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# Campus Locations Academic Calendar

# 2012 Fall Semester

Full Term		
Web Registration Begins	Monday	April 2
Faculty Report	Monday	August 20
Classes Begin	Saturday	August 25
Last Day for 100% Refund for Full Term	Sunday	August 26
Last Day to Add Classes or Register Late	Tuesday	August 28
Last Day to Aud Classes of Register Late		
Last Day to Change from Audit to Credit	Tuesday	August 28
Labor Day Holiday	Monday	September 3
Graduation Applications for Fall Due	Tuesday	September 4
Last Day to Drop/Withdraw Without a	Friday	September 7
Grade of "W"		
Last Day for 75% Refund for Full Term	Saturday	September 8
Last Day for 25% Refund for Full Term	Wednesday	September 19
Graduation Applications for Spring/	Friday	October 5
Summer Due		
Fall Break	Monday	October 15-16
rall bleak	Monday-	October 13-10
	Tuesday	
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes	Friday	November 2
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	Friday	November 2
Thanksgiving Holiday	Thursday-	November 22-25
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Last Day of Classes	Monday	December 10
Examination Period	Tuesday-	December 11-13
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Grades Due - Noon	Friday	December 14
Accelerated Terms (Five Weeks)		
Last Day for 100% Refund for Term I	Sunday	August 26
Term I Begins	Monday	August 27
Last Day for 75% Refund for Term I	Thursday	August 30
Labor Day Holiday	Monday	September 3
Last Day for 25% Refund for Term I	Tuesday	September 4
Last Day to Withdraw from Term I	Thursday	September 20
Term I Énds	Monday	October 1
Last Day for 100% Refund for Term II	Monday	October 1
Term II Begins	Tuesday	October 2
Last Day for 75% Refund for Term II	Saturday	October 6
Last Day for 25% Refund for Term II	Thursday	October 11
Fall Break	Monday-	October 15-16
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	Tuesday	0 1 00
Last Day to Withdraw from Term II	Monday	October 29
Last Day for 100% Refund for Term III	Tuesday	November 6
Term III Begins	Wednesday	November 7
Last Day for 75% Refund for Term III	Saturday	November 10
Term II Ends	Monday	November 12
Last Day for 25% Refund for Term III	Wednesday	November 14
Thanksgiving Holiday	Thursday-	November 22-25
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Last Day to Withdraw from Term III	Friday	November 30
Term III Ends	Thursday	December 13
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First 7 Week Classes - Term I		
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Classes Begin	Friday	August 24 August 25
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Last Day to Change from Audit to Credit	Saturday	August 25
Last Day for 100% Refund	Sunday	August 26
Last Day for 75% Refund	Thursday	August 30
Labor Day Holiday	Monday	September 3
Last Day for 25% Refund	Thursday	September 6
Last Day to Withdraw	Tuesday	September 25
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	Tuesday	September 25
Last Day of Classes	Friday	October 12

Second 7 Week Classes - Term II Last Day for 100% Refund Classes Begin Last Day to Add Classes or Register Late Last Day to Change from Audit to Credit Last Day for 75% Refund Last Day for 25% Refund Last Day to Withdraw Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Thanksgiving Holiday  Last Day of Classes	Wednesday Thursday Thursday Thursday Tuesday Monday Thursday Thursday Thursday- Sunday Sunday	October 17 October 18 October 18 October 18 October 23 October 29 November 22 November 22 November 22-25
10 Week Classes - Term I Last Day for 100% Refund Classes Begin Last Day to Add Classes or Register Late Last Day to Change from Audit to Credit Labor Day Holiday Last Day for 75% Refund Last Day for 25% Refund Last Day to Withdraw Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Fall Break Last Day of Classes	Saturday Sunday Monday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Friday Friday Monday- Tuesday Tuesday	August 25 August 26 August 27 August 27 September 3 September 4 September 12 October 12 October 12 October 15-16
10 Week Classes - Term II Last Day for 100% Refund Classes Begin Last Day to Add Classes or Register Late Last Day to Change from Audit to Credit Last Day for 75% Refund Last Day for 25% Refund Fall Break Last Day to Withdraw Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Thanksgiving Holiday	Monday Tuesday Wednesday Wednesday Friday Monday- Tuesday Thursday Thursday Thursday- Sunday	September 26
Last Day of Classes	Monday	December 10
Accelerated, 7 Week, 10 Week and Weeken	nd classes obs	serve the same

holidays and breaks as Full Term Classes.

Please refer to the Contemporary Management website for specific dates of each accelerated class. http://www.roanestate.edu/mgt

# **2013 Spring Semester**

Full Term		
Web Registration Begins	Monday	November 12,
		2012
Faculty Report	Thursday	January 10
Last Day for 100% Refund for Full Term	Wednesday	January 16
Classes Begin	Thursday	January 17
Martin Luther King Holiday	Monday	January 21
Last Day to Drop/Withdraw Without a Grade	Wednesday	January 30
of "W"		
Last Day for 75% Refund for Full Term	Thursday	January 31
Last Day for 25% Refund for Full Term	Monday	February 11
Spring Break	Monday-	March 11-17
	Sunday	
Good Friday Holiday	Friday	March 29
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes	Saturday	March 30
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	Saturday	March 30

Academic Festival	Wednesday Thursday	Music Only April 18 -
Last Day of Classes Examination Period	Monday Tuesday-	Event May 6 May 7-9
Grades Due - Noon Graduation	Thursday Friday Friday- Saturday	May 10 May 10 & 11
Accelerated Terms (Five Weeks) Last Day for 100% Refund for Term I Term I Begins Last Day for 75% Refund for Term I Last Day for 25% Refund for Term I Last Day to Withdraw from Term I Term I Ends Last Day for 100% Refund for Term II Term II Begins Last Day for 75% Refund for Term II Last Day for 25% Refund for Term II Spring Break Last Day to Withdraw from Term II Good Friday Holiday Term II Ends Last Day for 100% Refund for Term III Term III Begins	Wednesday Thursday Tuesday Saturday Sunday Sunday Monday Thursday Monday Sunday Sunday Sunday Saturday Friday Saturday Sunday Sunday	January 16 January 17 January 22 January 26 February 10 February 23 February 24 February 25 February 28 March 4 March 11-17 March 23 March 29 April 6 April 7 April 8
Last Day for 75% Refund for Term III Last Day for 25% Refund for Term III Last Day to Withdraw from Term III Term III Ends	Thursday Monday Sunday Saturday	April 11 April 15 April 28 May 9
First 7 Week Classes – Term I Last Day for 100% Refund Classes Begin Martin Luther King Holiday Last Day for 75% Refund Last Day for 25% Refund Last Day to Withdraw Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes	Wednesday Thursday Monday Wednesday Tuesday Sunday Sunday Wednesday	January 17 January 21 January 23 January 29 February 17 February 17
Second 7 Week Classes – Term II Last Day for 100% Refund Classes Begin Spring Break	Thursday Friday Monday- Sunday	March 7 March 8 March 11-17
Last Day for 75% Refund Last Day for 25% Refund Good Friday Holiday Last Day to Withdraw Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes	Thursday Tuesday Friday Monday Monday Sunday	March 21 March 26 March 29 April 15 April 15 May 5
10 Week Classes - Term I Last Day for 100% Refund Classes Begin Martin Luther King Holiday Last Day for 75% Refund Last Day for 25% Refund Last Day to Withdraw Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Spring Break  Good Friday Holiday Last Day of Classes  10 Week Classes - Term II	Wednesday Thursday Monday Saturday Sunday Saturday Monday- Sunday Friday	January 16 January 17 January 21 January 26 February 3 March 9 March 11-17 March 29 April 5
Last Day for 100% Refund Classes Begin	Thursday Friday	February 14 February 15

Last Day for 75% Refund Last Day for 25% Refund Spring Break	Saturday Sunday Monday-	February 23 March 3 March 11-17
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Good Friday Holiday	Friday	March 29
Last Day to Withdraw	Sunday	April 7
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	Sunday	April 7
Last Day of Classes	Friday	May 3

Accelerated, 7 Week, 10 Week and Weekend classes observe the same holidays and breaks as Full Term Classes

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# 2013 Summer Semester

Expanded Term Web Registration Begins Last Day for 100% Refund for Expanded Term Classes Begin Last Day to 75% Refund for Expanded Term Last Day to 25% Refund for Expanded Term Memorial Day Holiday Fourth of July Holiday Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes Grades Due – Noon	Monday Sunday Monday Wednesday Friday Monday Thursday Friday Friday Monday	April 1 May 12 May 13 May 22 May 31 May 27 July 4 July 5 July 5 July 26 July 29
Maymester Last Day for 100% Refund for Maymester Classes Begin Last Day for 75% Refund for Maymester Last day for 25% Refund for Maymester Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Memorial Day Holiday Last Day of Classes	Sunday Monday Tuesday Thursday Friday Friday Monday Friday	May 12 May 13 May 14 May 16 May 24 May 24 May 27 May 31
Full Term Last Day of 100% Refund for Full Term Classes Begin Last Day for 75% Refund for Full Term Last Day for 25% Refund for Full Term Fourth of July Holiday Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes	Sunday Monday Sunday Saturday Thursday Monday Monday Friday	June 2 June 3 June 9 June 15 July 4 July 8 July 8 July 26
First Term Last Day for 100% Refund for First Term Classes Begin Last Day for 75% Refund for First Term Last Day for 25% Refund for First Term Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes	Sunday Monday Wednesday Saturday Wednesday Wednesday Friday	June 8 June 19
Second Term Last Day for 100% Refund for Second Term Classes Begin Last Day for 75% Refund for Second Term Fourth of July Holiday Last Day for 25% Refund for Second Term Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes	Sunday Monday Wednesday Thursday Saturday Wednesday Wednesday Friday	July 4 July 6 July 17

First Term Contemporary Management accelerated courses begin June 3 Second Term Contemporary Management accelerated courses begin June

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# 2013 Fall Semester

Full Term		
Web Registration Begins	Monday	April 1
Faculty Report Classes Begin	Monday Saturday	August 19 August 24
Last Day for 100% Refund for Full Term	Sunday	August 25
Labor Day Holiday	Monday	September 2
Graduation Applications for Fall Due	Tuesday	September 3
Last Day to Drop/Withdraw Without a	Friday	September 6
Grade of "W"		
Last Day for 75% Refund for Full Term	Saturday	September 7
Last Day for 25% Refund for Full Term	Wednesday	September 18
Graduation Applications for Spring/	Friday	October 4
Summer Due	Mandan	Ostahan 14 15
Fall Break	Monday-	October 14-15
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indining it in grand	Sunday	28-December 1
Last Day of Classes	Monday	December 9
Examination Period	Tuesday-	December 10-12
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Grades Due - Noon	Friday	December 13
Accelerated Terms (Five Weeks)	G 1	
Last Day for 100% Refund for Term I	Sunday	August 25
Term I Begins Last Day for 75% Refund for Term I	Saturday Tuesday	August 24 August 27
Last Day for 25% Refund for Term I	Saturday	August 31
Labor Day Holiday	Monday	September 2
Last Day to Withdraw from Term I	Monday	September 16
Term I Ends	Saturday	September 28
Last Day for 100% Refund for Term II	Sunday	September 29
Term II Begins	Monday	September 30
Last Day for 75% Refund for Term II	Friday	October 4 October 9
Last Day for 25% Refund for Term II Fall Break	Wednesday Monday-	October 14-15
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Last Day to Withdraw from Term II	Wednesday	October 23
Last Day for 100% Refund for Term III	Wednesday	
Term III Begins	Thursday	November 7
Last Day for 75% Refund for Term III	Sunday	November 10
Term II Ends	Monday	November 11
Last Day for 25% Refund for Term III	Thursday	November 14
Thanksgiving Holiday	Thursday-	November
Last Day to Withdraw from Term III	Sunday	28-December 1
Term III Ends	Saturday Thursday	November 30 December 12
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Classes Begin	Saturday	August 24
Last Day for 100% Refund	Sunday	August 25
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Last Day to Withdraw	Tuesday	September 24
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit		September 24
Last Day of Classes	Friday	October 11
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10 Week Classes – Term I		
Last Day for 100% Refund	Saturday	August 24
Classes Begin	Sunday	August 25
Last Day for 75% Refund	Tuesday	September 3
Last Day for 25% Refund	Wednesday	September 11
Last Day to Withdraw	Friday	October 11
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Fall Break	Friday Monday-	October 11 October 14-15
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Last Day of Classes	Tuesday Monday	November 4
10 Week Classes - Term II		
Last Day for 100% Refund	Wednesday	September 25
Classes Begin	Thursday	September 26
Last Day for 75% Refund	Friday	October 4
Last Day for 25% Refund	Saturday	October 12
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Full Term Web Registration Begins	Monday	November 11, 2013
Faculty Report Last Day for 100% Refund for Full Term Classes Begin Martin Luther King Holiday Last Day to Drop/Withdraw Without a Grade of "W"	Thursday Wednesday Thursday Monday Wednesday	January 9 January 15 January 16 January 20
Last Day for 75% Refund for Full Term Last Day for 25% Refund for Full Term Spring Break	Thursday Monday Monday- Sunday	January 30 February 10 March 10-16
Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Academic Festival Good Friday Holiday Last Day of Classes Examination Period  Grades Due - Noon	Monday Monday TBA Friday Monday Tuesday- Thursday Friday	March 31 March 31 April 18 May 5 May 6-8
Accelerated Terms (Five Weeks) Last Day for 100% Refund for Term I Term I Begins Last Day for 75% Refund for Term I	Friday- Saturday Wednesday Thursday Tuesday	January 15 January 16 January 21

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of each accelerated class. http://www.roanestate.edu/mgt

# **2014 Summer Semester**

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Grades Due – Noon	Monday	July 28
Maymester Last Day for 100% Refund for Maymester Classes Begin Last Day for 75% Refund for Maymester Last day for 25% Refund for Maymester Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Memorial Day Holiday Last Day of Classes	Sunday Monday Tuesday Thursday Friday Friday Monday Friday	May 11 May 12 May 13 May 15 May 23 May 23 May 26 May 30
Full Term Last Day of 100% Refund for Full Term Classes Begin Last Day for 75% Refund for Full Term Last Day for 25% Refund for Full Term Fourth of July Holiday Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes	Sunday Monday Sunday Saturday Friday Monday Monday Friday	June 1 June 2 June 8 June 14 July 4 July 7 July 7 July 25
First Term Last Day for 100% Refund for First Term Classes Begin Last Day for 75% Refund for First Term Last Day for 25% Refund for First Term Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes	Sunday Monday Wednesday Saturday Wednesday Wednesday Friday	June 7 June 18
Second Term Last Day for 100% Refund for Second Term Classes Begin Last Day for 75% Refund for Second Term Fourth of July Holiday Last Day for 25% Refund for Second Term Last Day to Withdraw from Classes Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit Last Day of Classes	Sunday Monday Wednesday Friday Sunday Wednesday Wednesday Friday	July 4 July 6 July 16
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# **General Information**

# **List of Academic Programs**

Associate of Arts (A.A.)

**Tennessee Transfer Pathways** 

Art (Studio)

Criminal Justice

**Economics ETSU** 

**Economics UOM Economics UTK** 

English

Foreign Language

History

Mass Communications

Political Science

Psychology

Sociology

Theatre Arts

#### Roane State Areas of Emphasis (A.A.)

Computer Art and Design

General/Undecided

Music

Social Work

### Associate of Science (A.S.) Degree Program

**Tennessee Transfer Pathways** 

Accounting

Biology

**Business Administration** 

Chemistry

Civil Engineering

Computer Science

Criminal Justice

**Economics Business** 

**Economics MTSU** 

**Economics UTC** 

Exercise Science/Health & Wellness

History

Information Systems

Kinesiology

Mass Communications

Mathematics

Mechanical Engineering

Physics

Political Science

Pre-Occupational Therapy

Pre-Physical Therapy

**Pre-Health Professions** 

Psychology

Sociology

Theatre Arts

#### Roane State Areas of Emphasis (A.S.)

Agriculture

Computer Art and Design

Early Childhood Education

Forestry

General/Undecided

Music

Physical Science

Pre-Engineering

Pre-Law

Pre-Nursing

Secondary Education

Social Work

Special Education

Wildlife and Fisheries

#### Associate of Fine Arts (A.F.A.) Degree Program

Music

#### Associate of Science in Teaching (A.S.T.) Degree Program

K-6 Elementary Education

#### Associate of Applied Science (A. A. S.) Degree Programs

Allied Health Sciences

Business Management Technology

Accounting Option

**Business Administration Option** 

**Business Management Option** 

Computer Science Option

E-Commerce Option

General Business Option

Contemporary Management

Criminal Justice

Dental Hygiene Technology

Early Childhood Education

Environmental Health Technology

General Technology

Geographic Information Systems

Health Information Technology

Nursing (RN)

Occupational Therapy Assistant

Opticianry

Paralegal Studies

Physical Therapist Assistant

Radiologic Technology

Respiratory Therapy Technology

#### **Technical Certificate Programs**

Computer Science

Early Childhood Education

Geographic Information Systems

#### **Allied Health Science Certificates**

Diagnosis & Procedural Coding

Emergency Medical Technology

Massage Therapy

Medical Transcription

Paramedic

Pharmacy Technician

Polysomnography

# Accreditation

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The college's career preparation programs are accredited as follows:

#### **Business Management Technology**

Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP)

#### **Contemporary Management**

Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP)

#### **Dental Hygiene**

Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association (CODA)

#### **EMT-Paramedic**

Committee on Accreditation of Educational Programs for the EMS Professions (CoAEMSP) and Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP)

#### **Health Information Technology**

Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM)

#### **Massage Therapy**

Commission on Massage Therapy Accreditation (COMTA)

#### Nursing

National League for Nursing Accreditation Commission (NLNAC)

#### **Occupational Therapy Assistant**

Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE)

#### **Opticianry**

Commission on Opticianry Accreditation (COA)

#### **Pharmacy Technician**

American Society of Health System Pharmacists (ASHP)

#### **Physical Therapist Assistant**

Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE)

#### **Polysomnography**

Committee on Accreditation of Polysomnographic Technologist Education (CoAPSG)

Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP)

#### Radiologic Technology

Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology (JRCERT)

#### **Respiratory Therapy Technology**

Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care (CoARC)

# Statement of Mission and Purpose

Roane State's vision is to enhance individual lives and the economic development of the region by serving as the higher education center of choice for its communities, bringing the highest standards of educational quality within the reach of students wherever they live and work.

Roane State Community College is a comprehensive, public, two-year

postsecondary institution and a member of the State University and Community College System governed by the Tennessee Board of Regents. Roane State serves the higher education needs of a widely diverse eight-county service area which includes Roane, Anderson, Loudon, Campbell, Scott, Cumberland, Morgan, and Fentress counties and expands to include Knox and Blount counties for the delivery of health technologies. At multiple staffed teaching locations and with a wide range of distance-learning offerings, Roane State brings the benefits of higher education within the reach of all who live and work in these different communities.

Roane State awards the associate of arts and associate of science degrees to students who wish to transfer to a four-year college or university. For those students seeking immediate career opportunities, licensure, or professional skill upgrading, Roane State awards the associate of applied science degree as well as technical certificates of credit. The college offers career programs for the 21st century workplace and has achieved regional and national distinction for the diversity and quality of its programs in the field of health care. To meet the needs of students who must balance multiple career and family priorities in the pursuit of their educational goals, Roane State offers programs in flexible and convenient instructional formats and has developed cooperative partnerships with area K-12 schools, the Tennessee Technology Centers, and four-year institutions to facilitate a seamless transition through all stages of the educational process.

Roane State provides a challenging and nurturing learning environment which encourages and inspires students to meet the high expectations and standards needed for responsible citizenship and to embrace the concept of learning as a lifelong endeavor. Regardless of their program of study, Roane State students are provided a sound foundation in critical thinking, problem-solving, and communication skills and exposed to a curriculum which broadens their understanding and respect for wellness, diverse ideas and cultures, and a sense of the global community.

Through the various divisions which support its continuing education and community service mission, Roane State offers a wide array of specialized courses, programs, and services. These range from rigorous customized training for business, industry, and public service providers to offerings for cultural, aesthetic, and recreational awareness and enjoyment.

Just as Roane State values lifelong learning as the key to thriving in a complex and rapidly changing world, so too the college embraces technology as the driver which will power those changes and is committed to integrating the most efficient and effective uses of technology throughout the institution for the enhancement of learning and of service. Inside and outside the classroom, Roane State students are given a foundation in the use of technology required to succeed in 21st century society.

Roane State's success can only be measured by the success of its students and by maintaining its demonstrated reputation as a center for higher education excellence. The ongoing assessment of educational outcomes and administrative objectives and a firm commitment to the change and evolution necessary to ensure continuous improvement will enable the college to fulfill its vision for those it serves. The college community affirms as its highest values honesty and integrity, respectful communication, and a commitment to personal and professional accountability.

Roane State remains committed to the education of a non-racially identifiable student body and promotes diversity and access without regard to race, gender, religion, national origin, age, disability, or veteran status.

# **College History**

#### Roane State's Beginnings

Beginning with the Pierce-Albright Report in 1957, which resulted in a \$200,000 appropriation by the Tennessee General Assembly in 1963 to initiate the community college system, the philosophy of community colleges in Tennessee has been to provide higher education for all Tennessee residents. The first three community colleges were established in 1965, with one in each of Tennessee's three grand divisions— Cleveland State in East Tennessee, Columbia State in Middle Tennessee, and Jackson State in West Tennessee. Additional community colleges opened in Dyersburg and Tullahoma in 1969. The sixth community college opened in Morristown in 1970.

In 1969, the General Assembly, upon the recommendation of Governor Buford Ellington and the state Department of Education, authorized three additional community colleges to be built in Sumner, Roane, and Shelby counties. After visits by Commissioner J. Howard Warf and other officials from the state Department of Education in 1969, a site on Patton Lane was chosen as the permanent location of Roane State Community College.

#### **Facilities Growth**

RSCC opened in temporary quarters at the former Fairmont Elementary School in Harriman in the fall of 1971. In the fall of 1973, the college moved into its first permanent building on the main campus in Roane County.

Groundbreaking for the second building on the Roane State campus was held in January 1977. This three-story Technology Building was occupied in December 1978.

Construction on Campus Expansion Phase II began in June 1978. The Maintenance Building was completed in June 1979, and the Library/ Learning Resource Center in September 1980. In addition to reference and audio-visual services, the center houses Distance Learning and the Center for Teaching Arts and Technology. A branch campus at Hardin Valley Road and Pellissippi Parkway was occupied in the fall of 1986. This campus was shared with a sister institution in Knox County.

With the establishment of Pellissippi State Technical Community College in the fall of 1988, Roane State moved its Oak Ridge campus to new sites in Oak Ridge.

Phase I of the East Tennessee Agricultural Exhibition Center was completed in 1988 at the Roane County campus. Phase II was completed in 2000. The facility continues to host a variety of agricultural, civic and community events.

In June of 1994, Roane State held a dedication ceremony for its first permanent Higher Education Center at the new facility in Huntsville. The Scott County Center was named after Earl McDonald, a former Scott Countian who generously provided a \$1 million gift to help build the new campus. The center's library was named after Scott County native Howard H. Baker, Jr., former senator and chief-of-staff for President Reagan. Baker's memorabilia and world-renowned photographs are displayed throughout the facility. The 15,000-square-foot center is situated on 37 wooded acres provided by W.H. Swain.

In August of 1994, the college held its long-awaited groundbreaking for the new \$6.3 million Humanities Building. Final approval of funding for the building came after 13 years of support by community and political leaders. The Humanities Building was opened for classes in the spring of 1997.

In December of 1998, Roane State held a dedication ceremony for its second permanent Higher Education Center in Crossville. The Cumberland County Center was named after Roy and Joanne Stone. The Stones donated the 40-acre tract of land for the new center and made significant financial contributions as well. The center's library was named after the Cumberland Clinic Foundation in honor of this organization's significant financial contribution.

Roane State occupied a new facility in Knox County to accommodate Health Sciences education that Roane State provides in the expanded service area of Knox and Blount counties. The facility houses classrooms for nursing, respiratory therapy, polysomnography, and EMT/paramedic programs.

Another hard-won dream of the college became a reality when the Oak Ridge Branch Campus celebrated the dedication of its permanent, state-of-the-art, 120,000 square foot facility on August 13, 1999. The building is named in honor of State Senator Randy McNally and former State Representative David Coffey in recognition of their contributions and leadership in the campaign for the permanent Oak Ridge Branch Campus.

In October 2001, dedication ceremonies were held to celebrate the opening of a multi-million dollar facility in which Roane State leases space for the Loudon County Higher Education Center. The college shares this facility with the Loudon County Career Center and the Lenoir City Public Library. City and county officials worked closely with the college to make this valuable community resource a reality after a 1999 fire destroyed the downtown block in Lenoir City where the center now stands.

In November 2004, a ribbon-cutting ceremony was held to celebrate the opening of the Fentress County Higher Education Center in Jamestown. The facility is located on property leased from York Institute and consists of five portable units provided by the Fentress County Board of Education. A bronze plaque was presented to Guy and Claudine Pinckley for their effort in providing most of the financial resources necessary to make the center a reality.

In 2005, the Campbell County Higher Education Center was completed. This 18,000 sq. ft. building in Lafollette replaced the college's leased center in Woodson's Mall. Thanks to a bequest by Lillian Michaelis and a land gift by Ed Wheeler, Campbell County now enjoys a permanent college campus.

In spring 2008, the Morgan County Higher Education Center opened thanks to the support of Wayne and Margaret Solomon whose significant financial contributions made the campus possible. Lawrence and Eva Hines gave the college the land on which the campus is located.

In July 2011, the \$1.28 million Cumberland Business Incubator (CBI) opened on the Cumberland County campus. Financing for the CBI was supported with federal, state and local resources. The Cumberland County Commission and Crossville City Council each committed \$250,000 for the construction of the CBI. In addition, Roane State received an \$880,000 grant from the U.S. Commerce Department's Economic Development Administration.

#### **Student Population Growth**

Roane State was projected to be the second or third smallest two-year state college when it opened its doors in the fall of 1971 – enrolling

323 students in 35 classes taught by 20 faculty. Over the years, the college enjoyed a consistently upward trend in enrollment with two notable student growth areas - off-campus and distance learning.

Roane State now serves more than 6,800 students who are enrolled for credit. In addition, more than 40,000 individuals become involved in the various non-credit courses, seminars, workshops, cultural activities, exposition events and special educational services offered by the college.

#### **Dual Studies**

Dual studies classes allow high school students to earn college credit and high school credit at the same time. Roane State first offered these courses in 1997. The college's program, called First Class, has experienced tremendous growth. By spring 2011, the number of high school students taking dual studies had grown to 1,311. To put that number in perspective, if dual enrollment were considered as a RSCC campus during spring 2011, it would have enrolled more students than seven others centers.

#### **International Education**

The college has made tremendous strides in preparing students to live and work in a global society. In 2008, the college brought in its first large group of visiting international students and has since welcomed many more. Roane State has also expanded international travel opportunities for students. Destinations have included Denmark, France, Italy, England, Ecuador and other countries.

#### **Technology**

In 1992, Roane State became the first Tennessee community college to offer classes through live video teleconferencing, and in 1996, RSCC offered its first Web classes. The college has continued to expand the number of courses offered through live video teleconferencing and online. In 2008, the college received a grant to add video classroom technology into area high schools, allowing students to take RSCC courses in their own high schools.

The college, with the City of Harriman, launched Channel 15 television station in 2011. In addition to being a great source of local programming, Channel 15 is a key component of the college's mass communications program.

Also in 2011, Roane State made wireless Internet available on all campuses.

#### **Grant Funding**

Roane State, with the help of many partners, has been awarded several grants to support education initiatives in the college's service area. For example, in 2009, the college received an \$880,000 federal grant for the Cumberland Business Incubator (CBI). In 2010, Roane State received a \$2.86 million federal grant to launch the Advanced Materials Training and Education Center (AMTEC). Roane State continues to succeed in winning grants and implementing grant-funded projects.

#### The Presidents of Roane State

In May of 1970, Dr. Cuyler A. Dunbar was selected as the first president of the college.

With 18 years of service to the college, President Dunbar left Roane State in 1988 to assume the presidency of Catawba Valley Community College in Hickory, North Carolina.

Dr. Sherry L. Hoppe was appointed on an interim basis and later named as Roane State's second president in spring 1989.

In February 2000, Dr. Sherry Hoppe accepted an appointment as interim president at Austin Peay State University and was selected as the university's permanent president in January 2001. During this period, Vice President for Financial Services William S. Fuqua, III served as interim president of Roane State.

On October 15, 2001, Dr. Wade B. McCamey became Roane State's third president. In August of 2005, Dr. McCamey accepted the presidency of Walters State Community College in Morristown.

Dr. Gary Goff became Roane State's fourth president on August 19, 2005 after serving as an academic dean and vice president for business at Hillsborough Community College in Tampa, Florida.

#### Milestones

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1974	The college was accredited by the Southern Association of
1076	Colleges and Schools to award the associate degree.
1976	77% of all students were taught on-campus.
1979	40% of all enrollment was off-campus.
1980-81	Roane State became the fourth-largest Tennessee community
1981	college. The governor stated that Roane State Oak Ridge and State
	Technical Institute at Knoxville should share a location on the
1981-82	Technology Corridor. Roane State became the third-largest Tennessee community
1983-84	college, by FTE. Women's basketball team won the national championship, the
1985-86	first for a two-year Tennessee college.  Roane State became the second-largest Tennessee community
	college with 40% of its enrollment off-campus.
1989	All faculty and staff offices were equipped with a personal computer or terminal.
1989-90	Roane State became the first college in Tennessee to have
1990-91	electronic telephone registration. RSCC has more health science programs than any other two-
1990-91	year college in Tennessee. The college won the AACJC Exemplary Program and Services
	Award for Excellence of Off-campus Higher Education Centers.
1991-92	Telecourse programming began with two video courses in
1771 72	the fall and three more in the spring. A total of 250 students
1992-93	enrolled. The first distance learning (IDEA) classrooms to be offered
	by any Tennessee community college were installed. By
	1995, with five compressed video classrooms, RSCC became
	the largest user of this technology among TBR community
	colleges.
1994-95	E-mail access became available to all RSCC students.
1996-97	The Tamke-Allan Observatory was completed in June on the
1006.07	Schweinler property overlooking Watts Bar Lake.
1996-97	RSCC offered its first classes on the World Wide Web.
1997	Roane State first offered dual studies classes.
2005-06	For an unprecedented fourth year, RSCC earned a perfect 100
2005.06	points on the THEC Performance Funding Program evaluation.
2005-06	Career education programs had a 96% placement rate.
2005-06	RSCC students rated their entire educational experience higher
2005.06	than state or national peers.
2005-06	All former past presidents came "home" to kick off the
2006.05	college's celebration of 35 years of academic excellence.
2006-07	Over \$14 million was awarded in student financial aid.
2007	Bromma Pemberton Linville and Bill Swain, major
	benefactors of the college's Scott County campus, became the
	first people to receive honorary degrees from Roane State.

2007-08 2008-09	Morgan County Center for Higher Education opened. Roane State received \$265,000 federal grant to add new interactive classrooms at area high schools and RSCC
2009	campuses. Roane State posted the highest retention rate of all community colleges in Tennessee, according to data from the Tennessee
2009	Board of Regents. Roane State established a college police department and named Matt Foster as its first Director of Public Safety and
2009	Chief of Police. The college received an \$880,000 federal grant for the Cumberland Business Incubator (CBI), paving the way for
2009	construction to begin. The Tennessee Board of Regents awarded an Academic Excellence Award to Roane State for the college's annual
2009-10	Academic Festival. Roane State experienced record enrollment with over 6,300 students attending.
2010	The college received a \$2.86 million federal grant to support educating workers in advanced materials technician-level
2010	training. Roane State completed its fundraising campaign to support
2010	expansion of the college's Oak Ridge campus. Roane State broke ground on the Cumberland Business
2010	Incubator at the Cumberland County campus. The Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of
2010	Colleges and Schools reaffirmed Roane State's accreditation. The Oak Ridge campus expansion received final approval from
2010	the Tennessee Board of Regents.
2011	According to the Tennessee Higher Education Commission 2010-2011 Factbook, Roane State had the top 2009-2010 job
	placement rate (97 percent) of any community college in the
2011	state. Channel 15 television station, created by Roane State and the City of Harriman, went on the air and became a key
	component of the college's new mass communications
2011	program. The Cumberland Business Incubator (CBI) at the Cumberland
2011 2012	County campus opened. Roane State made wireless Internet available on all campuses. Roane State ranked 27th among the nation's top 500
	community colleges and No. 1 in Tennessee, according to
2012	StateUniversity.com. Dr. Jill Biden, wife of Vice President Joe Biden, and U.S.

Secretary of Labor Hilda Solis visited with Roane State faculty, staff and students as part of the Community College to

The renovated Princess Theatre in downtown Harriman, which

The college broke ground for the new Health Sciences and

Technology Building at the Oak Ridge campus.

Career bus tour.

is operated by Roane State, opened.

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# Glossary

**Add deadline** - The latest date in a semester to add a course to a student's class schedule.

**Admission** – The process of being admitted to Roane State allowing you to register for classes. Completion of the admissions process does not constitute registration for classes.

**Admissions file** – The documents collected for admission to the college. These documents include application, transcripts, test scores, immunization record, and any other information required by the Admissions or Records and Registration Offices.

**Advisor** – A full-time faculty member who meets with designated students to help make curriculum choices and discuss progress toward achieving educational goals.

**Articulation agreement** – A document that outlines the curriculum agreed to by Roane State and a four-year college or university to satisfy the degree requirements at Roane State and at the receiving four-year institution.

Associate's degree – An associate's degree is awarded to students after completion of a core curriculum. Students completing options in University Parallel (transfer) programs receive the Associate of Science (A.S.) or Associate of Arts (A.A.) degree. Students who complete options in Career Preparation programs receive an Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree.

**Audit** – Taking a course but not for credit. Students pay required fees and attend class but are not required to complete assignments or take exams.

Career Preparation – An Associate of Applied Science degree program for students who wish to seek employment after completing two years of college work.

**Compass Test** – An assessment to identify a student's academic strengths and weaknesses in reading, writing, and mathematics. This information is used to provide advisement and placement in courses that best help the student improve skills in these areas, as well as study skills.

**Corequisite** – A course that is required to be taken simultaneously with another.

**Course** – A subject or class in which instruction is offered within a given period of time for a semester and for which credit toward a degree is given.

**Course load** – The total number of semester hours or credit hours in which a student is enrolled for a semester.

**Credit hour** – One hour of classroom study per week over the period of a semester.

**Curriculum** – The whole body of courses offered for study by the college or by a particular department.

**Drop deadline** – The latest date in a semester to add or drop a course from a student's class schedule.

**Elective** – A subject or course that is accepted toward fulfillment of credit for a degree or certificate but is not specifically required for that degree

or certificate. So termed because a student elects or chooses to take the course.

**Full-time student** – A student enrolled in 12 or more credit hours of coursework per semester.

**Grant** – Financial aid that does not have to be paid back.

**Humanities** – Any course at Roane State in art, literature, humanities, music, philosophy or theatre.

**Learning Support** - Foundation courses in English, math, reading, and study skills designed for students who are not fully prepared for college level courses. Placement in Learning Support courses is determined by ACT, SAT or Compass test scores.

**Loan** – Financial aid that must be paid back, usually within a specified time.

**Major** – The academic area offered by Roane State in which one specializes.

**Part-time student** – A student enrolled in less than 12 credit hours of coursework per semester.

**Physical/Natural Science** – Any science that deals with phenomena observable in nature – biology, chemistry and physics.

**Prerequisite** – A course requirement to be completed or a level of skill or knowledge to be demonstrated prior to enrollment in a course or program.

**Probation** – The status of students when their cumulative GPA drops below college standards. Students may still enroll while on probation.

**Readmit** – An Admissions form students must fill out if they have not attended Roane State for one or more semesters.

 $R\!\#$  - A unique computer generated student identication number.

**Registration** – The process of officially enrolling in one or more courses. Students must be admitted to Roane State before they can register for classes.

**Semester** – A period of instruction lasting 15 weeks at Roane State. Two semesters, fall and spring, ordinarily compose a college year. The third semester, summer, is optional and may be used as a time to catch up or get ahead.

**Social Science** – Any course at Roane State in anthropology, economics, geography, political science, psychology, or sociology.

**Suspension** – The status of students when their cumulative GPA drops below Roane State's standards for two consecutive semesters. Students may not enroll while on suspenion.

**Transcript** – An official record of academic history including coursework and grades.

**University Parallel** – Major programs of study designed primarily for students who wish to transfer to a four-year college or university and complete a baccalaureate degree. The credits earned from these programs lead to the A.S. or A.A degree.

# Admission **Procedures**

# Admission to the College

RSCC can aid in the intellectual development of anyone who wants to take advantage of a high-quality, low-cost, state-supported educational experience. The following sections describe in detail the costs and procedures for admission to Roane State Community College.

The information included in this section of the catalog is provided to guide you through these steps. If you have questions which are not explained, please contact the Student Enrollment and Recruitment Office at (865) 882-4554 or 1-866-GO2-RSCC, ext. 4554. College tours may be scheduled at the Student Enrollment and Recruitment Office or at any off campus location.

Roane State Community College subscribes to the "open door" policy for admissions; however, prospective students must meet the admission requirement for the student classification for which they are seeking admission. If ACT or SAT scores and/or placement assessment results indicate any academic deficiencies, enrollment in certain courses could be limited. Regular admission is granted to those students whose ACT or SAT scores and/or placement results indicate there are no academic deficiencies.

The following general requirements apply, and more specific requirements are found under "General Student Classifications."

- Students must graduate from an approved high school, home school or receive a GED high school equivalency diploma and submit to the Admissions Office an official high school transcript or an official copy of GED scores. Transcripts for graduates from Tennessee public high schools must provide evidence that the student passed the required Tennessee Comprehensive Assessment Program (TCAP) or Gateway. NOTE: The high school transcript must be a regular or honors diploma. A special ed diploma or certificate of attendance DOES NOT meet this requirement.
- Students must file an application for admission and submit a non-refundable application fee of \$20. The application form must have all appropriate spaces completed. Knowingly supplying false information on the application may result in denial of admission or disciplinary action if already admitted.
- All students must complete the Certificate of Immunization form or provide proof of two doses of Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR) vaccines if born in or after 1957 and proof of two doses of the Varicella (Chicken Pox) vaccine if born in or after 1980.
- 4. All students must complete and sign the Hepatitis B Health History form.
- 5. All freshman applicants under 21 years of age must submit ACT or SAT scores. Information on the ACT may be obtained from the high school counselor, the Testing Center at RSCC, or by writing to American College Testing, Inc., P.O. Box 168, Iowa City, Iowa 52242. Roane State Community College's ACT Code Number is 039850. This number should be used to request that scores be sent to RSCC.

6. Students who have graduated from a Tennessee high school and who have not earned one credit in American history while in the high school program are required to complete 6 semester hours of American history during their first 30 hours of regular enrollment at Roane State. This requirement does not affect the student who enters the college with a GED certificate.

All correspondence concerning your admission file except college transcripts should be addressed to:

Admissions and Records Office Roane State Community College 276 Patton Lane Harriman, Tennessee 37748

A candidate for admission should request application forms early enough to allow ample time for required materials to be forwarded to the Admissions and Records Office.

When all required documents have been received, the applicant will be sent a letter indicating that he/she has been accepted for admission or he/she will be advised by letter that further action is necessary in order to establish eligibility for admission. Applicants will be also advised when to appear for testing, counseling, and registration.

The Student Right to Know Act, 34 CFR 668.41, requires all institutions who participate in financial assistance programs under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 and who award athletically-related student aid to publish the freshmen rate of athletically-related financial aid and the graduation rate or completion rate for all first-time, full-time, degree or certificate seeking freshmen who entered college by fall of 1996 and subsequent years. This information is available upon request from the Admissions and Records Office.

ADDITIONAL ADMISSION AND RETENTION REQUIREMENTS ARE IN EFFECT FOR ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES AND NURSING PROGRAMS. PREFERENCE FOR ADMISSION WILL BE GIVEN TO RESIDENTS OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE.

# **General Student Classifications**

# **Degree Student**

Applicants who take courses for credit which will apply toward a degree. Categories for degree-seeking students are First-Time College Student, Transfer Student, Readmitted Student, International Student, and Permanent Resident.

#### First-Time College Student

A student pursuing a degree at Roane State\* and has never attended college before must complete the following:

- Submit application for admission and non-refundable \$20 application fee.
- Submit official high school transcripts or official copy of GED scores. Transcripts must be mailed directly to the Admissions and Records Office and should include date of graduation as well as verification that the student passed the required proficiency examination.

NOTE: The transcript of a home school student should be an official copy from an affiliated organization as defined by state law (T.C.A. 49-50-801). Transcripts from independent home school students must be accompanied by certification of registration with the superintendent of the local education agency which the student would otherwise attend. (A form is available upon request from the Admissions and Records Office.) Students unable to provide a satisfactory secondary school credential may substitute acceptable GED scores.

- 3. All applicants under 21 years of age will be placed by ACT or SAT scores. Please see the placement chart at the end of this section. Roane State prefers the ACT but will accept the SAT. These scores will be used to determine the areas in which the student will be required to undergo placement assessment. Enrollment in the courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.
- 4. All applicants 21 years of age and older must undergo placement assessment. Students 21 years of age and older may choose to take the ACT and be placed according to the abovementioned guidelines. Only ACT or SAT scores less than three years old as of the first day of the first term of enrollment will be used to determine placement.
- All students enrolled in Composition I will be evaluated during the first week of classes. Students showing deficiencies will be referred to testing for possible placement in appropriate Learning Support courses.

ACT English**	Place in College English Place in Writing Learning	ENGL 1010 ENGL 0891
ACT Math**	Support Place in College Level Math Place in Mathematics Learning	MATH 0891
ACT Reading	Support Place in College Level Courses Place in Reading Learning Support	READ 0891

<sup>\*</sup> If you were dual-enrolled in college while still in high school and have not attended college AFTER high school graduation, then you would be considered as a *new freshman*, regardless of the number of college hours earned with dual-enrollment.

#### **Transfer Student**

A degree-seeking applicant who has attended another college or university will be considered a transfer student.

