



IAI (Illinois Articulation Initiative) General Education Core Curriculum Planning Worksheet

Effective for students following the 2025-2026 catalog

This worksheet is for students **not seeking a degree from Black Hawk College**, but who plan to transfer to an IAI participating institution. For any discrepancies between this worksheet and the catalog, the catalog prevails. **Students with a specific transfer major and institution in mind should contact that school for course recommendations and work closely with a Black Hawk College advisor.**

General Education

- For the IAI GECC credential to be noted on the official transcript, all completed courses must be IAI approved. Refer to "Graduation Requirements" in the BHC catalog.
- Complete information about IAI can be found at www.itransfer.org.
- Up to twenty credits may be earned by the following methods: Departmental Proficiency, Portfolios, Advanced Placement Program (AP), College Level Examination Program (CLEP), Armed Service Experience, High School Articulation, and International Baccalaureate (IB). Refer to "Non-Traditional Credit" in the catalog.

Course Key:	Prefix	Number	Credit Hours	Title	IAI Code
	ENG	101	(3)	Composition I	(C1 900)

The N in the IAI code is for courses designated specifically to examine aspects of human diversity from a non-U.S., non-European perspective.

The D in the IAI code is for courses designated specifically to examine aspects of human diversity within the United States.

COMMUNICATION

3 COURSES (9 CREDITS) □

_____ * ENG 101 or 101C (3)	Composition I (C1 900)	_____ SPEC 101 (3)	Principles of Speech Communication (C2 900)
_____ * ENG 102 (3)	Composition II (C1 901R)	*A grade of "C" or better in ENG 101/ENG 101C and ENG 102 is required for graduation and IAI credit including course equivalents transferred from other colleges.	

HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS

3 COURSES (9 CREDITS) □

Choose one course from Humanities and one course from Fine Arts. The third course can be from either category.

Humanities:

_____ ENG 190 (3)	Introduction to Literature (H3 900)	_____ HIST 125 (3)	Western Civilization I (H2 901)
_____ ENG 206 (3)	Ethnic American Literature (H3 910D)	_____ HIST 127 (3)	Western Civilization II (H2 902)
_____ ENG 207 (3)	Introduction to Women Writers (H3 911D)	_____ HIST 222 (3)	Comparative Religions (H5 904N)
_____ ENG 210 (3)	Introduction to Fiction (H3 901)	_____ ** HUM 101 (3)	Western Arts & Cultures (HF 900)
_____ ENG 214 (3)	Modern American Literature (H3 915)	_____ ** HUM 102 (3)	Non-Western Arts & Cultures (HF 904N)
_____ ENG 217 (3)	Africa & Caribbean Literature (H3 908N)	_____ PHIL 100 (3)	Logic (H4 906)
_____ ENG 218 (3)	Latin American Lit - Translation (H3 908N)	_____ PHIL 101 (3)	Introduction to Philosophy (H4 900)
_____ ENG 219 (3)	Asian Literature (H3 908N)	_____ PHIL 103 (3)	Ethics (H4 904)
_____ ENG 221 (3)	Survey of British Literature (H3 912)	_____ PHIL 206 (3)	Philosophy of Religion (H4 905)
_____ ENG 223 (3)	Introduction to Shakespeare (H3 905)	_____ POLS 200 (3)	Intro to Political Thought (H4 907, PLS 913)
_____ ENG 240 (3)	Children's Literature (H3 918)	_____ SPAN 202 (4)	Intermediate Spanish II (H1 900)
_____ ** ENG 250 (3)	Film as Literature (HF 908) (through spring 2024)		

Fine Arts:

_____ ART 100 (3)	Art Appreciation (F2 900)	_____ ** HUM 102 (3)	Non-Western Arts & Cultures (HF 904N)
_____ ART 281 (3)	History of Western Art I (F2 901)	_____ MUSC 154 (3)	Music Appreciation (F1 900)
_____ ART 282 (3)	History of Western Art II (F2 902)	_____ MUSC 158 (3)	Intro to Non-Western Music (F1 903N)
_____ ART 285 (3)	Survey of Asian Art (F2 903N)	_____ MUSC 160 (3)	MUSC 160 (3) Jazz, Blues and Rock & Roll (F1 905D) (starting fall 2024)
_____ ART 286 (3)	Survey of Non-Western Art (F2 903N)	_____ THEA 111 (3)	Introduction to Theatre Arts (F1 907)
_____ ** ENG 250 (3)	Film as Literature (HF 908) (through spring 2024)	_____ TV 212 (3)	History & Appreciation of the Motion Picture (F2 909)
_____ ENG 255 (3)	Introduction to Film (F2 908) (starting fall 2024)		
_____ ** HUM 101 (3)	Western Arts & Cultures (HF 900)		

**May satisfy a Humanities -OR- Fine Arts requirement.

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

3 COURSES (9 CREDITS) ☐

Choose courses from at least two disciplines.

