve the LFCC computer literacy requirement. If students don’t pass the exam or if they feel that they need to improve their computer skills, they must take a computer course.

However, after passing the IC³ exam, students neither earn college credit for exam certification nor fulfill computer competency requirements at transferring universities or colleges. Students who successfully demonstrate proficiency may then select an appropriate elective to complete the required credit hours for their degree.

Classification of Programs

Programs offered by the College may be classified both by their purpose and by the degree or certificate to which they lead. College-parallel transfer programs lead to an associate of arts and sciences (AA&S) degree. They are intended to prepare students for transfer to four-year baccalaureate programs.