- Submit an application for admission and non-refundable \$20 application fee.
- 2. Transcripts from all previously attended institutions should be mailed directly to the Admissions and Records Office. Transcripts are not accepted from students. An evaluation of college credit will be completed. An official high school transcript or GED scores must also be submitted. Until official copies of all college transcripts have been received and evaluated by the Admissions and Records office, the student may not be eligible to receive Financial Aid.
- Transfer students who have successfully completed a collegelevel English and mathematics course are exempt from the academic placement (COMPASS) test. Students who have completed neither, or only one, of these college-level courses will be required to take one or more parts of the COMPASS

- test. Transfer students whose ACT or SAT scores demonstrate appropriate levels may be exempt from parts of the COMPASS test. NOTE: Only ACT or SAT scores less than three years old as of the first day of the first term of enrollment will be used to determine exemption status.
- 4. Transfer students age 21 and older, who have less than 60 semester hours of credit, will have their course records evaluated for proof of competency in the areas of reading, writing, and mathematics. Students lacking college course work in these areas will be required to undergo placement assessment. Enrollment in courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.
- Learning Support course work taken at other TBR institutions will be posted to the student's RSCC transcript and will be considered in determining the number of attempts.
- All transfer students with 60 or more semester hours will be exempt from placement testing.
- 7. Transfer applicants who do not meet the Roane State retention standards or whose last term of enrollment resulted in academic suspension may be required to undergo placement assessment. Enrollment in the courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.
- 8. Transfer applicants whose last term of attendance resulted in academic suspension and who are currently serving a suspension at another institution must meet with the Admission and Retention Committee to request admission. If admission is recommended by the committee, the applicant may be required to undergo placement assessment as noted in section 3 above.
- Credits for courses not corresponding with the curriculum at Roane State may be entered on the transcript as elective credit. All credit will be posted within the first term of enrollment.

#### Readmitted Student

Any former Roane State applicant or student not enrolled the previous two semesters (excluding summer) who wishes to return to the college will be considered a readmit student. Students seeking readmission should:

- Submit an application for readmission. There is no application fee charged under this category. (PLEASE NOTE: Students who applied for admission but never attended should fill out the general application for admission in lieu of the readmission application if it has been more than 1 year since making application to the college.)
- Degree seeking students must submit official transcripts from all colleges or universities attended since their enrollment at Roane State.
- 3. All applicants whose last semester of attendance resulted in academic suspension and who are seeking readmission within one calendar year of that suspension must meet with the Admission and Retention Committee to appeal the suspension prior to readmission. If reinstated, these students may be required to undergo placement assessment. Enrollment in the courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.
- Effective spring 1992, readmit students who took courses at RSCC prior to fall 1985 are no longer exempt from fulfilling Learning Support requirements in placement testing and course completion.

#### **International Student**

An applicant who is a citizen or a permanent resident of a country other than the United States is classified as an international student.

<sup>\*\*</sup>SAT English 450-Above; SAT Math 460-Above

English Proficiency: An international student or permanent resident whose native language is NOT English must satisfy one of the following prerequisites:

- Submit a minimum score of 500 on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or 173 on the new computer-based TOEFL (CBT) or 61 on the Internet-based TOEFL (IBT).
- Submit a transcript showing graduation from an American high school.
- Submit a transcript from another U.S. institution showing satisfactory completion (a minimum grade of C must be achieved in college-level English Composition I).

It is the responsibility of the international student to be familiar with the regulations of the Department of Homeland Security's Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services and assume responsibility for complying with these regulations.

The following should be submitted to the Student Enrollment and Recruitment Office no later than 45 days prior to the beginning date of the term the applicant wishes to enroll.

- Application for admission with a non-refundable \$20 application fee.
- Official copies of academic records from secondary schools, colleges, or universities accompanied by notarized or certified English translation of these documents.
- International students under 21 years of age must submit ACT or SAT scores.
- Placement assessment may be required dependent upon age, admissions category (new or transfer), and ACT/SAT scores. Enrollment in courses indicated by results of the assessment is mandatory.
- 5. For F-1 (student) visas, evidence of financial resources adequate for all expenses for at least one year of enrollment is required. The first-year fees and expenses total \$22,000. (This figure is an estimate and is subject to change.) Additional funds are required if the student plans to bring a spouse or dependent into the country. An official statement from a U.S. bank verifying these resources will meet this requirement. If original statement is in foreign currency, an official conversion to U.S. dollars from the foreign bank must accompany the statement.
- Provide documentation substantiating official status with the Department of Homeland Security's Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services. (Passport, visa, 194, etc.) Official documents must be presented in person to the Admissions Office for validation.
- All international students are required to have health and accidental insurance from a Roane State approved U.S. company.
- 8. Provide proof of two doses of Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR) vaccines if born in or after 1957.
- 9. Provide proof of two doses of the Varicella (Chicken Pox) vaccine if born in or after 1980.
- 10. Sign Hepatitis B immunization waiver form.

All international students applying for admission pursuant to a student visa shall submit a certificate from a licensed physician or other qualified medical authority verifying freedom from tuberculosis within thirty (30) days from the first day of classes. Failure to submit such certification shall result in denial of further enrollment or admission. In the event that a student either has tuberculosis or has potential tuberculosis requiring medical treatment, continued enrollment will be conditioned upon the determination by a licensed physician that further enrollment does not present a risk to others and upon the student's compliance with any

prescribed medical treatment program.

NOTE: On October 26, 2001, Congress enacted the Uniting and Strengthening America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to Intercept and Obstruct Terrorism Act of 2001. The act amends the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act to permit institutions to disclose education records to federal law enforcement officials without student consent if the appropriate United States official, certifying that "specific and articulable facts" support the request, obtains a court order that requires an educational institution to turn over education records that are considered relevant to a terrorism investigation.

#### **Permanent Resident**

The student must meet all applicable requirements for regular admission to the college.

Other requirements are as follows:

- Permanent Resident Alien card must be presented in person to the Student Enrollment & Recruitment Office, One Stop Shop, or the campus nearest you for validation.
- 2. A permanent resident whose native language is NOT English must submit a minimum score of 500 on the TOEFL or 173 on the computer-based TOEFL (CBT) or 61 on the Internet-based TOEFL (IBT) or meet one of the requirements from the English Proficiency section listed above.
  - \*Appeals concerning English proficiency may be made to the Director of Student Enrollment and Recruitment.

# **Non-Degree Student**

Applicants who do not work toward a degree may be admitted as a non-degree student. Students in this category who wish to be reclassified to degree-seeking must submit appropriate transcripts and possibly undergo placement assessment. A change of status form must be completed. Forms are available in the Admissions and Records Office. Reclassification will not occur until all requirements of the new admissions category are met. Students may not change status during the first term of enrollment. These categories include: Technical Certificate, Transient, Audit, Personal/Professional Enrichment, and Dual Enrollment Students (High School Students). To receive Financial Aid students must be degree-seeking or seeking one of the certificates approved for Financial Aid.

#### **Technical Certificate Student**

Students enrolled in the technical certificates credit programs are considered non-degree students. Since Allied Health Sciences are limited in enrollment, applicants to these programs must also complete an online Allied Health Sciences application. Some certificate programs may require additional testing before being admitted. Students wishing to enroll in a technical certificate program should:

- Submit an application for admission along with a nonrefundable \$20 application fee.
- 2. Submit an official copy of high school transcript or GED scores or college transcript.

NOTE: The high school transcript must be a regular or honors diploma. A special ed diploma or certificate of attendance DOES NOT meet this requirement.

To receive Financial Aid in this student category, you must be seeking one

of the certificates approved for Financial Aid.

#### **Transient Student**

A regularly enrolled student of another institution who wants to take a limited number of hours during a term and who is not presently working toward a degree at Roane State may be admitted as a transient student. To enroll as a transient student:

- Submit an application for admission and pay the non-refundable \$20 application fee.
- 2. Students planning to take college courses with prerequisite requirements must submit a college transcript verifying that prerequisites have been met.

#### **Audit Student**

Students who want to enroll on a non-credit basis may choose to audit coursework at Roane State. Fees for audits will be assessed on the same basis as fees for credit courses. A student who attends a class with audit status will not receive a grade. Instead, enrollment is reflected on the academic record as 'AU' for audit. Transcripts of previous schoolwork are not required under this category. To enroll as audit:

- Student should submit an application for admission with nonrefundable \$20 application fee.
- Some disabled or elderly students may qualify for a special fee rate. Proof of age may be required by the Admissions and Records Office. For more information regarding fees for disabled and senior citizens, refer to Business Information. NOTE: Learning Support courses as well as fast-track and freshman level English Composition courses may not be taken for audit.

Admission to classes for audit may be limited or denied based on availability of space.

#### Personal/Professional Enrichment

Students who do not wish to pursue a degree or certificate but want to enhance personal and/or professional skills may enroll in the non-degree seeking special categories of Non High School Graduate, High School Graduate, Student with Previous College Credit, and College Graduate.

#### Non High School Graduate

- Applicant who has passed his/her 18th birthday and who does not have a regular high school diploma or GED and who wishes to pursue the GED through learning support instruction.
- Students 21 or older who have not earned a high school diploma and not currently enrolled in high school.

#### To enroll:

- Submit an application for admission and non-refundable \$20 application fee.
- 2. Undergo placement assessment.
- 3. Take the prescribed Learning Support courses only.

Student may change to degree-seeking status by successfully completing the GED and completing a change of status form.

#### **High School Graduate**

Applicant who has earned a regular high school diploma or GED may

enroll in any course except college-level math, English, or one that has college-level math or English prerequisites. Any student who plans to enroll in math or English courses must undergo placement assessment unless he/she has taken the ACT within the last 3 years and has scores which waive this requirement. (For ACT requirements, refer to "General Student Classifications" under "Admission Procedures".) To enroll, students should submit an application for admission and non-refundable \$20 application fee. (No transcript is needed.)

#### **Student with Previous College Credit**

Applicant who has earned college credit but does not have a degree may enroll after completing the following:

- Submit application for admission and non-refundable \$20 application fee.
- Undergo placement assessment if enrolling in math or English courses unless student has already completed college-level math or English.

#### **College Graduate**

An application for admission with a non-refundable \$20 application fee should be submitted. The submission of a college transcript to verify the completion of prerequisite courses may be required.

#### **Dual Enrollment Students (High School Students)**

Students who have completed their sophomore year in high school and meet the criteria for Dual Enrollment may earn college credit while still in high school. Two options are available:

- Dual Enrollment—Allows students to enroll in classes that award both high school and college credit.
- Joint Enrollment—Allows high school student to enroll in college classes and earn college credit only.

To enroll in the Dual Enrollment Program student applicants should:

- Submit an online application for admission to the Admissions and Records Office with application fee and appropriate immunization records.
- 2. Complete First Class Registration form to enroll in specific class. Form requires school administrator and parental signatures.
- 3. Have a 3.0 GPA or better on a 4.0 scale or 2.75 on a 5.0 scale to enroll in academic courses.
- Submit high school transcript with ACT or PLAN scores. ACT/ PLAN sub-scores in mathematics and reading must be 19 or higher, and English requires a score of 18 or higher to enroll in academic courses.
- 5. Complete a Tennessee Dual Enrollment Grant form (online) if requesting lottery funding toward the cost of tuition.

Courses satisfactorily completed will count as credit for those who submit a high school transcript showing evidence of high school graduation. Dual Enrollment students must submit a final high school transcript verifying high school graduation and work with the Student Enrollment Services staff to make the transition from dual enrollment status to college status.

To enroll in Dual Enrollment coursework students should contact the high school counselor. NOTE: procedure changes in the Dual Enrollment option are ongoing. Please contact the Director of Dual Studies at Roane State for current information, 865-882-4504.

#### **Academically Gifted Student (High School Students)**

A student in grade 9 or 10 who has been classified as "academically gifted" by evaluation through the multi-disciplinary team process may earn college credit while in high school. To enroll as an Academically Gifted student applicants should:

- Submit an Academically Gifted application, an application for admission and a non-refundable \$20 application fee.
- 2. Have a grade-point average of 3.2 or better on a 4.0 scale.
- Have approval of the high school principal and the Director of Student Enrollment and Recruitment.
- 4. Enroll only in those courses designated in the student's Individual Education Program (IEP) developed by the multi-disciplinary team. A copy of the student's IEP showing those courses or a list of the approved courses from a school official must be sent to the Director of Student Enrollment and Recruitment before registration will be allowed. In lieu of the IEP, official letters from the secondary administration, specifically listing recommended college courses will be accepted.
- Submit high school transcript. If home-schooled, the Student Enrollment Office should be contacted for instructions for the academically gifted category.
  - Note: If you were dual-enrolled in college while still in high school and have not attended college AFTER high school graduation, then you would be considered as a *new freshman*, regardless of the number of college hours earned with dual-enrollment.

# **Admission Requirements**

To enroll in a transfer program leading to an associate of arts or an associate of science degree, and eventually a bachelor's degree, the Tennessee State Board of Regents requires the completion of specific high school courses.

All applicants who graduated from a high school or home school in or subsequent to 1989 must meet the following requirements in addition to those listed in the student's selected program of study. Applicants who received a GED certificate in 1989 and thereafter as well as students who have an Enhanced ACT Composite score of 26 or higher are considered to have met all high school unit requirements except those in foreign language and visual/performing arts.

	Units
English	4
Mathematics (1 of each)	3
Algebra I and II	
Geometry or other advanced math with Geometry component	
Natural/Physical Science	2
At least 1 unit must be Biology I or II,	
Biology for Technology, Chemistry I or II,	
Physics, or Principles of Technology II	
U.S. History	1
Social Studies	1
Foreign Language	2
Visual/Performing Arts	1

Applicants who are found to be deficient in any of the above areas may be admitted on a provisional basis. Questions regarding this policy should be forwarded to the Admissions and Records Office.

#### **Removal of Entrance Deficiencies**

Students with academic deficiencies will be notified by the Admissions

and Records Office.

Requirement English	Course Needed *See note
Algebra I and II	*See note
Geometry or other advanced math	
with geometry component	WITH 0770
Natural/Physical Science I	BIOL 1110
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Natural/Physical Science II	ASTR 1010
	BIOL 1120, 2020
	CHEM 1000, 1020, 1120
	GGY 102
	GEOL 1050
	PHYS 2020
Social Studies	GGY 201
	HIST 1010
	PSYC 1030
	SOCI 1010, 2110
U.S. History	HIST 2010, 2020
Foreign Language I	FREN 1010
	SPAN 1010
	GERM 1010
Foreign Language II	FREN 1020
	SPAN 1020
	GERM 1020
Visual/Performing Arts	SPCH 1010, THEA 1030
	ARTP 1000, 1110, 1010, 1020, 1130,
	1140, 1310, 1410, 1420, 201, 202,
	203, 2110, 2120
	ARTH 1030, 2010, 2020, 2030,
	MUS 1030, 140, or any three classes
	chosen from the Applied Music
	Individual Instruction, Ensembles or
	*
	Class Instruction categories*. *NOTE: See the RSCC course
	descriptions for a complete list.
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NOTE: Entrance deficiencies in English, Algebra I and II will be handled through mandatory assessment, placement and removal of deficiency at the Learning Support level.

# **Residency Classification**

The following guidelines are used to determine "in-state" or "out-of-state" status for fees and tuition.

- 1. Every person having his or her residence in this state shall be classified as "in-state" for fee, tuition and admission purposes.
- 2. Every person not having his or her residence in this state shall be classified "out-of-state" for fee, tuition and admission numoses
- 3. The residence of a dependent\* is that of his or her parent.

  "Parent" shall mean a person's father or mother. If there is a non-parental guardian or legal custodian of dependent, then "parent" shall mean such guardian or legal custodian provided there are not circumstances indicating that such guardianship or custodianship was created primarily for the purpose of conferring the status of an "in-state" student on the dependent.
- 4. The residence of a married person can be determined based on the residence of the spouse.
- 5. A recent graduate of any "out-of-state" high school must supply evidence of Tennessee residency before receiving "in-state" tuition status. Copies of property deeds or property tax payment statements are acceptable evidence.
- Dependent students of divorced parents shall be classified "in-state" when one parent's residence, regardless of custodial

- status, is in Tennessee.
- 7. International students shall be classified "out-of-state" for tuition and admission purposes.
- Students classified by Immigration as a Permanent Resident, Resident Alien, or Refugee may be classified as "in-state" if their residence is in Tennessee.
- Persons not living in Tennessee but employed full-time in Tennessee shall be classified "in-state" for tuition purposes as long as they maintain a part-time registration status. The student must provide appropriate documentation.

In-state applications can be obtained from the Admissions and Records Office or at any Roane State location. All questions should be directed to the Admissions and Records.

\* Dependent shall mean a person whose parents have not entirely surrendered the right to the care, custody and earnings of such person and who are still under obligation to support or maintain the dependent person. A person the age of 18 or older is considered to be independent by the state. If a person 18 or older is to be considered dependent, the parent must provide a copy of a federal income tax return claiming the dependent.

# **Academic Fresh Start**

#### **Purpose**

The Academic Fresh Start program is designed to assist those students who have had a minimum 4-year separation from college and who demonstrate a greater level of academic maturity as a result of that separation. Students who did not realize their full academic potential during their first attempt at the college experience are being given a second chance to meet their educational goals without penalty. Through the Academic Fresh Start program, students are given a second chance to begin their academic careers by removing all previously taken courses from the current academic statistics. Although the courses will not be physically removed from the student's academic record, they will no longer be calculated in the quality point average computation and will no longer apply toward the fulfillment of any college requirement.

#### **Student Requirements**

- Separation from all colleges or universities for a minimum of four complete calendar years.
- At the time of readmission or admission as a degree student, a formal application should be filed with the Admissions and Records Office requesting Academic Fresh Start. Forms are available in the Admissions and Records Office.
- 3. The student must accumulate 18 semester hours with a minimum GPA of 2.5 after applying for Academic Fresh Start upon admission/readmission as a degree student.
- Only those students pursuing an associate degree are eligible for Academic Fresh Start.

#### **Terms of Academic Fresh Start**

- Academic Fresh Start applies to all courses taken prior to the 4-year separation. All work attempted before the date of separation will be removed from consideration toward fulfillment of degree requirements. Previously satisfied placement testing requirements will not be forfeited.
- Once the student has satisfied the above student requirements, the registrar will review the student's transcript at the time the

- student accumulates the required number of hours to verify that the student has met policy requirements.
- The student will be notified in writing of the results of his/her application for Academic Fresh Start. All written documents will be placed in the student's file.
- 4. Upon approval by the registrar, the transcript will be updated to reflect "ACADEMIC FRESH START" with the effective date.
- 5. All grades/courses taken prior to re-enrollment will be given inactive status and will remain listed on the transcript but will not be calculated in current academic statistics (earned hours, attempted hours, cumulative grade point average). Students are advised that all course work is calculated in attempted hours for Financial Aid purposes even if an Academic Fresh Start is approved.
- Academic Fresh Start will be granted only once, and when granted, is irrevocable.
- 7. The student will apply for Fresh Start with the understanding that all TBR institutions will honor a Fresh Start provision granted at another TBR institution. The student should also signify understanding that non-TBR institutions may not accept the QPA as it is calculated with the Fresh Start.

# **Selective Service Requirements**

- Pursuant to federal law, every male who is between the ages of eighteen (18) and twenty-six (26), and is a citizen of the United States or a resident of the United States must register with the Selective Service.
- 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (1), the requirement to register shall not apply to any alien lawfully admitted to the United States as a nonimmigrant under Section 101(a)(15) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended, for so long as he continues to maintain a lawful nonimmigrant status in the United States.

# **Change of Name or Address**

The Admissions and Records Office should be informed of all changes in the student's legal name for marriage or other reasons, place of residence, mailing address, and telephone number. The college is not responsible for a student's failure to receive official information due to the failure to notify the college of any change(s) stated above.

# How to Enroll Admissions and Academic Program Planning

The responsibility for selecting an educational program rests with each student. The faculty and counselors take pride in assisting students in program planning and course selection. Students who are planning to transfer from Roane State to a senior institution at the conclusion of two years' work should secure a copy of that institution's catalog to use in planning their transfer program. Final responsibility for direct planning of courses and every preparation necessary to graduate from RSCC and/or to transfer to other colleges and universities rests with the student.

# **Testing/Learning Support Policies and Guidelines**

**Basic Skills Assessment** 

In an effort to provide more effective educational services for students, the college participates in the Board of Regents' Learning Support assessment program to assess basic skills. Placement is based on valid ACT or Compass scores. Through this assessment, Roane State can identify the students' academic strengths and weaknesses in reading, writing, and mathematics skills. This information is used along with the student's past educational history to provide advisement and placement in courses that best help the individual student to improve skills in these areas, as well as study skills.

All Tennessee State Board of Regents colleges and universities require that all first time degree-seeking students undergo assessment. Transfer students who have not successfully completed college-level reading, writing, and mathematics courses must also undergo assessment. Further information regarding basic skills assessment can be obtained by contacting Testing Center on the Roane County or Oak Ridge campuses.

Any full-time degree-seeking student should be enrolled in the required Learning Support courses each semester until the student completes the requirements. Any part-time student should be enrolled in at least one of the required Learning Support courses each semester of enrollment until the student completes the Learning Support requirements.

#### **Restricted Enrollment**

Students whose assessment results require enrollment in Learning Support (LS) courses may not enroll in a regular college level course which requires that competency as a pre-requisite until they have satisfactorily met the exit criteria of the appropriate LS courses. Exceptions to this policy require the approval of the Learning Support Director and completion of the related documentation.

College Level Courses Which Can Be Taken With Learning Support Courses: The following college courses may be taken by learning support students concurrently with their learning support courses.

LS Course Required
MATH 0800 or 0892 or
completion of all five Math
competencies (Math)
ENGL 0800 or 0892 or
completion of both Writing
competencies (Writing)
READ 0800 or 0892 or
completion of both Reading
competencies (Reading)

Courses that can also be taken Any course without math prerequisites; The only math courses that can be taken are BUS 111 or 112. Any course other than English or History

See the Learning Support website for a complete list of the courses that do not require a prerequisite of READ 0891.

NOTE: All LS courses *must* be completed before enrolling in BIOL 2010.

# **English Registration Requirements**

Due to the fact that ENGL 0700, ENGL 0800, ENGL 1010, and ENGL1020 serve as prerequisites or corequisites to several other courses, the English Department at Roane State Community College recommends the following progression standards for English Composition courses:

Any full-time degree-seeking student should be enrolled in ENGL 0700, ENGL 0800, or ENGL 1010 (or ENGL 1020 if required for your major) each term until the student completes these writing requirements. Any part-time degree-seeking student should be enrolled in ENGL 0700, ENGL 0800, or ENGL 1010 (or ENGL 1020 if required for your major) for each 12 hours taken.

# **New Student Orientation**

You can register online for upcoming New Student Orientation Sessions at www.roanestate.edu/nso.

Students who been accepted to the college will receive an invitation to attend a New Student Orientation session. Using the information provided on that invitation, the student can go to the Roane State Website and choose the session he or she would like to attend.

If for any reason the date would need to be changed, the student will need to go back online and resubmit the form again. If you have questions regarding New Student Orientation, please contact the Student Engagement office toll free at 866-462-7722 ext. 4638 or 865-882-4638.

Please note that attendance is mandatory for all first-time, degree seeking students.

During New Student Orientation, you will receive important information about Roane State resources and procedures, which will help you make a successful transition into college.

Each session will last a minimum of three hours so please make advance arrangements for childcare, etc.

Parents/Spouses/Significant Others are also invited but no more than one guest as seating space is limited.

# **Academic Advising**

At Roane State, academic advising is a shared responsibility of the student and the faculty advisor. During the first semester of enrollment, students are assigned a faculty advisor from their major area of study. The advisor works closely with the student in determining his/her education goals and in developing a plan for completing these goals. Students can view the name of their advisor through their RaiderNet account.

All students are encouraged to meet with their faculty advisor at least once a year. Not all RSCC locations have full-time faculty advisors for each major. Students need to contact his/her advisor to schedule an appointment well in advance of registration time periods. All sophomores are required to meet with their advisor to plan for graduation and to complete the Intent to Graduate form.

# **Veterans Services**

Roane State's Veteran's Affairs Office is designed to assist veterans who desire to enroll at the college. You may contact the Coordinator for Veterans Services toll free at 1-866-7722 ext. 4539 or 865-882-4539. Roane State cooperates with the Veterans Administration in providing educational opportunities for veterans. The VA Certifying Official is responsible for certifying veterans' eligibility and for providing a source of information regarding the "G.I. Bill."

To receive benefits a veteran must:

- Contact the Veterans Administration Regional Office at 1-800-827-1000 or 1-888-442-4551 to verify how much benefit money is available to him/her.
- Provide the VA certifying official in the Advising Resource Center (ARC) member copy 4 of the DD214 (discharge papers) or NOBE form if actively in service.
- Fill out the Veterans Administration online application (VONAPP).
- 4. Meet with an advisor to discuss class requirements.
- 5. Register for classes and pay fees.
- Submit all academic transcripts and a copy of your DD214 to the Records Office for evaluation, even if you are in a certificate program.

NOTE: The certification process takes several weeks. The certifying official will not begin the process until after the first week of classes. Receiving benefits can take up to 2 months; therefore, veterans must make adequate arrangements to cover college expenses.

Once enrolled, veterans and other eligible persons should maintain close contact with the assigned VA certifying official in the Advising Resource Center. All changes of class schedule must be reported since dropping or adding classes may change the monetary amount the veteran is eligible to receive.

To maintain eligibility, the veteran must comply with the following rules:

- Must be classified as a regular degree student or follow a VA approved certificate course of study. Special students for credit or non-credit do not qualify.
- Must maintain the prescribed cumulative GPA listed under Academic Probation and Retention Standards in this catalog.
- Courses may be claimed for pay only one time whether taken at RSCC or transferred from another institution.

- Only courses specifically listed in the catalog (as per major)
  may be certified for payment. Courses taken for a student's own
  personal enrichment will not be eligible for payment.
- Course substitution forms must be processed and approved as described in this catalog before the substituted course is claimed for payment.
- Veterans and other eligible persons can receive pay for Learning Support classes when a need can be shown. These classes must be attended in person. The VA will NOT pay if the classes are web or video-based.
- You must attend all classes for the entire semester or an overpayment with the VA may result.
- 8. Enrollment in classes which do not last 15 weeks will affect your pay (e.g. 5 week, Xpress, Maymester)

For more information: http://www.roanestate.edu/veterans

Eligibility for Deferment of Payment of Tuition and Fees by Certain Eligible Students Receiving U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs or Other Governmentally Funded Educational Assistance Benefits

Service members, veterans, and dependents of veterans who are eligible beneficiaries of U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs education benefits or other governmentally funded educational assistance, subject to the conditions and guidelines set forth in Tennessee Code Annotated 49-7-104 as amended, may elect, upon formal application, to defer payment of required tuition and fees until the final day of the term for which the deferment has been requested. Application for the deferment must be no later than 14 days after the beginning of the term, and the amount of the deferment shall not exceed the total monetary benefits to be received for the term. Students who have been granted deferments are expected to make timely payments on their outstanding tuition and fees balance once education benefits are being delivered, and eligibility for such deferment shall terminate if the student fails to abide by any applicable rule or regulation, or to act in good faith in making timely payments. This notice is published pursuant to public Chapter 279, Acts of 2003, effective July 1, 2003.

# **Registration for Courses**

Roane State Community College provides early registration through Raidernet each semester for currently enrolled and readmitted students. No student is officially enrolled until he/she has completed all requirements of enrollment including the payment of fees. Registration after the regular catalog published date may be permitted for one calendar week following this date. Exceptions for late registration or adding a class may be granted for good cause by the Vice President for Student Learning. Late registration requires payment of the late fee. No student shall receive credit for a course for which he/she is not properly registered. A student may not be allowed to register until all required admission documents have been received.

#### **Student Identification Number**

A student's identification number will be a computer generated unique identifier or social security number. The use of social security numbers is optional. If, at the time of application, the student desires not to disclose the SSN, the institution will assign a unique SID for the student's use. However, please note, if you receive federal and state financial assistance you are required to disclose your SSN.

#### RaiderNet

Upon acceptance to the college, students will be given instructions on how to log-in to their RaiderNet account. Through this system students can view their personal information, financial aid, and registration.

#### **Course Load**

The average semester hour load for a degree-seeking student should be 16 hours of credit. Individual programs may require more or less than 16 hours per semester for degree completion. A full-time student is one who is carrying 12 or more semester hours of credit. The following criteria apply to semesters by course loads:

- Students may register for 20 hours of credit upon verification of a 2.5 cumulative grade point average by the Admissions and Records Office.
- Students may register for 21 hours of credit subject to verification of a 3.0 cumulative grade point average by the Admissions and Records Office.
- Students wishing to enroll for 22 hours or more must have the approval of the Vice President of Student Services and Enrollment Management.
- Any exceptions to the above guidelines must have the approval of the Vice President for Student Learning.

Special for Credit students are limited to no more than 12 hours per semester with no limit to the total number of accumulated hours.

### **Student Resources**

# **Counseling/Career Services**

Counseling and Career Services was established to aid students in successfully completing their college work and establishing good foundations for future growth. Counselors provide a wide range of services including: short-term personal counseling, career assessments and counseling, entrance academic advising, and disability services. For more information please visit www.roanestate.edu/counseling or www. roanestate.edu/careerservices. The Roane County office may be reached toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4546 or 865-882-4546. The Oak Ridge office may be reached toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 2003 or 865-481-2003.

# **Disability Services**

Roane State complies with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA). Any student who has a disability that would like to request reasonable accommodations must contact Counseling, Career, and Disability Services to self-identify and to provide appropriate and current documentation of the disability from a qualified professional. Participation in the services is on a voluntary basis, and accommodations are coordinated on a case-by-case basis through Counseling, Career, and Disability Services. The Disability Services Handbook, which outlines policies and procedures for obtaining services, may be accessed online at http://www.roanestate.edu/disabilityservices. The Roane County office may be reached toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4546 or 865-882-4546. The Oak Ridge office may be reached toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 2003 or 865-481-2003.

#### **Food Services**

The Raider Cafe at the main campus and Anderson's Grille at the Oak Ridge Branch Campus are operated by private contractors for the express purpose of providing students with good quality food. When classes are in session, they are open from 7:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. Summer hours may differ.

RSCC provides vending machines stocked with drinks, candies, chips, sweets, soup, and other items through a contractual agreement with a private vending contractor. To ensure that all vending products are fresh and good-tasting, the vendor replaces all unsold machine items on a regularly scheduled basis.

#### **Inclement Weather Information**

RSCC recommends that students use their own discretion in attending classes when snow and icy conditions exist. Additional information on the cancellation of classes due to inclement weather is available from the Roane State homepage, local news media, and RaiderAlert, which sends safety and weather text messages to your mobile device. Students, faculty, and staff may enroll in RaiderAlert at http://www.roanestate.edu/raideralert.

### **Learning Centers**

The Learning Centers support the classroom experience by providing individual assistance, learning technology and other resources for students, and support services for faculty. We promote a positive and confident attitude toward learning. We offer an environment designed to help students take responsibility for their learning, learn efficiently, persist in their efforts to reach academic and career goals, and achieve academic excellence. Our secondary mission is to make our resources available to staff and community. There are Learning Centers on the Roane County Campus (second floor of the Library), the Cumberland County Campus (Rm. 152), and the Oak Ridge Branch Campus (in the Library). Visit our web site at http://www.roanestate.edu/learningcenter or call tollfree at 1-866-462-7222 ext. 4677 or 865-882-4677.

**Tutoring in Math, Science and Other Disciplines** - The Learning Centers provide tutoring in a variety of disciplines. Students can check the schedule for available tutors that is published on the Learning Center website, distributed around the campuses, and posted outside the Learning Centers. The software that accompanies the college's math courses is loaded on Learning Center computers and is available to students.

Writing Help - Each center offers the following help to students: Writing consultations are available by appointment for one-to-one interaction with individual writers. The writing consultants (usually the director or a student writing tutor) do not edit or proofread writing assignments. When working with students, they focus on rhetorical and logical principles. Students are introduced to models of excellence in writing and challenged to think clearly and critically. We look for patterns of error and stress solid organization. To make an appointment, students may come by the centers or call 865-822-4677 in Roane County, 865-481-2026 in Oak Ridge, or 931-456-9880 in Cumberland County.

The RSCC Online Writing Lab (OWL) - It contains a number of online documents that students can access to help solve their writing and research problems. The documents include brief instructions for writing essays in various rhetorical modes, along with student samples; guidelines

for writing research papers; help in using MLA style and quotations; tips for conducting interviews and for keyboarding; help with organization and writing introductions and conclusions; and information on conducting research on the Web. The OWL also includes a wealth of information for faculty, including links to other OWLs and professional sites across the country and to Web assignments. It can be accessed at http://www.roanestate.edu/owl.

Online Tutoring - The Learning Centers also provide free online learning assistance for Roane State students through SMARTHINKING.COM. SMARTHINKING provides online tutoring in Mathematics (Basic Skills - Calculus II), Writing, General Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Physics, Biology, Introduction to Human Anatomy and Physiology, Accounting, Economics, Introductory Finance, Spanish, and Statistics. Online Math tutors are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week during the school year.

**Group Study Rooms** - Students may sign up to use one of the Group Study Rooms located on the Roane County, Oak Ridge or Scott County campus.

**TV/VCR Use -** Students may use TV/VCR set-ups in the Learning Centers to watch course-related videos.

**Computer Use** - Each center is equipped with computers that have Microsoft Word, Excel, and other Microsoft products. Center staff members provide free basic computer instruction. It is not necessary to make an appointment to use a computer. The centers also provide RaiderNet access.

#### Libraries

The college libraries primarily serve the students, faculty and staff of the college. Secondary services are provided to members of the surrounding communities. Through its collection of books, online databases, periodicals, microfilm and other material, the library system supports the curriculum and provides material for recreational reading. Daily courier service is provided between campuses to deliver requested material. Students and college employees may request items from non-Roane State Libraries through interlibrary loan. For hours of operation and a complete list of services, visit our web site at http://www.roanestate.edu/library or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4553 or 865-882-4553.

# Academic Regulations

# **Student Records**

#### Regulations

At Roane State Community College, academic records are considered confidential. The college's policy regarding the use and release of student records is governed by Public Law 93-380, the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and the Tennessee Public Records Act.

Under the terms of these laws, the college and its employees are charged with protecting the confidentiality of the educational records of its student-prospective students, currently enrolled students, and former students. The college is empowered to disclose relevant portions of student records to faculty and staff determined to have a legitimate educational interest.

All exceptions to this policy, including disclosure to external persons or agencies, shall be administered by the Registrar, the Vice President of Student Services and Enrollment Management, the Vice President of Academic Services, or the President.

#### **Definitions**

Student: A person who attends or who has previously attended Roane State.

Student Academic Record: Educational information or data maintained by the college which relates to personally identifiable student.

Third Party: A third party is defined as anyone other than the student.

#### Access to Records

- A student shall be permitted to inspect and review his/her academic records within 45 days following the date on which he/she notifies the Admissions and Records Office that he/she desires access to such records.
- A student shall be provided with a copy of their academic record if they have no obligations to the college. If there is an obligation, the student will be allowed to view a copy of their academic record, but may not take the copy.
- 3. Students have the right to request explanation or interpretation of their academic record.
- The student shall be entitled to challenge the content of his/her academic records.
  - A challenge concerning the content of a student's academic record must be submitted in writing to the office/department immediately in charge of maintaining the record in question.
  - b. The challenge must be signed by the student.
  - c. The office/department in charge of maintaining the record will mark the date of submissions on the challenge. A response will be sent to the student within 30 days noting the action to be taken by the office/department or the student.

#### Limitation on Access to Records

1. A student shall be denied access to a parent's financial records.

- A student shall be denied access to confidential letters and statements which were placed on a student's record prior to January 1, 1975.
- A student shall be denied access to confidential recommendations respecting his/her admission to the college or receipt of an honor or honorary recognition if he/she has signed a waiver of access rights.
  - Roane State shall not require any student to waive access rights.
  - A party from which a recommendation is sought may require such a waiver.
  - c. Confidential statements and letters shall be used only for the purpose for which they were solicited.
- 4. A student shall not be permitted to inspect records which personally identify other students even if he/she is personally identified on that record. In such a case he/she shall simply be informed of the information contained on the record.

# Release of Transcripts or Information on Students' Academic Records Policy

Roane State staff, faculty and other employees will be granted access to academic records on a need-to-know basis. All employees must abide by FERPA and the Tennessee Public Records Act when reviewing student records other than FERPA Directory Information and/or Solomon Amendment Directory Information.

Roane State employees who have direct access to these records are:

President, All Records
Vice Presidents, All Records
Deans, All Records
Division Heads, All Records
Director of Counseling and Career Services, All Records

#### Release of Information is subject to the following procedures:

- Students may receive a copy of their transcript by appearing in person. A photo ID must be presented. Completion of a transcript request form with the student's signature is required prior to the release or mailing of the transcript. The student account will be checked for financial obligations, prior to release.
- Students may receive a copy of their transcript by mailing or faxing their transcript request to:

Admissions and Records Office Roane State Community College 276 Patton Lane Harriman, TN 37748-5011

Fax: 865-882-4527

Current Mailing Address and Phone Number

# A student's transcript request form should contain the following information:

Full Name (and other names used since leaving the college)
Student Identification Number or Social Security Number
Date of Birth
Date of Last Attendance
Number of Transcripts Requested
Address to which Transcript is to be Mailed

Assessment test scores can be sent to other TBR (Tennessee Board of Regents) schools upon request. Requests for non-credit transcripts need to be made in writing to the Office of Continuing Education. In all cases,

obligations to the college must be fulfilled before a transcript will be issued.

#### Release of Records to Third Parties\*

A third party is defined as anyone other than the student. The student's parents or legal guardians are considered third parties. FERPA Directory Information shall be released to third parties without the written consent of the student.

FERPA defines directory information as:

Student Name Address Email address Telephone Listing Date of Birth

Participation in officially recognized activities and sports Weight and Height of athletic team members Dates of attendance

Enrollment Status—Part-time, Full-time
Degree and awards received
Major field of study

Most recent previous educational agency or institution

NOTE: Pursuant to the Federal Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act and the Tennessee College and University Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act of 2002 certain information concerning registered sex offenders is considered public information and therefore amend and supercede the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and other federal and state laws that previously prohibited the disclosure of such personal information.

#### Solomon Amendment\*\* defines directory information as:

Student Name
Address
Telephone Listing
Date and Place of Birth
Level of Education
Academic Major
Degree(s) Received
Educational Institution in whi

Educational Institution in which student most recently enrolled

\*NOTE: On October 26, 2001, Congress enacted the Uniting and Strengthening America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to Intercept and Obstruct Terrorism Act of 2001. The act amends the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act to permit institutions to disclose education records to federal law enforcement officials without student consent if the appropriate United States official, certifying that "specific and articulable facts" support the request, obtains a court order that requires an educational institution to turn over education records that are considered relevant to a terrorism investigation.

\*\*NOTE: The National Defense Authorization Act 1995, 1996 and the Omnibus Consolidated Appropriations Authorization Act, 1997, mandates this information be released to the military effective March 29, 1997.

#### **Privacy**

 Directory information may be withheld as "no information available" if the student requests PRIVACY through the Admissions and Records Office. The request for privacy may remain in effect for the entire educational career of the student

- or until the student requests the privacy to be removed. Request for privacy should be given serious consideration. Students seeking privacy should discuss such action with the Registrar.
- Information contained in Roane State records shall be provided without the student's written consent to third parties engaged in the validation, development or administration of tests, accreditation activities, or research conducted on behalf of the college provided such information is not revealed to any other party.
- Records shall be released without the student's written consent to college personnel authorized to have access to such records, authorized federal and state government officials, and/or officials of other institutions in which the student seeks to enroll.
- 4. Student academic records shall be released to any federal, state or circuit court having a judicial order. Subpoenas received will be held for review by TBR General Council. A reasonable effort will be made to contact the student prior to the release in response to such subpoenas or judicial orders.
- Academic records shall be released by the college to any third party including the parent with written consent of the student.
- Academic records shall be released to third parties in emergency situations involving health or safety.
- Records shall be released to a third party without the written consent of the student in connection with the student's application for, or receipt of, financial aid.

#### **Destruction of Academic Records**

All or part of a student's record may be removed from the file and destroyed by the Admissions and Records Office. However, once a student requests access to review his/her files, such removal and destruction may not occur until access has been granted and the review completed by the student.

#### **Enrollment Verifications**

The Admissions and Records Office cooperates with various lending agencies, including the National Student Loan Clearinghouse, by certifying that their student clients are enrolled at Roane State. Student Loan Deferment forms should be delivered to the Admissions and Records Office at the beginning of the term. All medical and/or auto enrollment forms can be delivered to the Admissions and Records office for completion. Forms should contain the policy-holder and student identification information. This is to ensure proper action upon receipt at the insurance company.

# **Acquiring Credit**

The following explains ways enrolled students may receive credit other than taking the specific classes at RSCC.

# **English Course Exemption**

Students with an ACT sub-score of 27 or better in English may enroll for both English 1010 and 1020, attend English 1020, and receive six semester hours credit for both courses with the grade earned in English 1020.

#### Advanced Placement

Roane State offers course credit for successful completion of Advanced Placement examinations administered by the College Entrance Examination Board to high school students. Course credit will be granted to students presenting Advanced Placement examination grades of three or higher. Inquiries concerning Advanced Placement should be forwarded to the Admissions and Records Office. A letter grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned for credit granted.

#### **Challenge Examinations**

Currently enrolled students desiring to obtain credit by successfully completing challenge examinations must apply to the appropriate division and arrange to take the examination. A Credit-By-Proficiency form will be used. Credit-By-Proficiency cannot count toward residency requirements. Courses that contain a clinical or laboratory component, or whose competencies may not be assessed in a proficiency examination as in the regular course may not be challenged.

The student must take the form to the Business Office and pay the appropriate fee prior to taking the test. Students will be required to pay a fee equal to \$20 per credit hour times the number of credit hours. This fee is in addition to maintenance fees paid for courses in which the student is actually registered.

After fees are paid the student will take the form to the appropriate department to complete the test. When the test is complete, the grade assigned, and the appropriate signatures in place, the form will be sent to the Admissions and Records Office for recording of credit. Credit type will be noted as PFT and a grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned. Other institutions are not obligated to accept these courses for transfer.

Fees are waived if the student desires to validate credit by examination for earned hours from an unaccredited institution or vocational school. Students must verify by official transcript that the credits have been earned previously when arranging to take the examination.

#### **CLEP**

Students should have official CLEP scores sent to the Admissions and Records Office from The College Board. An evaluation for possible credit will be made, and a copy of this evaluation will be mailed to the student. For information about taking CLEP examinations, contact the Pellissippi State Technical Community College Testing Center. A letter grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned for credit granted.

# Acceptable Scaled Scores on CLEP Tests and Number of RSCC Credit Hours Awarded

	Minimum Number of Acceptable Credit	
	Score	Hours
Composition & Literature		Awarded
American Literature	50	6
Analyzing & Interpreting Literature	50	6
Composition, Freshman College	50	6
English Composition (with or without essay)	50	6
English Literature	50	6
Humanities	50	6

Science & Mathematics		
Algebra, College	50	3
Algebra-Trigonometry, College	50	3
Biology, General	50	6
Chemistry, General	50	6
Calculus with Elementary Functions	50	6
Mathematics, College	50	6
Natural Sciences	50	6
	50	3
Trigonometry	30	3
Foreign Languages		
French, Level I	50	6
French, Level II	62	12
German, Level I	50	6
German, Level II	63	12
Spanish, Level I	50	6
	66	12
Spanish, Level II	00	12
Social Sciences & History		
American Government	50	3
Educational Psychology, Introduction to	50	3 3 3
History of the United States I: Early	50	3
Colonizations to 1877	30	5
	50	2
History of the United States II: 1865 to Present		2
Human Growth & Development	50	3
Macroeconomics, Principles of	50	3
Microeconomics, Principles of	50	3
Psychology, Introductory	50	3
Social Sciences & History	50	6
Sociology, Introductory	50	3 3 3 3 6 3
Western Civilization I: Ancient Near East to	50	3
1648		
Western Civilization II: 1648 to Present	50	3
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Business	50	(
Accounting, Principles of	50	0
Business Law, Introductory	50	3
Information Systems & Computer Applications	50	3
Management, Principles of	50	6 3 3 3 3
Marketing, Principles of	50	3

#### **CPS**

Persons passing the Certified Professional Secretary examination will be granted 25 hours of credit at Roane State for the following courses.

