

## General Education Curriculum

North Carolina Central University's General Education Curriculum (GEC) prepares students academically and professionally for leadership in a culturally diverse world. Emphasis is placed upon oral and written communications, scientific inquiry, technological proficiency, cultural competency, and critical thinking.

<b>ENGLISH</b> (6 credit hrs)	ENG 1110 - English Composition I (3) *English placement is determined by SAT/ACT scores or High School English course grades	ENG 1210 - English Composition II (3)
<b>FOREIGN LANGUAGE</b> (3 credit hrs)	SPAN 1192 - Elementary Spanish II (3) FREN 1192 - Elementary French II (3) GERM 1192 - Elementary German II (3) MFL 1192 Critical Language II **First-year students are required to take a placement examination in the desired foreign language. Students who place into Level I must complete Level I and II courses. A student who places beyond Level II will have met the language requirement for the University and no further course work is required.	
<b>MATHEMATICS</b> (3-5 credit hrs)	MATH 1080 - Mathematics for Liberal Arts & Social Sciences (3) <b>MATH 1100 - College Algebra and Trigonometry I (3)</b> <b>MATH 1110 - Elementary Statistics (3)</b> MATH 1200 - College Algebra and Trigonometry II (3) MATH 1210 - Finite Mathematics (3) MATH 1410 - Pre-Calculus Mathematics (5) Or a higher level course *One of these courses is required *Math placement is determined by SAT/ACT scores or High School Math Course Grades	
<b>SCIENCES</b> (6-8 credit hrs)	BIOL 1000 - Heredity and Society (3) BIOL 1100 - General Biology (3) BIOL 1300 - Molecules and Cell Function (4) BIOL 2105 - Biology/Chemistry. Introduction to Computational Science and Informatics (3) CHEM 1000 - Physical Science Related to Chem (3) CHEM 1100 - General Chemistry I (4) CHEM 1200 - General Chemistry II (4) CHEM 1500 - Chemistry and Human Life (3) CHEM 2105 - Computational Science & Informatics (3) GEOG 2010 - Online Weather (3) GEOG 2100 - Physical Geography (3) GEOG 2120 - Geology (3) GEOG 2350 - Earth Science (3) PHYS 1000 - Physics w/ Application to Enviro Topics (3) PHYS 1210 - The Language of Science (3) PHYS 1050 - Astronomy (3) SCI 1220 - Science Odyssey (4) STEM 1200 Scientific Decisions in Everyday Life (3) ENSC 1000 - Intro to Sustainable Planet (3) *Two of these courses are required	
<b>SOCIAL SCIENCES</b> (6 Credit hrs)	HIST 1320 - World Societies (3) *This course is required	HIST 1530 - The Black Experience to 1865 (3) HIST 1540 - The Black Experience Since 1865 (3) ECON 2200 - Principles of Macroeconomics (3) ECON 2100 - Principles of Microeconomics (3) GEOG 1000 - Intro to Geography (3) GEOG 1100 - World Regional Geography (3) GLST 1000 The Global Experience (3) POLS 2100 - American Government (3) PSY 2100 - General Psychology (3) SOCI 2000 - Global Societies and Human Behavior (3) SOCI 2100 - Principles of Sociology (3) SOCI 2300 - Social Problems (3) *One of these courses is required

<b>ARTS &amp; HUMANITIES</b> <b>(5-6 Credit hrs)</b>	HUM 2410 - Arts & Humanities I (3) HUM 2420 - Arts & Humanities II (3)  <b>*One of these courses is required.</b>	ART 1000 - Intro to the Study of Art (2) ART 3200 - African-American Art History (4) ART 1500 - Survey of the History of Art (3) DRAM 1000 - Appreciation of Drama (2) DRAM 2110 - History of the Theatre I (3) DRAM 2120 - History of the Theatre II (3) ENG 1300 - World Literature I (3) ENG 1400 - World Literature II (3) ENG 1500 - Writing about Literature (3) ENG 1700 - Religion and Literature (3) ENG 2340 - Contemporary African American Literature (3) FREN 2300 - Intro to Francophone Literature (3) GERM 2104 - Intro to German Civilization (3) GERM 2105 - Intro to German Literature (3) HUM 2410 - Arts & Humanities I (3) HUM 2420 - Arts & Humanities II (3) MUSL 1000 - Survey of Music (3) MUSL 1300 - Twentieth-Century Music (2) PHIL 1000 - Intro to Philosophy (3) PHIL 2210 - Ethics (3) SPAN 2300 - Intro to Hispanic Literature (3) SPAN 3300 - Intro to African-Hispanic Literature (3)  <b>*One of these courses is required.</b>
<b>HEALTH &amp; WELLNESS</b> <b>(4 Credit hrs)</b>	HEDU 1531 - Health (2)  <b>*This course is required</b>	KIN 1541 - Fitness (2)  <b>*This course is required</b>
<b>SOCIAL &amp; CAREER</b> <b>ENHANCEMENT/</b> <b>DEVELOPMENT</b> <b>(2 Credit hrs)</b>	UNIV 1100 - First Year Seminar (2) <b>Students above age 24 and/or that have taken</b>	
<b>WRITING-INTENSIVE</b> <b>COURSE</b>	In the writing-intensive course, students will demonstrate their knowledge of the course's subject matter through constructive critical writing and the production of effective written assignments related to the field. These courses engage students in writing as a form of critical inquiry and scholarly research in disciplines across the curriculum.	
<b>SPEAKING-INTENSIVE</b> <b>COURSE</b>	It is strongly recommended that students complete MSCM 1250 - Elements of Speech Communication (3) or MSCM 2200 - Introduction to Public Speaking (3) to satisfy the speaking requirement.	
<b>COMMUNITY</b> <b>ENGAGEMENT</b> <b>REQUIREMENT</b> <b>(120 HOURS)</b>	Undergraduate students enrolled full-time at North Carolina Central University for four or more years, must complete an aggregate of fifteen (15) hours of community-engaged or community-based service with approved partners for each semester of full-time enrollment at the University requiring 120 total hours.  <i>The service requirement for students enrolled part-time is prorated for each semester that the student is enrolled as a part-time student. The calculation is based on the number of credit hours per course.</i>	