



Cornerstone
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Grand Rapids, Michigan

DESIGNING A PROGRAM



HOW TO READ THE CATALOG

COURSE NUMBERS, LEVELS AND CREDITS

This does not mean that freshman students, for instance, are limited to those courses numbered in the 100s. Often scheduling difficulties make it more convenient to take a course or two just above or below the general class standing. In most cases, this will not present great difficulties. Courses numbered lower than 100 are remedial and do not count toward graduation credit. The letter preceding a course number indicates the department from which a course is taught. Cornerstone University's letters indicate the following:

100 - Freshman
200 - Sophomore
300 - Junior
400 - Senior

Prefix	Course Type	Division Listing Description
ACC	Accounting	Business
ARB	Arabic	Humanities
BIO	Biology	Kinesiology, Science & Mathematics
BUS	Business	Business
CHL	Community Health	Social Science
CHM	Chemistry	Kinesiology, Science & Mathematics
CIS	Computer Information Systems	Business
CMI	Christian Ministries	Bible, Religion & Ministry
COM	Communication Studies	Communication & Media
CSS	Center for Student Success	Interdisciplinary Studies
DAN	Dance	Communication & Media
ECN	Economics	Humanities
ECO	Ecology	Kinesiology, Science & Mathematics
EDU	Education	Teacher Education
EGR	Engineering	Kinesiology, Science & Mathematics
ENG	English	Humanities
FAM	Family Studies	Social Science
FIN	Finance	Business
FRN	French	Humanities
GER	German	Humanities
GRK	Greek	Bible, Religion & Ministry
HEB	Hebrew	Bible, Religion & Ministry
HIS	History	Humanities
HUM	Humanities	Humanities
IDS	Interdisciplinary	Interdisciplinary Studies
JRN	Journalism	Communication & Media
KIN	Kinesiology	Kinesiology, Science & Mathematics
LAT	Latin	Humanities
LIN	Linguistics	Humanities
MAT	Math	Kinesiology, Science & Mathematics
MDA	Media	Communication & Media
MGT	Management	Business
MKT	Marketing	Business
MUA	Applied Music	Music
MUP	Music Performance	Music
MUS	Music	Music
OSA	Oxford Tutorial	Humanities
PHI	Philosophy	Humanities
PHO	Photography	Communication & Media
PHY	Physics	Kinesiology, Science & Mathematics
PSY	Psychology	Social Science
PUB	Public Relations	Communications & Media
REL	Religion	Bible, Religion & Ministry
SCI	Science	Kinesiology, Science & Mathematics
SOC	Sociology	Social Science
SPA	Spanish	Humanities
SSC	Social Science	Humanities
SWK	Social Work	Social Science

Credits for completion of the course are listed directly after the course name. Note: The courses are alphabetized according to the full spelling of the discipline, not just the three letter code.

Example:

<u>Department</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Name</u>	<u>Number of Credits</u>
ENG	226	Intro to Creative Writing	3

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS AND FREQUENCIES

Course descriptions are located at the end of each division section of the catalog. They will indicate the general content of the course, prerequisites for the course, credits and frequency of the course. Course frequencies are listed here and at the beginning of each division's course descriptions for your convenience:

- 1 = Every Semester
- 2 = Alternate Semesters
- 3 = Every Third Semester
- 4 = Alternate Years
- 5 = Every Three Years
- 6 = As Needed

Example:

<u>Department</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Course Name</u>	<u>Credits/Frequency</u>
ENG	212	Writing In Culture	3/1

Using effective and ethical research practices to develop and write persuasive essays on topics related to contemporary culture and social justice. Particular attention will be paid to rhetorical sensitivity, stylistic accuracy, and thoughtful worldview engagement. Prerequisites: English competency

GRADUATION WORKSHEET

Name	Catalog Used
Major	Total Credits
Minor	Total Credits
Minor #2	Total Credits

CORE REQUIREMENTS

Course	Credits

MAJOR

Course

Credits

MINOR

Course

Credits

MINOR #2 (IF DESIRED)

Course

Credits

EDUCATIONAL PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM

Elementary

Secondary

Credits

CHANGE/SUBSTITUTIONS

Approval

In File?

Credits completed _____

Credits in progress _____

Credit next semester _____

Credits the following semester _____

Center for Student Success credits _____
(not counted toward graduation)

TOTAL CREDITS _____

Cumulative GPA (2.0 needed) _____

Major GPA (2.5 needed) _____

Minor GPA (2.0 needed) _____

- 12 hours in major at Cornerstone
- 32 hours overall at Cornerstone
- 24 of last 33 hours at Cornerstone
- 60 hours at Cornerstone for bachelor honor graduates

List all program changes made in consultation with your advisor. These changes must have approval recorded with the Registrar's Office to be valid.