OAD	100	Keyboarding	1
OAD	105	Business Communications	3
BUS	221	Principles of Accounting I	3
BUS	251	Legal Environment for Business	3
BUS	261	Psychological Aspects of Management	3
		Management & Supervision I	3
COLL	1020	Technology Essentials	3
ECO	201	Principles of Economics I	3
		Administrative Office Management	3

Credits awarded are subject to change when the actual content of the CPS examination no longer corresponds to course content or when courses at RSCC are revised substantially.

In order to receive credit for these courses, the CPS applicant must follow the procedures listed below:

- The CPS holder will apply to the Admissions and Records Office and pay the application fee required, and enroll for classes.
- 2. The CPS holder will present to the Admissions and Records Office an official letter from the testing agent certifying student passed the examination.

#### **Transfer Credit**

Roane State accepts transfer credit from colleges and universities based on the following considerations:

- the comparability of the nature, content and level of credit earned to that offered by Roane State
- the appropriateness and applicability of the credit earned to programs offered by Roane State with regard to the student's educational goals
- the education quality of the institution from which the credit was earned

The following policies and procedures govern the granting of credit for transfer coursework.

- Official transcripts of all previous college coursework must be sent to the college at the time of application. Foreign transcripts not issued in English must be accompanied by a certified English translation.
- Credit earned at a regionally or internationally accredited institution will be evaluated upon receipt of an official transcript for degree seeking students only.
- 3. Transfer credit (quality hours, quality points and GPA) will not be included on the Roane State academic record.
- 4. Courses earned with grades of A, B, C, D, or P will be considered for applicability toward a degree and certificate programs from Roane State. Only grades of A, B, C, or P will be accepted for Learning Support courses.
- 5. Roane State grants non-traditional credit for military service and service schools in accordance with the guidelines established in ACE (American Council on Education) and DANTES (Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Educational Support) published by the American Council on Education. Military service credit will be assigned a grade of P.
- 6. Roane State grants non-traditional credit for CLEP (College Level Examination Program) and AP (Advance Placement) examinations. CLEP and AP credit will be assigned a grade of P. See "Acquiring Credit" in this catalog for credit requirements.
- Effective Fall 1999, Roane State will consider coursework from non-regionally accredited institutions as transfer coursework. Readmits and currently enrolled students may request credit consideration for coursework completed during or after Fall 1999. Credit requests must be made by completing an Application for Transfer of Credit form obtained from the Admissions and Records Office or any off campus location. A course competency examination may be required as part of the process. Students required to take a course competency exam will be notified after the request for transfer credit form has been reviewed by the appropriate academic department. To request a course competency exam, the student must complete a Credit by Proficiency form, available from the Admissions and Records Office or any off campus location. No fee is required for the exam when associated with transfer credit from a nonregionally accredited institution.
- A minimum of 18 of the remaining 36 semester hours of coursework must be completed in residence at Roane State.

Transfer information can be obtained from Admissions and Records Office. Advisement and information regarding inter-institutional articulation are available at http://www.roanestate.edu/articulation or call toll free at 1-866-462-722 ext. 4597 or 865-882-4597.

#### **Military Credit**

Veteran students who have one year or more of honorable military service will need to submit a copy of their DD-214 to the Admissions and Records Office. Military credit will be awarded in physical education (4 semester hours) and military science (6 semester hours). Students who completed less than one year but received at least eight weeks of training will receive 2 semester hours of physical education credit. Additional credit for military training/occupational experiences may be awarded based on MOS credit listed on the DD-214.

Army veterans will be awarded military credit based on training/ occupational experiences listed on the AARTS transcript. Veterans may request a copy of their AARTS transcript by contacting:

Manager, AARTS Operations Center 415 McPherson Avenue Fort Leavenworth, KS 66027-1373 FAX (913) 684-2011

RSCC follows all guidelines established by ACE (American Council on Education) and DANTES (Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Educational Support).

### **Prior Learning Credit**

A currently enrolled student at Roane State may petition for credit through documented work experience or life experience in the field in which a degree is being pursued.

Prior learning credit may be obtained as elective credit or specific course credit as it relates to a course in the current Roane State course inventory. This credit cannot exceed 18 hours. Credit for prior learning is not designed for students pursuing an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree (University Parallel). This type of credit normally does not meet degree requirements at a senior institution.

Students interested in seeking prior learning credit should first contact the appropriate academic dean. The dean will then assign faculty in the discipline to meet with the student to begin preparation of the portfolio.

The portfolio should contain the following:

- 1. An introduction that describes the basic facts for the learning experience.
- 2. Specific course numbers and course names for credit requested.
- A description of the types of formal training or instruction received in the subject since high school. This training could have occurred in classrooms, on the job, or through informal settings.
- 4. A detailed list of the kind of work done in the area. Explain the responsibilities and tasks successfully performed.
- A detailed list of what was learned about the field as a result of the experience. Describe theories and practices developed.
- 6. Appropriate examples of work along with the product resulting from the work, the conditions under which it was created, and changes that might be made now based on the experience.
- 7. A description of critical events, outstanding managers and their styles, reading or lectures that made the experience noteworthy.
- 8. A summary of the major experiences and insights to substantiate significant learning.

After the portfolio is completed, the instructor will make a

recommendation regarding the level of credit to the academic dean. The academic dean may choose to approve as submitted, modify the amount of credit awarded, or return the portfolio for additional information. The portfolio will then be sent to the Vice President of Student Learning for review before the final credit is awarded. The portfolio should be retained in the academic division office for a period of five years.

Credit awarded will depend on the student's ability to analyze personal or professional significance. Awarding credit should be based on the student's experience as it relates to the years in the field, breadth of exposure, or level of responsibility. When the evaluation is complete and the appropriate signatures are in place, the form will be sent to the Admissions and Records Office for the recording of credit. Credit type will be noted as EXP and a grade of "P" (Pass) will be assigned.

A special fee for prior learning credit is assessed.

Prior learning or proficiency credit will not apply toward meeting residency requirements for graduation.

#### **Maximum Alternative Credit Allowed**

A maximum of 30 semester hours credit for correspondence or extension courses, credit for Advanced Placement, CLEP, or CPS tests, and/or credit resulting from military service may be counted toward a degree. All correspondence or extension work must have the written, documented approval of the Director of Admissions and Records.

#### **Dual Studies Credit**

Dual Studies is the Roane State program for high school students. It is named First Class. The program allows students to earn college credit toward a degree or a certificate at a Tennessee public institution of higher education. The credit may also count toward a high school diploma. The dual studies program includes dual credit (courses taught at the high school by high school teachers with college credit awarded by an end-of-course assessment), dual enrollment (courses taught by college faculty that may be taught at the college, at the high school or via distance learning) and joint enrollment (high school students taking college-level courses without the award of high school credit).

#### **Dual Credit**

A dual credit course is taught by a high school teacher who incorporates college course objectives into the high school curriculum. Upon course completion, students have the option to sit for an assessment administered by the college. For the college, dual credit grades are based on pass/fail. If the student successfully completes the end-of-course exam, college credit is awarded. Credit by assessment grades may or may not transfer to other institutions; the grade is accepted by Roane State and applied to the student's transcript upon admission to the college. Dual credit students do not apply for admission to Roane State until after high school graduation; therefore, no tuition or fees are paid as the student does not officially register for a course. There will be an assessment fee charged prior to the assessment.

#### **Dual Enrollment**

A dual enrollment course is taught by college faculty to high school juniors and seniors who must be admitted to the college. Therefore, tuition and fees are required as well as paperwork for the admission process.

College credit is awarded to students who successfully complete a course, initiating a college transcript prior to high school graduation. High school credit is awarded in addition to the college credit. Most credits from dual enrollment are transferable to other colleges. Students receive letter grades in dual enrollment.

#### Joint Enrollment

A joint enrollment course refers to a high school student who is enrolled simultaneously in college but does not seek a high school credit for the college course. A student taking courses recognized as joint enrollment only receives college credit. The admission process is the same as a student in dual enrollment and letter grades are submitted to the student's college transcript.

#### **High School Articulation Agreements**

Articulation is a process that students have used to transition between secondary and postsecondary schools under the former Tech-Prep Initiative. Students continue to receive college credits for high school coursework under articulation at no cost to the student. Roane State is in the process of replacing the former Tech-Prep articulation agreements with dual credit assessments. The Office of Dual Studies communicates with high school administrators as to the status of assessment development for dual credit courses and provides dates for articulation agreements to cease.

For students who are currently under the Tech Prep, the following procedures should be followed:

- Meet with middle school or high school counselor to decide on Perkins Grant Six-Year Plan (4 years of high school and 2 years of postsecondary training or apprenticeship).
- Complete the first four years of the six-year plan.
- Earn a grade of "A" or "B" in high school technical courses to be articulated. Pass final exams in these courses. (Keyboarding, Criminal Justice, etc.)
- Apply and enroll at Roane State within two years of high school graduation.

See your high school counselor to submit the following to the Dean of Student Academic Support Services; (1) articulation application; (2) Six-Year Plan; (3) course competency checklist(s); and (4) high school transcript.

### **TN Technology Center Articulation**

Students who earn a diploma from one of the Tennessee Technology Centers may be eligible to receive up to 30 credits when they enroll an A.A.S. degree program. TTC articulated credits can be used to fulfill general electives in the AAS degree programs. Articulated credit is not awarded for students pursuing the Associate of Arts/Associate of Science (University Transfer) program.

To receive articulation credits the following procedures should be followed:

- Meet with the Technology Center counselor or teacher to decide on academic plan.
- Complete TTC diploma in a specific field of study.
- Enroll at Roane State and submit an official TTC transcript to the Roane State Admissions and Records Office.
- Once the student successfully completes 15 credit hours at Roane State, the TTC articulated credit will be posted to the

- student transcript with a grade of "P" by the Admissions and Records Office.
- Meet with faculty advisor to further develop academic plan.

The Advising Resource Center will notify students regarding their status for articulated credit. Do not sign up for classes for which articulation credits will be awarded. For additional information about TTC Articulated credit, contact the Director of Academic Advising/Articulation.

# **Grades**

#### **Grade Points**

Grade points are numerical values assigned to letter grades in order to provide a basis for determining grade (quality) point averages. The four-point system is used.

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		Grade/Quality
Grade	•	Points
A	Outstanding	4.0
В	Above average	3.0
C	Average	2.0
D	Passing but below average	1.0
F	Failing	0.0
AW	Administrative Withdraw for Non-Attendance	0.0

To meet degree requirements a student must maintain an overall grade point average of 2.00. Generally, letter grades are awarded according to the following scale:

A 90-100 B 80-89 C 70-79 D 60-69

Some specific exceptions to the above scale may apply and the college reserves the right to adjust it accordingly. Students enrolled in Allied Health Sciences or Nursing programs may not follow the same scale. Students should refer to the grading scale included on the course syllabus.

### **Calculating GPA**

Your GPA is calculated by dividing the total number of Quality Points you *earned* by the number of GPA Hours you *attempted* in courses in which grades of A through F are assigned. Grades of I, P, S, U, and W do not have Quality Point values and are, therefore, not included in the GPA calculation.

The first two attempts of courses that have been repeated are excluded from the cumulative GPA. The third and any subsequent grades will be used in determining your GPA.

Each term, your semester and cumulative GPA will be indicated with your grades.

#### **GPA** Calculation Example

COURSE	GPA HOURS	<b>GRADE EARNED</b>	<b>QUALITY POINTS</b>
ENGL 1020	3.00	B (3.0)	(3x3) 9.0
PHED 2050	1.00	A (4.0)	(1x4) 4.0
MATH 1130	3.00		(3x2) 6.0
MUS 1030	3.00	B (3.0)	(3x3) 9.0
HIST 2020	3.00	A (4.0)	(3x4) 12.0
POL 101	3.00	F(0.0)	(3x0) 0.0

- 1. Add the GPA Hours: 3 + 1 + 3 + 3 + 3 + 3 = 16.00 hours
- 2. Determine your total Quality Points:
  - a. For each course, multiply the number of GPA Hours for that course times the number of Quality Points indicated on the grading scale above. Example: ENGL 1020 is a 3.0-hour course. Multiply 3.00 hours x 3.0 (the Quality Points for a B); the product will be 9.0 Quality Points earned for ENGL 1020.
  - b. Add the Quality Points for all courses: 9.0 + 4.0 + 6.0 + 9.0 + 12.0 + 0 = 40.0 Quality Points.
- 3. Divide the total Quality Points by the total GPA Hours to determine your GPA: 40.0 / 16 = 2.35 (GPA is carried to two decimal places, with no rounding). This is your GPA for the term

#### **Lottery Scholarships**

The GPA used to determine your continued eligibility for Lottery Scholarships is not the same as your RSCC GPA. This is because your Lottery GPA takes into account *all* of your attempts at a particular course whereas your RSCC GPA does not. Please be aware that "W" (Withdrawal) grades *are* counted as attempted courses for Lottery Scholarship purposes, and toward the maximum hours allowed by a Hope Lottery Scholarship but are *not* counted in the calulation of a student's Lottery GPA.

# **Grade Type Change**

To change a course grade type, from audit to credit or credit to audit, the student must do so by following the Change of Registration/Drop-Add procedures. The deadline dates listed below will be strictly enforced.

Audit to Credit: Permitted during late registration/add period. Credit to Audit: Permitted during the withdrawal period.

# **Grade Appeal Procedure**

Grades, as well as transcript information, withdrawals and other data perceived by a student to be in error, must be protested within the subsequent semester after the information was posted. If a student believes there are circumstances which warrant an appeal of a grade received for other than academic misconduct, the student must appeal the grade within 45 calendar days following the last day of the end of the semester in which the grade was posted. The appeal process must be initiated by the student and includes the following steps which must be followed in this order:

- Contact the instructor in writing to ensure that no calculation or administrative error occurred and if it is not possible to resolve the problem at this level
- The student can submit in writing an appeal to the division dean or appropriate supervisor of the instructor and the student can expect a written response. If the issue is not resolved at this level, then
- 3. The student can submit the written appeal to the Vice President for Student Learning whose decision will be final.

Protests initiated after the allowed time frame of 45 days will not reviewed.

#### **Audit Courses**

Any student enrolled at RSCC may register for audit courses. The student will attend class without being required to take examinations or prepare lessons or papers. Students auditing a course will receive a final grade of "AU" (audit) on the transcript. No credit will be received for the course or toward major requirements.

#### Withdrawals and Honorable Dismissals

Students finding it necessary to withdraw from the college must do so officially to maintain good standing and to assure honorable dismissal and/or readmission.

The request for a late drop or withdrawal MUST be made on or before the last day of classes. A student who never attends or stops attending classes and fails to follow the proper withdrawal procedures will be carried on the roll until the end of the semester and a grade of "F" will be recorded.

After the withdrawal deadline published in the academic calendar, no student will be permitted to withdraw from the college or classes and receive the designation of "W" without providing documentation of one of the following unusual conditions or hardships and verification that the mitigating circumstances developed AFTER the withdrawal deadline:

- Illness or injury of the student or serious personal problems as verified on office letterhead stationery by the attending physician or psychologist.
- Necessary change in work schedule verified in writing on company letterhead by the student's employer.
- 3. New employment as verified in writing on company letterhead by the employer.
- 4. Other mitigating circumstances presented with acceptable documentation to demonstrate the extenuating circumstances.

Students meeting the stated circumstances may apply for late withdrawal as follows:

- Obtain Request for Late Withdrawal form from the Admissions and Records Office or download from the Records and Registration website at http://www.roanestate.edu/recordsforms.
- Complete the form and attach documentation of circumstances as stated above. Forms received without the required documentation cannot be considered.
- Return the form to the Admissions and Records Office for review

Any exceptions to this policy must be submitted in writing to the Registrar to be reviewed by a committee of the Vice President for Student Learning, the Vice President for Student Services and Enrollment Management and the Registrar. (No appeals will be accepted one calendar year after the semester in which the late withdrawal is being sought.)

NOTE: Students enrolled in Learning Support courses are not allowed to withdraw from these courses unless extenuating circumstances exist. Approval must be granted by the Director of Developmental Studies or a designee.

All equipment belonging to the college must be accounted for or paid for and all financial obligations met. If it is impossible for the student to take these steps in person, they should be completed by a person acting as an agent for the student.

Late Withdrawal Requests are for grades only. Requests for refund of

tuition or fees should be made directly to the Business Office. Students requesting Late Withdrawals should be aware that withdrawal from coursework may impact Financial Aid eligibility. Questions regarding Satisfactory Academic Progress appeals should be made directly to the Financial Aid office.

For more information please call toll free 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4526 or 865-882-4526.

#### **Repeated Courses**

A student may repeat a course with the intent of improving the grade previously earned. In computing the quality point average of a student who has repeated one or more courses, only the last grade received in the repeated course or courses will be used. The hours attempted will be counted only once, provided that the number of repeats in any single course does not exceed two (three attempts). In the event that a student attempts a course more than three times, the third and subsequent grades shall be used in determining quality point average.

In order that grade point averages may be adjusted appropriately, the student repeating a course may file a course repeat form with the Admissions and Records Office.

Veterans or other eligible persons repeating courses for which they have a passing grade ("D" or higher) and for which they have been paid are cautioned not to claim this course for pay the second time.

Students may be permitted to repeat a course in which a grade of "B" or higher was earned only with the approval of the Vice President for Student Learning.

#### Classification

Student classification levels for purposes of registration are:

Freshman: 0-26 credit hours Sophomore: 27 or more credit hours

# **Good Standing**

Good Standing status denotes that the student is not on probation and is also eligible to continue enrollment or is eligible to re-enroll. Letters of Good Standing can be requested through the Admissions and Records Office.

#### **Dean's List**

The Dean's List is the official medium for the institution to recognize outstanding academic achievement by students. Full-time students (those completing 12 or more semester hours of college-level courses) with a quality point average of 3.5-4.00 are identified each semester on the Dean's List.

# **Academic Probation and Retention Standards**

A student who fails during any term to attain a cumulative quality point average at or above the level indicated below for the hours attempted (inclusive of any Learning Support courses) will be placed on academic probation for the following term.

#### Semester Hours Attempted Minimum Cumulative GPA

0-14	No minimum
15-26	1.0
27-40	1.4
41-48	1.7
49-56	1.9
57-and above	2.0

#### **Academic Suspension**

At the end of the following term of enrollment, a student on academic probation who has failed to attain: 1) the above cumulative standard OR 2) a 2.0 grade point average for the current term will be suspended. Students who have satisfied the 2.0 GPA but have not yet achieved the standards as listed above will remain on academic probation for subsequent terms until the standards have been achieved. Students on probation or suspension who fail to attain the cumulative standard and the 2.0 GPA for the subsequent term will be placed on suspension.

Suspension terms are as follows:

First-time suspension One term (semester)

Second suspension Two terms
Third suspension Dismissal

In all instances, the summer term does not apply as a term served for suspension. For the student who is suspended at the end of the spring semester, the following fall semester is considered to be the term of suspension.

A third suspension of "Dismissal" may be appealed to the Vice-President for Student Learning after a period of two years absence from enrollment at the college.

#### Appeals

A student who has been academically suspended either from RSCC or is currently suspended from another college or university may request an appeal through the Admissions and Retention Committee. If the student feels that there were extenuating circumstances (e.g. errors in their transcript, documentable medical or psychological problems, court or military duty, etc.) that caused the academic problems, they may appeal to the committee for reinstatement.

To request an appeal the student must contact the Admissions and Records Office for an appointment with the committee. If the Admissions and Retention committee grants the reinstatement, the conditions imposed by the committee will be clearly stated. These may include a reduced course load, regular meetings with an advisor or counselor, and course suggestions.

Students who voluntarily serve the time imposed by their suspension will be reinstated automatically and do not need to meet with the Admissions and Retention Committee.

#### **Transfer Students**

Students on academic suspension from another college or university must clearly designate this information on their application to Roane State.

Falsifying this information may lead to dismissal. Transfer applicants whose last term of attendance at another institution resulted in academic suspension or dismissal and who have not served their required term(s) of suspension or dismissal, must meet with the Admissions and Retention Committee to request admission to Roane State. Meeting with the Admissions and Retention Committee is required only if application is made within two years after the academic suspension or dismissal. Transcripts from the suspended college/university are required.

While individual courses may transfer to RSCC and can count toward fulfilling degree requirements, the number of credit hours and quality points do not count toward calculating the GPA for academic probation and suspension.

#### **Grounds for Dismissal**

A student may be dismissed from the college for any one or more of the following reasons:

- Failure to meet minimum academic standards as stated in the above section.
- Conduct of an unacceptable nature.
- Failure to meet Academic Development requirements for satisfactory progress through course requirements.

# Graduation - Degree/ Certificate Requirements

Students who have successfully completed 48 semester hours toward a degree or half of the coursework required for a certificate must complete an Intent to Graduate form by the deadline for the intended graduation semester. The student is required to complete the form in its entirety, and obtain his/her advisor's signature.

An evaluation of the student's status towards graduation will be sent to the student and the academic advisor. The student is encouraged to meet with his/her advisor to develop a plan for the completion of the program based on the results of the evaluation.

# **Degree Audit Program (CAPPS)**

Students wanting to know the courses they need to complete a particular degree program or how their courses meet the requirements of another degree program should take advantage of CAPPS Degree Audit, Roane State's advisement assistant. This computer program merges a student's academic record with the degree requirements for a particular major. Information included on the printout includes: academic requirements remaining, requirements completed or in progress, and work that is not applicable to a particular major. Students can obtain a degree audit printout from their RaiderNet account or from their assigned faculty advisor.

# **Degree and Certificate Requirements**

In order to obtain a degree or certificate, students must complete the general requirements as prescribed by Roane State and specific requirements set forth for the program.

Requirements include:

- Minimum GPA. An overall Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.0
  is required for the degree and/or certificate. Only college-level
  courses taken at Roane State are computed into the GPA for
  graduation.
- Minimum Credit Hours. Each candidate must complete at least 60 semester hours to be eligible for the associate's degree.
   All requirements specified in the catalog must be completed.
- 3. **Catalog Option.** The student must meet the requirements of (a) the current catalog or (b) the catalog in effect at the time the student entered a program. *Entering a program* is defined as being admitted, readmitted, or changing the major.
- 4. **Minimum Hours in Residence.** Students much complete at least 25 percent of the credit hours required for their degree program through Roane State Community College. Thirty percent of the semester hours in a certificate program must be taken at Roane State. Experiential and Proficiency credit does not apply to this residency requirement. Separate Application for Graduation forms must be filed for each degree.
- Additional options within a degree program. A student may complete requirements for more than one option within an A.A.S. degree program by successfully completing all course requirements. Only one diploma will be issued for the degree.
- Obligations to the College. All candidates must fulfill all financial obligations to the college including parking tickets, the return of library books, audio-visual tapes, college at home materials, etc.
- **Exit Testing.** All students seeking a degree from Roane State will be required to take the Academic Profile exam prior to being granted their degree. Information regarding test administration dates will be sent to the student once his/her Intent to Graduate has been processed. Certificate students are exempt from the Academic Profile. A student may, as a condition of their graduation, be required to take additional tests designed to measure achievement in general education and in their major. The purpose of such testing is for evaluating institutional effectiveness or the academic program. Participation in testing may be required of all students, of students in certain programs, or of students selected on a sample basis. In order to comply fully with this provision, the student must authorize the release of his/her scores to the institution. Unless otherwise indicated, no minimum score or level of achievement is required for graduation and individual student scores will be treated as confidential.

#### **Course Substitutions**

Course substitutions require the approval of the student's faculty advisor and the appropriate academic dean. A form for this approval is available from faculty advisors and should be processed prior to registering for the course in question. Students in a transfer program should consult with their senior institution prior to submitting a substitution. Senior institutions may or may not honor substitutions. Substitutions are not approved for articulation agreements.

#### **Graduation with Honors**

Degree-seeking students may be eligible for academic honors based on the

quality point average of coursework completed at Roane State. Academic honors are reflected on the student's transcript and diploma. Certificate students do not qualify for academic honors. Honors designations are based on the following grade point averages: 3.5-3.69 cum laude; 3.7-3.89 magna cum laude; 3.9-4.0 summa cum laude.

#### Ceremony

Commencement exercises are held at the end of the spring semester only. Students who anticipate completing their work during the following summer are eligible to participate in commencement exercises if a grade point average is sufficient for graduation and an Intent to Graduate has been officially processed by the spring deadline. Due to the early printing date of the program, academic honors are based on the previous term GPA. Fall graduates will be invited to attend the following spring exercises. Participation in the ceremony is optional, but strongly encouraged. Information will be available at http://www.roanestate.edu/commencement in March.

# **Business Information**

Tuition and fees are assessed and payable at registration each semester. Registration is not considered complete until all assessed tuition and fees have been paid. Tuition and fees paid by check are not considered to have been paid until the check has cleared the bank. Students who have not met all financial obligations at the college will not be permitted to attend classes. No student will be permitted to reenroll, graduate, or receive a transcript until all financial obligations to the college have been satisfied. All tuition and fees are subject to change by direction of the Tennessee Board of Regents and will be posted on Roane State's website as changes are made. The current semester class schedule should be consulted for current tuition and fee rates. Any student who has a question or problem concerning tuition, fees, or other monetary transactions pertaining to the college should contact the Business Office at toll free 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4515 or at 1-865-882-4515.

# **Tuition - Refundable**

All students will be assessed a tuition fee. Students classified as out-of-state residents will be assessed tuition plus out-of-state tuition fees. The definition of residency as determined by the Tennessee Board of Regents will apply. Information concerning residence classifications may be obtained from the Registrar. Non-resident students will be accepted if space permits. For the current tuition fees, visit http://www.roanestate.edu/tuition or call toll free 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4515 or 1-865-882-4515.

# **Summer and Alternative Session Fees**

Each semester classes are offered as full session, express session, and/or accelerated session. Any session may vary in the number of weeks that the classes meet. Students may register for the full session, alternative sessions or any combination thereof. Tuition rates and fees are applied based on the total number of enrolled hours per semester regardless of individual session hours. Regents Online Campus Collaborative classes are not included in the calculation of fees for which there is a maximum charge. Fees for ROCC classes are computed on a per hour basis with no maximum rate being applied. For any student registering for any course(s) or adding course(s), the assessment of course fees and late fees is determined by courses (if any) for which the student registered before the first official day of classes for each session. The primary consideration in determining what fees are assessed is whether the student is registering for courses or adding courses. For this purpose the following definitions shall be used:

**Registering for courses** - a student registers for a course(s) if he/she is not already enrolled in a course(s) meeting the same semester as the course(s) in which he/she is enrolling.

**Adding courses-** A student adds courses when he/she is already enrolled in a course(s) meeting the same semester as the course in which he/she is enrolling and has paid for those courses.

# **Audit Fee**

Fees for courses being audited are the same as those taken for credit. Students enrolled as audit are not required to take examinations and receive no credit for the class. Students over 60 years of age may audit classes on a space available basis under a tuition waiver plan. Contact the business office at toll free 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4515 or 1-865-882-4515 or the center nearest you for more information.

# Miscellaneous Fees

There are several mandatory student fees associated with applying to Roane State and registering for classes. In addition, fees may be assessed for particular courses and activities. For the current list of miscellaneous fees and amounts, please visit http://www.roanestate.edu/tuition or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4515 or 865-882-4515.

# **Deferred Payment Plan**

The deferred payment plan is available to students who meet certain criteria. For more information, please visit http://www.roanestate.edu/tuition or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4515 or 865-882-4515.

# **Discounts and Waivers**

#### Senior Citizens and Disabled Persons

Disabled persons suffering from a permanent total disability and persons 60 years of age or older, who live in Tennessee, are eligible to enroll in courses for AUDIT without payment of tuition, technology, student activity fees, or registration fees. All remaining fees including special course fees will be assessed at the normal rate.

Disabled persons and persons sixty-five years of age or older, who live in Tennessee, are eligible to enroll in courses for CREDIT at the rate of one-half the credit hour fee per semester hour, up to a maximum of \$75. This rate applies to tuition fees, technology fees, student activity fees and registration fees. Special fees (such as graduation fee, telecourse/audio course fee, etc.) will be assessed at the regular rate. Arrangements should be made well in advance of registration day to provide documented evidence of disability or age.

Fees for all Community Service courses must be paid at the regular rate.

#### **Veterans Dependents**

Pursuant to TCA 49-7-102, certain statutory fee exceptions exist for dependents and spouses of military personnel killed, missing in action, or officially declared a prisoner of war while serving honorably as a member of the armed forces during a period of armed conflict. If these provisions are invoked by a student, the correct applicable law will be determined. Contact the Business Office for additional information.

#### **Higher Education Employees-Public Chapter 191**

Full-time employees of the Tennessee Board of Regents and the University of Tennessee are eligible to enroll, on a space available basis,

in one credit class per term without payment of tuition, technology, student activity, student government or access fees. Information on this program is available from the Human Resources Office. An application for Waiver of Fees—Public Chapter 191 (fully executed by the employing institution) must be presented at the time of registration. Participants in this program may register beginning four weeks prior to the first day of classes

#### State Employee Fee Waiver Program

Full-time employees of the State of Tennessee are eligible to enroll, on a space available basis, in one credit course per term without paying tuition charges, technology fees, student activity fees, student government fee or registration fees. At the time of enrollment, the state employee must present a completed "Public Higher Education Fee Waiver for Employees of the State of Tennessee" form certifying that the applicant is a full-time employee with at least six months continuous service. Information on this program and related eligibility requirements is available from the Business Office. Participants in this program may register beginning no earlier than four weeks prior to the first official day of classes.

# Fee Discount Program for Spouses and Dependent Children of TBR Employees

Spouses and dependent children of certain retired employees and regular employees of Tennessee Board of Regents institutions who have been employed for at least one continuous year and work at least one-half time are eligible for up to a 50% discount on tuition, technology, student government, access and activity fees. The amount of the tuition fee discount is 50% for full-time employees. Spouses and dependent children of part-time employees will receive a pro-rata portion of the 50% discount based on the employee's percentage of work effort. This program is applicable only to undergraduate credit courses. Certain special conditions must be met to qualify for this program. Information on the program is available from the Personnel Office. A Request for Fee Discount for Spouse and/or Dependent form (fully executed by the employing institution) must be presented at the time of registration.

#### Fee Discount Program for Children of Licensed Public School Teachers and for Children of State Employees

Students under the age of 24 may receive a 25% discount on tuition fees and technology fees at any state operated institution of higher learning if their parent: (1) is employed as a full-time licensed teacher in any public school in Tennessee or as a full-time employee of the state of Tennessee, (2) is a retired employee of the state of Tennessee who retired after a minimum of 25 years of creditable service, (3) was killed in the line of duty while a full-time employee of the state of Tennessee, or (4) died while a full-time employee, though not "in the line of duty." Fee discounts will not be retroactive; eligibility for the fee discount is available only by application and approval prior to the beginning of the term for which assistance is being sought. Information on this program and related eligibility requirements is available from the Business Office.

# Refunds

All refunds policies are subject to change by direction of the Tennessee Board of Regents and will be posted on Roane State's website as changes are made.

Adjustments to all fees and charges must be in accordance with the following provisions except as previously stated, or when required by

federal law or regulation to be otherwise.

Pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-7-2301 and 49-7-2302, students called to active military or National Guard service during the semester are entitled to a 100% adjustment or credit of mandatory fees. Housing and meal ticket charges may be prorated based on usage.

#### Maintenance Fee Refunds and Adjustments

Refunds are 100% for courses canceled by the institution.

Changes in courses involving the adding and dropping of equal numbers of SCH's for the same term at the same time require no refund or assessment of additional maintenance fees. The change of course fee would be applicable.

The fee adjustment for withdrawals or drops during regular terms (fall and spring) is 75% from the first day of classes through the fourteenth calendar day of classes and then reduced to 25% for a period of time which extends 25% of the length of the term. There is no fee adjustment after the 25% period ends. Students enrolling in more than a full-time course load receive the benefit of additional course work at no additional cost. Dropping or withdrawing from classes during either the 75% or the 25% fee adjustment period will result in a fee adjustment of assessed maintenance fees based on the total credit hours of the final student enrollment as described in item 10 below.

For summer sessions and other short terms, the 75% fee adjustment period and the 25% fee adjustment period will extend a length of time which is the same proportion of the term as the 75% and 25% periods are of the regular terms.

All fee adjustment periods will be rounded to whole days and the date on which each fee adjustment period ends will be included in publications. In calculating the 75% period for other than the fall and spring and in calculating the 25% length of term in all cases, the number of calendar days during the term will be considered. When the calculation produces a fractional day, rounding will be up or down to the nearest whole day.

A full refund (100%) is provided on behalf of a student whose death occurs during the term. Any indebtedness should be offset against the refund.

A 100% refund will be provided for students who enroll under an advance registration system but who drop a course or courses prior to the beginning of the first day of class.

A 100% refund will be provided to students who are compelled by the institution to withdraw when it is determined that through institutional error they were academically ineligible for enrollment or were not properly admitted to enroll for the course(s) being dropped. An appropriate official must certify in writing that this provision is applicable in each case.

When courses are included in a regular term's registration process for administrative convenience, but the course does not begin until later in the term, the 75%/25% fee adjustment periods will be based on the particular course's beginning and ending dates. This provision does not apply to classes during the fall or spring terms which may meet only once per week. Those courses will follow the same refund dates as other regular courses for the term.

The fee adjustment is calculated as the difference between (1) the cost of originally enrolled hours and (2) the per credit hour cost of the courses

at final enrollment after adjustments have been applied for all courses dropped. Adjustments are calculated at the full per credit hour rate less the fee adjustment credit at the applicable fee adjustment percentage (regardless of the original number of hours enrolled) with total costs not to exceed full-time tuition. For students dropping courses resulting in a change from full-time status to part-time status, a fee adjustment in the tuition and fees will result only if the new calculated charges are less than the original charges. Not all drops/withdrawals will result in a fee adjustment.

Financial Aid Return of Title IV Funds- Students who receive assistance from Title IV financial aid programs and drop classes may have funds returned to each grant and/or loan account in accordance with applicable federal regulations.\* For additional information, contact the Business or Financial Aid Office.

\*If a student does a total withdrawal, he/she may owe a portion of funds back to either Roane State and/or the Department of Education.

Refund Appeals Process- Students may appeal a refund by submitting a written request by email outlining the basis for the appeal to the wilmoth@roanestate.edu. Refund appeal requests will be decided by the Assistant Vice President of Fiscal and Auxiliary Services. The student will be notified in writing of the decision within ten (10) working days of receipt of the written appeal request. Students may appeal the decision of the Assistant Vice President of Fiscal and Auxiliary Services to the President by submitting a written request for a refund appeal review to the Vice President for Business and Finance. The student will be notified in writing of the decision within ten (10) working days of receipt of the request for refund appeal review.

#### Community Services Activities: Withdrawals and Refunds

**Withdrawal Policy-** Registrants must notify the appropriate Continuing Education Unit, either by phone or in writing, of the intent to withdraw from a non-credit program. Failure to attend does not constitute withdrawal.

Refund Policy (Community Services Non-credit Courses) – For courses that meet on a weekly basis, registration may be canceled without penalty prior to the first class meeting. After the first class and prior to the second class, an 80% refund will be given. No refund will be made after the second class meeting.

For one and two day courses, withdrawals received prior to the first class meeting will be refunded in full. No refunds will be given after the course begins.

Courses canceled by Roane State Community College will be refunded in full or the registrants may elect to transfer into another course.

Refund Policy (Community Services Non-credit Conferences, Workshops or Seminars)- Registrants in conferences, workshops or seminars should make withdrawals no later than five working days prior to the activity start date in order to receive a complete refund. If a notification of less than five working days is given, a refund, less 10% of the registration fee, will be returned to the registrant. No refunds will be made after the activity begins. Substitutions can be made without prior notification. Registrants should check all literature on the activity for any special exceptions.

**Special Exceptions-** Some Community Services non-credit courses, conferences, workshops, or seminars may have special deadlines and/or requirements established for registration or refunds. Registrants should

check all literature received on the activity for exceptions to the general policies.

Centers for Training Refund Policy- The Centers for Training and Development (CTD) consist of three "Centers" within Roane State's Continuing Education division, the Center for Business and Industry, the Center for Computer Training and Professional Development and the Center for Health Sciences. CTD strives for "Excellent Customer Service" and will work to ensure this happens by offering credible, timely courses led by field expert consultants. Our goal is to make lifelong learning exciting and worth your investment of both time and money. To do this we design our classes to "make" with a small number of participants and therefore it is critical that we know the commitment of each course registration. Our Refund Policy serves participants by providing a 100% refund when CTD personnel are notified of a cancellation within 48 hours of the event, workshop, course, etc. It also serves the participants in the class by letting CTD decide two days in advance if the class will "make" or not.

# **Books and Supplies**

The cost of books and supplies will vary from one program to another. The bookstore sells both new and used books. Students are encouraged to take advantage of savings which result when purchasing used books. The College Bookstore will buy back used books in good usable condition in quantities limited to the anticipated needs for ensuing semesters. Book buy back periods are announced at the end of each semester. Students selling books back to the bookstore will be required to furnish a Roane State Community College ID card. For more information, visit http://www.roanestate.edu/bookstore or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4671 or 865-882-4671.

# **Check Cashing/Acceptance Policy**

Roane State provides a free check cashing service as a convenience to our students and employees. Personal checks for an amount up to \$25 will be cashed at the cashiers window or bookstore at the Roane County and Oak Ridge campuses with appropriate identification.

If a check written for payment of a student's maintenance fee is returned, the student has (10) days in which to make restitution to the college via payment by cash, certified check, cashier's check, or postal money order. Failure to make such restitution will result in immediate disenrollment. Suspension from classes could also result from checks returned on the purchase of books or payment of other fees.

The college reserves the right to refuse to cash any check. Appeals concerning the cashing of checks may be made to the Assistant Vice President for Fiscal and Auxiliary Services.

# **Financial Aid Information**

The financial aid program at Roane State Community College is designed to aid students who would find it difficult or impossible to attend college without financial assistance. Roane State offers a comprehensive program

of financial aid in the form of scholarships, work study, grants and loans. Major emphasis is placed upon financial need, academic achievement, character, and promise of future success. For assistance with your Financial Aid needs you may call toll free 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4545 or 1-865-354-3000 ext. 4545.

The basis for determining financial need is the result of an analysis of the parents' and/or student's resources as provided by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Beginning with the 2008-2009 academic year, students MUST access the form online at http://www.fafsa.ed.gov. All campuses can assist families in filling out the application.

Eligibility for financial aid is based on financial need, availability of funds and ability to maintain satisfactory progress. To qualify a student must:

- 1. Be admitted to attend or currently attending Roane State in an approved degree or certificate program and
- Submit the online Free Application for Federal Student Aid to determine financial need
- Submit verifying documents if requested by the Financial Aid Office and
- Meet Roane State's satisfactory progress standards as noted in a later section.

Roane State encourages students to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as early as possible after January 1st availability each year. Roane State has set the following priority dates for file completion:

- Fall semester files should be completed by August 1st to ensure processing for fee payment.
- Spring semester files should be completed by November 15th to ensure processing for fee payment.
- Summer semester files should be completed by April 15th to ensure processing for fee payment.

Students applying after the priority dates listed above will be required to pay for the tuition and fees, and possibly be reimbursed if they qualify for financial aid assistance at a later date.

#### **Federal Pell Grants**

Federal Pell Grants are an entitlement program made available through the Title IV Student Financial Aid Programs and funded by tax dollars. Students should apply early through the FAFSA (Roane State's school code is 009914) and make the Federal Pell Grant the primary source of financial aid since all other sources of assistance are based upon this eligibility. Beginning 2012-13, there will be a lifetime limit of the Pell grant equal to 12 full-time semesters monitored by the Department of Education.

# Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG) and Federal Work-Study Program (FWS)

As part of the federally funded Campus-based Programs of Title IV, students may be considered for these additional funds after eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant has been determined. These programs have limited funding. Awards from these programs are made in the fall semester of each year, on a *first-come*, *first-served basis*.

If a student wants to be considered for *FSEOG* funds, he/she must fill out the FAFSA and complete the financial aid file as early as possible, since these awards are made on a first-come, first served basis.

If a student wants to be considered for the *Federal Work-Study* program, he/she must fill out the FAFSA, have a completed financial aid file and apply with the online Foundation Scholarship application.

#### **Tennessee Student Assistance Award**

The Tennessee Student Assistance Award administered by the Tennessee Student Assistance Corporation is a grant made available to Tennessee residents attending college in the State of Tennessee. An application deadline is assigned by the corporation each year. Funds are limited so early application through the FAFSA is important.

#### **Student Loans**

If students are interested in applying for the student loan programs, they should file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and complete any additional requirements requested. In addition, a separate online loan application will be required, available at http://www.roanestate.edu/financialaid.

The Federal Stafford Loan Program is available to students who have been determined eligible through the above-mentioned need analysis system. Because of a recently passed federal law, starting July 1, 2010, all new student loans will be handled directly through the U.S. Department of Education. There are 2 types of Federal Direct loans available to RSCC students: subsidized (interest is paid by the Department of Education while the student maintains half-time enrollment) or unsubsidized (a variable interest loan). Repayment begins six months after the student withdraws, graduates or drops to less than 6 credit hours. Loan limits are a minimum of \$500 and a maximum allowed by the Department of Education. More details are available on the Financial Aid Loans Web site

The Financial Aid Office will strive to process loans quickly and accurately. Remember, a student loan is the student's and it is beneficial to be informed, borrow conservatively, and ask questions.

For more information please call toll free 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4545 or 865-882-4545.

# **Satisfactory Progress Standards**

The regulations that students receiving financial aid must follow are:

- Must be working toward an A.S., A.A., or A.A.S. degree or certificate (some certificates may not be eligible pending approval of program). Special students for credit are not eligible for any funding.
- May receive federal funding for: 30 attempted Learning Support hours; 90 attempted college credit hours if degree seeking (all attempted hours at RSCC and any other college or university attended count whether you receive funding or not); hours vary if certificate seeking (ask about limits).
- 3. Class attendance will be monitored. If reported by instructor for non-attendance, student may be billed.

- Class attendance will be verified before excess checks are disbursed.
- 5. A student will be on financial aid suspension if (s)he does not pass 67% of total attempted hours (passing grades = A, B, C, D, P only!), or does not keep a 2.0 cumulative grade point average, which are checked after spring semester.
- If on financial aid suspension, a student may attend Roane State at their own expense.
- No financial aid (including student loans) may be received if on financial aid suspension.
- 8. Suspensions may be appealed with documentation to the Financial Aid Office by submitting an online appeal form located on the students' RaiderNet Financial Aid tab to be reviewed by the Financial Aid Appeal Committee.
- You can only receive financial aid at one school during a semester.