_____ ANTH 100 (3)	Intro to Anthropology (S1 900N)	_____ HIST 142 (3)	History of Asia since 1500 (S2 920N)
_____ ANTH 101 (3)	Intro to Physical Anthropology (S1 902)	_____ HIST 151 (3)	History of the Middle East Since 1700 (S2 920N)
_____ ANTH 102 (3)	Intro to Cultural Anthropology (S1 901N)	_____ HIST 200 (3)	African-American History (S2 923D)
_____ ANTH 103 (3)	Intro to Archaeology (S1 903)	_____ IS 200 (3)	Global Issues (S9 900)
_____ ECON 221 (3)	Principles of Macroeconomics (S3 901)	_____ POLS 122 (3)	American National Government (S5 900)
_____ ECON 222 (3)	Principles of Microeconomics (S3 902)	_____ PSYC 101 (3)	Intro to Psychology (S6 900)
_____ HIST 105 (3)	US History to 1877 (S2 900)	_____ PSYC 200 (3)	Human Growth & Development (S6 902)
_____ HIST 106 (3)	US History since 1877 (S2 901)	_____ PSYC 262 (3)	Child Psychology (S6 903)
_____ HIST 115 (3)	World History to 1500 (S2 912N) (starting spring 2024)	_____ SOC 101 (3)	Principles of Sociology (S7 900)
_____ HIST 116 (3)	World History since 1500 (S2 913N) (starting spring 2024)	_____ SOC 102 (3)	Contemporary Social Problems (S7 901)
_____ HIST 141 (3)	History of Asia to 1500 (S2 920N)	_____ SOC 250 (3)	Social Inequality (S7 905D)
		_____ SOC 251 (3)	Sociology of Families (S7 902)
		_____ SOC 264 (3)	Social Psychology of Aging (S6 905)

MATHEMATICS

1 COURSE (3 CREDITS MINIMUM) ☐

_____ MATH 108 or 108C (3)	Statistics for General Ed (M1 902)	_____ MATH 200 (4)	Math for Elem Teachers II (M1 903) (starting fall 2024.) Only for students majoring in Elementary Educ. or Special Educ.
_____ MATH 110 or 110C (3)	Math for General Education (M1 904)		
_____ MATH 124 (4)	Calculus I with Analytic Geo (M1 900-1, MTH 901)	_____ MATH 225 (4)	Calculus II with Analytic Geo (M1 900-2, MTH 902)
_____ MATH 131 (3)	Finite Mathematics (M1 906)	_____ MATH 226 (5)	Calculus III with Analytic Geo (M1 900-3, MTH 903)
_____ MATH 132 (4)	Calculus for Bus/Soc Sciences (M1 900-B)	_____ MATH 228 (3)	Probability and Statistics (M1 902, BUS 901)
_____ MATH 161 (3)	Discrete Mathematics (M1 905, CS 915)		

PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES

2 COURSES (7 CREDITS MINIMUM) ☐

Select one course from Group 1 (Physical Sciences) and one course from Group 2 (Life Sciences), including at least one course that meets the lab science requirement, or select both NSCI 101 and NSCI 102.

Group 1 - Physical Sciences:

_____ ASTR 101 (4)	Astronomy: The Solar System (P1 906L)
_____ ASTR 102 (4)	Astronomy: Stars and Galaxies (P1 906L)
_____ CHEM 101 (4)	General Chemistry I (P1 902L, CHM 911)
_____ CHEM 110 (4)	Introduction to Chemistry (P1 902L)
_____ CHEM 111 (4)	Organo-Bio-Chemical Principles (P1 904L)
_____ PHYS 101 (5)	College Physics I (P1 900L)
_____ PHYS 110 (4)	Introduction to Physics (P1 900L)
_____ PHYS 140 (3)	Practical Physics (no lab) (P1 900)
_____ PHYS 201 (5)	Mechanics and Thermal Physics (P2 900L, PHY 911)
_____ PS 101 (4)	Introduction to Physical Science (P9 900L)
_____ PS 205 (3)	Issues in Science, Tech and Soc (no lab) (P9 900)

Group 2 - Life Sciences:

_____ BIOL 100 (4)	Introduction to Biology (L1 900L)
_____ BIOL 101 (4)	General Human Biology (L1 904L)
_____ BIOL 105 (5)	General Biology I (L1 910L, BIO 910)
_____ BIOL 106 (5)	General Biology II (L1 910L, BIO 910)
_____ BIOL 190 (4)	Animal Diversity (L1 902L)
_____ BIOL 200 (3)	Environmental Bio – Human Impact (no lab) (L1 905)
_____ BIOL 201 (3)	Environmental Bio – Diversity (no lab) (L1 905)
_____ BIOL 211 (4)	General Botany (L1 901L)
_____ BIOL 250 (3)	Genetics (no lab) (L1 906)
_____ * BIOL 251 (1)	Genetics Laboratory (L1 906L)

*Completion of, or concurrent enrollment in, BIOL 250 required. BIOL 250 plus BIOL 251 satisfy the lab requirement for graduation.

Interdisciplinary Sciences:

_____ NSCI 101 (3)	Environmental Science I (no lab) (LP 900)
_____ NSCI 102 (4)	Environmental Science II (LP 901L)

Students seeking a teaching license (i.e. elementary, early childhood, special, middle-level, secondary) should see an advisor before enrolling in NSCI courses.

General Education Core Curriculum credits (37 minimum) _____

Students should maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA to transfer in good standing.

**See page 3 for important information about course combinations for
CHEM, ENG, MATH and PHYS.**

Students may not receive graduation credit twice for the following combinations of completed coursework:

- a. ENG 101 and ENG 101C
- b. MATH 108 and MATH 108C*
- c. MATH 110 and MATH 110C
- d. MATH 112 and MATH 112C

** Additionally, if taking MATH 108 or MATH 108C, and also MATH 228, one course can count as general education and the other course as an elective toward graduation.*

Effective fall 2025 – rules for the following combinations of successfully completed coursework:	
PHYS 101 taken first, followed by PHYS 201	See Note
PHYS 201 taken first	PHYS 101 enrollment not allowed
PHYS 102 taken first, followed by PHYS 202	See Note
PHYS 202 taken first	PHYS 102 enrollment not allowed
CHEM 110 taken first, followed by CHEM 101	See Note
CHEM 101 taken first	CHEM 110 enrollment not allowed
Note: both courses in the combination can receive graduation credit.	