# Presidential Scholarship Criteria

- One valedictorian from the current graduating class of each high school in Roane State's extended service area will be offered an additional scholarship. The amount of the scholarship will be determined by the availability of funding at time of award presentation. In case of multiple valedictorians, ACT scores will decide the recipient.
- 2. The Presidential scholarship may be renewed for a second year if the student maintains a 2.75 GPA.
- 3. The Foundation on-line application must be submitted annually.

### **Roane State Foundation Scholarships**

Roane State has over 200 private scholarships through the Roane State Foundation. In selecting recipients for these scholarships, emphasis is placed upon scholastic achievement, character, future promise, and financial need. The scholarship application is available online at http://www.roanestate.edu/scholarships or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4669 or 865-882-4669. The application deadline and scholarship regulations are also found there.

# **Diversity Scholarships**

Students must be either economically disadvantaged, first generation college students, or part of an under-represented ethnic population either at the college or in a program of study, and who have applied for federal student aid through the FAFSA. The Diversity Scholarship will provide money to pay tuition and fees. This application is available on the scholarship website.

### **Athletic Scholarships**

The college annually awards a number of athletic scholarships. For detailed information contact the Director of Athletics at http://www.roanestate.edu/athletics or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4581 or 865-882-4581.

# **Tennessee Education Lottery Scholarship Program**

The Tennessee Lottery Scholarship began in 2004 for high school students. Since that time with additional enhancements, other students are now potentially eligible. Apply by filing a FAFSA beginning January 1 of each year. *Application deadline is September 1 of each year for fall enrollment and February 1 for spring enrollment.* For additional information and specific eligibility requirements, go to http://www.tn.gov/collegepays and http://www.roanestate.edu/financialaid, or call 865-882-4545 or toll free 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4545.

# **Student Handbook**

# **Student Rights and Freedoms**

#### **Preamble**

Academic institutions exist for the transmission of knowledge, the pursuit of truth, the development of students, and the general wellbeing of society. Free inquiry and free expression are indispensable to the attainment of these goals. As members of the academic community, students should be encouraged to develop the capacity for critical judgment and to engage in a sustained and independent search for truth. Institutional procedures for achieving these purposes may vary from campus to campus, but the minimal standards of academic freedom of students outlined below are essential to any community of scholars.

Freedom to teach and freedom to learn are inseparable facets of academic freedom. The freedom to learn depends upon appropriate opportunities and conditions in the classroom, on the campus, and in the larger community. Students should exercise their freedom with responsibility.

The responsibility to secure and to respect general conditions conductive to the freedom to learn is shared by all members of the academic community. Tennessee Board of Regents institutions have developed policies and procedures which provide and safeguard this freedom. The purpose of this statement is to enumerate the essential provisions for students' freedom to learn.

#### Freedom of Access to Higher Education

The admissions policies of each Tennessee Board of Regents institution are a matter of institutional choice, provided that each institution makes clear the characteristics and expectations of students which it considers relevant to success in the institution's program. Under no circumstances should a student be barred from admission to a particular institution on the basis of race. Thus, within the limits of its facilities, each institution should be open to all students who are qualified according to its admissions standards. The facilities and services of a TBR institution should be open to all of its enrolled students.

#### In the Classroom

The professor in the classroom and in conference should encourage free discussion, inquiry, and expression. Student performance should be evaluated solely on an academic basis, not on opinions or conduct in matters unrelated to academic standards.

#### 1. Protection of Freedom of Expression

Students should be free to take reasoned exception to the data or views offered in any course of study and to reserve judgment about matters of opinion, but they are responsible for learning the content of any course of study for which they are enrolled.

#### 2. Protection Against Improper Academic Evaluation

Students should have protection through orderly procedures against prejudiced or capricious academic evaluation. At the same time, they are responsible for maintaining standards of academic performance established for each course in which they are enrolled.

#### 3. Protection Against Improper Disclosure

Certain information about students is protected from public disclosure by Federal and state laws. Protection against improper disclosure is a serious professional obligation. Judgments of ability and character may be provided under appropriate circumstances.

<sup>1</sup> Adapted from AAUP Statement of RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS OF STUDENTS

# **Student Responsibility**

There are a number of established policies and regulations and student right-to-know information, developed by the College as well as mandated by the Tennessee Board of Regents, that exist for the welfare of both students and the College. It is the student's responsibility to become familiar with these policies and regulations: GA-21-03 (Drug Free Environment): GA-08-01 (Admission to Buildings): GA-13-01 (Emergency Procedures-Fire & Bomb); GA-20-01 (Alcoholic Beverages); GA-21-01 (Smoking & Tobacco Products); GA-06-03 (Bulletin Boards); TBR Policy 3:02:00:01 (General Regulations on Student Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions). Students may see the Assistant Vice President of Student Services/Dean of Students for clarification of these policies and regulations.

# **Policy Making and the Student**

Students have the right to voice their opinions and ask questions concerning current issues or policies of the College. RSCC students may participate in the decision making process through the Student Government Association/Campus Activities Board, by representation on some standing college committee, as well as participation on the Academic Curriculum Council. In addition, RSCC has an "open door policy" which allows students the opportunity to express their views through college administration.

# **Student Complaints**

Roane State Community College is committed to providing a quality educational experience for all students. Students are encouraged to take advantage of all relevant services and programs offered by the College, therefore RSCC is concerned that all students receive the best treatment possible by college personnel. However, if a student feels he/she has not received fair treatment, or has a complaint regarding some situation or condition (financial aid, tuition, refunds, parking tickets, advisement, records, admissions, facilities, classroom concerns, student conduct, etc.) at the College, the student may address the complaint in writing (student complaint form) to the Assistant Vice President of Student Services. The Assistant Vice President of Student Services will investigate the complaint, consulting with other RSCC personnel as needed and will notify the student of the outcome. If the student is not satisfied with how the Assistant Vice President of Student Services has tried to resolve the issue, the student may be heard by the Vice President for Student Learning and/or the Vice President of Student Services and Enrollment Management. The student complaint form may be accessed at http://www. roanestate.edu/studentcomplaints.

#### **TBR Student Complaint Procedures**

Students or prospective students who wish to file a complaint related to accreditation or regarding violations of state law not resolved at the institution may submit a Student Complaint Form to the Tennessee Board of Regents at 1415 Murfreesboro Road, Suite 340, Nashville Tennessee 37217, or by going on line and filling out the form electronically at http://www.tbr.edu/contact/default.aspx?id=2936. Under Tennessee's open records law, all or parts of complaints will generally be available for review upon request from a member of the public.

Complaints regarding accreditation can also be made by contacting the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges, 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur Georgia 30033-4097, telephone: 404.679.4500 (www.sacscoc.org).

Complaints of fraud, waste or abuse may be made by email at reportfraud@tbr.edu or by calling the Tennessee Comptroller's Hotline for Fraud, Waste and Abuse at 1.800.232.5454.

# **Student Conduct and Discipline**

The Office of the Assistant Vice President of Student Services continually updates policies and procedures governing student conduct and disciplinary sanctions. Colleges recognize the student as an adult pursuing an education. Just as a student does not lose citizenship rights upon enrolling at a college, the student also does not become immune to society's obligations and laws or to the responsibilities of daily living in a broader society. In general, the behavioral norms expected of the college student are those of common decency and decorum, recognition of and non-infringement upon the rights and property of others and of the college, honesty in academic work and all other activities, and observance of local, state and federal laws.

The Assistant Vice President also investigates conduct and discipline issues. Students are expected to conduct themselves in accordance with the rules and regulations of the college. Students, like all members of the college - faculty, administration, and staff members - assume the responsibility to conduct themselves in compliance with the objectives and standards of conduct established by the college. To locate the full version of the RSCC Student Disciplinary Policy #SA-06-01, please visit http://www.roanestate.edu/deanofstudents or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4550 or 865-882-4550.

# **Student Right To Know**

The Student Right-To-Know Act, 34, CFR668, 41, requires all institutions who participate in financial assistance programs under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, and who award athletically-related student aid to publish the freshmen rate of athletically-related financial aid and the graduation rate or completion rate for all first-time, full-time, degree, or certificate seeking freshmen who entered college by fall 1996 and subsequent years.

For current Student Right to Know and Crime on Campus reports, visit http://www.roanestate.edu/deanofstudents or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4550 or 865-882-4550.

## **Campus Safety and Security**

Reporting Procedures for the Crime Awareness & Campus Security Act of 1990

Any student, employee, or visitor on campus should report the incidence of criminal activity to the Roane State Department of Public Safety (ext. 4500), toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4500 or 865-882-4500 and/or to the Office of the Assistant Vice President of Student Services (ext. 4550), toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4550 or 865-882-4550. Criminal activity at any satellite location should be reported to the campus director who, in turn, will report to appropriate officials. For further details visit http://www.roanestate.edu/deanofstudents.

## Additional Student Information

For more details on the following critical student information, visit http://www.roanestate.edu/deanofstudents or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4550 or 865-882-4550.

- Drug Free Communities Statement
- Federal Student Right to Know (Crime Statistics)
- Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs and Activities
- Sexual Offender Notification
- Subsidiary Use of the College Campus
- Other Student Support Services

# Academic Standards and Expectations

## **Statement of Academic Integrity**

An essential feature of any institution of higher learning is a commitment to maintaining an atmosphere of intellectual integrity and academic honesty. Plagiarism (the use of the intellectual property of someone else without giving proper credit), cheating, and other forms of academic dishonesty are prohibited. The instructor has the authority to assign an "F" or a zero for the exercise or examination, or to assign an "F" in the course, to a student found guilty of academic misconduct.

Each student is responsible for his/her own personal integrity and honor in academic life, and when accepting admittance to Roane State, affirms and subscribes to this commitment to neither knowingly give nor receive any inappropriate assistance in academic work.

## Academic Program Opportunities

## **Cooperative Education**

The Cooperative Education program provides students with meaningful work experience related to their major field of study. The Placement Office at Roane State works with students and/or area employers to develop cooperative education experiences for Roane State students. These experiences allow the student to get practical on-the-job training prior to entering the work force. Cooperative education work assignments at Roane State are concurrent, meaning that the student is enrolled in coursework leading to an associate degree while working.

Students must be in good academic standing and have completed 12 semester hours of coursework in their major (excluding Academic Development courses). A student may earn a maximum of 12 semester hours of co-op credit which may then be used toward general elective credit in the program of study. Students interested in receiving co-operative education credit must be registered with the Placement Office, however registration does not guarantee a successful co-op placement.

Co-op students must work a minimum of 10 hours per week over a 15-week period to receive co-op credit. While most co-op experiences are paid positions, some grant academic credit only.

All participants will be evaluated by the employing supervisor and will receive either a letter grade or pass/fail at the conclusion of the semester. Students are also asked to evaluate the employer and write a summary of the co-op experience. Visit http://www.roanestate.edu/placement for more information or to contact the Placement Coordinator toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4695 or 865-882-4695.

### **Honors Program**

The Honors Program is the core of a variety of enrichment opportunities available at Roane State. The program offers a unique course of study to the most promising students at the college. The program, in affiliation with the National Collegiate Honors Council, is designed around the concept of student initiative and academic achievement. It is designed for students who want more from their collegiate experience. It provides opportunities to experience learning at a deeper level while having some responsibility for expression in creative academic projects. Honors serves students who work hard, raise questions, and seek answers.

The Honors Program maintains strict standards for admission and participation. However, there are no extra fees to pay and many services are provided at no cost to the students. The most important criterion for success is each student's motivation and dedication to learning.

#### **Admission Requirements**

You may apply to the program if you are a:

- Freshman who has attained a 3.5 GPA in high school and/or scored 25 or higher on the ACT
- Current RSCC student who has attained a 3.5 GPA with a minimum of 12 college level credits
- Transfer student who has attained 3.5 GPA with at least 12 college-level credits from another accredited institution.

NOTE: Some exceptions to these requirements are made based on a personal interview.

Honors students enjoy benefits such as field trips, social gatherings, cultural events, special programs and presentations. Members of the Honors Program are invited to join Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society, which provides many transfer scholarships to four-year institutions.

Those who earn twelve hours of Honors credit and maintain at least a 3.3 GPA graduate as an Honors Associate and receive a certificate. Those who earn eighteen hours and maintain a 3.3 GPA graduate from the Honors Program and receive an Honors diploma. All Honors graduates and Phi Theta Kappa members receive special recognition at graduation. For more information visit http://www.roanestate.edu/honorsprogram or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4271 or ext. 2010 or 865-354-3000 ext. 4271 or ext. 2010.

### **International Education**

Roane State Community College strives to provide International Education opportunities by bringing the world to our students and by bringing the college and the beauty of the Tennessee mountains to the world.

The International Education Office offers our Tennessee students, faculty and staff the opportunity to experience other cultures and life-styles and, through friendship and knowledge, embrace the world. These are not simply tourist travels: our experienced faculty is dedicated to true cultural immersion and deep sociological experiences.

Our International Students Office welcomes international students and collaborates with academic deans to offer a wide range of the highest quality learning opportunities. See http://www.roanestate.edu/internationaleducation for more information or call toll free at 1-866-462-

7722 ext. 4643 or 865-882-4643.

## **Classroom Expectations**

### **Attendance Regulations**

- Attendance of classes and other official appointments is expected and may be included in the calculation of a student's final grade.
- 2. An explanation of absences should be given to instructors. This information should be presented in advance if possible.
- 3. Absences are counted from the first scheduled meeting of the class. *Non-attendance does not constitute a withdrawal from classes or from the college.* Procedures to formally drop a course or to withdraw from the college must be followed. *Following these procedures may prevent a failing grade on a student's transcript.*
- Some Health Science and Nursing programs may have attendance requirements that affect progress or retention in the program. Contact the program director for detailed information.
- Attendance will be monitored for students who receive Title IV financial aid funds. Lack of attendance could mandate administrative withdrawal and necessitate the repayment of financial aid funds.

### **Cell Phone Use**

The use of cell phones or pagers within the classroom setting is expressly prohibited. All cell phones and pagers should be placed on silent mode, put away, and kept out of sight for the duration of the class.

## **Children on Campus**

Children should not be brought to the classroom or left unattended in any RSCC location. Out of consideration to fellow students, faculty and staff, and for safety reasons, please secure appropriate baby-sitting services off-campus.

### **Student Emergency Calls**

The only option the college has to locate a student on campus is via the student's class schedule. We will not be able to locate you if you are not in class. Therefore there must be an extreme emergency to justify interrupting the classroom. The office of the Assistant Vice President and Dean of Students will determine the legitimacy of the emergency call. An extreme emergency would include a sick child needing to be picked up at daycare; a serious injury to a family member; a death in the family, or other traumatizing event. The classroom will not be disturbed to deliver a message to remind the student to take care of personal business matters such as your work schedule; keeping doctor appointments; to pay your bills; to stop by the grocery store. These issues have to be managed by the student outside the classroom. Please make sure you communicate daily with relevant family members and others about your whereabouts especially if your schedule changes in any way. Remember, we cannot locate you if you are not in class should a legitimate emergency arise.

You may contact the office of the Assistant Vice President and Dean of Students if you have questions at 865-882-4550.

### Academic and Classroom Misconduct

- 1. The instructor has the primary responsibility for maintenance of academic integrity and controlling classroom behavior, and can order the temporary removal or exclusion from the classroom of any student engaged in disruptive conduct or conduct that violates the general rules and policies of the institution for each class session during which the conduct occurs. Extended or permanent exclusion from the classroom, beyond the session in which the conduct occurred, or further disciplinary action can be effected only through appropriate procedures of the institution.
- Plagiarism, cheating, and other forms of academic dishonesty are prohibited. Students guilty of academic misconduct, either directly or indirectly through participation or assistance, are immediately responsible to the instructor of the class. In addition to other possible disciplinary sanctions which may be imposed through the regular institutional procedures as a result of academic misconduct, the instructor has the authority to assign an appropriate grade, including an "F" or a "zero" for the exercise or examination. In cases where the instructor imposes Summary Academic Discipline by assigning an "F" for the course rather than a single exercise or assignment, the instructor shall make a written notification to the appropriate Academic Dean and the Assistant Vice President of Student Services/Dean of Students for an "F" to be assigned to the class in question. Disciplinary sanctions will be imposed only through appropriate institutional disciplinary processes coordinated by the Assistant Vice President of Student Services/Dean of Students when deemed necessary.
- Students may appeal a grade assignment associated with a finding of academic misconduct, as distinct from a student disciplinary sanction, through appropriate institutional academic misconduct or grade appeal procedures. Courses may not be dropped pending the final resolution of an allegation of academic misconduct. At RSCC, an administrative hold may be placed on the student's registration by the Registrar per notification to the appropriate Academic Dean pending final resolution of the allegation of academic misconduct. In order to initiate an administrative hold for suspicion of academic misconduct, an instructor will notify the appropriate Academic Dean. If the Academic Dean is satisfied that an administrative hold is warranted, he/she will notify the Registrar, who will implement the hold. The administrative hold may be implemented even if the student has dropped the course in question. If the allegation is disproven, the administrative hold will be lifted by the Registrar as directed by the appropriate Academic Dean or Vice-President of Student Learning. Grade appeal procedures can be found in the online RSCC catalog at http://www.roanestate.edu/catalog/, scroll to student handbook.
- 4. Disruptive behavior in the classroom may be defined as, but not limited to, behavior that obstructs or disrupts the learning environment (e.g., offensive language, harassment of students and professors, repeated outbursts from a student which disrupt the flow of instruction or prevent concentration on the subject taught, failure to cooperate in maintaining classroom decorum, etc.), text messaging, and the continued use of any electronic or other noise or light emitting device which disturbs others (e.g.,

- disturbing noises from beepers, cell phones, palm pilots, lap-top computers, games, etc.).
- Other conduct violations as described in handbooks for specific programs of study.

For further information regarding Academic Misconduct, please refer to the RSCC Academic Misconduct web page: http://www.roanestate.edu/?7825-Academic-Misconduct.

For further information regarding the Student Disciplinary Policy, please refer to RSCC SA 06-01 Student Disciplinary Policy.

# **General Education Mission and Purpose**

#### **General Education Philosophy**

Roane State Community College fully supports the Tennessee Board of Regents Lower Division General Education Core framework developed in November 2002. The philosophy of General Education outlined in the preamble to the document states that:

The purpose of the Tennessee Board of Regents general education core is to ensure that college students have the broad knowledge and skills to become life-long learners in a global community that will continue to change. Because courses in general education should emphasize breadth, they should not be reduced in design to the skills, techniques, or procedures associated with a specific occupation or profession. As a fundamental element of the baccalaureate degree, essential for a full completion of all majors and minors, the general education core is included in the lower division courses, but universities may add general education courses at the upper division as well.

General Education provides critical thinking skills for analysis to continue to seek truths, to discover answers to questions, and to solve problems. Specifically, educated people practice and are literate in the various methods of communication. They recognize their place in the history, culture, and diverse heritages of Tennessee, the United States, and the world. They appreciate the web of commonality of all humans in a multicultural world and are prepared for the responsibilities of an engaged citizenship. They recognize the ethical demands of our common lives. They demonstrate the skills and knowledge of the social and behavioral sciences to analyze their contemporary world. They are familiar with the scientific and mathematical view of the world.

Finally, Tennessee's general education core provides for its citizens the means to make a better living. It also, perhaps above all, enables its citizens to make a better life.

The TBR General Education Core outlines goals and learning outcomes for six general education categories, including communication, humanities/fine arts, social/behavioral sciences, history, natural sciences, and mathematics. Roane State's General Education core curriculum integrates these competencies into the courses for which they are appropriate.

#### **RSCC General Education Mission**

As part of Roane State's overall Teaching and Learning mission, it is the goal of all academic divisions to provide learning experiences, built on general education competencies, which ultimately support the Strategic Plan of the college. Across the curriculum the fundamental competencies of *critical thinking skills and communication skills* are addressed at the course level, forming the foundation for the overall educational mission of the college.

#### **Critical Thinking Skills**

As productive members of a democracy, our students must accept the responsibility of making important decisions. Critical thinking skills promote responsible action in one's personal and professional life.

Critical thinking requires the ability to identify problems, research and evaluate alternative solutions, and implement decisions. An ability to solve problems and use math and contemporary technology is crucial for success in the professional world and for evaluating matters of national and global importance.

#### **Communication Skills**

The ability to communicate well in a competitive and technological world is crucial to the success of our students. In business, academic and personal settings, the emphasis on teamwork requires that individuals use listening, reading, writing, speaking, and computer skills to solve problems effectively. For communities to improve their social, economic, and physical environments, citizens must be able to express their ideas, evaluate opposing viewpoints, and debate possible courses of action. The Roane State curriculum emphasizes all of these communication skills.

The General Education mission and philosophy outlined here applies to students who are in either University Transfer Programs or Career Education Programs.

## For University Transfer Students (Associate of Science Degree and Associate of Arts Degree)

For students seeking the A.S. and A.A. degrees, the general education university parallel core curriculum intends to stimulate students to acquire general knowledge in various academic disciplines, to gain the ability to effectively express themselves orally and in writing, and to prepare for advanced educational work through the acquisition of effective research, problem solving, and critical thinking skills.

RSCC provides a learning environment which enables students to develop the following: familiarity with current research and problem solving methods, a desire and ability for self-directed learning and effective expression, a capacity to synthesize knowledge from many sources, and an ability to critically examine new ideas and ways of thinking. For further information, refer to the University Transfer Program section in the catalog.

#### For Career Education Students (Associate of Applied Science Degree)

For students seeking the A.A.S. degree, the career education curriculum includes a general education core leading students to the achievement of a basic understanding of the humanities, arts, and social and natural sciences; the achievement of basic skill competencies in oral and written expressions; and an understanding of vocation as a part of the changing world culture and learning as a lifelong endeavor. For further information, refer to the Career Preparation Program section in the catalog.

## **Courses Fulfilling General Education Requirements**

Although the courses fulfilling the minimum degree requirements may vary in actual design among institutions, many contain similar content. These courses are identified by common course rubrics (prefixes and numbers) in all TBR institutions to facilitate transferability. The actual courses designated by each institution to fulfill the Minimum Degree Requirements, including courses that may not be a part of the common course prefix and numbering pattern, are listed below. A complete matrix of courses that satisfy the Minimum Degree Requirements at all

TBR institutions and an explanation of the common course rubric and numbering system are available on the TBR website (http://www.tbr.edu).

ENGL 1010 Composition I ENGL 1020 Composition II

SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication

### **Humanities and/or Fine Arts**

ARTH 1030 Art Appreciation

ARTH 2010 Survey of Art History I

ARTH 2020 Survey of Art History II

ENGL 2110 American Literature I ENGL 2120 American Literature II

ENGL 2210 British Literature I

ENGL 2220 British Literature II

ENGL 2310 Survey of World Literature I ENGL 2320 Survey of World Literature II HUM 262 Great Works

MUS 1030 Music Appreciation

PHIL 1030 Introduction to Philosophy

121 Elementary Ethics

201 Introduction to Religions of the World PHIL

THEA 1030 Introduction to Theatre

#### Social/Behavioral Sciences

ANTH 2150 Native American Studies

ECON 2010 Macroeconomics

ECON 2020 Microeconomics GEOG 1220 Human Geography

GEOG 2010 World Regional Geography

INTL 1010 Introduction to Global Studies POLS 1030 American Government

POLS 1025 Introduction to Political Science

PSYC 1030 General Psychology

PSYC 2220 Biological Basis of Behavior

PSYC 2130 Lifespan Psychology SOCI 1010 Introduction to Socio 1010 Introduction to Sociology

SOCI 1020 Social Problems

SOCI 2110 Cultural Anthropology

SOCI 2120 Prehistoric Archaeology

WELL 1010 Lifetime Wellness

1010 Survey of Western Civilization I HIST

1020 Survey of Western Civilization II 1210 Survey of World History I HIST

HIST

HIST 1220 Survey of World History II

2010 Survey of United States History I HIST

HIST 2020 Survey of United States History II

2030 Tennessee History HIST

#### **Natural Sciences**

ASTR 1010 Introduction to Astronomy I

ASTR 1020 Introduction to Astronomy II

BIOL 1110 General Biology I

BIOL 1120 General Biology II BIOL 2010 Human Anatomy and Physiology I

BIOL 2015 Environmental Science

BIOL 2020 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

CHEM 1010 Introduction to Chemistry I

CHEM 1020 Introduction to Chemistry II

CHEM 1110 General Chemistry I

CHEM 1120 General Chemistry II

GEOL 1040 Physical Geology

GEOL 1050 Historical Geology

PHYS 2010 Non-Calculus Based Physics I

PHYS 2020 Non-Calculus Based Physics II

PHYS 2110 Calculus Based Physics I PHYS 2120 Calculus Based Physics II

**Mathematics** 

MATH 1130 College Algebra

MATH 1410 Number Concepts/Algebra Structures

MATH 1530 Probability and Statistics

MATH 1630 Finite Mathematics

MATH 1720 Trigonometry

MATH 1730 Pre-Calculus

MATH 1830 Calculus for Business MATH 1910 Calculus I

# **University Transfer Programs**

Students who desire to earn a Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree at a four-year college or university may complete the first two years of study at Roane State by enrolling in an Associate of Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS)degree program. The advantages of taking the first two years at Roane State include:

- Roane State's tuition and fees are among the lowest of any of Tennessee's colleges and universities.
- Roane State's class size is generally smaller which lends itself to more individualized instruction.
- Obtaining an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree allows a student to have credentials for employment while completing his/her baccalaureate degree.

### **Transfer Program Options**

#### **Tennessee Transfer Pathways**

Tennessee Transfer Pathways (TTP) help students who plan to transfer to Tennessee public universities to complete their baccalaureate degrees. A student who completes all the courses listed on a TTP will earn an AA or AS degree from Roane State and is guaranteed that all the courses will count toward that university major. The Tennessee Transfer Pathways' prescribed curriculum must be followed exactly to ensure all credit hours transfer. Particular universities or programs may have additional requirements that apply. Admission into a university does not guarantee admission into a particular college or academic program. For more information go to: www.roanestate.edu/academicprograms

#### **Articulation Agreements**

Not all majors/programs are available through the Tennessee Transfer Pathways. Articulation Agreements exist to assist students with course selection for a particular senior institution and major. The agreements specify a curriculum that has been agreed upon by Roane State and a four-year college or university to satisfy degree requirements at both institutions. Completion of the first and second year of the agreement results in the completion of an AA or AS degree at Roane State. The remaining requirements for the third and fourth year are those required by the four-year college/university. For more information go to: www. roanestate.edu/articulation

#### **Course Equivalencies**

In the event that a student selects a major or college/university for which there is no Tennessee Transfer Pathway, or articulation agreement, the student may use the course equivalency tables to choose transferable courses. The acceptance of RSCC courses for transfer and the fulfillment of degree requirements rests with the four-year college/university. A complete listing of course-by-course equivalencies is available at www. roanestate.edu/articulation

## Associate of Arts (AA) and Associate of Science (AS) Degrees - Requirements

#### Communication: All Required

ENGL 1010 Composition I

ENGL 1020 Composition II

SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication

#### **Literature: One course** \*(ENGL1020 is prerequisite)

ENGL 2110 American Lit I

ENGL 2120 American Lit II

ENGL 2210 British Lit I

ENGL 2220 British Lit II

ENGL 2310 World Lit I

ENGL 2320 World Lit II

#### **Humanities/Fine Arts: 2 courses**

ARTH 2010 Survey of Art History I

ARTH 2020 Survey of Art History II

ARTH 1030 Art Appreciation

MUS 1030 Music Appreciation

PHIL 1030 Intro to Philosophy

PHIL 121 Elementary Ethics

PHIL 201 Intro to Religions of World

THEA 1030 Intro to Theater

Any other ENGL Literature course\*

\*(ENGL1020 is prerequisite)

#### Social Science: 2 courses

ANTH 2150 Native American Studies

ECON 2010 Macroeconomics

ECON 2020 Microeconomics

GEOG 1220 Human Geography

GEOG 2010 World Regional Geography

INTL 1010 Intro to Global Studies

POLS 1010 American Government

POLS 1020 Intro to Political Science

PSYC 1030 General Psychology

PSYC 2220 Biological Basis of Behavior

PSYC 2130 Life Span Psychology

SOCI 1010 Intro to Sociology

SOCI 1020 Social Problems

SOCI 2110 Cultural Anthropology

SOCI 2120 Prehistoric Archaeology

WELL 1010 Lifetime Wellness

### History: 2 course sequence

HIST 1010/1020 Western Civilization

HIST 1210/1220 World History

HIST 2010/2020 US History

HIST 2030 TN History (may substitute for 1 US History course)

(Check with your senior institution before taking history)

#### Natural Science: 2 courses

ASTR 1010/1020 Astronomy

BIOL 1110/1120 Gen Biology

BIOL 2010/2020 Anatomy and Physiology

CHEM 1010/1020 Intro to Chemistry

CHEM 1110/1120 General Chemistry

GEOL 1040/1050 Phys/Historical Geology

PHYS 2010/2020 Non-Calc Physics

PHYS 2110/2120 Calculus-Based Physics

#### **Mathematics: 1 course**

MATH 1130 College Algebra

MATH 1410 Number Con/Alg Structures

MATH 1530 Probability and Statistics MATH 1630 Finite Math MATH 1720 Trigonometry MATH 1730 Pre-Calculus MATH 1830 Calculus for Business MATH 1910 Calculus I

#### Transferrable Electives: 19 credit hours required

Students should select appropriate electives for their intended major at the four-year institution. For the A.A. degree, a student must complete 6 credit hours of foreign language as part of the electives.

Total Required credit hours for the AA or AS degree: 60

## Transferability of Courses to Tennessee Board of Regents (TBR) Institutions

Although the courses designated by TBR institutions to fulfill the requirements of the general education subject categories vary, transfer of the courses is assured through the following means:

- Upon completion of an A.A. or A.S. degree, the requirements of the lower division general education core will be complete and accepted by a TBR university in the transfer process.
- If an A.A. or A.S. is not obtained, transfer of general education courses will be based upon fulfillment of complete subject categories. (Example: If all eight hours in the category of Natural Sciences are complete, then this "block" of the general education core is complete.) When a subject category is incomplete, course-by-course evaluation will be conducted. The provision of block fulfillment pertains also to students who transfer among TBR universities.
- Institutional/departmental requirements of the grade of "C" will be honored. Even if credit is granted for a course, any specific requirements for the grade of "C" by the receiving institution will be enforced.
- In certain majors, specific courses must be taken also in general education. It is important that students and advisors be aware of any major requirements that must be fulfilled under lowerdivision general education.

A complete listing of the courses fulfilling general education requirements for all TBR institutions is available on the TBR website (http://www.tbr.edu) under Transfer and Articulation Information.

Every TBR institution incorporates the 41 semester hours listed above into its degree program requirements and accepts all courses designated as meeting these requirements at other TBR institutions. By ensuring the transferability of courses fulfilling the Minimum Degree Requirements, the TBR has eliminated unnecessary repetition of these courses by students transferring to institutions within the TBR system. Because each TBR institution has a unique mission and its own distinctive curriculum, an institution may require students to complete additional courses in the Minimum Degree subject areas and in other areas that may comprise an institutional General Education Program. Students planning to receive a bachelor of arts or associate of arts degree must demonstrate proficiency in a foreign language as prescribed in the institutional degree requirements.

## **Tennessee Transfer Pathways**

## Accounting (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Commu			Hours
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
<b>ENGL</b>	1020	Composition II	3 3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		or other approved speech/communication course	
Human	ities a	nd/or Fine Arts	9
includi	ng one	e course in literature)	
Social/E	Behavi	oral Sciences (2 courses)	
<b>ECON</b>	2010	Macroeconomics	3
ECON	2020	Microeconomics	3
History	(2 co	urses)	6
Natural	Scien	ces (2 courses)	8
		(1 course)	
MATH	1630	Finite Mathematics	3
Area of	Emph	nasis Requirements	
ACCT	1010	Principles of Accounting I	3
ACCT	1020	Principles of Accounting II	3 3 3 3 3
MATH	1530	Probability and Statistics *	3
		Calculus for Business	3
INFS	1010	Computer Applications	
		Electives (Guided) - consult with your advisor	4
		TOTAL HOURS	60

\*Students who plan to transfer to the University of Tenessee, Knoxville must complete MATH 2050, Calculus-based Probability and Statistics.

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For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Department, 865-354-3000, x4582.

## Art-Studio (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Hours 3 3 3 3
3 3 3
6
6
8
3-4

Area o	t Emp	hasis Requirements	
ARTP	1010	Drawing I	3
ARTP	1020	Drawing II**	3
ARTP	1110	Two Dimensional Design	2
ARTP	1120	Three Dimensional Design	2
ARTP		Studio Art Elective	2-3
		Foreign Language (One-Year Sequence in a Single	6
		Foreign Language)	

\*Students who attend Community Colleges that do not offer ARTH 2010 and 2020 will complete these courses upon transfer to a University. These students will complete requirements in the Humanities/Fine Arts as prescribed at the Community College where they are enrolled. \*\*Students who plan to attend East Tennessee State University or the University of Tennessee Knoxville will complete Drawing I and a three-

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Communication

**TOTAL HOURS** 

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## Biology (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer **Pathway**

hour elective course in Studio Art rather than Drawing II.

ENGL 1010 Composition I ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication or	3 3 3 course
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses) BIOL 1110 General Biology I BIOL 1120 General Biology II	4 4
MATH 1910 Calculus I	4
Area of Emphasis Requirements	
MATH 1920 Calculus II * or MATH 1530 Probability/S CHEM 1110 General Chemistry I CHEM 1120 General Chemistry II CHEM 2010 Organic Chemistry II ** CHEM 2020 Organic Chemistry II **	4 4 4 4
TOTAL HOURS	60

\* At UT Knoxville, the math course must be Calculus II

\*\* At UT Knoxville, this sequence must be Organic Chemistry I and either a course in Cell Biology with laboratory or Genetics with laboratory.

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## **Business Administration (A.S. Degree)**

**TN** Transfer Pathway

Communication				
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3	
		Composition II	3 3	
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3	
		or other approved speech/communication course		
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)				
Social/I	Behavi	oral Sciences (2 courses)		
<b>ECON</b>	2010	Macroeconomics	3	
ECON	2020	Microeconomics	3	
History (2 courses)				
Natural Sciences (2 courses)				
		(1 course)		
MATH	1630	Finite Mathematics	3	
		nasis Requirements		
ACCT	1010	Principles of Accounting I	3	
ACCT	1020	Principles of Accounting II	3 3 3 3 4	
MATH	1530	Probability/Statistics*	3	
MATH	1830	Calculus for Business	3	
INFS	1010	Computer Applications	3	
		Electives(guided)	4	
		TOTAL HOURS	60	

\*Students who plan to transfer to UT Knoxville must complete MATH 2050, Calculus-based Probability and Statistics.

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Hours

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### Chemistry (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer **Pathway**

1 will way	
Communication  ENGL 1010 Composition I  ENGL 1020 Composition II  SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3 3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses) CHEM 1110 General Chemistry I CHEM 1120 General Chemistry II	4 4
Mathematics (1 course) MATH 1910 Calculus I	4
Area of Emphasis Requirements MATH 1920 Calculus II CHEM 2010 Organic Chemistry I CHEM 2020 Oragnic Chemistry II PHYS 2110 Calculus-Based Physics I	4 4 4 4

Hours

PHYS 2120 Calculus-Based Physics II 4		SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication	3
TOTAL HOURS 6	0			course	
TTP link: www.tntransferpathway.org		Humanit	ies and/o	or Fine Arts	9
For further information: Mathematics and Sciences Division, 865-	354-	includin	g one cou	ırse in literature)	
3000 x 4533		Social/Be	havioral	Sciences (2 courses)	6
		History	(2 course	es)	6
Civil Engineering (A.S. Degree) TN		Natural S	Sciences	(2 courses)	
Transfer Pathway				our Sequence from the Following:  O General Biology I and II	8
Communication	Hours	CHEM	1110, 112	0 General Chemistry I and II	8
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3	PHYS 2	2010, 202	0 Non-Calculus Based Physics I and II 0 Calculus-Based Physics I and II*	8 8
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3	PHIS A	2110, 212	o Calculus-Based Physics I and II.	0
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3	Mathema			
of other approved speech/communication course		MATH	1910	Calculus I	4
Humanities and/or Fine Arts	9	Area of I	Emphasis	Requirements	
including one course in literature)		CISP	1010	Computer Science I	4
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6		1020	Computer Science II	4
Social/Denavioral Sciences (2 courses)	O	MATH 2		Calculus II Linear Algebra	4 3
History (2 courses)	6		2410	Assembly and Computer Organization	3-4
Notinal Sciences (2 courses)				General Electives	0-1
Natural Sciences (2 courses) PHYS 2110 Calculus-Based Physics I	4			TOTAL HOURS	60
PHYS 2120 Calculus-Based Physics II	4	Studente	alonnina 6		
Mathematics (1 course)				to transfer to the University of Tennessee Know YS 2110 and 2120.	CVIIIE
Mathematics (1 course) MATH 1910 Calculus I	4	must com	piete i ii	13 2110 and 2120.	
		TTP link:	www.tnti	ransferpathway.org	
Area of Emphasis Requirements	4				
MATH 1920 Calculus II MATH 2110 Calculus III	4			tion: Mathematics and Sciences Division, 865	-354-
MATH 2010 Linear Algebra or MATH 2050 (Calculus-Based	3	3000 x 45	33		
Probability and Statistics)					
MATH 2120 Differential Equations	3				
CHEM 1110 General Chemistry I ENGR 2110 Statics	4 3	Crim	inal I	ustico (A. A. Dograc) TN	
ENGR 2110 States ENGR 2120 Dynamics	3			ustice (A.A. Degree) TN	
		Trans	sfer P	athway	
<ul> <li>TOTAL HOURS</li> <li>Students are strongly encouraged to complete a course in</li> </ul>	60	Commun		·	Hou
Students are strongly encouraged to complete a course in				nposition I	3
		ENGL I	020 Con	nposition II damentals of Speech Communication	3
Mechanics of Materials, also known as Strength of Mate	,	CPC'H I	010  Fum		5
Mechanics of Materials, also known as Strength of Mate before transferring to a University.		SPCH I	010 Fund	ther approved speech/communication course	
<ul><li>Mechanics of Materials, also known as Strength of Mate before transferring to a University.</li><li>Courses in Engineering Technology do not fulfill any of</li></ul>	the		or o	ther approved speech/communication course	
Mechanics of Materials, also known as Strength of Mate before transferring to a University.	the ring.	Humanit	or of	ther approved speech/communication course or Fine Arts	9
<ul> <li>Mechanics of Materials, also known as Strength of Mate before transferring to a University.</li> <li>Courses in Engineering Technology do not fulfill any of requirements for the Area of Emphasis in Civil Engineer</li> <li>Although it is possible to complete the B.S. Degree in C. Engineering in four semesters after earning an Associate</li> </ul>	the ing. ivil	Humanit	or of	ther approved speech/communication course	9
<ul> <li>Mechanics of Materials, also known as Strength of Mate before transferring to a University.</li> <li>Courses in Engineering Technology do not fulfill any of requirements for the Area of Emphasis in Civil Engineer</li> <li>Although it is possible to complete the B.S. Degree in C. Engineering in four semesters after earning an Associate Degree, students typically need five or six semesters to</li> </ul>	the ing. ivil	Humanit includin	or of ies and/o g one cou	ther approved speech/communication course or Fine Arts arse in literature)	9
<ul> <li>Mechanics of Materials, also known as Strength of Mate before transferring to a University.</li> <li>Courses in Engineering Technology do not fulfill any of requirements for the Area of Emphasis in Civil Engineer</li> <li>Although it is possible to complete the B.S. Degree in C. Engineering in four semesters after earning an Associate</li> </ul>	the ing. ivil	Humanit includin Social/Be SOCI 1	or of	ther approved speech/communication course or Fine Arts	9 3 3

Computer Science (A.S. Degree) TN **Transfer Pathway** 

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Communication Hours ENGL 1010 Composition I 3 ENGL 1020 Composition II

ENGL 1020	Composition I Composition II Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3 3 3		
	and/or Fine Arts ne course in literature)	9		
SOCI 1010	vioral Sciences (2 courses) Introduction to Sociology General Psychology	3		
History (2 c	ourses)	6		
Natural Sciences (2 courses)				
Mathematic	s (1 course)	3-4		
CRMJ 1010 CRMJ 1020 CRMJ 2010	Introduction to Criminal Justice Introduction to the Legal Process Introduction to Law Enforcement Introduction to Corrections Foreign Language(One-Year Sequence in a Single Foreign Language) General Electives	3 3 3 6		

TOTAL HOURS	60	ACCT 1010 Principles of Accounting I 3 ACCT 1020 Principles of Accounting II 3	
TTP link: www.tntransferpathway.org		MATH 1930 Introduction to Probability and Statistics*  3	
For further information: Social Science, Business and Educati $865\text{-}354\text{-}3000 \times 4582$	on Division,	MATH 1530 Introduction to Probability and Statistics* 3 MATH 1830 Calculus for Business 3 INFS 1010 Computer Applications 3 Electives (guided) 4	
		TOTAL HOURS 60	
Criminal Justice (A.S. Degree) TN		*Students who plan to transfer to the University of Tennessee Knoxville's College of Business must complete MATH 2050, Calculus-Based Probability and Statistics.	S
Transfer Pathway Communication	Hours	TTD Link	
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3	TTP link: www.tntransferpathway.org	
SPCH 1010 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication cours	3 3 se	For further information: Social Science, Business and Education, 865-354-3000 x 4582	
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9	E ETCH (A. A. D ) TN	
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)		Economics-ETSU (A.A. Degree) TN	
SOCI 1010 Introduction to Sociology PSYC 1030 General Psychology	3 3	Transfer Pathway	
•		Communication Hours  ENGL 1010 Composition I 3	
History (2 courses)	6	ENGL 1020 Composition II 3	
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8	SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication 3 or other approved speech/communication	
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4	course	
Area of Emphasis Requirements	•	Humanities and/or Fine Arts	1
CRMJ 1010 Introduction to Criminal Justice CRMJ 1020 Introduction to the Legal Process	3 3	including one course in literature)	
CRMJ 2010 Introduction to Law Enforcement CRMJ 2020 Introduction to Corrections	3 3	Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses) ECON 2010 Macroeconomics 3	
General Electives	7	ECON 2020 Microeconomics 3	
TOTAL HOURS	60	History (2 courses) 6	
TTP link: www.tntransferpathway.org		Natural Sciences (2 courses) 8	
For further information: Social Science, Business and Educati $865-354-3000 \times 4582$	on Division,	Mathematics (1 course) MATH 1530 Introduction to Probability and Statistics 3	
		Area of Emphasis Requirements	
E(A.C.D)	TINI	MATH 1830 Calculus for Business 3 Foreign Language (One-Year Sequence in 6	
<b>Economics - Business (A.S. Degree)</b>	) 1 N	Single Foreign Language)	
Transfer Pathway	**		0
Communication ENGL 1010 Composition I	Hours 3		0
ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3 3	TTP link: www.tntransferpathway.org	
or other approved speech/communication cour	-	For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division	n,
Humanities and/or Fine Arts	9	865-354-3000 x 4582	
including one course in literature)			
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	2	Economics-MTSU (A.S. Degree) TN	
ECON 2010 Macroeconomics ECON 2020 Microeconomics	3 3	Transfer Pathway	
History (2 courses)	6	Communication Hours	
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8	ENGL 1010 Composition I 3 ENGL 1020 Composition II 3	
	O	SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication 3	
Mathematics (1 course) MATH 1630 Finite Mathematics	3	or other approved speech/communication course	
		Humanities and/or Fine Arts 9	

**Area of Emphasis Requirements** 

**Humanities and/or Fine Arts** 

including one course in literature)

60

Social/Behavior	ral Sciences (2 courses)		<b>Communication</b> H	Hours
ECON 2010 N	Macroeconomics	3	ENGL 1010 Composition I 3	,
ECON 2020 N	Microeconomics	3	ENGL 1020 Composition II 3	;
History (2 cour		6	SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	•
Natural Science	es (2 courses)	8	Humanities and/or Fine Arts 9	)
			including one course in literature)	
Mathematics (	1 course)		,	
MATH 1630 F	Finite Mathematics	3	Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	
			ECON 2010 Macroeconomics 3	;
	sis Requirements		ECON 2020 Microeconomics 3	,
	ntroduction to Probability and Statistics	3		
MATH 1830 C	Calculus for Business	3	History (2 courses) 6	j
	Computer Applications	3		
(	General Electives	10	Natural Sciences (2 courses) 8	;
Γ	TOTAL HOURS	60	Mathematics (1 course)	
TTP link: www.tntransferpathway.org			MATH 1630 Finite Mathematics 3	;
F C		Di istan	Area of Emphasis Requirements	
	mation: Social Science, Business and Education	Division,	MATH 1530 Introduction to Probability and Statistics 3	;
865-354-3000 x	4582		MATH 1530 Introduction to Probability and Statistics MATH 1830 Calculus for Business 3	,
			INFS 1010 Computer Applications 3	,
			General Electives 1	0

Hours

## Economics-UOM (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

	1010 Composition I	3			
ENGL	1020 Composition II	3 3			
SPCH	1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3			
	or other approved speech/communication course				
Humanities and/or Fine Arts					
includii	ng one course in literature)				
Social/B	ehavioral Sciences (2 courses)				
	2010 Macroeconomics	3			
ECON	2020 Microeconomics	3			
History	(2 courses)	6			
1115001 j	(2 0041303)				
Natural Sciences (2 courses)					
Mathem	natics (1 course)				
MATH 1630 Finite Mathematics					
Area of	Emphasis Requirements				
	Mathematics or Natural Science (Approved	3-4			
	Course)				
	Fine Arts (Approved Course)	3			
	Social Science (Approved Course)				
	Foreign Language (One-Year Sequence in a Single	6			
	Foreign Language)				
	Electives	3-4			
	TOTAL HOURS	60			
TTP link	ITP link: www.tntransferpathway.org				

For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division,  $865-354-3000 \times 4582$ 

## **Economics-UTC (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway**

## Economics-UTK (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

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**TOTAL HOURS** 

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Transici rathway				
Communication  ENGL 1010 Composition I  ENGL 1020 Composition II  SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3 3			
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)				
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses) ECON 2010 Macroeconomics ECON 2020 Microeconomics	3 3			
History (2 courses)	6			
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8			
Mathematics (1 course) MATH 2050 Calculus-Based Probability and Statistics	3			
Area of Emphasis Requirements  MATH 1830 Calculus for Business  Natural Science (Approved Course)  Social Science (Approved Course)  Foreign Language (One-Year Sequence in Single  Foreign Language)				
TOTAL HOURS	60			

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## English (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

ENGL 1020	ion Composition I Composition II Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	<b>Hours</b> 3 3 3 3
	Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	
Social/Behav	ioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 co	ourses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)		8
Mathematics	(1 course)	3-4
	hasis Requirements m the following:	
	Survey of American Literature I	3
ENGL 2120	Survery of American Literature II	3
	Survey of British Literature I	3
	Survey of British Literature II	3 3 3 3 3
	Survey of World Literature I	3
ENGL 2320	Survey of World Literature II	12
	Foreign Language (Two-Year Sequence) General Electives	12
	TOTAL HOURS	60

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## **Exercise Science (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway**

Tran	Transfer Pathway			
Comm ENGL ENGL	unica 1010 1020	•	Hours 3 3 3	
	Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)		9	
		Vioral Sciences (2 courses) General Psychology Approved Course in Health and Wellness	3 3	
History (2 courses)			6	
Natural Sciences (2 courses) BIOL 2010 Human Anatomy and Physiology I BIOL 2020 Human Anatomy Physiology II		4 4		
Mathematics (1 course)		3-4		
HEA HEA HEA	227 201 221	Introduction to Exercise Science Principles of Nutrition Safety, First Aid and CPR Prevention and Care of Atheletic Injuries Two Physical Education Activity Courses General Electives	3 3 3 3 2 5	
		TOTAL HOURS	60	

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Foreign Language (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Communication ENGL 1010 Composition I ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3 3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Foreign Language (Two-Year Sequence in a Single Foreign	
Language through the intermediate level or equivalent) General Electives	7
TOTAL HOURS	60

Please check websites of University Departments of Foreign Language for additional information regarding advisement available to students majoring in Foreign Language.

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For further information: Humanities Division, 865-354-3000 x 4567

## History (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Communication	1	Hours	
ENGL 1010	Composition I	3	
ENGL 1020	Composition II	3	
SPCH 1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3	
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)			
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)		6	
History (2 cour	rses)		
HIST 2010	Survey of U.S. History I	3	
HIST 2020	Survey of U.S. History II	3	
Natural Sciences (2 courses)		8	
Mathematics (1 course)		3-4	

HIST 1010, 1020	Requirements e following sequences: Survey of Western Civilization I and II Survery of World History I and II Elective Foreign Language (One-Year Sequence) General Electives	6 6 3 6 4	
	TOTAL HOURS	60	
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## History (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer **Pathway**

Communication ENGL 1010 ENGL 1020 SPCH 1010	Composition I Composition II Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3	
Humanities and/or including one cou		9	
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)			
History (2 courses HIST 2010 HIST 2020	s) Survey of U.S. History I Survey of U.S. History II	3 3	
Natural Sciences	(2 courses)	8	
Mathematics (1 course)			
	Requirements Survey of Western Civilization I and II Survey of World History I and II History Elective General Electives	6 6 3 10	
	TOTAL HOURS	60	
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## **Information Systems (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway**

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Communication		
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3	
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3	
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3	
or other approved speech/communication course		
Humanities and/or Fine Arts		
including one course in literature)		
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)		
ECON 2010 Macroeconomics	3	
ECON 2020 Microeconomics	3	

History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course) MATH 1630 Finite Mathematics	3
Area of Emphasis Requirements  ACCT 1010 Principles of Accounting I  ACCT 1020 Principles of Accounting II  MATH 1530 Probability and Statistics*  MATH 1830 Calculus for Business  INFS 1010 Computer Application**  General Electives**	3 3 3 3 3 4
TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Students who plan to transfer to University of Tennesseee must complete MATH 2050, Calculus-Based Probability and Statistics.

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## Kinesiology (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer **Pathway**

ENGL	1010 1020		Hours 3 3 3
		nd/or Fine Arts e course in literature)	9
		oral Sciences (2 courses) General Psychology Approved Course in Health and Wellness	3
History	(2 co	urses)	6
CHEM CHEM	1110 1120	General Chemistry II	4 4
		(1 course) Calculus I	4
HEA HEA HEA HEA PHED	227 201 221 225	Introduction to Exercise Science Principles of Nutrition Safety, First Aid and CPR Care and Prevention of Athletic Injuries Physical Education Activity Course Calculus-Based Physics I General Elective	3 3 3 3 2 4 1
		TOTAL HOURS	60

Upon transfer to the University of Tennessee Knoxville, students need to complete PHYS 222 (Calculus-Based Physics II) and BCMB 230 (Human Physiology) in the first semster of enrollment.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Students who plan to transfer to Austin Peay State University, East Tennessee State University, and the University of Tennessee Chattanooga must CISP 1010 and 1020, Computer Science I and II (Programming) instead of INFS 1010, Computer Applications and electives. For these students, the total hours in the Area of the Emphasis will be 20 Hours and Total Degree Hours will be 61.

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## Mass Communications (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Communication Hours		
Communication		
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3	
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3	
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3 3 3	
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)		
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6	
History (2 courses)		
Natural Sciences (2 courses)		
Mathematics (1 course)		
Area of Emphasis Requirements		
COMM 1010 Introduction to Mass Communication	3	
COMM 1020 Media Writing	3	
Mass Communication Electives*	3 3 6	
Foreign Language (one year sequence in single	6	
	O	
foreign lang.)	1	
General Electives	1	
TOTAL HOURS	60	

<sup>\*</sup>Practicum courses are excluded as acceptable electives.

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## Mass Communications (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Transici rathway		
Communication  ENGL 1010 Composition I  ENGL 1020 Composition II  SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3 3	
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)		
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)		
History (2 courses)		
Natural Sciences (2 courses)		
Mathematics (1 course)		
Area of Emphasis Requirements  COMM 1010 Introduction to Mass Communication  COMM 1020 Media Writing  COMM Two Courses of Mass Communication Electives  General Electives	3 3 6 7	

#### TOTAL HOURS

60

\*Practicum courses are excluded as acceptable electives.

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## Mathematics (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

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ENGL 1020	tion Composition I Composition II Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hour 3 3 3
	and/or Fine Arts ne course in literature)	9
Social/Behav	rioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 co	ourses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)		8
Mathematics MATH 1910		4
MATH 1920 MATH 2110 MATH 2010		4 4 3 3 3 1
	TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Students who wish to pursue a concentration in actuarial science avaliable at the University of Tennessee, Chattanooga; Middle Tennessee State University; or Tennessee State University should complete Economics I & II to fulfill the requirement in social/behavioral sciences.

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## Mechanical Engineering (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

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Comm	unicati	on	Hours
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
<b>ENGL</b>	1020	Composition II	3
		Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3
		nd/or Fine Arts e course in literature)	9
Social/l	Behavi	oral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History	(2 co	urses)	6
Natura	l Scien	ices (2 courses)	
PHYS	2110	Calculus-based Physics I	4
PHYS	2120	Calculus-based Physics II	4

		(1 course) Calculus I	4
MATH MATH MATH CHEM ENGR	1920 2110 2010 2120 1110 2110	Calculus II Calculus III Linear Algebra Differential Equations General Chemistry I Statics Particles and Rigid Bodies	4 4 3 3 4 3 3

• Students are strongly encouraged to complete a course in Mechanics of Materials, also known as Strength of Materials,

before transferring to a university.

 Courses in engineering technology do not fulfill any of the requirements for the Area of Emphasis in Mechanical Engineering.

 Although it is possible to complete the B. S. Degree in Mechanical Engineering in four semesters after earning the associate's degree, students typically need five or six semesters to complete requirements.

TTP link: www.tntransferpathway.org

For further information: Mathematics and Sciences, 865-354-3000 x 4533

## Physics (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Communication		Hours	
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
<b>ENGL</b>	1020	Composition II	3 3
SPCH	1010	Composition II Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		or other approved speech/communication course	
		nd/or Fine Arts e course in literature)	9
Social/I	Behavi	oral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History	(2 co	urses)	6
		ces (2 courses)	
PHYS	2110	Calculus-based Physics	4
PHYS	2120	Calculus-based Physics	4
		(1 course)	
MATH	1910	Calculus I	4
		nasis Requirements	
		Calculus II	4
		Calculus III	4 3 3 1
		Linear Algebra	3
MAIH	2120	Differential Equations	3
		Programming Language Electives	3
		Electives	1
		TOTAL HOURS	60
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## Political Science (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Communicati ENGL 1010	ion Composition I	Hours 3
ENGL 1020	Composition II	3 3 3
SPCH 1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3
	nd/or Fine Arts e course in literature)	9
	ioral Sciences (2 courses)	2
ECON 2010	Macroeconomics Approved Social/Behavioral Science Course	3
History (2 co	ourses)	6
Natural Scien	nces (2 courses)	8
Mathematics MATH 1530	(1 course) Introduction to Probability and Statistics	3
	hasis Requirements	
POLS 1030	Introduction to American Government	3
	Political Science Elective Foreign Language (One-Year Sequence in Single	6
	Foreign Language (One-Tear Sequence in Single	U
	General Electives	7
	TOTAL HOURS	60
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For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division,  $865-354-3000 \times 4582$ 

## Political Science (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

Communication	Hour
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3 3 3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
or other approved speech/communication cours	se
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	
ECON 2010 Macroeconomics	3
Approved Social/Behavioral Science Course	3
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	
MATH 1530 Introduction to Probability Science	3
Area of Emphasis Requirements	
POLS 1030 Introduction to American Government	3
Political Science Elective	3
General Electives	13
TOTAL HOURS	60

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For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division,

BIOL

MATH 1530

1120

Mathematics (1 course)

General Biology II

Introduction to Probability and Statistics

3

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**Humanities and/or Fine Arts** 

including one course in literature)

Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)

9

6

History (2 co	urses)	6
BIOL 1110	<b>ces (2 courses)</b> General Biology I General Biology II	4 4
Mathematics MATH 1110	(1 course) College Algebra or Higher	3
PSYC 1030	nasis Requirements Introduction to General Psychology Introduction to Probability and Statistics	3
PSYC 2130	Psychology- Choose Two of the Following: Psychology of Adjustment Life Span Psychology Social Psychology	3 3 3
	Foreign Language (One year sequence in a single language) General electives	6
TTP link: wwv	TOTAL HOURS v.tntransferpathway.org	60

For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division, 865-354-3000 x 4582

## Psychology (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

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Communication  ENGL 1010 Composition I  ENGL 1020 Composition II  SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses) BIOL 1110 General Biology I BIOL 1120 General Biology II	4 4
Mathematics (1 course) MATH 1110 College Algebra or Higher	3
Area of Emphasis Requirements PSYC 1030 Introduction to General Psychology MATH 1530 Introduction to Probability and Statistics	3 3
Psychology-Choose Two of the Following PSYC 2110 Psychology of Adjustment PSYC 2130 Life Span Psychology PSYC 2120 Social Psychology	3 3 3
General Electives	7
TOTAL HOURS	60
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For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division, 865-354-3000 x 4582

## Sociology (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

<b>ENGL</b>	1010 1020	on Composition I Composition II Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3
		nd/or Fine Arts e course in literature)	9
Social/B	Behavi	oral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History	(2 co	urses)	6
Natural	Scien	ces (2 courses)	8
		(1 course) Introduction to Probability and Statistics	3
Area of	Empl	nasis Requirements	
		Introduction to Sociology	3
		Social Problems	3
		Sociology Elective*	3 3 6
		Foreign Language (One year sequence)	
General Electives			4
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Universities will determine whether the sociology elective course counts toward requirements of the sociology major or as elective credit applied to the requirements of the baccalaureate degree.

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For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division,  $865-354-3000 \times 4582$ 

## Sociology (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

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Communication			Hours
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
		Composition II	3 3
		Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	_
		nd/or Fine Arts e course in literature)	9
Social/H	Behavi	oral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History	(2 co	urses)	6
Natural	Scien	ces (2 courses)	8
		(1 course)	2
MAIH	1530	Introduction to Probability and Statistics	3
		nasis Requirements	
		Introduction to Sociology	3
SOCI	1020	Social Problems	3 3 3
		Sociology Elective*	_
		General Electives	10
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Universities will determine whether the sociology elective course counts toward requirements of the sociology major or as elective credit applied to

the requirements of the baccalaureate degree.

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For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division, 865-354-3000 x 4582

## Theatre Arts (A.A. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

ENGL 1020	•	<b>Hours</b> 3 3 3 3	
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature) THEA 1030 Introduction to Theater Two Additional Approved Humanities Courses			
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)			
History (2 courses)			
Natural Sciences (2 courses)			
Mathematics (1 course)			
Area of Emphasis Requirements  THEA 231 Fundamentals of Acting I Stage Craft I Theater Electives (excluding Theatre History) Foreign Language (One Year Sequence in Single Foreign Lang.)		3 3 7 6	
TOTAL HOURS			

For further information: Humanities Division, 865-354-3000 x 4594

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## Theatre Arts (A.S. Degree) TN Transfer Pathway

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Comm	unication	Hours
ENGL	1010 Composition I	3
	1020 Composition II	3 3 3
	1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3
Humar	nities and/or Fine Arts	
(3 cour	ses, including one course in literature)	
ÌΗΕΑ	1030 Introduction to Theater	3
	Two Additional Approved Humanities Courses	6
Social/	Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History	y (2 courses)	6
Natura	ll Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathe	matics (1 course)	3
Area of	f Emphasis Requirements	
		3
	Stage Craft I	3

TOTAL HOURS	60
General Electives	6
Theater Electives (excluding theater history)	7

\*The B. S. Degree with a major in Theater Arts is available at Austin Peay State University, Middle Tennessee State University, and Tennessee State University.

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For further information: Humanities Division, 865-354-3000 x 4582

### General Studies/Undecided (A.A. Degree)

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Communication	Hours	
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3 3 3	
ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3	
or other approved speech/communication course	_	
<b>Humanities and/or Fine Arts</b>		
including one course in literature)		
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6	
History (2 courses)	6	
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8	
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4	
Area of Emphasis Requirements		
Foreign Language	6	
Electives*	13	
TOTAL HOURS	60	

\*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

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## General Studies/Undecided (A.S. Degree)

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Communication	Hours	
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3	
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3 3 3	
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication of the speech communication		
Humanities and/or Fine Arts	9	
including one course in literature)		
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6	
History (2 courses)	6	
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8	
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4	
Area of Emphasis Requirements		
Electives*	19	
TOTAL HOURS	60	

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\* Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

## **Computer Art and Design (A.A. Degree)**

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Communication	Hours
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3 3 3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	_
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements	
Foreign Language Electives*	6 13
TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup> Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

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## **Computer Art and Design (A.S. Degree)**

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Communicat	ion	Hours
ENGL 1010 (	Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 (	Composition II	3
	Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3
	and/or Fine Arts	9
including on	e course in literature)	
Social/Behav	ioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 co	ourses)	6
Natural Scien	nces (2 courses)	8
Mathematics	(1 course)	3-4
	hasis Requirements Electives*	3
	TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Humanities Division 865-354-3000, x4567

Communication ENGL 1010 Composition I ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Mathematics and Sciences Division, 865-354-3000, x4533

### **Early Childhood Education (A.S. Degree)** Communication

ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
or other approved speech/communication course	
Humanities and/or Fine Arts	9
including one course in literature)	
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
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Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements	
Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division, 865-354-3000, x4582

## Forestry (A.S. Degree)

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Communication	Hours
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
or other approved speech/communication cou	ırse

Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

\*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Mathematics and Sciences Division, 865-354-3000, x4533

## Music (A.A. Degree)

Communication  ENGL 1010 Composition I  ENGL 1020 Composition II  SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	<b>Hours</b> 3 3 3 3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Foreign Language Electives*	6 13
TOTAL HOURS	60

\*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Humanities Division, 354-3000, x4567

## Music (A.S. Degree)

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Communication	Hours
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
or other approved speech/communication course	
Humanities and/or Fine Arts	
including one course in literature)	
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6

Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

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For further information: Humanities Division, 865-354-3000, x4567

**Pre-Engineering (A.S. Degree)** 

Communication	Hours
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3 3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts	9
including one course in literature)	
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

\*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Mathematics and Sciences Division, 865-354-3000, x4533

## Physical Science (A.S. Degree)

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Communication ENGL 1010 Composition I ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

\*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Mathematics and Sciences Division, 865-354-3000, x4533

Pre-Law (A.S. Degree)

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Communication	Hour
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division, 865-354-3000, x4582

**Pre-Nursing (A.S. Degree)** 

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Communication	Hours		
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3		
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3 3 3		
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication cou	-		
Humanities and/or Fine Arts	9		
including one course in literature)			
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)			
PSYC 1030 General Psychology	3 3		
SOCI 1010 Introduction to Sociology	3		
History (2 courses)	6		
Natural Sciences (2 courses)			
BIOL 2010 Anatomy and Physiology I	4		
BIOL 2020 Anatomy and Physiology II	4		
Mathematics (1 course)			
MATH 1530 Probability and Statistics	3		
Area of Emphasis Requirements			
Electives*	19		
TOTAL HOURS	60		

<sup>\*</sup>Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor.

\*\*The University of Tennessee, Knoxville does not accept transfer students. Nursing students are admitted in the freshman year at UTK.

\*\*\*Community college students may also pursue various RN to BSN programs as a means of attaining the BSN degree. These programs assume the completion of the Associate of Applied Science degree with a major in nursing, licensure as a Registered Nurse, and fulfillment of other criteria. Information concerning these programs is available in university catalogs.

\*\*\*\*Students who plan to attend the University of Tennessee, Chattanooga and the University of Tennessee, Martin are strongly encouraged to complete BIOL 2230 (Microbiology) and CHEM 1110 (General Chemistry I) before transferring to these institutions.

TTP link: www.tntransferpathway.org

For further information: Mathematics and Science, 865-354-3000 x 4533

**Secondary Education (A.S. Degree)** 

Secondary Education (A.S. Degree)		
Communication ENGL 1010 Composition I ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3	
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9	
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6	
History (2 courses)	6	
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8	
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4	
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19	
TOTAL HOURS	60	
*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation	with a	

<sup>\*</sup>Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

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**Special Education (A.S. Degree)** 

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Communication	Hours
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
or other approved speech/communication cours	e
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8

Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

\*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division 865-354-3000, x4582

Social Work (A.A. Degree)

Social Work (A.A. Degree)	
Communication ENGL 1010 Composition I ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hours 3 3 3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Foreign Language Electives*	6 13
TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>\*</sup>Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division, 865-354-3000, x4582

Social Work (A.S. Degree)

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Communication	Hours
ENGL 1010 Composition I	3
ENGL 1020 Composition II	3
SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

\*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Social Science, Business and Education Division, 865-354-3000, x4582

Wildlife and Fisheries (A.S. Degree)

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Communication ENGL 1010 Composition I ENGL 1020 Composition II SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication or other approved speech/communication course	Hour 3 3 3 3
Humanities and/or Fine Arts including one course in literature)	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences (2 courses)	6
History (2 courses)	6
Natural Sciences (2 courses)	8
Mathematics (1 course)	3-4
Area of Emphasis Requirements Electives*	19
TOTAL HOURS	60

\*Elective courses should be carefully selected in consultation with a faculty advisor. Students should choose courses appropriate for transfer to the senior institution they have selected.

For further information: Mathematics and Sciences Division, 865-354-3000, x4533

## **Associate of Science in Teaching**

The A.S.T. curriculum is designed for students who wish to complete the first two years of a program toward teacher certification in K-6 (elementary education) and then transfer to a Tennessee Board of Regents University for the completion of their four year degree. This curriculum will meet the lower division requirements for transfer to a Tennessee Board of Regents senior institution granting the bachelor's degree in elementary education. Due to varying requirements of four-year institutions, students are encouraged to select courses in consultation with an education advisor. Students who plan to transfer to the University of Tennessee or any other non-TBR university should contact their advisor for appropriate degree and transfer information.

Tennessee Technological University now offers coursework leading to the completion of a B.S. in Multidisciplinary Studies - Human Learning (K-6) at four Roane State campuses: Roane County, Oak Ridge, Cumberland and Scott Counties. For additional information, please visit http://www.roanestate.edu/2plus2 or call 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4642 or 865-882-4642.

#### **Additional Degree Requirements:**

- 1. Attainment of a 2.75 cumulative grade point average.
- Successful completion of PRAXIS I or ACT score of 22 or higher (See note below)

Satisfactory rating on an index of suitability for the teaching profession.

First Ye	ar		Hou
<b>ENGL</b>	1010, 1020	Composition I, II	3, 3
SPCH		Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
ARTH	1030	Art Appreciation or	
MUS	1030	Music Appreciation	3
MATH	1410, 1420	Number Concepts/Algebra Structures,	3, 3
		Problem Solving/Geometry	
EDU	101	Introduction to the Teaching Profession	2
EDU	223	Instructional Aids & Equipment	1
EDU	111	Introduction to Educating Exceptional Child	3
GEOG	2010	World Regional Geography	3
ASTR		Introduction to Astronomy or	
GEOL	1040	Physical Geology or	
GEOL	1050	Historical Geology	4
		First Year Total	31
Second			
POLS		American Government <b>or</b>	
SOCI	1010	Introduction to Sociology	3
MATH		Math Elective	3 3
EDU	211 or 212	Educational Psychology or Child	3
		Development & Psychology	
HIST	2010, 2020		
HIST	2030	Tennessee History (SELECT TWO)	3, 3
BIOL	1110	General Biology I	4
MSC	1012	Physical Science	4
ENGL		Sophomore Literature <sup>1</sup>	3
		Additional Humanities Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
		Second Year Total	29
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Courses must come from the TBR General Education List

#### **Praxis Test Information**

- 1. If a student fails to receive the minimum score of 173 Math, 174 Reading, and 173 Writing on the first testing, 10 hours of tutoring per subject area not passed is required through approved tutorial support services for remediation purposes. Students will be required to re-test and show improvement through documentation, which will be stated in a form from the person providing tutorial services. For 2+2 students, the first Praxis attempt should be no later than January of the year they plan to enter the TTU portion of the program.
- 2. If a student fails to make required score(s) on the second attempt, the following guidelines apply for the students to be eligible to appeal testing requirements:
  - 1. Two of the three sections of the PPST have been successfully completed. The third section of the PPST for a person within the following range(s) to be eligible for a waiver:
    - 2.5 cumulative QPA within one point of passing
    - 2.75 cumulative QPA within two points of passing
    - 3.0 cumulative QPA within three points of passing
  - A formal written request for the waiver must be submitted by the student. Letters of support from the student's advisor must accompany the student's request. In addition, documentation and evidence outlining the student's progress attained during the tutoring sessions must be provided by the person or unit providing the required tutorial support.
  - A decision will be made by the PPST Waiver Sub-Committee (or their designee). If extenuating circumstances exist, a student may request a personal appearance before the Sub-Committee.
  - 4. The decision of the Sub-Committee is final.

# **Career Preparation Programs**

The Associate of Applied Science programs are designed primarily for students who wish to seek employment after two years of college. These programs are not designed for transfer to a senior institution. Although the general education core is transferable, senior institutions may grant elective credit for other courses in the curricula, and all are college courses. Students planning to graduate with an Associate of Applied Science Degree are required to complete the general education courses of the core curriculum for career preparation programs listed at the beginning of this section.

#### **Core Curriculum for Career Preparation Programs**

NOTE: Some degree programs may require more than the minimum 60 hours. See the individual program descriptions.

Areas	Courses
English Composition	3 hours
Humanities/Fine Arts*	3 hours
Social/Behavioral Sciences*	3 hours
Natural Science/Mathematics*	3 hours
One additional course from the categories of:	3 or 4 hours
Communication, Humanities/Fine Arts, Social/	
Behavioral Sciences, or Natural Science/Mathematics*	

15 or 16 hours

A certain number of credit hours in each program must be completed in order to meet the graduation residency requirement. Contact your advisor for the requirement of your program.

<sup>\*</sup>Specific courses satisfying these requirements must be the same courses that satisfy the general education requirement for the A.S. and A.A. degrees.

## **Associate of Applied Science Degree Programs**

### **Allied Health Sciences**

This is an Associate of Applied Sciences degree program in Allied Health Sciences that will provide a pathway for students who are currently enrolled in or have completed a Certificate level program in an Allied Health Sciences discipline from any TBR institution, or are currently credentialed as allied health/nursing practitioners who wish to continue their formal education and earn an Associate of Applied Sciences degree. Allied Health Sciences discipline-specific core credits may be earned by current enrollment in appropriate allied health sciences courses, transferring credits earned at a Tennessee Technology Center or an allied health sciences certificate program from a community college, or portfolio assessment of college-level learning gained through employment related to an allied health discipline. In addition to the 15 credit hours of General Education core courses currently required for an A.A.S. degree, students will complete a 3 credit hour course in Management and Leadership for Allied Health Supervisors (ALH 211). Two additional Allied Health courses (Contemporary Issues in Healthcare-ALH 212, and Special Topics in Healthcare Management-ALH 213) as well as 9 credit hours of guided electives may be taken as electives depending on the number of credit hours earned from a health sciences certificate program or experiential portfolio evaluation.

In addition to the 15 credit hours of General Education core courses currently required for an A.A. S. degree, students will complete a 3 credit hour course in Management and Leadership for Allied Health Supervisors (ALH 211). Two additional Allied Health courses (Contemporary Issues in Healthcare-ALH 212), and Special Topics in Healthcare Management-ALH 213) as well as another 9 credit hours of guided electives may be taken as electives, depending on the number of credit hours earned from a allied health sciences certificate program or experiential portfolio evaluation. For more information and detailed admissions procedures-http://www.roanestate.edu (keyword "allied health sciences")

The Objectives of this degree program are to:

- 1. Provide a degree program that is specific to students who are enrolled in or have completed a Certificate level Allied Health Sciences or vocational nursing program at a community college or a Tennessee Technology Center.
- 2. Provide a flexible opportunity for licensed allied health practitioners without discipline-specific postsecondary education to earn college credit for work experiences that can be applied toward a relevant associate degree.
- 3. Provide a relevant degree program for allied healthcare practitioners that include college-level coursework in management and leadership applicable to a healthcare setting.

**Class Location:** The ALH classes are hybrid (on-line) with the orientation session held each semester at the Oak Ridge campus.

**Program Application Deadline:** None

### Allied Health Sciences Associate of Applied Science Degree Plans

The degree program requires completion of a minimum of 60 semester credit hours.

## Degree plan for applicants with a health science certificate from a community college:

Allied Health Sciences Certificate Program	30-42
ENGL 1010 Composition MATH 1130 College Algebra or Higher Level Content Math SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech ALH 211 Management/Supervision for AHS Supervisors	3
Humanities Elective <sup>1</sup> Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup> General Education Electives <sup>1</sup>	3 0-12
TOTAL HOURS	60

#### Degree plan for applicants with a health science diploma from a TTC:

Tennessee Technology Center Health Sciences Diploma <sup>2</sup>		
ENGL 1010 Composition MATH 1130 College Algebra or Higher Level Content Math SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech ALH 211 Management/Supervision for AHS Supervisors	3	
Humanities Elective <sup>1</sup> Social Science Elective <sup>1</sup> General Education Electives <sup>1</sup>	3 3 12	
TOTAL HOURS	60	

#### Degree plan for applicants with a health science license/certification:

ENGL MATH	1010 1130	Experiential Portfolio Assessment <sup>3</sup> Composition College Algebra or Higher Level Content Math Fundamentals of Speech	18 3 3
		Management/Supervision for AHS Supervisors	3
	Scienc	lective <sup>1</sup> e Elective <sup>1</sup> ation Electives <sup>1</sup>	3 3 24
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>1</sup>The number of electives required will vary depending on the credits transferred in from a health science certificate program, from TTC diploma programs, or a combination of transfer credit from other higher education institutions and credit awarded for life experience learning (Experiential Portfolio Assessment). Elective courses will be determined in consultation with the academic advisor best meeting the personal career goals of the student. Students may choose any courses(s) from the General Education Requirements list in the RSCC Catalog, and/or ALH 212-Contemporary Issues in Healthcare, and/or ALH 213-Special Topics in Healthcare Management.

<sup>2</sup>The maximum number of college credits awarded for TTC health sciences diploma programs will be 30. This is based on the number of contact hours for diploma programs and converting that total contact time to college credit hours in accordance with TBR policy.

<sup>3</sup>Experiential portfolio assessment (to give college credit for professional work experiences) will be done using the Council for the Assessment of Experiential Learning (CAEL) guidelines and assessment instruments. The maximum number of college credits awarded for experiential learning is 18 credit hours in accordance with RSCC policy.

This program is designed for students who plan to enter their chosen field upon graduation. Student intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised to check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

## **Business Management Technology, Accounting Option**

The accounting option provides intensive training to qualify a student for various accounting positions in profit and not-for-profit organizations such as service industries, merchandising businesses, manufacturing companies, and governmental and educational facilities. Areas of responsibility may include cash control, accounts receivable, inventory management, accounts payable, tax returns, budgeting and cost controls.

First Ye	ear		Hours
BUS	1010	Introduction to Business and Org. Mgmt	3
BUS	111	Business Math	3
ACCT	1010	Principles of Accounting I (Fall)	3
ACCT	1020	Principles of Accounting II (Spring)	3
		Accounting Sys Applications Î (Spring)	3 3 3 3 3 3 3
BUS		Principles of Marketing	3
BUS		Management & Supervision	3
INFS		Computer Applications (Fall)	3
ENGL	1010	Composition	3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		First Year Total	30
Second	Year		
ACCT	2240	Cost Accounting (Spring only)	3
		Federal Income Tax - Personal (Fall)	3
		Federal Income Tax - Business(Spring)	3
ACCT	2270	Fund Accounting (Fall)	3
ACCT	2330	Intermediate Accounting (Fall)	3 3 3 4 3 2 3 3 3
		Legal Environment for Business	3
		Accounting Sys Applications II (Fall)	2
		Macroeconomics	3
MATH	1530	Probability & Statistics	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

Students pursuing any of the Business Management Technology programs will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

This program is accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

Students in this major must take the Business Graduate Exam prior to graduating.

## **Business Management Technology, Business Administration Option**

The Business Administration option is designed to provide students with the necessary education and skills to own and operate a small business or to work for a business owner or entrepreneur. A variety of business courses are provided for the student to accomplish these goals. The student may also choose to gain on-the-job experience by selecting co-op as a business elective.

First Ye	ear		Hour
BUS	1010	Introduction to Business and Org. Mgmt	3
BUS	111	Business Math	3
BUS	112	Personal Finance Organizational Behavior (formerly Psychological	3 3 3
BUS	261	Organizational Behavior (formerly Psychological	3
		Aspects of Mgmt)	
BUS	271	Sales	3
BUS	273	Principles of Marketing	3
INFS	1010	Computer Applications	3
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
MATH	1530	Probability & Statistics	3 3 3 3 3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	
		First Year Total	30
Second			
ACCT	1010	Principles of Accounting I (Fall)	3
		Principles of Accounting II (Spring)	3
BUS		Negotiations/Conflict Resolution	3
BUS	251	Legal Environment for Business	3 3 3 3 3
BUS	278	Entrepreneurship	3
BUS	281	Management and Supervision	3
BUS	104	Business Presentations	or
		Spreadsheets	3
ECON	2010	Macroeconomics	3 3 3
		Directed Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
		Humanities Elective	_
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>1</sup>Directed Electives: BUS, ECON 2020, or Co-Op.

Students pursuing any of the Business Management Technology programs will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

This program is accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

## **Business Management Technology, Business Management Option**

The Business Management option is designed to provide students with the necessary education and skills to function as a first-line manager or supervise in a business environment. A variety of business courses are provided for the student to accomplish these goals. The student may also choose to gain on-the-job experience by selecting co-op as a business elective.

First Year		Hours
BUS 1010	Introduction to Business and Org. Mgmt	3
	Business Math	3 3 3
BUS 112	Personal Finance	3
BUS 261	Organizational Behavior (formerly Psych Aspects	3
	of Mgmt)	
BUS 273	Principles of Marketing	3
	Management and Supervision	3
INFS 1010	Computer Applications	3 3 3
ENGL 1010	Composition I	3
MATH 1530	Probability & Statistics or	
	Calculus for Business	3
SPCH 1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
	First Year Total	30
Second Year		
BUS 215	Business Ethics	3
ACCT 1010	Principles of Accounting I (Fall)	3
ACCT 1020	Principles of Accounting II (Spring)	3
BUS 236	Negotiations/Conflict Resolution	3
	Legal Environment for Business	3 3 3 3
BUS 284	Management Seminar	3
BUS 104	Business Presentations or	
CISP 1350	Spreadsheets	3
	Economics I	3
	Directed Elective <sup>1</sup>	3 3 3 3
	Humanities Elective	3
	Second Year Total	30
	TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>1</sup>Directed Elective: BUS, CISP, ECON 2020, or Co-Op.

Students pursuing any of the Business Management Technology programs will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

This program is accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

Students in this major must take the Business Graduate Exam prior to graduating.

## **Business Management Technology, Computer Science Option**

This option is designed to prepare students to work in the growing area of computer-based information systems. Degree-seeking students will be exposed to important aspects of computing in a business setting including networking, programming, databases, project management, Web site design and administration as well as file management, current operating systems and popular business applications.

First Ye	ear		Hours
BUS	1010	Introduction to Business and Org. Mgmt	3
INFS	1010	Computer Applications	3
BUS	104	Business Presentations	3
BUS	105	Database Creation and Design	3
CISP	1080	Web Fundamentals	3
CISP	1090	Introduction to Programming	3
BUS	202	Intro to Project Management	3
CISP	1170	Introduction to Visual Basic	3 3 3 3 3 3 3
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		First Year Total	30
Second	Year		
BUS	111	Business Math	3
ACCT	1010	Accounting I	3
BUS	281	Management & Supervision	3
CISP	1370	PC Repairs and Maintenance	3
CISP		Electives <sup>1</sup>	9
MATH	1530	Probability & Statistics	3
		Humanities Elective	3 3 3 9 3 3 3
		Social Science Elective	3
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>1</sup>CISP electives included below.

CISP 1420 CISP 1430 CISP 2030 CISP 2040 CISP 2060 CISP 2150 CISP 2180 CISP 2360 CISP 2370 CISP 2380 CISP 2380	Spreadsheets Networking Essentials Introduction to Routers Data Structures Database Programming Introduction to Network Security Operating Systems Advanced Java Web Design Methodology e-Commerce Design Intro to Java Script Unix/Linux Operating Systems	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3
CISP 2750 COE	Unix/Linux Operating Systems Co-Op (see advisor)	3

Students pursuing any of the Business Management Technology programs will be advised by the Mathematics and Sciences Division.

This program is accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

Students in this major must take the Business Graduate Exam prior to graduating.

## **Business Management Technology,** E-Commerce

An E-Commerce concentration is intended to prepare students to meet technical career needs in business and industry for entry level positions such as:

- · Web Server Administrator
- Webmaster
- E-Commerce Manager
- HTML Programmer
- Help Desk/User Support
- · Web Technologist
- Web Developer
- Web Designer/Programmer
- Web Producer

Specialists in these positions will be able to administer and manage web servers and design and program transaction-based web sites that interface to databases. They will be able to communicate effectively and use key programming, publishing, database and transaction tools. With both a business and technical perspective, they will be able to identify E-commerce issues such as telecommunications, security, and scalability.

First Ye	ear		Hours
BUS	1010	Introduction to Business and Org. Mgmt	3
		Computer Applications	3
BUS	273	Principles of Marketing	3
CISP	1080	Web Fundamentals	3
ACCT	1010	Principles of Accounting I	3
BUS			3
		Legal Environment for Business	3
BUS	111	Business Mathematics	3
ENGL	1010	Composition I	3
		Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3
		First Year Total	30
Second	Year		
CISP	1090	Introduction to Programming	3
		e-Commerce Design	3
CISP	2360	Web Design Methodology	3 3 3 3 3 3 3
BUS	202	Introduction to Project Management	3
BUS	105	Database Creation and Design	3
MATH	1530	Probability & Statistics	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Social Science Elective	3
		<sup>1</sup> CISP Directed Elective or Co-op in web position	3
		<sup>2</sup> BUS Elective	3
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>1</sup>CISP directed electives included below.

<sup>2</sup>BUS electives may be selected from any other Business course not required in this major/option.

CISP 1350	Spreadsheets	3
CISP 1420	Networking Essentials	3
CISP 1430	Introduction to Routers	3
	Data Structures	3
CISP 2040	Database Programming	3
CISP 2060	Introduction to Network Security	3
CISP 2150	Operating Systems	3
	Advanced JAVA	3
	Intro to Java Script	3
CISP 2750	Unix/Linux Operating Systems	3
COE	Co-Op (see advisor)	3

Students pursuing any of the Business Management Technology programs will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

This program is accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business

Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

Students in this major must take the Business Graduate Exam prior to graduating.

## **Business Management Technology, General Business Option**

The General Business option is designed to give students greater flexibility in completing an A.A.S. degree while assuring a business focus within the program. The discipline-specific electives may be earned by taking appropriate courses as indicated or by articulating credits earned in a diploma program at a Tennessee Technology Center. Students should seek assistance from their business advisor to choose appropriate electives.

First Year			Hours
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		Humanities Elective	3
MATH	1530	Probability & Statistics (non-calc)	3
<b>ECON</b>		Macroeconomics	3
BUS	1010	Introduction to Business and Org. Mgmt	3
BUS	111	Business Math	3
ACCT	1010	Principles of Accounting I	3
BUS	281	Management & Supervision	3
INFS		Computer Applications	3
		First Year Total	30
Second Year			
		<sup>1</sup> Discipline-Specific Directed Electives	30
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>1</sup>Discipline-Specific Directed Electives: Students may choose from many course offerings (Business (BUS), Computer Science (CISP), and Management(MGT) to meet this elective requirement. Credit may also be obtained through co-op opportunities or by articulating credits earned from a diploma program at a Tennessee Technology Center.

Students pursuing any of the Business Management Technology programs will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

This program is accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

Students in this major must take the Business Graduate Exam prior to graduating.

## **Contemporary Management**

The Contemporary Management Program, designed specifically for working adults, provides the academic credentials and advanced skills necessary for upward mobility in area businesses. This "accelerated" degree program combines reduced in-class instruction with outside assignments; therefore, each 4-credit course meets only one night per week for five weeks plus an additional eight-hour summary session. This unique program design allows working adults to earn a degree in a short period of time while keeping their full-time job. In addition, individuals may receive credit through a portfolio process for prior college-level learning whether in a classroom or on the job. Faculty assessors will review each participant's background and grant credit if applicable.

Because of its fast-paced format, a very high level of maturity and dedication will be required of students in this program. Each student should discuss his/her interest in taking these accelerated courses with a faculty advisor from the business department.

First Year			Hours
MGT	200	Foundations of Business	4
MGT	201	Management Concepts	4
MGT	203	Human Resources Management	4
MGT	205	Marketing in the Global Economy	4
MGT	206	Applied Economics	4
MGT	207	Managerial Accounting & Finance	4
		Electives <sup>1</sup>	6
		First Year Total	30
Second	Year		
ENGL	1010	Composition I	3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		Electives <sup>1</sup>	9
		Directed Elective <sup>2</sup>	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Math Elective (MATH 1130 or higher)	3 3
		Natural Science Elective	
		Social Science Elective	3
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

The following is a list of four Contemporary Management courses from which you may choose to apply toward satisfying this requirement: MGT 208-Training and Development; MGT 209-Interpersonal Communication; MGT 225-Resolving Conflict/Negotiation. These elective hours may also be obtained through Prior Learning Credit, Cooperative Education, and/or the successful completion of various other courses, and/or by articulating credits earned from a diploma at a Tennessee Technology Center. For more information, go to www.roanestate.edu/mgt , or call toll free 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4332 or 865-354-3000 ext. 4332.

 $^2$ Students may take BUS 102, BUS 104, BUS 105, BUS 202, CISP 1350 or INFS 1010 to fulfill requirement.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

This program is accredited by the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

Students in this major must take the Business Graduate Exam prior to graduating.

### **Criminal Justice**

The two-year Criminal Justice program is designed to provide students with a variety of career opportunities. Careers available include: state and local law enforcement, school resource officers, park ranger, sheriff's deputies, corrections officers, federal agencies such as U.S. Border Patrol, U.S. Marshalls, U.S. Secret Service, Transportation Security Administration, and other U.S. Department of Homeland Security jobs (some of these agencies require a four-year degree).

According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, criminal justice employment opportunities will increase as much as 22% through 2018. The two-year associate degree is formed to meet the needs of society for personnel capable of entry and advancement into these career opportunities.

First Y	First Year		
CRMJ	1010	Intro to Criminal Justice	3
CRMJ	1110	Criminal Procedures	3
CRMJ	1020	Intro to the Legal Process	3
CRMJ	2130	Criminal Investigation	3
		Understanding Terrorism	3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition	3
POLS	1030	American Government	3
POLS	1025	Intro to Political Science	3
PSYC	1030	General Psychology	3
SOCI	1010	Intro to Sociology	3
		First Year Total	30
Second	l Year		
		Intro to Corrections	3
CRMJ	1100	Juvenile Delinquency	3
CRMJ	2010	Intro to Law Enforcement	3 3 3 3
CRMJ	2210	Criminal Law	3
		Special Topics in Criminal Justice	
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Natural Science/Math Elective	3
		Electives	6
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

#### **Acquiring Credit for Criminal Justice**

Currently enrolled criminal justice students may petition for the granting of academic credit, based on previous experiential work in the field in which a degree is being pursued. The student is responsible for assembling and presenting a portfolio of materials to support the request. Individual portfolios for training received at any one of the state's three, eight-week, basic recruit facilities, or the twenty-four week Knoxville basic recruit academy are not necessary since all the training is uniform. Additional academic credit may be awarded for inservice training at specialized schools; contingent upon how the training curriculum corresponds to the competency based curriculum objectives for individual criminal justice courses.

Academic experiential credit will be awarded and will not exceed 18 semester hours. A copy of the training certificate should be sent to the Criminal Justice department. The Admissions and Records Office will assign course credit. A grade of "P" will be assigned to experiential credit. Experiential credit cannot be granted until the student is enrolled (full- or

part-time) for classes at Roane State.

Students who complete the Knoxville Police Department's recruit training program will receive the following experiential course credit.

		Hours
CRMJ 1010	Intro to Criminal Justice	3
CRMJ 1110	Criminal Procedures	3
CRMJ 1020	Intro to the Legal Process	3
CRMJ 2010	Intro to Law Enforcement	3
CRMJ 2130	Criminal Investigation	3
		15

Students who complete one of the state's three, eight-week, basic recruit training programs will receive the following experiential course credit.

CRMJ 1010	Intro to Criminal Justice	3
CRMJ 1110	Criminal Procedures	3
CRMJ 2210	Criminal Law	3
		9

### **Early Childhood Education**

There are several options available at Roane State for students wishing to enter the field of early childhood education. Students may enter the TECTA program to pursue a state awarded Childcare Director's Credential or the nationally awarded Child Development Associate Credential. Those students may then wish to pursue our Early Childhood Education A.A.S. degree. Students may also wish to enter the A.A.S. program directly if not pursuing the CDA credential.

### Tennessee Early Childhood Training Alliance

The TECTA program is designed for students who have a GED or high school diploma, are currently working in a DHS (Department of Human Services) licensed or registered child care facility in the state of Tennessee. The program provides 30 hours of cost free orientation. The participant then enrolls as a Roane State student and begins the first of four college classes which leads to the Child Development Associates (CDA) credential.

#### Student Requirements

- Submit an application for admission and \$20 non-refundable application fee.
- 2. Submit an official copy of high school transcript or GED scores.

The following courses are required: TECTA Orientation (0) Non-credit

This course provides the childcare worker with thirty hours of instruction in the following areas: professionalism, individualism and cultural diversity, child development, developmentally appropriate practices, learning environments, health and safety, guidance, observation and assessment, family relationships, human relations, environment, and activities and curriculum. Prerequisite to the Level classes-students must enroll in one of the following Orientation classes (30 clock hours): Center Based; Infant/Toddler; School-Age; Family Based; Administration.

ECED 2010	Safe, Healthy, Learning Environment	3
ECED 2015	Foundations of Early Childhood Development	3
ECED 2040	Family Dynamics and Community Involvement	3
ECED 2130	Practicum (Co-requisite ECED 2010)	3
	TOTAL SÈMESTER HOURS	12

Students pursuing the CDA credential will be advised by the TECTA Office. After completing these classes, students may wish to further their education by pursuing an A.A.S. degree in Early Childhood Education.

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Roane State has developed the following courses to support the Head Start Reauthorization Act degree requirements for Head Start teacher/staff.

First Year		Hours
ECED 1010	Intro to Early Childhood Education	2
ECED 2010	Safe, Healthy, Learning Environment	3
ECED 2015	Early Childhood Curriculum	3
ECED 2020	Infant, Toddler Child Development	3
ECED 2130	Clinical Practicum I	3
ENGL 1010	Comp I	3
SPCH 1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
	Elective	3
	Math Elective	3
	Physical/Natural Science Elective	4
	First Year Total	30
Second Year		
ECED 2040	Family Dynamics & Community Involvement	3
ECED 2060	Development of Exceptional Children	3

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ECED 2070 Developmental Assessment

<b>ECED</b>	2080	Language & Literacy in Early Childhood	3
<b>ECED</b>	2085	Math & Science in Early Childhood	3
<b>ECED</b>	2160	Final Practicum	3
<b>ECED</b>		Elective	3
		Elective	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Social Science Elective	3
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses. Students planning to transfer should major in the Associate of Science (AS) degree with a concentration in Early Childhood Education.

## **Environmental Health Technology**

This program is designed to prepare students for careers in the growing fields of environmental protection, health and safety, and site remediation. Students receive specialized training in environmental law, waste management, protection of human health and safety, industrial hygiene, radiation protection, emergency response, environmental remediation techniques and methods for evaluating environmental quality. An articulation agreement between Roane State and East Tennessee State University (ETSU) exists for those who complete this degree program at Roane State and wish to pursue the baccalaureate degree at ETSU. See your Roane State advisor for curriculum information.

First Yo	ear		Hours
BIOL	2015	Environmental Science	3
<b>CHEM</b>	1110,1120	General Chemistry I, II	8
EHT	120	Waste Management & Poll Prev	3
EHT	130	Industrial Hygiene & Safety I	3
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3 3 3 3
SPCH		Speech Elective	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Social Science Elective	3
		Elective	1
		First Year Total	30
Second	Year		
BIOL	1110	General Biology I	4
BIOL	1120	General Biology II or	
BIOL	2530	General Ecology	4
EHT	201	Environmental Law	3
EHT	210	Environmental Instrumentation	3
EHT	211	Safety and Emergency Response	3
EHT	215	Appl Rad Control Tech	3
EHT	230	Industrial Hygiene & Safety II	3
EHT	242	Internship <sup>1</sup>	4
<b>GEOL</b>	1040	Physical Geology	4
MATH	1530	Probability and Statistics	3
		Second Year Total	30-34
		TOTAL HOURS	60-64

<sup>1</sup>Internships are optional, and approval of the instructor must be obtained before a student may enroll in an internship.

Students pursuing Environmental Health Technology will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

With the exception of students transferring on the ETSU articulation agreement, this program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

### **General Technology**

This degree program provides a foundation for students who wish to pursue individual career goals and an alternative for currently employed adults who wish to continue their formal education. The electives in this program may be earned by taking appropriate courses, by transferring credit earned in a diploma program at a Tennessee Technology Center or technical certificate at a community college, through recognized industry, certification programs, and by portfolio assessment of college-level learning gained through employment. Students must seek advisement from the Math/Science or Business Technology division faculty in order to choose appropriate technical electives.

			Hours
		Career Planning	1
INFS	1010	Computer Applications	3
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
		College Algebra or Higher Level Math	3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Social Science Elective	3
		Natural Science/Math Elective	3
		Electives <sup>1</sup>	38
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	60

<sup>1</sup>Students should contact their academic advisors for appropriate electives.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Mathematics and Sciences Division.

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

### **Geographic Systems**

This degree program prepares students for careers as Geographic Information Systems (GIS) analysts. Students receive specialized training in geographic fundamentals, GIS database design, spatial analysis, demographic analysis, computer programming, digital image analysis, cartographic design and global positioning system (GPS) principles. Students become skilled in using popular GIS software packages and GPS mapping products.

First Y	ear		Hours
INFS	1010	Computer Applications	3
CISP	1090	Intro to Programming	3
CISP	1170	Intro to Visual Basic	3
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
GIS		Introduction to GIS	3 3 4 3 3 3 3
GIS	105	Computer Cartography	3
GIS	110	Geographic Database Technology	3
MATH		Probability & Statistics	3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		First Year Total	28
Second	Year		
BUS	105	Database Management	3
CISP		Directed CISP Elective <sup>1</sup>	3
<b>GEOG</b>	1210	World Geography	3
<b>GEOL</b>	1040	Physical Geology	4
GIS	210	Global Positioning Systems & Digital Imagery	3
GIS	211	GIS Internet Mapping Technology	
GIS		GIS Network & Demographic Applications	3
GIS		GIS Project Management	3 3 4
GIS	290	Directed Research Project	4
		Humanities Elective	3
		Second Year Total	32
		TOTAL HOURS	60

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Consult advisor for directed elective.

Students pursuing this area of study will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

An articulation agreement between Roane State and East Tennessee State University (ETSU) exists for those who complete this program and wish to pursue a bachelor's degree. See your Roane State advisor for curriculum information, or visit http://www.roanestate.edu/articulation.

With the exception noted above, this program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

### **Paralegal Studies**

ABA Approved

A legal assistant or paralegal is a person qualified by education, training or work experience who is employed or retained by a lawyer, law office, corporation, governmental agency or other entity who performs specifically designated substantive legal work for which a lawyer is responsible. (American Bar Association Standing Committee on Legal Assistants.)

The paralegal studies program is designed to prepare students to be proficient in paralegal duties and responsibilities. Students who complete this curriculum will be able to apply basic legal concepts and become familiar with Tennessee's court system and its substantive and procedural laws. Competency objectives include skills in legal ethics, research, writing, problem solving, and communication. Students will participate in an internship for practical experience. Admission to this program will require students to meet the minimum course standards for other two-year technical degree programs.

Roane State's Paralegal Studies program supports the general principles of ethical legal practice, professional responsibility, and the prohibition against the unauthorized practice of law by non-lawyers (including paralegals).

The objectives of the Paralegal Studies program are to educate and make students proficient in the following areas: legal ethics, procedural law, substantive law, and working in a legal environment.

These objectives are met by requiring students to complete (1) legal introductory courses; (2) legal specialty courses; and (3) a required internship and by exposing them to (4) quality instruction in each of these areas that promotes mastery of the procedural aspects of legal work. Upon completion of the Paralegal Studies program, students will be able to: recognize, evaluate, and appropriately respond to ethical dilemmas; perform legal research tasks; perform legal writing tasks (including pleading, briefs, correspondence, real property documents, bankruptcy documents, business organization documents, and internal memoranda); interview clients and witnesses; investigate legal matters; work closely with supervising attorneys in a wide variety of substantive legal matters; and quickly familiarize themselves with and work well in a variety of legal office settings.

After successful completion of coursework within the major, all students will be required to take a final comprehensive exam to measure program competency achievement. The exam is designed to determine to what degree students have achieved program objectives and competencies. Students should demonstrate a minimal level of competence to satisfy the requirements to graduate. Graduates of this program will be eligible to sit for the National Association of Legal Assistants (NALA) certified legal assistant exam.

First Y	ear		Hours
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
LAW	101	Intro to the Legal Profession & Legal Ethics	3
LAW	102	Survey of American Law	3
LAW	140	Legal Research	3
LAW	150	Legal Writing	3
LAW	160	Torts	3
LAW	170	Criminal Law	3
POLS	1030	American Government	3
SPCH	1010	Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3
		Natural Science/Math Elective	4/3
		First Year Total	30

#### Second Year

Second	ııcaı		
INFS	1010	Technology Essentials or	
HIT	107	Medical Terminology	3
LAW	201	Domestic Relations	3
LAW	221	Civil Trial & Appellate Practice	3
LAW	231	Estates & Trusts	3
LAW	235	Legal Environment for Business	3
LAW	240	Legal Internship (offered only in Summer)	3
LAW	241	Real Property	3
LAW	212	Law Office Technology	3
SOCI	1010	Intro to Sociology or	
SOCI	2110	Cultural Anthropology	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Second Year Total	30
		TOTAL HOURS	60

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

The maximum number of credit hours of legal specialty courses a student may transfer to the Associate of Applied Science degree in Paralegal Studies is fifteen (15) credit hours. The legal specialty credit hours to be transferred must have been earned from a fully accredited institution of higher learning and must be approved by the program director to ensure that the credit can be classified as legal specialty and is comparable to course work offered within the program. The Paralegal Studies program does not award legal specialty credit by examination.

Graduates of the paralegal program are encouraged to continue their education, and transfer agreements are in place enabling A.A.S. Paralegal Studies graduates to continue their education at the University of Tennessee-Chattanooga, Middle Tennessee State University and Tusculum College. For more information concerning transfer of courses, please contact the program director.

With the exceptions noted above, this program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

### **Nursing**

The Associate of Applied Science degree program in Nursing emphasizes patient-centered approaches to nursing care. The graduate nurse is able to provide highly skilled nursing care for patients and families in a variety of health care delivery settings. The program of learning includes the study of clinical application of nursing theory and principles. The graduate is eligible to apply to take the NCLEX examination to become a registered nurse.

### **Admission Policies for Associate of Applied Science**

The RSCC Academic Council has established (for both beginning and transfer students) the following requirements in considering applicants for admission into the Associate of Applied Science Degree Nursing Program:

- I. Applicants must:
  - A. Apply and be accepted to RSCC.
  - B. Submit high school transcripts or GED equivalent and transcripts of all previous college work to the Admissions and Records Office.
  - Take the ACT exam (for applicants under 21 years of age).
  - D. Complete Learning Support courses prior to the application deadline to the nursing program as determined by the requirements specified in the Admission Requirements of the RSCC catalog under "General Student Classifications."
  - E. Pass the nursing pre-admission test. Preadmission testing for entrace into the Nursing program is waived for those applicants with a previously earned associate degree or above from an accredited college (SACS or equivalent accrediting body.)
- In addition to requirements above, applicants must meet requirement A or B or C below.
  - A. Complete at least 12 hours of work from the general education requirements in the Nursing curriculum with a minimum 2.75 GPA. These hours must be completed prior to the application deadline (third Friday in January). A "C" or better must be attained in each required science course. MATH 1530 or MATH 1130 must be completed with a grade of "C" or better prior to the application deadline. Math 1410 will not fulfill the requirement.
  - B. Students under 21 years of age must attain a composite score of 20 or above on the ACT battery. MATH 1530 or MATH 1130 (or higher level) must be completed with a grade of "C" or better prior to application deadline.
  - C. Licensed Practical Nurses may be admitted by fulfilling the following:
    - 1. Meet requirements I. A, B, C, and D in the above section I.
    - 2. Pass a proficiency exam.
    - 3. Complete MATH 1530 or MATH 1130 or higher content level math and BIOL 2010 with a grade of "C" or better prior to admission.
- III. Only nursing courses which were completed within three years prior to applying for admission or readmission will be considered. Science courses more than ten years old will not be considered.
- IV. An information session will be scheduled in May for all accepted students. Students will receive information about

health requirements, background checks, CPR, uniforms and other program requirements. Students will be permitted to register for nursing classes after attending the information session

- V. A mandatory orientation to the nursing program will be scheduled prior to the first day of classes. Prior to this orientation students must submit:
  - A completed physical examination providing evidence of physical status necessary for practice in all areas of nursing care.
  - B. Proof of current CPR certification that includes oneperson, two-person and infant and child CPR (Health Care Provider).
  - C. Students who do not attend this orientation and submit physical examinations and proof of CPR certification by the first day of class will be withdrawn from the program.
  - D. Evidence of background check.

#### VI. Health:

- A. Even though preliminary admission to the Nursing Program has been granted, a student will be required to undergo a physical exam/health verification before final admission to the program. Students will be required, during the course of the program to demonstrate their physical and/or emotional fitness to meet the essential requirements of the program. Such essential requirements include freedom from communicable diseases, the ability to perform certain tasks and suitable emotional fitness. Any appraisal measures used to determine such physical and/or emotional fitness will be in compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Core performance standards for admission and progression which comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 are listed in the catalog under Career Preparation Programs.
- B. Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of the affiliating agencies. For example, health insurance may be required by some affiliating agencies. Not having health insurance could limit a student's educational experience. Students are responsible for costs incurred from injury or illness while in the Nursing Program.

### VII. Other

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- Criminal background checks may be a requirement at affiliated clinical sites utilized for training in the nursing program. Based on the results of these checks, an affiliated clinical site may determine to not allow your presence at their facility. This would result in your inability to successfully complete the requirements of the Nursing Program. Students will be responsible for the costs of the background check. Additionally, a criminal background may preclude licensure or employment. More information is available from the Nursing Division Dean or program director.
- B. Students will be required to provide nursing care under supervision, for patients with infectious diseases. Any student refusing assignment to an infectious patient may be subject to dismissal from the program.
- C. The applicant must report if any license in any health

- care field has been suspended, revoked or denied.

  D. Additional testing and counseling may be recommended on an individual basis.
- E. The RSCC policy of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions applies to all students regardless of the program in which they are enrolled. In cases where alcohol and drug violations occur, disciplinary action, as well as the decision whether to test for alcohol or drugs, will be processed through the Division Dean and the office of the Dean of Student Services and Multicultural Affairs. Please refer to the nursing handbook for further information. Failure to correct the problem will result in termination from the Nursing Program.
- F. There are additional expenses for the nursing program. Uniforms are required. Financial Aid may be available. Questions should be directed to the Financial Aid office.

The Nursing Admissions Committee considers all eligible applicants and recommends applicants for acceptance into the Nursing Program. Students who have not met minimum requirements will not be considered. All students meeting minimum criteria will be considered competitively, based on ACT score or GPA in required general education courses completed. It will be to the applicant's benefit to complete as many general education courses as possible by application deadline. The earlier application date will also be considered if other criteria are equal. MEETING MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT GUARANTEE ACCEPTANCE. Preference will be given to Tennessee residents.

RSCC General Student classification admission policies for transfer students apply to transferring nursing students. Students wishing to transfer nursing credits must meet RSCC general admissions requirements. Nursing Program admission requirements must also be met with the exception of the nursing pre-admission test. A letter of recommendation including evidence of clinical and lab competency must be submitted from the director of the previous nursing program. The student must be eligible to progress in their previous program. No nursing courses earned in a school of practical nursing may be credited by transfer, although academic courses, if earned through a college or university, will be evaluated for transfer. Nursing courses from an NLN accredited or state approved School of Nursing will be evaluated for transfer on an individual basis.

#### **Retention Policies**

- The student must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better. A
  "C" must be achieved in science, math and nursing courses in
  order to progress.
- A student must satisfactorily complete each clinical rotation in order to continue in the program. A grade of "incomplete" must be removed prior to the first clinical day of the following semester in order to progress to the next nursing course.
- 3. The student must carry professional liability insurance while enrolled in nursing courses.
- 4. The student must maintain CPR Certification while enrolled in the nursing program.
- The student must abide by the course and clinical policies as outlined in the Nursing Student Handbook. Failure to do so may result in dismissal from the program.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

 Only one readmission to the nursing program is permitted. Readmission to the nursing program is also contingent upon the availability of space. Requirements for initial admission

- to the nursing program must be met in order for a student to be considered for readmission. Students with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the nursing faculty. Students seeking readmission to the nursing program must have an exit interview and state their intention in writing to the Dean of Nursing or Program Director. For fall readmission, the exit interview and statement are due by April 1. For spring semester readmission, the exit interview and statement are due by October 1.
- 2. If two "D" grades or below are received in nursing courses, the student will be dismissed from the program and is not eligible for readmission into the nursing program.
- 3. Those students who fail to maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0 may be considered for readmission to the nursing program only after removing all grades of less than "C" in required general education courses.
- 4. Students repeating nursing courses must repeat both theoretical, clinical, and laboratory components of the course.
- Students readmitted who have not been continuously enrolled in clinical courses must submit a new cbackground check and physical exam form.
- 6. Readmitted students must complete all graduation requirements in effect for the program at the time of readmission.

#### **Legal Limitations for Licensure**

A graduate of an approved school of nursing who has been convicted of a violation of the law other than a minor traffic violation may be denied a nursing license. A graduate's eligibility for licensure is determined on an individual basis. Applicants for initial licensure in Tennessee must obtain a criminal background check no more than 6 months prior to making application. Information about this process is supplied to students in the final year of the program. The Tennessee Board of Nursing Web site has more detailed information about this requirement. Interested parties should consult the Board of Nursing Rules and Regulation.

#### **Academic Advisement**

Nursing faculty provide academic advisement for prospective nursing students as well as for those students admitted into the program. The faculty assist students with scheduling classes and dealing with academic concerns. Faculty members have office hours posted on their office doors. Students should contact a faculty member for advisement as needed. It is recommended that students experiencing academic difficulties make an appointment and discuss this with a faculty member as soon as possible.

### Core Performance Standards for Admission and Progression

The Roane State Community College Nursing Program has adopted the following core performance standards. Admission to and progression in the nursing program is not based on these standards, rather they will be used to assist each student in determining whether accommodations or modifications are necessary.

If a student believes that he or she cannot meet one or more of the standards without accommodations or modifications, the nursing program will determine, on an individual basis, whether or not the necessary accommodations or modifications can be made reasonably.

Below are the issues, standards and some examples of necessary activities:

Critical Thinking - Critical thinking ability sufficient for clinical

judgement. (Identify cause-effect relationships in clinical situations, develop nursing care plans.)

Interpersonal - Interpersonal abilities sufficient to interact with individuals, families, and groups from a variety of social, emotional, cultural, and intellectual backgrounds. (Establish rapport with patients/clients and colleagues.)

Communication - Communication abilities sufficient for interaction with others in verbal and written form. (Explain treatment procedures, initiate health teaching, document and interpret nursing actions and patient/client responses.)

Mobility - Physical abilities sufficient to move from room to room and maneuver in small spaces. (Moves around in patient's room, work spaces, and treatment areas, administer cardio-pulmonary procedures.)

Motor Skills - Gross and fine motor abilities sufficient to provide safe and effective nursing care. (Calibrate and use equipment; position patients/clients.)

Hearing - Auditory ability sufficient to monitor and assess health needs. (Hears monitor alarm, emergency signals, auscultatory sounds, cries for help.)

Visual - Visual ability sufficient for observation and assessment necessary in nursing care. (Observes patient/client responses.)

Tactile - Tactile ability sufficient for physical assessment. (Perform palpation, functions of physical examination and/or those related to therapeutic intervention, e.g. insertions of a catheter.)

#### Accreditation

The Roane State Nursing Program is accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission, Inc., 3343 Peachtree Road, NE, Suite 500, Atlanta, GA, 30326.

#### **Degree Information**

A grade of "C" or better is required in the math course prior to the application deadline.

#### These classes may be taken prior to being accepted into the program.

BIOL BIOL ENGL	2010, 2020	Microbiology Anatomy and Physiology I, II <sup>1</sup> Composition I	4 4, 4 3
MATH	1530 or 1130	Statistics, College Algebra or higher level MATH <sup>2</sup>	3
PSYC	2130	Lifespan Psychology (formerly	3
SPCH		Developmental Psychology) Speech Elective	3
		Humanities Elective Group Total	3 <b>27</b>
First Y	ear	-	
NSG	105	Foundations for Nursing Practice	10
NSG	107	Care of Childbearing Family	3
NSG	109	Adult & Child Health I	6
NSG	118	Pharmacology in Nursing	3
		First Year Total	22
Second	Year		
NSG	210	Adult & Child Health II	10
NSG	212	Psychosocial Nursing	4
NSG	215	Transitions to Nursing Practice	3
		Second Year Total	17
		TOTAL HOURS	66

Strongly recommend these courses being completed prior to taking NSG 105.

<sup>2</sup>MATH 1530 is recommended for students planning to complete a BSN. MATH 1410 does not fulfill the math requirement.

Special articulation agreements exist for students who complete this program and wish to pursue a bachelor's degree. See http://www.roanestate.edu/articulation or call toll free at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4597 or 865-882-4597 for more information.

With the exception noted above, this program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

#### **Nursing (LPN Career Mobility)**

LPN Career Mobility may not be offered every year. Availability of this option is dependent upon the number of qualified applicants.

This program is designed to facilitate the achievement of a registered nurse level education by LPNs who qualify for admission. LPNs who wish to qualify for this program are required to pass the proficiency examination. The examination will cover fundamentals of nursing.

Examination scores are valid for three (3) years. Candidates who do not enter the program after three (3) years will be required to repeat the examination process.

Candidates are required to present an active Tennessee Practical Nurse license to be admitted to the examination. Candidates should arrive 30 minutes before test-time. ID must be verified before admission to the examination is permitted.

Admission to the Career Mobility program is not automatic. Academic qualifications as well as test scores will be considered in the selection process. Admission is also contingent on available space in the program. Other admission, progression, readmission, and retention policies are the same as those for the regular nursing program.

A grade of "C" or better is required in BIOL 2010 and in MATH 1530 or MATH 1130 or higher content level MATH and prior to beginning nursing classes.

## These classes may be taken prior to being accepted into the program. General Education

BIOL	2230	Microbiology	4
BIOL	2010, 2020	Anatomy and Physiology I, II <sup>1</sup>	8
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
MATH	1530 or 1130	Statistics, College Algebra or higher level	3
		MATH <sup>2</sup>	
PSYC	2130	Lifespan Psychology (formerly Developmental	3
		Psychology)	
SPCH		Speech Elective	3
		Humanities Elective	3
			27

<sup>1</sup>Strongly recommend completion of BIOL 2020 prior to taking nursing courses.

<sup>2</sup>MATH 1530 is recommended for students planning to complete a BSN.

# Challenge by Proficiency Examination (NSG 115) The Proficiency Credit fee will be assessed in spring of the second year.

NSG	107 or 108	Care of the Childbearing Family	3
NSG	109 or 110	Adult and Child Health I	6
NSG	126	Pharmacology in Nursing	3
NSG	210 or 211	Adult and Child Health II	10
NSG	212 or 213	Psychosocial Nursing	4
NSG	215 or 217	Transitions to Nursing Practice	3

Academic Advisement: Student pursuing this option will be advised by the Nursing Division. A mandatory orientation to the Nursing Program will be scheduled prior to the first day of nursing classes.

# Allied Health Sciences Admission Policies for A.A.S. Degrees

#### Admission to the Programs

Due to limited enrollment, there are special admission policies for Allied Health Sciences programs. The following policies are for: Dental Hygiene Technology, Health Information Technology, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Opticianry, Physical Therapist Assistant, Radiologic Technology, and Respiratory Therapy Technology.

- Complete the Roane State Community College (RSCC) admissions process to become an admitted student AND
- 2. The applicant must meet one of the following minimum academic requirements:
  - Students under 21 years of age must attain a composite score of 20 or above on the ACT taken within the last 3 years OR attain a GPA of 2.50 or better after completion of at least 9 semester hours of general education courses required in the selected degree program.
  - 2. Students 21 years of age or older must attain a GPA of 2.50 or better after completion of at least 9 hours of general education courses required in the selected degree program.
- Meet the admission requirements as specified for the selected degree program.

Note: Some degree programs have required prerequisites in addition to the 9 hours of general education courses and/or a minimum GPA greater than 2.50. These prerequisites are listed in the college catalog under the appropriate degree program. Note: Some degree programs require an interview with the Program Director and other program faculty, if applicable, before the review date by the AHS Admissions Committee. Note: Completing math and science courses required in some Allied Health Sciences degree programs with a grade of B or better may enhance the applicant selection ranking. Completing additional general educations course (i.e. English Composition I, College Algebra, Speech, etc.) may also result in a higher selections ranking.

Note: All Learning Support requirements must be completed for all degree programs prior to acceptance into the selected program.

Note: Applicants must be able to physically meet the demands of the job as defined by the discipline, available industry standards and the public's expectations.

- The applicant must complete the electronic AHS application on RaiderNet and submit by the selected degree program's published application deadline.
  - Note: When choosing the Planned Course of Study, select up to three programs. If a program is not selected as a Planned Course of Study you will not be considered for the that program.
- Complete all other entrance requirements detailed on the appropriate AHS degree webpage.
- Each Program Director will complete a list of recommended candidates for admission to their program indicating that all of the general and program admission criteria and required documents have been verified.

Note: Some degree programs require documented clinical observations or discipline-specific work experiences. Special consideration may be given to applicants with work experience. Each Program Director requiring clinical observation or discipline-specific work experience will verify clinical

- observations and/or discipline-specific work experience has been completed satisfactorily.
- Final selection of students will be made by the AHS Admissions Committee.
- 8. Admission to the degree program is required prior to enrolling in most AHS program discipline-specific courses.
- Students will be notified electronically via RaiderNet email
  of acceptance to an AHS degree program. Students must
  acknowledge their acceptance via reply email by the designated
  response date stated in the acceptance email.
- The Allied Health Sciences/Nursing Admissions Coordinator will change the major of all accepted students to accurately reflect their program of study. Students may not register for discipline-specific courses until their major has been changed.

All students meeting minimum criteria will be considered competitively, based on ACT score or GPA in required general education courses completed in some Allied Health Sciences programs. Completing math and science courses required in some programs with a grade of A or B could enhance your chance of being accepted. It will be to your benefit to complete as many general education courses as possible by application deadline. MEETING MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT GUARANTEE ACCEPTANCE. Students that do not meet minimum requirements will only be considered under special circumstances and on a space available basis. Preference will be given to Tennessee residents.

#### **Criminal Background Checks**

Criminal background checks and drug screening may be a requirement at affiliated clinical sites utilized for training in Allied Health Sciences and Nursing programs. Based on the results of these checks, an affiliated clinical site may determine to not allow your presence at their facility. This would result in your inability to successfully complete the requirements of the program. Students will be responsible for the costs of the background check. Additionally, a criminal background may preclude licensure or employment. More information is available from your program director.

#### **Health Guidelines**

Students may be required to undergo a physical exam/health verification prior to enrollment. Students will be responsible for the cost of the physical examination and required immunizations and/or testing.

Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of affiliated clinical agencies. Personal health insurance may be required by some agencies. Students are highly encouraged to carry personal health insurance and are responsible for costs incurred due to injury or illness while enrolled.

#### **Program Application Deadlines**

In order for applicants to have priority consideration for entrance into the Allied Health Sciences programs for the following fall semester, applications should be submitted as follows:

Program	<b>RSCC Deadline</b>	<b>RODP Deadline</b>
Dental Hygiene Technology	February 28	
Health Information Technology	May 15	October 31
Occupational Therapy Assistant	May 15	
Opticianry	May 15	
Physical Therapist Assistant	May 15	
Radiologic Technology	May 15	
Respiratory Therapy Technology	May 15	

Incomplete applications will not be processed. Any applications received after the published application deadline may be considered by the Program Director on a space available basis. It is the student's

responsibility to assure that all records and documentation are received by the appropriate department by the published application deadline.

#### **Conditional Admission**

Students that do not meet minimum requirements may be considered for conditional acceptance status on a space-available basis.

#### **Retention Policies**

A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from his/her respective program.

- 1. A grade of "C" or better in each specialty course.
- 2. Completion of specialty courses as specified by the degree checklist. A student must be able to complete courses with the class in which he/she was admitted. A student who cannot graduate with the class in which he/she was admitted will be dropped from that class and must reapply to a subsequent class.
- 3. Evidence of malpractice insurance and physical examination prior to clinical training.
- Be physically and mentally capable of performing the essential functions of the program as defined in each program's Core Performance Standards.

The RSCC policy of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions applies to all students regardless of the program in which they are enrolled. In cases where alcohol and drug violations occur, disciplinary action, as well as the decision whether to test for alcohol or drugs, will be processed through the Dean of Allied Health Sciences and the Assistant VP/Dean of Students.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

- Students applying for readmission must meet all admissions criteria for the selected degree program.
- The applicant must submit a readmission request in writing to the Program Director at least thirty (30) days prior to enrollment. The request must be a detailed personal reflection of the reason(s) for the unsuccessful performance and a plan of correction.
- One (1) readmission to an AHS degree program will be permitted.
  - Note: Some degree programs may have a time limitation on discipline-specific or general education courses. This requirement is listed in the program's admission information located on the program web page. The applicant must meet this requirement, if applicable.
- 4. The applicant applying for readmission may be required to interview with the Program Director and other program faculty, if applicable, before the review date by the AHS Admissions Committee. Interview requirements are listed on the program webpage.
- 5. An acceptable level of discipline-specific competency may need to be demonstrated prior to readmission. A student with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the program faculty.
  - Note: The Program Director will verify that all readmission documents including
  - licensure/credentials are current and valid.
- 6. Readmission to an AHS degree program is contingent upon the availability of space.
- Students who are dismissed for reasons associated with academic misconduct or code of ethics violations will not be considered for readmission.

Meeting Minimum Requirements Does Not Guarantee Acceptance. Preference will be given to Tennessee residents.

Successful admission and completion of any RSCC Allied Health Sciences program does not guarantee state or national licensure or registration to practice as there may be additional state/national criteria required for attainment of various allied health licenses/certifications.

#### **Dental Hygiene Technology**

The Dental Hygiene Program includes a background of general studies, dental science, and clinical skills with which the student becomes a proficient provider of oral health care while working under the supervision of a dentist.

The goals of the Dental Hygiene Technology program are:

- 1. Provide the didactic and clinical instruction that prepares students for the practice of dental hygiene.
- Provide students with the skills to effectively interact with dental and other health care providers.
- 3. Encourage students to commit to lifelong learning.
- Provide necessary skills that prepare students to become effective members of the dental health team.
- Encourage students to assume active leadership roles in community and professional organizations.
- 6. Provide quality patient centered dental hygiene treatment.

In addition to the special admission policies for Allied Health Sciences programs, the Dental Hygiene Program utilizes the following factors in ranking and acceptance of applicants:

- 1. The number of required science courses completed.
- 2. The student's grades for required science courses completed.
- 3. Work experience in the field of Dentistry.
- 4. Results of a personal interview. Interviews will be granted only to selected applicants who have met the minimum requirements for admission to the program.

All DHT courses must be taken in sequence. All required science courses must be taken in the semester as listed if applicant is admitted to the program OR any of the courses may be completed prior to the beginning of the program in August. Admission to the DHT program is required prior to enrolling in any DHT courses. All DHT courses are taught on the Oak Ridge Branch Campus.

The program in dental hygiene is accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation. The Commission is a specialized accrediting body recognized by the United States Department of Education. The Commission on Dental Accreditation can be contacted at (312) 440-4653 or at 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611.

# This first group of classes may be taken prior to being accepted into the program.

BIOL	2010, 2020	Anatomy and Physiology I <sup>1</sup> & II <sup>2</sup>	4, 4
BIOL	2230	Microbiology	4
CHEM	1010	Intro to Chemical Principals <sup>1</sup>	4
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
MATH	1030	Math for the Health Sciences <sup>3</sup>	3
PSYC		Psychology Elective	3 3 3 3
SOCI		Sociology Elective	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Group Total	31
First '	Year	-	
DHT	101	Preclinical Dental Hygiene	5
DHT	111, 112	Dental Science I, II	3, 3
DHT	121	Clinical Dental Hygiene I	1
DHT	132	Dental Radiography	3
DHT	133	General & Oral Pathology	4
DHT	141	Principles of Dental Hygiene I	3
DHT	161	Biochemistry & Nutrition	4 3 3 3
DHT	171	Dental Materials	3
		First Year Total	28
Second	d Year		
DHT	201	Pharmacology & Pain Control	3
DHT	211	Dental Hygiene Seminar	2

DHT	212	Community Health	3
DHT	221, 222	Clinical Dental Hygiene II, III	2,2
DHT	240, 242	Principles of Dental Hygiene II, III	2, 1
DHT	251	Periodontology	2
DHT	260	Special Topics	2
		Second Year Total	19
		TOTAL HOURS	<b>78</b>

 $^1 BIOL\ 2010$  and CHEM 1010 must be taken by fall semester of the first year.

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Allied Health Sciences Division.

#### **Program Application Deadline**: February 28

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

#### **Health Information Technology**

The field of health information management is rapidly growing with a predicted growth rate above average over the next ten years according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics. The health information management professional ensures completeness and accuracy of the patient record in all health care settings. Development of specialized skills needed to perform as a health information technician is the focus of the health information technology program. The HIT degree program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM). Students who successfully complete the degree requirements for the HIT degree program are eligible to sit for the national certification examination to become a Registered Health Information Technician.

HIT107 or HIT 1010 Medical Terminology is a prerequisite for the degree program. Students must also obtain a grade of C or better in each required science course, as well as, each HIT course to be accepted and remain in either the DPC or HIT program.

Part time and full time academic plans are available for the HIT degree student.

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First Y		1.01 1.1 1.11.2	HOURS
BIOL		Anatomy and Physiology I, II <sup>1,3</sup>	4, 4
HIT	102	Fundamentals of Health Information	3
		Management <sup>3</sup>	
HIT	103	Coding & Classification Systems I	3
HIT	104	Coding & Classification Systems II	2
HIT	107	Medical Terminology <sup>2</sup>	3
HIT	112	Coding Professional Practice Experience	1
HIT	130	CPT Coding	3 2 3 1 3 2 <b>25</b>
HIT	140	Medical Office Procedures	2
		TOTAL HOURS FOR DPC	25
		CERTIFICATE	
Summ	er Semester		
CISP o	r INFS 1010	Computer Science Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
ENGL		Composition I <sup>3</sup>	3 3 6
		Total Summer Hours	6
Second	l Year		
HIT	106	Health Data Systems	3
HIT	113	Legal Aspects of Health Information <sup>3</sup>	2
HIT	217	Principles of Healthcare Administration	3
	221	Advanced Health Info Procedures	3
	222	Pathology & Clinical Interpretations	4
HIT	231, 232	Professional Practice Experience I, II	3 2
HIT	242	Automated Health Information Systems	3, 2
HIT	251	Coding for Reimbursement	4
HIT	260	Seminar in Health Information Mgmt	2
1111	200	Humanities Elective <sup>3</sup>	3
		Social Science Elective <sup>3</sup>	3 2 3 4 3,2 3 4 2 3 3
		Total Second Year	35
		TOTAL HOURS FOR A.A.S.	66
		TOTAL HOURS FOR A.A.S.	UU

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Recommended to be completed prior to acceptance.

**Program Application Deadline:** (A.A.S. Degree)–May 15 (Fall Semester); October 31 (ROCC)

Only HIT courses which were completed within three years prior to applying for admission or readmission will be considered for credit toward graduation. This does not apply to open enrollment HIT courses.

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>BIOL 2020 must be taken by spring of the first year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Higher level math course may be substituted.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>An open course that may be taken by any student and is required to be completed prior to acceptance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>May be taken prior to being accepted into the program.

#### **Occupational Therapy Assistant**

The Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA) is a health professional who uses purposeful activity with individuals who are limited by physical injury or illness, psychosocial dysfunction, developmental or learning disabilities, poverty and cultural differences or the aging process. The OTA works under the supervision of a registered occupational therapist (OTR) and collaborates with others to maximize independence, prevent disability and maintain the health of individuals requiring services. Students are trained in the skills and techniques necessary to participate in the treatment and testing of patients. The educational program includes lecture and laboratory experiences as well as clinical fieldwork experience.

Admission to the OTA Program is required prior to taking any OTA courses. A total of sixteen (16) observation or volunteer hours of with an occupational therapist or an occupational therapy assistant with a minimum of one year of experience is required as part of the application process. Applicants are advised to complete eight (8) hours in two volunteer hours must be submitted to the OTP program director or postmarked prior to the application deadline. Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance.

Face to face courses and labs meet on the Oak Ridge Branch Campus. A portion of the OTA program is offered in online and blended formats, Level I and Level II fieldwork experiences are comp0leted in community-based practice settings..

Graduates of the program will be able to sit for the national certification examination for the occupational therapy assistant administered by the National Board for Certification of Occupational Therapy (NBCOT). After successful completion of this exam, the individual will be a Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (COTA). Initial certification is a requirement for licensure in many states. Tennessee requires licensure in order to practice.

The Occupational Therapy Assistant Program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA), located at 4720 Montgomery Lane, P.O. Box 31220, Bethesda, MD 20824-1220. (301) 652-AOTA.

NOTE: All OTA students must complete Level II Fieldwork within 18 months following completion of academic preparation.

NOTE: A felony conviction may affect a graduate's ability to sit for the NBCOT certification examination or attain state licensure. For more information contact NBCOT at (301) 990-7979 or http://www.nbcot. org and the state licensure board at 1-888-310-4650, ext. 2-5163 or http://www.state.tn.us/health.

#### These classes may be taken prior to being accepted into the program.<sup>1</sup>

BIOL 2010, 2020 ENGL 1010 PSYC 2230 PSYC 2130	Anatomy and Physiology I, II Composition I <sup>1</sup> Abnormal Psychology Lifespan Psychology (formerly Developmental Psychology) Humanities Elective	4, 4 3 3 3
	Group Total	20
First Year		
ALH 118	Terminology for Medical Communication <sup>2</sup>	2
OTA 102	Intro to Occupational Therapy	2
OTA 107	Therapeutic Activities	3

OTA	110	Theory & Treatment of Psychosocial	5
		Dysfunction	
OTA	115	Level I Psychosocial Fieldwork	2
OTA	117	Neurological Theory & Treatment	5
OTA	121	Level I Physical Disability Fieldwork	2
OTA	124	Human Movement for Occupation	3
		First Year Total	24
Second	l Year		
OTA	210	Theory & Treatment of Physical Dysfunction	5
OTA	212	Occupational Therapy Practice Management	2 5
OTA	216	Pediatric Theory and Treatment	5
OTA	221	Level II Fieldwork - Placement 1	6
OTA	226	Level II Fieldwork - Placement 2	6
		Second Year Total	24
		TOTAL HOURS	68
OTA	227	Optional Level II Fieldwork	

<sup>1</sup>Recommended that these courses be taken prior to beginning OTA classes.

<sup>2</sup>Students who are required to take 12 credit hours for federal financial aid are advised to take ALH 118 in the first semester of the first year in the OTA program. Note: Completion of ALH 118 prior to admission does NOT influence admission points.

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Allied Health Sciences Division.

#### **Program Application Deadline**: May 15

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. It is not intended to prepare students for transfer into an occupational therapy program. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

#### **Opticianry**

The Opticianry program is a two-year associate of applied science degree career preparation program. Graduates of this program will be eligible to sit for the Tennessee State Board Licensing Examination in Ophthalmic Dispensing and the national board certification examinations. The total educational program will include general studies, technical, and field work components.

Opticians are licensed professionals who design and fit glasses, contact lenses and other specialized optical devices, based on the doctor's prescription and the patient's visual needs. Fashion is also a factor in designing eyewear.

The Opticianry program is nationally accredited by the Commission on Opticianry Accreditation.

Admission to the program is required prior to enrolling in any OPT course. Courses must be taken in sequence. All professional opticianry courses are taught at the main campus in Harriman.

#### These classes may be taken prior to being accepted into the program.

	1130	Business Elective <sup>1</sup> Composition I College Algebra <sup>2</sup> or higher level math Speech Elective Humanities Elective Social Science Elective Group Total	3 3 3 3 3 18
		Internal Continue	4
OPT	101	Intro to Opticianry	4
OPT	110	Ophthalmic Dispensing I	4
OPT		- r · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	4
OPT	123		3
OPT	130	Contact Lenses I	4
OPT	140	Practicum	1
OPT	143	Anatomy & Physiology of the Eye	4
		Group Total	24
Second	Year	•	
OPT	210	Ophthalmic Dispensing II	4
OPT	220	Ophthalmic Materials II	4
OPT	230		4
OPT	260	Ophthalmic Dispensing III	4
OPT	270		4
OPT	280	Contact Lenses III	4
011	200	Group Total	24
		TOTAL HOURS	66

<sup>1</sup>Business elective may be chosen from the following: ACCT 1010, BUS 1010, 278 or 281.

#### **Program Application Deadline**: May 15

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

#### **Physical Therapist Assistant**

This program prepares students with the necessary knowledge and skills to assist in the treatment and testing of physical therapy patients under the supervision of a registered physical therapist. Training includes the use of exercise, therapeutic modalities and special treatment procedures in classroom, laboratory and clinical settings. This program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education.

The 1+1 curriculum design establishes the first year for prerequisites and the second year for physical therapy courses. All first-year prerequisites (PRE-PTA status) must be completed prior to being considered for admission into the second year. There is an open admissions policy for enrolling in the PRE-PTA classes. The second year (PTA STATUS) lasts one calendar year—August to August of the next year. Classes taken the second year must be taken in sequence and require a full course load.

Selection for the second year will be based on GPA in the prerequisites, anatomy and physiology grades, physical therapy tech work experience, interview scores (top 40 applicants based on a point system will be offered interviews), and documentation and rating on physical therapy observation experience. This experience will be completed in the course ALH 102 Introduction to Physical Therapy. A maximum of twenty students will be selected for the second year. Those not accepted can apply for the following year or seek advisement on other possible career options.

All admission materials except Spring grades (e.g. Spring 2011 for Fall 2011 acceptance) should be submitted by the third Friday of January for the following fall semester. Spring grades must be received by May 15<sup>th</sup>. Students that turn materials in after these deadlines may not be considered for admission.

Clinical courses during the second year might require travel to other cities for extended periods of time at the student's expense. Once accepted into the second year, it is the student's responsibility to be certified in Basic First Aid and to maintain certification in Infant, Child and Adult CPR. This can be done through the Red Cross and/or American Heart Association.

All second year PTA classes are taught at the Oak Ridge Branch Campus.

First Y	ear		
ALH	102	Intro to P.T.	2
ALH	118	Terminology for Medical Communication	2
BIOL	2010, 2020	Anatomy and Physiology I, II	8
<b>ENGL</b>	1010	Composition I	3
MATH	1530	Probability & Statistics (Non-Calculus Based)	2 8 3 1
PHED		Physical Education Elective	1
PHIL	121	Elementary Ethics <b>OR</b>	
PHIL	1030	Intro to Philosophy <b>OR</b>	
PHIL	201	Intro to Religions of the World	3
PSYC	1030	General Psychology <b>OR</b>	
PSYC	2130	Lifespan Psychology (formerly Developmental	3
		Psychology)	
		First Year Total	25
Second	l Year		25
Second PTA	Year 121	First Year Total Kinesiology	
PTA		First Year Total	
PTA	121 141 151	First Year Total  Kinesiology Patient Care Techniques Therapeutic Modalities	
PTA PTA PTA PTA	121 141 151 214	First Year Total  Kinesiology Patient Care Techniques Therapeutic Modalities Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions	
PTA PTA PTA	121 141 151 214	First Year Total  Kinesiology Patient Care Techniques Therapeutic Modalities	
PTA PTA PTA PTA	121 141 151 214 235 236	First Year Total  Kinesiology Patient Care Techniques Therapeutic Modalities Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions	
PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA	121 141 151 214 235 236 238	First Year Total  Kinesiology Patient Care Techniques Therapeutic Modalities Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions Advanced P.T. Procedures I Advanced P.T. Procedures II Clinical Preparation I	
PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA	121 141 151 214 235 236 238 239	First Year Total  Kinesiology Patient Care Techniques Therapeutic Modalities Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions Advanced P.T. Procedures I Advanced P.T. Procedures II Clinical Preparation I Clinical Preparation II	
PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA	121 141 151 214 235 236 238 239 244	First Year Total  Kinesiology Patient Care Techniques Therapeutic Modalities Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions Advanced P.T. Procedures I Advanced P.T. Procedures II Clinical Preparation I Clinical Preparation II Seminar	
PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA PTA	121 141 151 214 235 236 238 239	First Year Total  Kinesiology Patient Care Techniques Therapeutic Modalities Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions Advanced P.T. Procedures I Advanced P.T. Procedures II Clinical Preparation I Clinical Preparation II	25 3 4 5 3 6 6 2 2 1 5 5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Higher level math course may be substituted.

#### Second Year Total TOTAL HOURS

**Program Deadline:** May 15

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

### 2 Radiologic Technology

The radiographer is a health care professional that performs radiographic procedures that provide information to assist in the diagnosis and treatment of the patient. The Radiologic Technology Program consists of five semesters of full-time study which includes supervised clinical coursework in a radiology department. The program is affiliated with 17 area hospitals. Each student will be assigned to a variety of clinical sites during the two years of clinical coursework. Clinical experiences will include evening rotations.

Applicants for the program may begin working on the general education courses at any time. The professional courses must be taken in sequence and are offered only at the Oak Ridge Branch Campus except for the clinical courses.

Applicants must spend a minimum of 8 hours of observation time in an inpatient hospital diagnostic radiology department and must submit the required form documenting this observation time. This form is available Radiology Technology Web page.

The program is accredited by the Joint Review Committee on Education in Radiologic Technology. Graduates of the program are eligible to take the certification examination administered by the American Registry of Radiologic Technology.

#### These classes may be taken prior to being accepted into the program.

ENGL MATH ALH	1010 1130 103	Anatomy and Physiology I, II <sup>1</sup> Composition I College Algebra or Higher Level Math Intro to Radiologic Technology <sup>3</sup> Humanities Elective <sup>2</sup> Social Science Elective <sup>2</sup> Group Total	8 3 2 3 2 2 2
First Y		Tours Assil air III	2 2
RDT	103, 110	Image Analysis I, II	2, 2
RDT	106, 107	Clinical Education I, II	2, 2
RDT	108	Clinical Education III	2
RDT RDT	113, 114 122	Radiographic Procedures I, II Radiographic Principles of Exposure	2, 2 2, 2 2 8 4
RDT	130		4
		Image Acquisition and Quality Control	4 1 3
RDT	203	Image Analysis III	1
RDT	210	Radiographic Procedures III	
C	1 3/2 2	First Year Total	30
Second		Clinian I F. Landing IV	2
RDT	206	Clinical Education IV	3
RDT	207	Clinical Education V	3
RDT	212	Radiographic Procedures IV	4
RDT	215	Advanced Radiography	2
	222	Radiation Biology and Protection	2
RDT	225	Radiation Physics	4
RDT	226	Radiologic Science	3
RDT	227	Radiographic Pathology	3 3 4 2 2 4 3 2 <b>23</b>
		Second Year Total	23
		TOTAL HOURS	75
RDT	218	Current Trends in Radiologic Technology <sup>4</sup>	2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>These courses are prerequisites to all 200 level RDT courses.

**Program Deadline:** May 15

This program is designed for students who do not intend to transfer to a baccalaureate degree program.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Courses must be selected from TBR General Education Requirements

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>An open enrollment course available to any Radiologic Technology candidate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Optional elective course not required for graduation.

#### Advanced Standing Program (for registered technologists)

This program is designed for the technologist that is registered with the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists and is seeking to complete a degree in Radiologic Technology. Applicants must apply to the Allied Health Science Admissions Committee for official acceptance to the program. Applicants accepted to the program will be given course credit for the following Radiologic Technology courses after submitting a copy of the ARRT certificate to the program director and completion of the Credit by Proficiency form available in the Records Office.

The foll	lowing	courses will be assigned course equiva	lency:
ALH	103	Introduction to Radiologic Technology	2
RDT	103	Image Analysis I	2
RDT	106	Clinical Education I	2
RDT	107	Clinical Education II	2
RDT	108	Clinical Education III	2
RDT	110	Image Analysis II	2
RDT	113	Radiographic Procedures I	4
RDT	114	Radiographic Procedures II	4
RDT	122	Radiographic Principles of Exposure	4
RDT	130	Image Acquisition and Quality Control	4
RDT	203	Image Analysis III	2 2 2 2 2 2 4 4 4 4 4 1 3 3 3 4 2 2 4 4 3 2 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5
RDT	206	Clinical Education IV	3
RDT	207	Clinical Education V	3
RDT	210	Radiographic Procedures III	3
RDT	212	Radiographic Procedures IV	4
RDT	215	Advanced Radiography	2
RDT	222	Radiation Biology and Protection	2
RDT	225	Radiation Physics	4
RDT	226	Radiologic Science	3
RDT	227	Radiographic Pathology	2
		TOTAL CREDIT AWARDED	55
		courses are required:	
BUS	281	Management and Supervision I	3
ENGL		Composition I	3
MATH	1130	College Algebra or Higher Level Math	3 3 3 1
		Humanities Elective	3
		Physical Education Elective	1
		Science Elective	4 3
		Social Science Elective	3
		ARRT Certification Credits	55

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the faculty in the Radiologic Technology Program.

TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

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#### **Respiratory Therapy Technology**

The Respiratory Therapy program prepares an individual to perform the staff responsibilities of the respiratory care profession. General education courses and respiratory care courses which include supervised clinical experience in area hospitals make up the building blocks of this exciting curriculum. All respiratory therapy courses are taught at the Knox County campus.

Along with the general entrance requirements of the Allied Health Sciences programs, the applicants for Respiratory Therapy must also:

- 1. Obtain a GPA of 2.75 or greater in the in the general education courses required in the Respiratory Therapy curriculum.
- Complete BIOL 2010 Anatomy and Physiology I with a grade of "C" or better.
- 3. Obtain a "C" or better in each required science course.
- 4. Complete ten (10) hours of clinical observation in area respiratory therapy departments. Students should contact the program director for more information. A completed observation form must be sent back to the program director prior to the application deadline. The form for documentation of observation hours may be obtained from the Allied Health Sciences admissions technician, Admissions and Records Office or Respiratory Therapy faculty.
- Only respiratory therapy courses which were completed within three years prior to applying for admission or readmission will be considered for transfer. Science courses more than ten years old will not be considered.

Students that have been admitted into the program must attend an orientation to the Respiratory Therapy program prior to the first day of class. Students must submit physical examination forms at this time. Students who fail to attend orientation or submit physical examination forms and CPR certification may be dropped from the program. Proof of CPR certification must be submitted prior to beginning RTT 132.

All students must pass a mock written registry to graduate from RSCC. Upon graduation, students are eligible to take the credentialing examinations offered by the National Board of Respiratory Care. The program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation for Respiratory Care.

#### These classes may be taken prior to being accepted into the program.

BIOL	2010	Anatomy and Physiology	4
BIOL	2230	Microbiology	4
CHEM	1010	Introduction to Chemistry I	4
ENGL	1010	Composition I	3
		College Algebra (or higher level math)	3
		Humanities Elective	3
		Social Science Elective	4 3 3 3 3
		Group Total	24
First Ye	ear	•	
RTT	121	Cardio-Renal Anatomy & Phys	4
RTT	122	Respiratory Care Science I	4
RTT	123	Respiratory Pharmacology	2
RTT	131	Pathology of Respiratory Disease I	2
RTT	132	Respiratory Care Science II	6
RTT	220	Respiratory Science III	4
RTT	231	Pathology of Resp. Disease II	2
		First Year Total	24
Second	Year		
EMT	217	Comprehensive Adv Cardiac Life Support	3
RTT	230	Respiratory Care Science IV	6
RTT	235	Neonatal and Pediatric Care	3
RTT	245	Respiratory Care Science V	7
RTT	260	Hemodynamics and Rhythms	3

RTT	261	Respiratory Care Seminar	2
		Second Year Total	24
		TOTAL HOURS	72

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Allied Health Sciences Division.

#### **Program Application Deadline**: May 15

This program is designed for students who plan to enter the field upon graduation. Students intending to transfer to a baccalaureate program are advised that they should check with their academic advisor and the four-year institution regarding specific transfer of courses.

# **Technical Certificate Programs**

No placement testing is required of the Technical Certificate programs except the Paramedic program. Financial Aid may not be available for all certificates pending approval. Contact the Financial Aid Office for more information. For students to receive a certificate at the end of the program, a 2.0 GPA must be maintained. A certain number of credit hours in each program must be completed in order to meet the graduation residency requirement. Contact your advisor for the requirement of your program.

# **Computer Science Certificate**

The Computer Science Technical Certificate encompasses applications in databases, networking, JAVA programming, webpage design, and Visual Basic programming. The certificate is designed to add value to existing computer professionals and allow for career mobility.

Fall Semester		
CISP 1080	Web Fundamentals	3
CISP 1090 or 2090	Intro to Programming or Java Programming	3
CISP 1160	Introduction to Oracle	3
CISP 1420	Networking Essentials	3
	Total Fall Credit Hours	12
Spring Semester		
CISP 1170	Introduction to Visual Basic	3
CISP	Electives: choose 2 courses from below	6
	Total Spring Credit Hours	9
	TOTAL CERTIFICATE HOURS	21

#### List of Course Electives (choose two courses):

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CISP 1350	Spreadsheets (F, Sp)
CISP 1370	PC Repairs and Maintenance (F)
CISP 1430	Introduction to Routers (F)
CISP 1560	Beginning Internet (F, Sp)
CISP 2030	Data Structures (Sp)
CISP 2060	Introduction to Network Security (F, Sp)
CISP 2150	Operating Systems (Sp)
CISP 2180	Advanced Java (F, Sp)
CISP 2340	Oracle Database Programming (Sp)
CISP 2380	Intro to Java Script (F)
CISP 2750	Unix/Linux Operating Systems (F)

F: Class is typically offered during the Fall Semester Sp: Class is typically offered during the Spring Semester

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Mathematics and Sciences Division.

## **Early Childhood Education**

The Early Childhood Technical Certificate is designed to prepare professionals in the field of early childhood education. Students in this program will gain knowledge in areas such as child development, family and community involvement, and curriculum development. Graduates will be prepared to work in various early childhood settings and conduct themselves as members of the early childhood profession

Fall Semester				
ECED 1010	Introduction to Early Childhood Education	2		
ECED 2010	Safe, Healthy Learning Environments	3		
	Early Childhood Curriculum	3		
ECED 2130	Initial Practicum	3		
	Total Fall Credit Hours	11		
Spring Seme	ester			
	Family Dynamics and Community Involvement	3		
ECED 2080	Language and Literacy in Early Childhood	3 3 3		
ECED 2085	Math and Science in Early Childhood	3		
ECED	Elective: choose one course from the list below	3		
	Total Spring Credit Hours	12		
	TOTAL CERTIFICATE HOURS	23		
List of Course Electives (choose one course):				
	Infant and Toddler Care (Sp, Alternating Years)	3		
ECED 2090	Creative Development (Sp, Alternating Years)	3		
ECED 2120	Administration of Child Care Centers (Sp, Alternating	3		

F: Class is typically offered during the Fall Semester Sp: Class is typically offered during the Spring Semester

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Social Science, Business and Education Division.

# **Geographic Information Systems**

This program offers the knowledge and ability to use modern analysis tools to display information relative to features on the ground, below ground or above ground. Small, economical computer systems now have the speed and software to empower a trained user to manage, present and analyze geographic information.

Fall Semester	
GIS 101 Intro. to GIS	3
GIS 105 Computer Cartography	3
GIS 210 Global Positioning Systems & Digital Imagery	3
Fall Semester Total	9
Spring Semester	
GIS 110 Geographic Database Technology	3
GIS 220 GIS Network & Demographic Applications	3
GIS 230 GIS Project Management	3
Spring Semester Total	9
Summer Semester	
GIS 290 Directed Research Project	4
TOTAL HOURS	22

Students pursuing this option will be advised by the Social Science, Business & Education Division.

# **Allied Health Sciences Certificate Programs**

#### **Diagnosis and Procedural Coding**

The Diagnosis and Procedural Coding (DPC) program is a nine month certificate program designed to prepare students to perform medical diagnosis and procedure coding in an outpatient or ambulatory health care setting. The courses completed in the Diagnosis and Procedural Coding certificate program correspond to the first year course for the Health Information Technology (HIT) degree program. DPC students may elect to continue into HIT degree program after successful completion of the certificate courses. All admission requirements for the HIT degree program must also be met for acceptance into the HIT program after completion of the DPC Certificate.

All Diagnosis and Procedural Coding courses are taught at the Harriman Campus and Knox County Campus Center for Health Sciences. Enrollment is limited.

#### **Admission Requirements**

- Complete the Roane State Community College (RSCC) admissions process to become an admitted student.
- Complete the electronic Allied Health Science (AHS)
  application on RaiderNet and submit by the published
  application deadline.
  - Note: When choosing the Planned Course of Study, select 'Diagnosis and Procedural Coding'. If 'Diagnosis and Procedural Coding' is not selected as a Planned Course of Study you will not be considered for the Diagnosis and Procedural Coding Program.
- Complete the COMPASS. All Learning Support requirements must be completed before a student can enroll in Anatomy and Physiology.
  - Note: Some applicants may be exempt from COMPASS testing. COMPASS scores within the last three years are accepted. COMPASS scores from other colleges must be turned into the RSCC Admission and Records Office by published application deadline. See the COMPASS webpage for registration directions, exemptions, and more.
- 4. Complete all other entrance requirements detailed on the Diagnosis and Procedural Coding webpage.
- 5. The following factors are utilized in ranking and accepting applicants:
  - 1. Completion of HIT 107
  - Completion of BIOL 2010 and BIOL 2020
- Only HIT courses which were completed within three years prior to applying for admission or readmission will be considered for credit toward graduation.

Note: Students may not register for discipline-specific courses until their major has been changed.

Note: Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance. Preference will be given to Tennessee Residents.

#### **Program Application Deadline**

June 30. Late applications may be considered on a space-available basis.

#### **Criminal Background Checks**

Criminal background checks and drug screening may be a requirement at affiliated clinical sites utilized for training in the Diagnosis and Procedural Coding Program. Based on the results of these checks, an affiliated clinical site may determine to not allow your presence at their facility. This would result in your inability to successfully complete the Diagnosis and Procedural Coding Program. Students will be responsible for the costs of the background check. Additionally, a criminal background may preclude employment. More information is available from your program director.

#### **Health Guidelines**

Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of affiliated clinical agencies. Personal health insurance may be required by some agencies. Students are highly encouraged to carry personal health insurance and are responsible for costs incurred due to injury or illness while enrolled. Students will be responsible for the cost of the physical examination and required immunizations and/or testing.

Students will be required, during the course of the program to demonstrate their physical and/or emotional fitness to meet the essential requirements of the program. Such essential requirements include freedom from communicable diseases, the ability to perform certain tasks, and suitable emotional fitness. Any appraisal measures used to determine such physical and/or emotional fitness will be in compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the American Disabilities Act of 1990. Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of the affiliating agencies. Students are responsible for cost incurred from injury or illness while in the Diagnosis and Procedural Coding Program.

#### Retention

A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from the program.

- A grade of "C" or better is required in each HIT course and required science course.
- Completion of specialty courses as outlined by the degree checklist. Exceptions to this must be approved by the program director.
- Evidence of malpractice insurance and physical examination must be provided prior to clinical training.

The RSCC policy of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions applies to all students regardless of the program in which they are enrolled. In cases where alcohol and drug violations occur, disciplinary action, as well as the decision whether to test for alcohol or drugs, will be processed through the Dean of Allied Health Sciences and the office of the Dean of Student Services and Multicultural Affairs.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

A student must request readmission after a grade of "D" or "F" is received in a core course or after withdrawal from the program at anytime during the semester.

A student may be considered for readmission to the program if all of the following criteria are met:

 Students applying for readmission must meet all admissions criteria listed above. The applicant must submit a readmission request in writing to the Program Director at least thirty (30) days prior to enrollment. The request must be a detailed personal reflection of the reason(s) for the unsuccessful performance and a plan of correction.

- 2. One (1) readmission to the program will be permitted.
- The applicant applying for readmission may be required to interview with the Program Director for consideration of readmission before the review date by the AHS Admissions Committee.
- 4. An acceptable level of discipline-specific competency may need to be demonstrated prior to readmission.
- 5. A student with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the program faculty.
  - Note: The AHS Program Director will verify that all readmission documents and criteria including licensure/credentials are current and valid.
- 6. Readmission to an Allied Health Sciences program is contingent upon the availability of space.
- Students who are dismissed for reasons associated with academic misconduct or violations of a code of ethics will not be considered for re-admission.
- A student must repeat the specialty course or courses for which he/she was dismissed and attain a "C" or better in the course.

#### Fall Semester

BIOL	2010	Anatomy & Physiology I <sup>1</sup>	4
HIT	102	Fundamentals of Health Information <sup>2</sup>	3
HIT	107	Medical Terminology <sup>2</sup>	3
HIT	103	Coding & Classification Systems I	3
		Fall Semester Total	13
Sprin	g Sem	ester	
<b>BIOL</b>	2020	Anatomy & Physiology II <sup>1</sup>	4
HIT	104	Coding & Classification Systems II	2
		Coding Professional Practice Experience	1
HIT	130	CPT Coding	3
HIT	140	Medical Office Procedures	2
		Spring Semester Total	12
		TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	25

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Recommended to be completed prior to acceptance and must be completed with a grade of C or better.

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Allied Health Sciences Division. Students wishing to pursue an A.A.S. Allied Health Sciences with an emphasis in Diagnosis and Procedural Coding should contact their advisor.

Any Learning Support course requirements must be completed before taking BIOL 2010.

A certain number of credit hours in each program must be completed in order to meet the graduation residency requirement. Contact your advisor for the requirement of your program. Only HIT courses which were completed within three years prior to applying for admission or readmission will be considered for credit toward graduation.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> An open course that may be taken by any student & is recommended to be completed prior to acceptance.

# **Emergency Medical Technology/ Paramedic**

The Paramedic program is a three-semester certificate program. The lecture and lab consists of approximately 600 hours. The clinical/field internship is approximately 600 hours. The clinical/field internship is approximately 540 hours. The program has a Fall and Spring start.

The program consists of four components of instruction: lecture, skills laboratory, clinical education and field internship. The successful completion of these components will prepare the students for National Registry exams and enable him/her to demonstrate competence as an entry level paramedic. Graduates of this program may work in emergency medical services (EMS), fire/rescue, hospital emergency departments, medical clinics, sports medicine, industrial medicine, or similar occupations.

All Paramedic courses are taught at the Knox Center for Health Sciences and Harriman Campus. Enrollment is limited.

#### **Admission Requirements**

- 1. Complete the Roane State Community College (RSCC) admissions process to become an admitted student.
- Complete the electronic Allied Health Science (AHS)
  application on RaiderNet and submit by the published
  application deadline.
  - Note: When choosing the Planned Course of Study, select 'Paramedic'. If 'Paramedic' is not selected as a Planned Course of Study you will not be considered for the Paramedic Program.
- 3. Complete the COMPASS. If COMPASS results indicate a reading deficiency, all Learning Support requirements for reading comprehension must be successfully completed before applicant will be considered for admission to the program. Note: Some applicants may be exempt from COMPASS testing. COMPASS scores within the last three years are accepted. COMPASS scores from other colleges must be turned into the RSCC Admission and Records Office by published application deadline. See the COMPASS webpage for registration directions, exemptions, and more.
- 4. Schedule the Psychological Examination\*.

  Note: Contact Dr. Jacob Levy at (865) 789-8362. The examination will consist of the Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory (MMPI) and a meeting with the psychologist. The cost for the examination is \$100.
- 5. Submit current State of Tennessee EMT or EMT-IV license.
- Complete all other entrance requirements detailed on the Paramedic webpage.
- 7. Qualified applicants will be interviewed prior to acceptance.
- 8. Students must follow the admissions process regarding interviews and testing in compliance with EMS rules and regulations as set forth by the Tennessee Department of Health, Division of Emergency Medical Services and the RSCC Paramedic program. A Paramedic Admissions Committee considers all eligible applicants and recommends applicants to the Allied Health Science Admission Committee. Applicants must report if their license in any health care field has been suspended, revoked, or denied.

Note: Students may not register for discipline-specific courses until their major has been changed.

Note: Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance. Preference will be given to Tennessee Residents.

\*Tennessee Emergency Medical Services Board requirement.

#### **Program Application Deadlines**

Fall Admission: June 30, late applications may be considered on a space-available basis.

Spring Admission: October 31, late applications may be considered on a space-available basis.

#### **Criminal Background Checks**

Criminal background checks and drug screening may be a requirement at affiliated clinical sites utilized for training in the Paramedic program. Based on the results of these checks, an affiliated clinical site may determine to not allow your presence at their facility. This would result in your inability to successfully complete the Paramedic program. Students will be responsible for the costs of the background check. Additionally, a criminal background may preclude licensure or employment. More information is available from your program director.

#### **Health Guidelines**

Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of affiliated clinical agencies. Personal health insurance may be required by some agencies. Students are highly encouraged to carry personal health insurance and are responsible for costs incurred due to injury or illness while enrolled. Students will be responsible for the cost of the physical examination and required immunizations and/or testing.

Students will be required, during the course of the program to demonstrate their physical and/or emotional fitness to meet the essential requirements of the program. Such essential requirements include freedom from communicable diseases, the ability to perform certain tasks, and suitable emotional fitness. Any appraisal measures used to determine such physical and/or emotional fitness will be in compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the American Disabilities Act of 1990. Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of the affiliating agencies. Students are responsible for cost incurred from injury or illness while in the Paramedic program.

#### Retention

- Maintain current Tennessee licensure as EMT and maintain current CPR certification at the level of American Heart Association-Health Care Provider level or American Red Cross-Professional Rescuer.
- 2. Maintain 80% in didactic, lab and clinical areas.

The RSCC policy of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions applies to all students regardless of the program in which they are enrolled. In cases where alcohol and drug violations occur, disciplinary action, as well as the decision whether to test for alcohol or drugs, will be processed through the Dean of Allied Health Sciences and the office of the Dean of Student Services and Multicultural Affairs.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

A student must request readmission after a grade of "D" or "F" is received in a core course or after withdrawal from the program at any time during the semester.

A student may be considered for readmission to the program if all of the following criteria are met:

1. Students applying for readmission must meet all admissions criteria listed above. The applicant must submit a readmission

request in writing to the Program Director at least thirty (30) days prior to enrollment. The request must be a detailed personal reflection of the reason(s) for the unsuccessful performance and a plan of correction.

- 2. One (1) readmission to the program will be permitted.
- The applicant applying for readmission may be required to interview with the Program Director for consideration of readmission before the review date by the AHS Admissions Committee
- An acceptable level of discipline-specific competency may need to be demonstrated prior to readmission.
- 5. A student with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the program faculty.
  - Note: The AHS Program Director will verify that all readmission documents and criteria including licensure/credentials are current and valid.
- Readmission to an Allied Health Sciences program is contingent upon the availability of space.
- Students who are dismissed for reasons associated with academic misconduct or violations of a code of ethics will not be considered for re-admission.
- 8. A student must repeat the specialty course or courses for which he/she was dismissed and attain a "C" or better in the course.
- 9. A student may be readmitted to the program within two years from the semester they failed. Before being considered for readmission they will be required to take a competency exam for those course(s) which they previously successfully completed. Upon successful completion of those exams they will be considered for readmission to the program and be required to take only the course(s) they failed. If they do not successfully complete the competency exam(s), they can reapply for admission but will have to repeat all courses. Successful completion of a competency exam(s) would mean a grade of 70 or greater.

Note: Students must follow the admissions process regarding interviews and testing in compliance with EMS rules and regulations as set forth by the Tennessee Department of Health, Division of Emergency Medical Services and the RSCC Paramedic program. A Paramedic Admissions Committee considers all eligible applicants and recommends applicants to the Allied Health Science Admission Committee. Applicants must report if their license in any health care field has been suspended, revoked, or denied.

#### **First Semester**

PARA 2100 Paramedic I 12 credits PARA 2150 Clinical I 2 credits

**Second Semester** 

PARA 2200 Paramedic II 12 credits PARA 2250 Clinical II 2 credits

**Third Semester** 

PARA 2300 Paramedic III 12 credits PARA 2350 Clinical III 2 credits Total 2 credits

Students wishing to pursue an A.A.S. in Allied Health Sciences with an emphasis in Emergency Medical Services should contact their advisor. A certain number of credit hours in each program must be completed in order to meet the graduation residency requirement. Contact your advisor for the requirement of your program.

#### **Emergency Medical Technician Course**

This course prepares the student for the National Registry exam for EMTs. Upon successful completion of this exam the student will be eligible

for State Licensure. Students having EMT licensure are able to work as part of an EMS team on Basic and Advanced ambulance units. They are employed in emergency rooms, law enforcement agencies, rescue squads, fire stations, health clubs, ski patrols, park rangers and other related fields.

The EMT course is offered on the Knox Center for Health Sciences and selected RSCC satellite campuses.

#### Emergency Medical Technician Basic: EMT 1100 12 credits

This course is the prerequisite for admission into the Paramedic Certificate Program.

#### **Massage Therapy**

Massage therapy is a nine-month certificate program to prepare students for entry level careers in the growing field of massage, bodywork and somatic therapies. Graduates will be eligible for a Tennessee Massage Therapy License and eligible to sit for the National Certification in Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork Examination.

The focus of this program will be Swedish Massage and Neuromuscular Therapy with an overview of the many other modalities practiced by Licensed Massage Therapists. More than 100 different approaches to therapeutic manipulation of muscles, tendons, ligaments, fascia, and circulatory structures are available in the market. Most require advanced training beyond the scope of this certificate program.

Massage therapists practice in a wide variety of settings: health clubs and wellness centers; chiropractic and physical therapy offices; hotels, resorts and cruise lines; health food stores and sports outfitters; pain management and sports injury clinics; psychological and psychiatric clinics; and private homes and offices. Some work under the supervision of other licensed health care providers. Some are in business for themselves as private contractors. Many work part-time. Many work exclusively from their home offices.

All Massage Therapy courses are taught at the Oak Ridge Branch Campus. Enrollment is limited.

#### **Admission Requirements**

- Complete the Roane State Community College (RSCC) admissions process to become an admitted student.
- Complete the electronic Allied Health Science (AHS) application on RaiderNet and submit by the published application deadline.
  - Note: When choosing the Planned Course of Study, select "Massage Therapy". If "Massage Therapy" is not selected as a Planned Course of Study you will not be considered for the Massage Therapy Program.
- Complete the HOBET. See the HOBET webpage for registration directions, exemptions, and more.
- 4. Complete all other entrance requirements detailed on the Massage Therapy webpage.
- 5. Qualified applicants will be interviewed prior to acceptance.

Note: Students may not register for discipline-specific courses until their major has been changed.

Note: Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance. Preference will be given to Tennessee Residents.

#### **Program Application Deadline**

June 30. Late applicants may be considered on a space-available basis.

#### **Criminal Background Checks**

Criminal background checks and drug screening may be a requirement at affiliated clinical sites utilized for training in the Massage Therapy Program. Based on the results of these checks, an affiliated clinical site may determine to not allow your presence at their facility. This would result in your inability to successfully complete the Massage Therapy Program. Students will be responsible for the costs of the background check. Additionally, a criminal background may preclude licensure or employment. More information is available from your program director.

#### **Health Guidelines**

Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of affiliated clinical agencies. Personal health insurance may be required by some agencies. Students are highly encouraged to carry personal health insurance and are responsible for costs incurred due to injury or illness while enrolled. Students will be responsible for the cost of the physical examination and required immunizations and/or testing.

Students will be required, during the course of the program to demonstrate their physical and/or emotional fitness to meet the essential requirements of the program. Such essential requirements include freedom from communicable diseases, the ability to perform certain tasks, and suitable emotional fitness. Any appraisal measures used to determine such physical and/or emotional fitness will be in compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the American Disabilities Act of 1990. Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of the affiliating agencies. Students are responsible for cost incurred from injury or illness while in the Massage Therapy Program.

#### Retention

Students' grades will be evaluated at the end of each semester by the Program Director. A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from the program:

- 1. A grade of "C" or better in each specialty course.
- Completion of specialty courses as specified by the certificate checklist. A student must be able to complete courses with the class in which he/she was admitted. A student who cannot graduate with the class in which he/she was admitted will be dropped from that class and must re-apply to a subsequent class.
- 3. Evidence of malpractice insurance and physical examination must be provided prior to clinical training.

The RSCC policy of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions applies to all students regardless of the program in which they are enrolled. In cases where alcohol and drug violations occur, disciplinary action, as well as the decision whether to test for alcohol or drugs, will be processed through the Dean of Allied Health Sciences and the office of the Dean of Student Services and Multicultural Affairs.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

A student must request readmission after a grade of "D" or "F" is received in a core course or after withdrawal from the program at any time during the semester.

A student may be considered for readmission to the program if all of the following criteria are met:

- 1. Students applying for readmission must meet all admissions criteria listed above.
  - The applicant must submit a readmission request in writing to the Program Director at least thirty (30) days prior to enrollment. The request must be a detailed personal reflection of the reason(s) for the unsuccessful performance and a plan of correction.
- 2. One (1) readmission to the program will be permitted.
- The applicant applying for readmission will be required to interview with the Program Director for consideration of readmission before the review date by the AHS Admissions Committee.
- An acceptable level of discipline-specific competency may need to be demonstrated prior to readmission.
- A student with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the

program faculty.

Note: The AHS Program Director will verify that all readmission documents and criteria including licensure/credentials are current and valid.

- Readmission to an Allied Health Sciences program is contingent upon the availability of space.
- Students who are dismissed for reasons associated with academic misconduct or violations of a code of ethics will not be considered for re-admission.
- A student must repeat the specialty course or courses for which he/she was dismissed and attain a "C" or better in the course.
- 9. A student may be readmitted to the program within two years from the semester they failed. Before being considered for readmission they will be required to take a competency exam for those course(s) which they previously successfully completed. Upon successful completion of those exams they will be considered for readmission to the program and be required to take only the course(s) they failed. If they do not successfully complete the competency exam(s), they can reapply for admission but will have to repeat all courses. Successful completion of a competency exam(s) would mean a grade of 70 or greater.

#### **Fall Semester**

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MAS 113 Massage Physiology, Pathology & Pharmacology I	3			
MAS 117 TN Massage Law and Practice Ethics	3			
MAS 120 Swedish Massage	3			
MAS 121 The Muscular System I	2			
MAS 135 Massage for Special Populations	2			
Fall Semester Total	13			
Spring Semester				
MAS 114 Massage Physiology, Pathology & Pharmacology II	3			
MAS 118 Massage Business, Professional and Communication	. 2			
MAS 122 The Muscular System II	2			
MAS 124 Student Clinic	1			
MAS 130 Medical Massage Therapies	4			
Spring Semester Total	12			
Summer Semester				
MAS 152 Clinical Massage Practice	2			
MAS 123 Overview of Somatic Therapies	2			
Summer Semester Total	4			
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	29			

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Allied Health Sciences Division. Students wishing to pursue an A.A.S. Allied Health Sciences with an emphasis in Massage Therapy should contact their advisor.

A certain number of credit hours in each program must be completed in order to meet the graduation residency requirement. contact your advisor for the requirement of your program.

#### **Medical Transcription**

The Medical Transcriptionist Program is a three-semester certificate program. Classes may also be scheduled to provide opportunity to complete the program in 9 months if certain conditions are met and with the permission of the Program Director. Graduates of this program are prepared to transcribe medical record reports dictated by physicians. Medical transcriptionists work in hospitals, clinics, doctor's offices, and transcription services. Graduates are eligible to take the AHDI (Association for Healthcare Documentation Integrity) RMT certification examination. The program is approved by the ACCP (Approval Committee for Certificate Programs). The ACCP is a joint committee formed by the AHDI and the AHIMA (American Health Information Management Association) that approves medical transcription of the American Association for Medical Transcription (AAMT).

All Medical Transcription courses are taught at the Oak Ridge Branch Campus. Enrollment is limited.

#### **Admission Requirements**

- 1. Complete the Roane State Community College (RSCC) admissions process to become an admitted student.
- Complete the electronic Allied Health Science (AHS) application on RaiderNet and submit by the published application deadline.
  - Note: When choosing the Planned Course of Study, select "Medical Transcription". If "Medical Transcription" is not selected as a Planned Course of Study you will not be considered for the Medical Transcription Program.
- 3. Complete the COMPASS. If COMPASS results indicate a reading or writing deficiency, the appropriate Learning Support courses for reading comprehension and/or writing must be successfully completed with a grade of "C" or better to enroll in Medical Transcription I (MDT 104).

  Note: Some applicants may be exempt from COMPASS testing.

  COMPASS scores within the last three years are accepted.

  COMPASS scores from other colleges must be turned into the RSCC Admission and Records Office by published application deadline. See the COMPASS webpage for registration directions, exemptions, and more.
- Demonstrate a basic knowledge of computer/work processing functions by successful completion of a basic computer skills test. (recommend COLL 1020)
- Demonstrate a high-school level knowledge of grammar, punctuation and spelling by passing a basic transcription test (prior knowledge of medical terminology is not required for the transcription test).
- 6. Demonstrate a typing speed of 45 words per minute.
- 7. No auditory (hearing) deficiencies.
- 8. Complete all other entrance requirements detailed on the Medical Transcription webpage.

Note: Students may not register for discipline-specific courses until their major has been changed.

Note: Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance. Preference will be given to Tennessee Residents.

#### **Program Application Deadline**

June 30. Late applicants may be considered on a space-available basis.

#### **Criminal Background Checks**

Criminal background checks and drug screening may be a requirement at

affiliated clinical sites utilized for training in the Medical Transcription Program. Based on the results of these checks, an affiliated clinical site may determine to not allow your presence at their facility. This would result in your inability to successfully complete the Medical Transcription Program. Students will be responsible for the costs of the background check. Additionally, a criminal background may preclude licensure or employment. More information is available from your program director.

#### **Health Guidelines**

Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of affiliated clinical agencies. Personal health insurance may be required by some agencies. Students are highly encouraged to carry personal health insurance and are responsible for costs incurred due to injury or illness while enrolled. Students will be responsible for the cost of the physical examination and required immunizations and/or testing.

Students will be required, during the course of the program to demonstrate their physical and/or emotional fitness to meet the essential requirements of the program. Such essential requirements include freedom from communicable diseases, the ability to perform certain tasks, and suitable emotional fitness. Any appraisal measures used to determine such physical and/or emotional fitness will be in compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the American Disabilities Act of 1990. Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of the affiliating agencies. Students are responsible for cost incurred from injury or illness while in the Medical Transcription Program.

#### Retention

Students' grades will be evaluated at the end of each semester by the Program Director. A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from the program:

- 1. A grade of "C" or better in each specialty course.
- 2. Completion of specialty courses as specified by the certificate checklist. A student must be able to complete courses with the class in which he/she was admitted. A student who cannot graduate with the class in which he/she was admitted will be dropped from that class and must re-apply to a subsequent class.
- 3. Evidence of malpractice insurance and physical examination must be provided prior to clinical training.

The RSCC policy of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions applies to all students regardless of the program in which they are enrolled. In cases where alcohol and drug violations occur, disciplinary action, as well as the decision whether to test for alcohol or drugs, will be processed through the Dean of Allied Health Sciences and the office of the Dean of Student Services and Multicultural Affairs.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

A student must request readmission after a grade of "D" or "F" is received in a core course or after withdrawal from the program at any time during the semester.

A student may be considered for readmission to the program if all of the following criteria are met:

 Students applying for readmission must meet all admissions criteria listed above.
 The applicant must submit a readmission request in writing

to the Program Director at least thirty (30) days prior to enrollment. The request must be a detailed personal reflection of the reason(s) for the unsuccessful performance and a plan of

- correction.
- 2. One (1) readmission to the program will be permitted.
- The applicant applying for readmission may be required to interview with the Program Director for consideration of readmission before the review date by the AHS Admissions Committee
- An acceptable level of discipline-specific competency may need to be demonstrated prior to readmission.
- A student with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the program faculty.
  - Note: The AHS Program Director will verify that all readmission documents and criteria including licensure/credentials are current and valid.
- 6. Readmission to an Allied Health Sciences program is contingent upon the availability of space.
- Students who are dismissed for reasons associated with academic misconduct or violations of a code of ethics will not be considered for re-admission.
- 8. A student must repeat the specialty course or courses for which he/she was dismissed and attain a "C" or better in the course.
- 9. A student may be readmitted to the program within two year from the semester they failed. Before being considered for readmission they will be required to take a competency exam for those course(s) which they previously successfully completed. Upon successful completion of those exams they will be considered for readmission to the program and be required to take only the course(s) they failed. If they do not successfully complete the competency exam(s), they can reapply for admission but will have to repeat all courses. Successful completion of a competency exam(s) would mean a grade of 70 or greater.
- Medical Transcription I (MDT 104) must be repeated before students are allowed to enroll in Medical Transcription II and/or the Clinical Practicum (MDT 112).

Fall		
MDT 102 Medical Terminology I	3	
	2	
MDT 104 Medical Transcription I	5	
MDT 105 Medical Transcription Procedures 2	2	
MDT 110 Tech Concepts in Med Trans I	2	
Fall Semester Total	14	
Spring		
MDT 111 Medical Transcription II	5	
	2	
	3	
MDT 125 Pharm Concepts in Med Trans	2	
Spring Semester Total	12	
Summer		
MDT 112 Clinical Practicum <sup>1</sup>	3	
TOTAL HOURS 2	29	
Optional Elective		

MDT 150 Special Topics in Medical Transcription<sup>2</sup> 2-5

<sup>1</sup>Not offered on-line. May be taken in Spring semester if certain conditions are met and with permission of the program director.

<sup>2</sup>MDT 150 is optional unless the total number of minutes transcribed is less than 2100 upon completion of MDT 104, MDT 111 and MDT 112.

PLEASE NOTE: Online classes as well as flexible scheduling opportunities are available for a limited number of students meeting special criteria (must score at least 90% on preadmission test). Please contact the program director at 1-866-462-7722 ext. 2012 or 865-481-2012 or visit our Web site at http://www.roanestate.edu/medicaltranscription for specific details. Traditional Medical Transcription classes are held at the Oak Ridge Branch campus.

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Allied Health Sciences Division. Students wishing to pursue an A.A.S. Allied Health Sciences with an emphasis in Medical Transcription should contact their advisor. A certain number of credit hours in each program must be completed in order to meet the graduation residency requirement. Contact your advisor for the requirement of your program.

#### **Pharmacy Technician**

The Roane State Pharmacy Technician Certificate Program is a two-semester program preparing students to enter the pharmacy field as trained technicians. It is intended to provide comprehensive, quality training to students so they will be able to function in community and organized health care pharmacy settings. Upon completion of the certificate program students will be ready to obtain national certification by taking the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board (PTCB) examination.

All Pharmacy Technician courses are taught at the Harriman Campus. Enrollment is limited.

#### **Admission Requirements**

- Complete the Roane State Community College (RSCC) admissions process to become an admitted student.
- Complete the electronic Allied Health Science (AHS) application on RaiderNet and submit by the published application deadline.
  - Note: When choosing the Planned Course of Study, select "Pharmacy Technician". If "Pharmacy Technician" is not selected as a Planned Course of Study you will not be considered for the Pharmacy Technician Program.
- 3. Complete the HOBET. See the HOBET webpage for registration directions, exemptions, and more.
- Complete all other entrance requirements detailed on the Pharmacy Technician webpage.
- 5. Qualified applicants will be interviewed prior to acceptance.

Note: Students may not register for discipline-specific courses until their major has been changed.

Note: Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance. Preference will be given to Tennessee Residents.

#### **Program Application Deadline**

June 30. Late applicants may be considered on a space-available basis.

#### **Criminal Background Checks**

Criminal background checks and drug screening may be a requirement at affiliated clinical sites utilized for training in Health Science and Nursing programs. Based on the results of these checks, an affiliated clinical site may determine to not allow your presence at their facility. This would result in your inability to successfully complete the requirements of a Health Science or Nursing program. Students will be responsible for the costs of the background check. Additionally, a criminal background may preclude registration with the state board of pharmacy or employment. More information is available from your program director.

#### **Health Guidelines**

Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of affiliated clinical agencies. Personal health insurance may be required by some agencies. Students are highly encouraged to carry personal health insurance and are responsible for costs incurred due to injury or illness while enrolled. Students will be responsible for the cost of the physical examination and required immunizations and/or testing.

Students will be required, during the course of the program to demonstrate their physical and/or emotional fitness to meet the essential requirements of the program. Such essential requirements include freedom from communicable diseases, the ability to perform certain tasks, and suitable emotional fitness. Any appraisal measures used to determine such physical

and/or emotional fitness will be in compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the American Disabilities Act of 1990. Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of the affiliating agencies. Students are responsible for cost incurred from injury or illness while in the Pharmacy Technician Program.

#### Retention

A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from the program:

- 1. A grade of "C" or better in each specialty course.
- Completion of specialty courses as specified by the certificate checklist. A student must be able to complete courses with the class in which he/she was admitted. A student who cannot graduate with the class in which he/she was admitted will be dropped from that class and must reapply to a subsequent class.
- 3. Prior to clinical training, evidence of malpractice insurance and a physical examination must be provided.
- 4. Students may have to register with the Tennessee Board of Pharmacy before attending clinicals.
- 5. Students admitted to the program whose use of alcohol or consciousness-altering drugs interferes with their performance will be referred for a drug screen and counseling. Failure to correct the problem will result in dismissal from the program. The RSCC policy of Student Conduct and Disciplinary Sanctions applies to all students regardless of the program in which they are enrolled. In cases where alcohol and drug violations occur, disciplinary action, as well as the decision whether to test for alcohol or drugs, will be processed through the Dean of Allied Health Sciences and the office of the Dean of Students.

#### **Readmission Procedures**

A student must request readmission after a grade of "D" or "F" is received in a core course or after withdrawal from the program at any time during the semester.

A student may be considered for readmission to the program if all of the following criteria are met:

- Students applying for readmission must meet all admissions criteria listed above. The applicant must submit a readmission request in writing to the Program Director at least thirty (30) days prior to enrollment. The request must be a detailed personal reflection of the reason(s) for the unsuccessful performance and a plan of correction.
- 2. One (1) readmission to the program will be permitted.
- The applicant applying for readmission may be required to interview with the Program Director for consideration of readmission before the review date by the AHS Admissions Committee.
- 4. An acceptable level of discipline-specific competency may need to be demonstrated prior to readmission.
- A student with previous unsatisfactory clinical performance must be recommended for readmission by consensus of the program faculty.
  - Note: The AHS Program Director will verify that all readmission documents and criteria including licensure/credentials are current and valid.
- 6. Readmission to an Allied Health Sciences program is contingent upon the availability of space.
- Students who are dismissed for reasons associated with academic misconduct or violations of a code of ethics will not

- be considered for re-admission.
- A student must repeat the specialty course or courses for which he/she was dismissed and attain a "C" or better in the course.
- 9. A student may be readmitted to the program within one year from the semester they failed. Before being considered for readmission they will be required to take a competency exam for those course(s) which they previously successfully completed. Upon successful completion of those exams they will be considered for readmission to the program and be required to take only the course(s) they failed. If they do not successfully complete the competency exam(s), they can reapply for admission but will have to repeat all courses. Successful completion of a competency exam(s) would mean a grade of 70 or greater.

#### **Fall Semester**

PHAR 1010	Introduction to Pharmacy Practice	3	
PHAR 1020	Anatomy for Pharmacy Technicians	2	
PHAR 1030	Pharmacology and Therapeutics I	2	
PHAR 1050	Pharmacy Calculations	3	
PHAR 1120	Basics of Pharmacy I	3	
	Fall Semester Total	13	
Spring Semester			
PHAR 1040	Pharmacology and Therapeutics II	2	
PHAR 1110	Pharmacy Law and Ethics	2	
PHAR 1130	Basics of Pharmacy II	3	
PHAR 1210	Pharmacy Practice I	4	
PHAR 1220	Pharmacy Practice II	4	
	Spring Semester Total	15	
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	28	

Students wishing to pursue an A.A.S. Allied Health Sciences with an emphasis in Pharmacy Technology should contact their advisor. A certain number of credit hours in each program must be completed in order to meet the graduation residency requirement. Contact your advisor for the requirement of your program.

#### **Polysomnography**

Polysomnographic technology is an allied health specialty for the diagnosis and treatment of sleep disorders. There are over 80 different sleep disorders including sleep apnea, narcolepsy and insomnia.

Students will learn how to operate sophisticated electronic monitoring devices which record brain activity (EEG), muscle and eye movements, blood oxygen levels and physiological events. Polysomnography technologists are employed in sleep disorders centers in hospitals, clinics and office settings. This program will provide lectures, laboratory and clinical experiences at quality sleep centers. A major emphasis of the program will be to prepare technologists for board registration by the Association of Polysomnographic Technologists.

It is highly recommended that interested applicants tour a sleep center and observe a polysomnogram (sleep study) prior to beginning the program.

All Polysomnography courses are taught at the Knox Campus Center for Health Sciences Campus. Enrollment is limited.

#### **Admission Requirements**

- Complete the Roane State Community College (RSCC) admissions process to become an admitted student.
- Complete the electronic Allied Health Science (AHS) application on RaiderNet and submit by the published application deadline.
  - Note: When choosing the Planned Course of Study, select "Polysomnography". If "Polysomnography" is not selected as a Planned Course of Study you will not be considered for the Polysomnography Program.
- Complete the HOBET. See the HOBET webpage for registration directions, exemptions, and more.
- Complete all other entrance requirements detailed on the Polysomnography webpage.
- 5. Qualified applicants will be interviewed prior to acceptance.

Note: Students may not register for discipline-specific courses until their major has been changed.

Note: Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee acceptance. Preference will be given to Tennessee Residents.

#### **Program Application Deadline**

June 30. Late applicants may be considered on a space-available basis.

#### **Criminal Background Checks**

Criminal background checks and drug screening may be a requirement at affiliated clinical sites utilized for training in the Polysomnography Program. Based on the results of these checks, an affiliated clinical site may determine to not allow your presence at their facility. This would result in your inability to successfully complete the Polysomnography Program. Students will be responsible for the costs of the background check. Additionally, a criminal background may preclude licensure or employment. More information is available from your program director.

#### **Health Guidelines**

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required immunizations and/or testing.

Students will be required, during the course of the program to demonstrate their physical and/or emotional fitness to meet the essential requirements of the program. Such essential requirements include freedom from communicable diseases, the ability to perform certain tasks, and suitable emotional fitness. Any appraisal measures used to determine such physical and/or emotional fitness will be in compliance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the American Disabilities Act of 1990. Students will be required to meet all health guidelines of the affiliating agencies. Students are responsible for cost incurred from injury or illness while in the Polysomnography Program.

#### Retention

Students' grades will be evaluated at the end of each semester by the Program Director. A student must maintain the following standards or he/she will be dismissed from the program:

- 1. A grade of "C" or better in each specialty course.
- 2. Completion of specialty courses as specified by the certificate checklist. A student must be able to complete courses with the class in which he/she was admitted. A student who cannot graduate with the class in which he/she was admitted will be dropped from that class and must re-apply to a subsequent class.
- 3. Evidence of malpractice insurance and physical examination must be provided prior to clinical training.

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#### **Readmission Procedures**

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A student may be considered for readmission to the program if all of the following criteria are met:

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#### Fall Semester PSG 101 Polysomnography I PSG 104 Sleep Disorders Diagnosis & Treatment 4 PSG 116 Polysomnographic Interpretation HIT 107 Medical Terminology<sup>1</sup> **Fall Semester Total** 14 **Spring Semester** 3 PSG 107 Polysomnographic EKG PSG 111 Polysomnography II 4 PSG 120 Clinical 3 **Spring Semester Total** 10 Summer Semester PSG 125 Clinical II<sup>2</sup> 5 **TOTAL HOURS** 29

Students pursuing this certificate will be advised by the Allied Health Sciences Division. Students wishing to pursue an A.A.S. Allied Health Sciences with an emphasis in Polysomnography should contact their advisor. A certain number of credit hours in each program must be completed in order to meet the graduation residency requirement. Contact your advisor for the requirement of your program.

# Regents Online Campus Collaborative

The Tennessee Board of Regents (TBR) colleges and universities have joined together in offering Regents Online Campus Collaborative ROCC). Most courses completed in the Regents Online Campus Collaborative are entirely online and are completely transferable among all the participating TBR institutions. Students are able to choose the college or university that will award their degree. All thirteen TBR two-year colleges deliver and award associate degrees, while all six TBR universities deliver and award bachelor degrees. A career/technical program leading to the associate of applied science degree in Professional Studies with a concentration in Information Technology is available.

#### Associate Degrees and Certificates offered through ROCC

Associate of Arts (A.A.) - Criminal Justice, General Studies

Associate of Science (A.S.) - Criminal Justice, General Studies

Associate of Science in General Studies - Elective Concentration for: Teacher Aides/ Paraprofessionals Preparation (\*University Parallel)

Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) - Early Childhood Education, Health Information Technology, Information Technology, Web Technology

Students who pursue online programs should be highly motivated, independent, active learners who have good organizational and time management skills. Students should also have the discipline to study without external reminders and be able to adapt to new learning environments. Visit http://www.rodp.org or call 1-866-462-7722 ext. 4602 or 865-882-4602 for more information. Visit their website for current course offerings, other program offerings, and required books.

Students must meet the graduation requirements of the home institution. The college catalog of the home institution is the final authority for all degree and program requirements. Students must meet Roane State's graduation requirements.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Recommend completing prior to being accepted into the program.

# **Roane State Course Descriptions**

Note: The terms in which a course is normally taught is at the end of each description (F=Fall, Sp=Spring, Su=Summer).

See the the ROCC Website at www.rodp.org/degree-programs-courses/ course-catalog for the Regents Online course descriptions.

#### Accounting

#### ACCT 1010 Principles of Accounting I

Credits: 3

Basic principles and procedures in accounting relating to the complete accounting cycle for both service and merchandising companies owned as sole proprietorships and as corporations. Also, detailed analysis of assets and liabilities and owner's equity. F, Sp, Su

#### ACCT 1020 Principles of Accounting II

Continues with corporate accounting and long-term liabilities, cash flow statement, and analysis of financial statements. Also, an emphasis on managerial and cost accounting for making sound business decisions. (Prerequisite: ACCT1010; a grade of C or better is strongly recommended in ACCT1010) F, Sp

#### ACCT 2240 Cost Accounting

Principles of manufacturing and distribution cost accounting. Material, labor, and overhead costs in job order and process cost accounting, budgeting analysis of cost distribution, standard costing, and related problems. (Prerequisite: ACCT1020; a grade of 'C' or better is strongly recommended in ACCT1020) Sp

#### **ACCT 2250** Income Tax Accounting - Personal

Federal income tax laws with emphasis on the preparation of returns for individuals. Both manual and computerized tax returns will be prepared. (Prerequisite: ACCT1010 & 1020)

#### ACCT 2260 Income Tax Accounting - Business

Federal income tax laws with emphasis on the preparation of returns for business. Both manual and computerized tax returns will be prepared. (Prerequisite: ACCT1010 & 1020)

#### ACCT 2270 Fund Accounting

Credits: 3

The theory and practice of a fund accounting system used by a notfor-profit entity. Emphasis is on the budget process, appropriations and revenue funds for governmental agencies, schools, charities, and not-for-profit medical facilities. (Prerequisite: ACCT1020 or consent of instructor; a grade of 'C' or better is strongly recommended in ACCT1020) F

#### ACCT 2330 Intermediate Accounting

Extensive analysis of the principal elements of accounting systems and statements with emphasis on the assets, liabilities, and stockholder's equity of the balance sheet. (Prerequisite: ACCT1020; a grade of 'C' or better is strongly recommended in ACCT1020) F

#### ACCT 2550 Accounting Systems Applications I

Credits: 3

A course designed to acquaint business management majors with commercial accounting software applications. (Prerequisites: ACCT1010 and INFS1010; a grade of 'C' or better is strongly recommended in ACCT1010) Sp

#### ACCT 2570 Accounting Systems Applications II

Credits: 2

A course designed to acquaint the student with commercial accounting software applications for medium size companies. Includes tracking of receivables, payables, inventory, and financial statement preparation. (Prerequisite: ACCT1010 and INFS1010; ACCT2550 is strongly recommended; a grade of 'C' or better is strongly recommended in ACCT1010) F

#### Applied Composite Engr

**Introduction to Composite Materials** Credits: 3 An examination of the importance of composite materials in industry today. Learn applications that are suitable for the use of composite materials. Study the polymer chemistry required for the manufacture of composite material products and learn the future of composite materials applications and manufacturing methods.

#### **ACE 120 Introduction to Composite Manufacturing** Credits: 3

Introduction to composite manufacturing processes. Study the various methods currently being used in the manufacturing of composite materials. Recognize the benefits and challenges of each method and learn to evaluate the risk and reward inherent in each application in order to maximize the performance for each application and study the role of automation in composite manufacturing.

#### **ACE 130 Applied Production Methodology**

Students will experience hands on application of composite materials manufacturing processes in a laboratory environment. Students will employ various manufacturing methods and learn how to safely handle hazardous materials and learn the appropriate storage handling methods for hazardous materials. Students will manufacture parts by various using currently used processes with in the industry.

#### Agriculture

AGRI 1020 Introduction to Animal Science

Credits: 4

To introduce the student to the broad field of animal science including a basic study of the anatomy and physiology of farm animals, livestock production systems, and contemporary issues regarding animal science. The student will become familiar with the fundamentals of feeding, genetics, marketing, animal health, and meat production. The student should also develop an appreciation for the importance of the livestock and meats industry in today's economy. (3 hour lecture and 2 hour lab). This course may be charged a lab fee. F, Sp

#### AGRI 1030 Introduction to Plant Science

This course will introduce the student to the broad field of plant science including a basic study of the structure, reproduction, physiology, ecology, and classification of plants. The student will become familiar with the principles and practices involved with the culture, management, and utilization of economically important horticultural and agronomic

#### Allied Health

#### ALH 102 Introduction to Physical Therapy Credits: 2

This is a web course that introduces the student to the profession of physical therapy and the concepts of the total patient. Current issues in health care that impact physical therapy are investigated. It provides information about the role of the physical therapist assistant in terms of professional, legal and ethical standards. It also provides an introduction to the concepts of disability, cultural diversity and ethical decision-making. Part of this class requires the student to complete 12 hours of observation in a physical therapy setting under the supervision of a registered PT or PTA. This experience will be documented and satisfy one of the course requirements as well as serving as one of the admissions criteria. Open to all students. (2 lecture hours/week)

ALH 103 Introduction to Radiologic Technology Credits: 2 This course provides an orientation to the profession, the radiology department, and the hospital organization. Topics include basic radiation protection, body mechanics, patient care, medical terminology, medical ethics, and legal issues. Part of this class requires that the student complete 8 hours of observation in a hospital diagnostic radiology setting. This experience will be documented and satisfy one of the course requirements as well as serving as one of the admissions criteria. Open to all students (2 lecture hours/week).

**ALH 118** Terminology for Medical Communication Credits: 2 This is a web course that allows the student to use a combination of learning tools to gain a sound background in medical terminology. This will allow the student to communicate effectively with other professionals.

## ALH 119 Keyboarding for Allied Health Science Credits: 3 Professionals

A software-based computer course designed to develop proper touch keyboarding techniques. Speed, accuracy and control are emphasized in developing mastery for alphabetic, numeric, and symbol information input. This course is designed specifically for students choosing a career in Medical Transcription or a related healthcare discipline. The course will not be considered a substitute for INFS 1010 or related computer science courses. Note: A net minimum typing speed of 45 words per minute is required. 3 hours/week

# ALH 210 Global Perspectives on Health: Credits: 3 Community Based Rehabilitation

This course will expose students to views of health, wellness, and social acceptance from a different cultural perspective. Basic human rights including include physical, mental and social well-being will be considered. Conditions supporting or denying these basic rights will be explored. Students will be expected to immerse themselves in the lifestyle of the host country, including working alongside local residents, service providers and recipients of services.

# ALH 211 Management and Leadership for Allied Credits: 3 Health Supervisors

This course is designed to introduce the student to management functions and leadership principles and their application in health care organizations. Student projects will develop the student's ability to apply the principles of organizational theory, management theory, management style and behavioral aspects of management across a variety of health care settings. Many allied health practitioners will assume the role of a manager during the course of their career. This course is designed to provide theory and application focusing on the development of leadership and management strategies and skills to prepare these practitioners to assume professional responsibilities in management and administration.(3 lecture hours/week)

#### ALH 212 Contemporary Issues in Healthcare

Credits: 3

This is an issues oriented course that examines the healthcare delivery system in the United States. The course examines the entire continuum of care and uses the construct of a fully integrated system as a means to evaluate the current system to develop recommendations for further developments. The intent is to identify the key issues confronting healthcare today, examine the causes and develop reasonable solutions to the current set of problems. The student will develop an understanding of the unique interplay of the new and changing health care, technology, work force, research findings, financing, regulations, and personal and professional behaviors, values and assumptions that underlie the current health care system. (3 lecture hours/week)

ALH 213 Special Topics in Healthcare Management Credits: 3 This course is designed to allow the student the opportunity to engage in independent study of a selected topic of interest in the field of health care administration, which will enhance the student's ability to function more effectively as a manager in the healthcare field. The course is conducted in a seminar or symposium format where each student is an active and involved participant in the selection of topic questions and material to be covered. Topics might include organizational learning, women in leadership, adult learning, leadership and culture, re-engineering and organizational learning.(3 lecture hours/week)

ALH 254 Human Cross Sectional Anatomy Credits: 3 A study of the human body in a cross-sectional context. Emphasis will be placed on major anatomical features and radiologic landmarks. Students also explore soft tissue details as resolution allows. This course will serve to prepare students for conventional tomographic radiology, computer tomography, position emission tomography, magnetic resonance scanning and ultrasonography. (Crosslisted with BIOL 2540) This course does not meet any curricular requirements for any program, with the exception of the technical requirement for the A.A.S. General Technology program. (3 lecture hours/week and demonstration exercises)

#### Anthropology

#### ANTH 2150 Native American Studies

Credits: 3

A general survey of native American cultures with emphasis on cultural development, diversity, and comparative analysis. Topics include prehistory, social organization, kinship, politics, religion, and material culture, as well as discussion of current Native American concerns. (as needed)

#### **Art History**

#### ARTH 1030 Art Appreciation

Credits: 3

Form and meaning in the visual arts, lecture-discussion. Especially for non-majors. F, Sp

#### ARTH 2010 Survey of Art History I

Credits: 3

Survey of major monuments in Western art, with an emphasis on the art of Europe from prehistory through the Middle Ages. Class availability determined by Director of Art Program.

#### ARTH 2020 Survey of Art History II

Credits: 3

Survey of major monuments in Western art, with an emphasis on Europe and America from 1400 to the present. Class availability determined by Director of Art Program.

#### ARTH 2030 Survey of Contemporary Art

Credits: 3

Survey of major monuments in Western art, with an emphasis on Europe and America from 1400 to the present. (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program)

#### Art Studio

#### ARTP 1000 Studio Fundamentals: Drawing Credits: 2

Development of observational skills and perception of reality. Fundamental aspects of drawing - line, tone, space, form, and composition. Primarily for art, architecture, interior design, and art education majors. Additional work may be required outside class. (2 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory) F

#### ARTP 1010 Drawing I

Exploration and refinement of fundamental aspects of drawing with emphasis on composition, techniques, and concepts. A minimum of two hours drawing outside class is required. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1000 or ARTP 1110 or instructor approval) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1020 Drawing II

Credits: 3

Credits: 3

A continuation of Drawing I. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1010 or instructor approval) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1110 Two Dimensional Design

Credits: 2

Surface composition and color. Primarily for art, architecture, interior design, and art education majors. Additional work may be required outside class. (2 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory) F

#### ARTP 1120 Three Dimensional Design

Credits: 2

Projects dealing with real space and three dimensional materials. Primarily for art, architecture, art education, and interior design and housing majors. Additional work may be required outside class. (2 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory) Sp

#### **ARTP 1130** Painting I: Introduction

An introduction to the techniques, materials, and tools of oil and acrylic painting. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1000 or ARTP 1110 or instructor approval) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1140 Painting II

Credits: 3

A continuation of ARTP 1130 with an emphasis on individual experimentation. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1130) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1200 Drawing III

A continuation of Drawing II. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1020 or instructor approval) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) (Class availability determined by Director of Art Program).

#### ARTP 1310 Photography I

Introduction to the art of black and white photography. Field and studio shooting, history of photography, basic developing, and enlarging techniques. Some outside lab work will be necessary. Some additional fees for supplies may be required. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1320 Photography II

Individual research in specific photographic topics. Some additional fees for supplies may be required. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1310) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1330 Photography III

Continued individual research in specific photographic topics. Some additional fees for supplies may be required. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1320) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1340 Photography IV

Continued individual research in specific photographic topics. Some additional fees for supplies may be required. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1330) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1350 Photography V

Continued individual research in specific photographic topics. Some additional fees for supplies may be required. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1340) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) (Class availability determined by Director of Art Program).

#### ARTP 1360 Photography VI

Credits: 3

Continued individual research in specific photographic topics. Some additional fees for supplies may be required. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1350) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory). Class availability determined by Director of Art Program.

#### ARTP 1410 Beginning Graphic Design

Credits: 3

Survey of graphic design; tools, materials, techniques; lettering, and use of type; layout and design. Some additional work may be required outside class. (Prerequisites: ARTP 1110 & ARTP 1420) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F

#### ARTP 1420 Computer Art

Introduction to various applications of Computer Graphics and an overview of examples produced with the newest technology. Hands-on experience in working with microcomputer graphics software to solve a variety of design problems with simple computer graphics. Emphasis on applying the principles of art design to the media to create clear and creative graphic. A minimum of 3 hours lab work per week will be necessary to complete course work. F, Sp

#### ARTP 1430 Computer Art II

Advanced exploration of computer applications and graphic design for pagination, presentation, illustration, three dimensional modeling, or animation. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1420) (2 hours lecture, 1 hour laboratory per week required AND 4-6 hours per week (minimum) computer lab time) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1440 Computer Art III

Credits: 3

Continuation of ARTP 1430 (Prerequisite: ARTP 1430) (2 hours lecture, 1 hour laboratory per week required AND 4-6 hours per week (minimum) computer lab time) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1450 Computer Art IV

Credits: 3

Continuation of ARTP 1440. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1440) (2 hours lecture, 1 hour laboratory per week required AND 4-6 hours per week (minimum) computer lab time) F, Sp

#### ARTP 1510 Ceramics I: Handbuilding

All ceramic handbuilding techniques including forming methods, glazing, clay preparation, firing, small and large scale pieces. Ceramic history through slide lectures. Some work outside class may be required. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program)

#### ARTP 1520 Ceramics II: Throwing

Credits: 3

Thrown ceramic forms including functional utilitarian pottery techniques, glazing and firing methods. Some work outside class may be required. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1510) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program)

#### ARTP 1610 Printmaking I

Credits: 3

An introductory survey of printmaking with studio experience in intaglio, monotype, relief and collography. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program) ARTP 1620 Printmaking II

Continuation of ARTP 1610. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1610) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory)(Class available as determined by Director of Art Program)

#### ARTP 1650 Video I

Exploration of video as an art form. Introduction to contemporary video practice including experimental video, video installation, documentary, and narrative forms. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours lab) (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program).

#### ARTP 1660 Video II

Credits: 3

Continuation of ARTP 1650, Video I. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1650) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours lab) (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program)

#### ARTP 1670 Video III

Credits: 3

Continuation of ARTP 1660 Video II. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1660) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours lab) (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program)

#### ARTP 1810 Visions Seminar I

Credits: 2

Emphasis on research, creative processes, scriptwriting and problem solving in the conceptualization of original projects or the visualization of assigned problems. Group critiques will assist students in the formation and polishing of content for work to be produced with the computer or traditional media. F, Sp

#### ARTP 1820 Visions Seminar II

Credits: 2

Continuation of ARTP 1810. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1810) F, Sp

Credits: 2

Continuation of ARTP 1820. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1820) F, Sp

ARTP 1830 Visions Seminar III ARTP 1840 Visions Seminar IV

Credits: 2

Continuation of ARTP 1830. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1830) F, Sp

#### ARTP 2050 Web Design I

Credits: 3

Design and development of websites. (Prerequisite: ARTP 1420 or instructor approval) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program)

#### ARTP 2060 Web Design II

Continuation of ARTH 2050. (Prerequisite: ARTP 2050) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) (Class available as determined by Director of Art Program).

#### ARTP 2070 Animation I

Credits: 3

This course is an introduction to basic skills and concepts of 3D animation, modeling, lighting, camera movement, and rendering. Students will learn how to create storyboards and explore the animation development process. F, Sp

#### ARTP 2080 Animation II

Credits: 3

This course continues with intermediate 3D animation and modeling including topics such as hierarchical animation, animation graphs and more advanced script development. (Prerequisite: ARTP 2070) F, Sp

#### ARTP 2090 Animation III

Credits: 3

Advanced topics in 3D modeling/animation, composition and the development of independent creative work. (Prerequisite: ARTP 2080) F. Sp

#### ARTP 2110 Watercolor I: Introduction

Credits: 3

Techniques, materials, and tools of transparent watercolor. A minimum of two hours painting outside class will be required. (Prerequisites: ARTP 1000 or ARTP 1110 or instructor approval) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### ARTP 2120 Watercolor II

Credits: 3

Further study of the techniques of transparent watercolor, with attention to individual exploration of surface, space, and concept. A minimum of two hours painting outside class will be required. (Prerequisite: ARTP 2110) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### Astronomy

#### ASTR 1010 Introduction to Astronomy I

Credits: 4

An introductory survey, with accompanying laboratory, treating the composition, structure, and dynamics of the universe and introducing the basic vocabulary of astronomy and the principles of the scientific method. Components of the solar system are discussed, and hypothesis and theories of the origin and evolution of the solar system are considered in the light of current knowledge and scientific reasoning. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F

#### ASTR 1020 Introduction to Astronomy II

Credits: 4

A continuation of ASTR 1010 in which the sequence of stellar birth, evolution, and death is studied. Characteristics of galaxies and of the beginning of the universe are considered in view of modern astrophysics and particle physics. Principles of interpreting astronomical observations are reinforced through laboratory experience. (Prerequisite: ASTR 1010) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) Sp

#### Biology

#### BIOL 1110 General Biology I

Credits: 4

Introduction to the study of Biology, Biological Chemistry, Cell Structure and Function, Cell Reproduction, Genetics and Inheritance. Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory) F, Sp, Su

#### **BIOL 1120** General Biology II

Credits: 4

Evolution, Biological Diversity, Ecology. (Prerequisite: BIOL 1110) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory) F. Sp. Su

#### BIOL 2010 Human Anatomy and Physiology I

Credits: 4

A study of basic biological chemistry, cellular structure and function (including cellular respiration, protein synthesis and cell division), histology, and integumentary, skeletal and nervous system. The laboratory will provide experiments to illustrate principles covered in lecture. (Prerequisite: All learning support classes must be completed prior to enrollment in this course) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp, Su

#### BIOL 2015 Environmental Science

Credits: 3

A study of chemical, physical and biological processes in nature and how human dependence on these systems is compromised by our activities. Lecture and laboratory activities provide instruction in such topics as resource management, nutrient cycles, biomes, ecosystems, air and water quality, climate, human population growth, soil conservation, and waste management. (This course satisfies the three hour natural science requirement for AAS career education programs such as Paralegal, Criminal Justice, Business Management, and Contemporary Management. Students planning to transfer into a baccalaureate program should consult their advisor when choosing natural science electives). F, Sp

#### BIOL 2020 Human Anatomy and Physiology II

A study of the anatomy and physiology of the muscular, circulatory and immune systems, respiratory, digestive, excretory, endocrine and reproductive systems. The laboratory will provide anatomical investigation of and physiological experimentation with these systems. (Prerequisite: BIOL 2010) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp, Su

#### **BIOL 2110** Field Biology

Credits: 3

An elective field-oriented course covering fauna and flora identification, basic ecological principles, and outdoor skills. The course will generally be offered as a combination of classroom instruction followed by an extended field experience. A special fee will be assessed to cover equipment, food, and transportation costs. Su

#### BIOL 2120 Cell Biology

Credits: 4

A study of cellular structure and function including cell membranes, organelles, extracellular matrix, enzymes, cell cycle, DNA replication, transcription, translation, and control of gene expression. Special topics include molecular biology, cancer biology, immunology, and cellular communication. (Prerequisites: BIOL 1110, 1120 or the equivalent of 2 years of high school biology and CHEM 1110 and 1120) Each student will be assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F

#### BIOL 2230 Microbiology

Credits: 4

An introductory course in microbiology dealing with bacteria, fungi, yeast, viruses, arthropod vectors and helminths to include discussions of cell structure, identification, taxonomy, metabolism, genetics, resistance, infection, disease, and immunity. Laboratory work includes aseptic techniques, biochemical tests and identification of unknowns to complement lecture material. (Prerequisite: BIOL 1110 or 2010 or equivalent college level biology). Each student will be assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp, Su

#### BIOL 2510 Independent Scientific Investigation

Credits: 2

(Course inactivated, effective Spring 2013) Independent laboratory / library research in biology by qualified students under the supervision of a faculty member. Especially designed to develop interest in and to apply techniques of scientific research. Up to six (6) credit hours may be earned. (Prerequisite: consent of the faculty member)

#### BIOL 2530 General Ecology

Credits: 4

Relations between organisms and their environments, including human environmental problems. (Prerequisites: BIOL 1110 or the equivalent of 2 years of high school biology and satisfactory ACT scores). Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory/fieldwork) Sp

#### **Business**

#### **BUS 100** Career Planning

Credits: 1

This web-enhanced course emphasizes career assessment, employment searches, networking, resume building, and interviewing techniques. The course will give major exposure to the tools and information available and necessary for acquiring employment. F, Sp

# BUS 1010 Introduction to Business and Credits: 3 Organizational Management

Orientation course designed to introduce the basic functions of business as a framework for further detailed study into business management and the functional areas of accounting, software applications, marketing, leadership, organizational design, etc. Included are vocational/career opportunities, business terminology, and the functions/theories that are utilized in the process of business management. F,S

#### **BUS 102 Document Creation and Design** Credits: 3

In this comprehensive course, students will learn how to create and format professional-looking documents including letters, memos, reports, research papers, mailing labels, flyers, and newsletters. In addition, students will learn how to work with tables, mail merge, templates, and desktop publishing, as well as how to collaborate with others, and create web pages. Students will apply critical thinking and problem-solving skills to gain a comprehensive understanding of word processing applications in which they may apply to real-life tasks.

**BUS 1025** Introduction to Computer Presentations Credits: 1 Introduction to creating and delivering professional computer presentations using Presentations include sound, video, charts, graphics and other enhancements. F, Sp.

**BUS 1030 Bus Spreadsheet Fundamentals** Credits: Introduction to spreadsheet and charts creation and design; including table formatting, formulas, and functions. F, Sp

#### **BUS 1035** Introduction to Database

Credits: 1

Introduction to database management in a business environment including: terminology, creation, querying, report generation, and defining table relationships.

#### **BUS 104** Computer Presentations

Credits: 3

Students learn the art of designing, creating, and delivering sophisticated and professional computer presentations using PowerPoint. Presentations will include sound, video, charts, graphics, hyperlinks, and other enhancements that will illustrate their topics. S

#### **BUS 105** Database Creation and Design

Credits: 3

Focus is on database management in a business environment, including: terminology, object creation, data manipulation and integration with other business applications. F

BUS 106 Business Tools and Applications Credits: 3
Business Tools and Applications is an introductory survey and hands-on course designed for business majors that includes computer application tools used in businesses today. These include: Windows 7, Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint, Outlook, OneNote, Internet Explorer, Google Earth, Bing, PollEverywhere, Skype, and many other applications. Students will apply computer technology to a course-long business case. They will learn how to research the industry, create and format text, charts, and graphics for a business plan, a company logo, brochures, a company database, and computer presentations. They will also learn how to communicate using web and cell phone technology. Throughout the course, students will learn and apply soft skills such as problem solving, team works, and leadership.

**BUS 107** Introduction to Government Contracts Credits: 3 Introduction to Government Contracts is designed to establish a foundational understanding of the federal procurement system and the use of contracts in the acquisition of goods and services required by agencies of the US Government. Students will become familiar with contract types, language and terminology applicable to relevant agencies, and acquire a basic understanding of the Federal Acquisition Regulation.

#### **BUS 108** Mission Directed Contracting

Credits: 3

Mission Directed Contracting builds upon Introduction to Government Contracts and is designed to establish the basic principles, processes, and techniques of managing procurements that achieve mission objectives. The course will survey the contracting professionals roles and responsibilities in the acquisition process from source selection through negotiation, contract management, and contract close-out. Mission Directed Contracting will focus on leadership, problem solving, analytical, management, and negotiation skills. FAR regulations applicable to source selection, contract management, and contract close-out will be addressed.

#### BUS 109 Mission Performance Assessment

Credits: 3

Mission-Performance Assessment builds upon Introduction to Government Contracts and Mission Directed Contracting and is designed to further establish the basic principles and methods of achieving programmatic objectives through the government contracting process. The course will focus on the techniques, processes, and strategies of contract management professionals in ensuring compliant and satisfactory contractor performance, preventing and resolving contract disputes, effecting contract changes, and providing leadership throughout the contracting process. FAR regulations applicable to contractor performance evaluation, contract disputes, changes, subcontracts, terminations, socio-economic programs, and payments will be addressed.

#### BUS 111 Business Mathematics

Credits: 3

A course dealing with mathematics as applied to business operations. Included are mathematics of trading, operating, finance, ownership and investment, and summary and analysis. F, Sp

#### **BUS 112** Personal Finance

Credits: 3

A course designed to aid the student in practical money management. Topics included are charting financial objectives; budgeting; consumer borrowing, renting, and buying; investing; employee benefits and taxation. F, Sp

**BUS 202** Introduction to Project Management Credits: 3 Students will use PMI principles and hands on Project Management applications to learn all the essential topics of completing a major project including: planning a project, creating project schedules, communicating project information, using the critical path, assigning resources, tracking progress, and sharing information across applications and the Web. Sp

#### **BUS 203** Business Writing

Credits: 3

This course focuses on the principles of written and oral communication skills in a business environment. Business letters, memos, e-mail, reports, and presentations, along with other projects, will be covered. Emphasis will be on organization, composition, and evaluation of communications for specific purposes, as well as style, mechanics, and grammar. (Pre- or corequisite: ENGL 1010). F, S

#### **BUS 215** Business Ethics

Credits: 3

A course concerned with the relationship between business goals and practices and the good of society. Of specific concern will be matters such as fair pay, safe working conditions, well-made products at fair prices and environmental issues. (prerequisite ENGL 1010) Sp

BUS 216 Service Learning and World Cultures Credits: 3 This course will allow students to conceptually compare classroom learning with a real-world global experience in business. Students will work as a team to research, examine and study the global business environment of a selected international economy and cultural society. Roane State Community College will partner with an international student exchange organization so that students may travel to a selected international destination as a capstone of this class.

#### **BUS 236** Negotiations/Conflict Resolution

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This course is designed to provide the student with the necessary knowledge and skill to resolve various types of conflict we all encounter. Additionally, the course will focus on both learning and applying negotiation skills in a variety of business situations to reach successful solutions. Students may not receive credit for both BUS 236 and MGT 225. F, Sp

#### BUS 251 Legal Environment for Business Credits: 3

Emphasis is placed on classification of laws, historical background of our systems of law, duties, buying services, insurance, consumer protection, negotiable instruments, and business organization. F, Sp

#### BUS 261 Organizational Behavior Credits: 3

This course applies psychological principles to business and other organizations concerned with effective management. Topics covered include leadership and supervision; communications and human relation skills; scientific and humanistic management and motivation skills, group dynamics and coping with change. F, Sp

BUS 271 Sales Credits: 3

A course emphasizing the relationship of product and market, industrial and consumer sales, methods of market analysis, sales and sales methods. F, Sp

#### BUS 273 Principles of Marketing

Credits: 3

A general but critical survey of the field of marketing, covering international industries and commerce, distribution of resources, factors of distribution and transportation, and the marketing functions. Students may not receive credit for both BUS 273 and MGT 205. F, Sp

#### BUS 278 Entrepreneurship Credits: 3

An introductory course designed to provide an overview of the business environment and requirements for successfully operating a small business. Topics covered include forms of business, credit management, utilizing professionals, information management, etc. Sp

#### BUS 281 Management and Supervision

This course is designed to introduce the basic aspects of supervisory development, to include the functions of management, communication skills, interpersonal relations, motivation, morale, discipline, leadership training and evaluation, decision-making and self-development. Students may not receive credit for both BUS 281 and MGT 201. F, Sp

#### **BUS 284** Management Seminar

Credits: 3

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Consideration of current problems, issues, and developments in the area of management. Students are guided through individual projects and outside research related to their area of concentration and employment training. Sp

#### Chemistry

#### CHEM 1000 Fundamentals of Chemistry

Credits: 4

This course is designed for students desiring to enter a science, engineering or pre-med (veterinarian, pharmacy, etc.) program but who have had no high school chemistry or are not recent high school graduates. The emphasis will be on the fundamental concepts of chemistry, nomenclature, equation writing, simple stoichiometric calculations, bonding, gas laws and property of solutions. NOTE: This course cannot be used to fulfill a natural/physical science requirement where a sequence is indicated. (Prerequisite: 2 years of high school algebra with appropriate score of 19 or above on the ACT MATH portion OR MATH 1000, Algebra Essentials) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Su

#### CHEM 1010 Introduction to Chemistry I

Credits: 4

Introductory chemistry dealing with the basic principles such as atomic structure, periodic law, states of matter, chemical bonding, types of compounds, gas laws, solutions, acids and bases, equilibria. (Prerequisite: 2 years of high school algebra with appropriate score of 19 or above on the ACT MATH portion OR completion of all Math Learning Support requirements AND MATH 1000 - Algebra Essentials. If you did not have a chemistry course in high school it is STRONGLY advised that you take the CHEM 1000 course first) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### CHEM 1020 Introduction to Chemistry II

Credits: 4

Aliphatic, aromatic, and heterocyclic organic chemistry with emphasis on structure, nomenclature, and functional groups. Introductory biochemistry concerning lipids, carbohydrates, proteins, and nucleic acids. (Prerequisite: CHEM 1010) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) Sp

#### CHEM 1110 General Chemistry I

Credits: 4

A study of fundamental principles of chemistry, such as mathematical calculations of chemical relationships, atomic structure, periodic relationships, molecular structure, bonding, and the chemistry of oxygen, hydrogen, and water, Kinetic Molecular Theory, physical states of matter, solution chemistry, electrolytes and collegative properties. (Prerequisite: 2 years of high school algebra with appropriate score of 19 or above on the ACT MATH portion OR MATH 1000 - Algebra Essentials. If you did not have a chemistry course in high school it is STRONGLY advised that you take the CHEM 1000 course first.) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F, Sp

#### CHEM 1120 General Chemistry II

Credits: 4

The introduction to the studies of oxidation-reduction, chemical thermodynamics and thermochemistry, molecular and ionic equilibrium, chemical kinetics and electrochemistry. (Prerequisite: CHEM 1110) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) Sp, Su

#### CHEM 2010 Organic Chemistry I

Credits: 4

A study of the properties, preparations, reactions, and spectroscopy of aliphatic and aromatic compounds, including reaction mechanisms and the relationship between structure and reactivity. (Prerequisite: CHEM 1120) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F

#### CHEM 2020 Organic Chemistry II

Credits: 4

A continuation of CHEM 2010, covering carbanion condensations, heterocyclics, fats, carbohydrates, amino acids, and proteins. (Prerequisite: CHEM 2010) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) Sp

#### **Computer Science Programming**

#### CISP 1010 Computer Science I

This course will focus on the following: Problem solving and algorithm development, Organization and characteristics of modern digital computers with emphasis on developing good programming habits; Building abstractions with procedures and data, and programming in a modern computing language. This course is intended for students enrolled in the AS program with concentration in Computer Science, Mathematics or Engineering. (Prerequisite: MATH 1730 OR ACT of 24 on Math component) Sp

#### CISP 1020 Computer Science II

Continuation of CISP 1010, Computer Science I. This course will focus on data structures and algorithm analysis. Topics include the estimation of time required for a program, basic data structures, hash tables, binary trees, and sorting algorithms. This course is intended for students enrolled in the AS program with a concentration in Computer Science, Mathematics, or Engineering. (Prerequisite: CISP 1010) F

#### CISP 1080 Web Fundamentals

Credits: 3

Credits: 4

This course introduces vital concepts of the Internet and the Web. Students will create web documents for personal use or for business-related purposes using the Hypertext Markup Language (HTML). This course will provide a solid foundation for many other web technologies. (Prerequisite: INFS 1010) F, Sp

#### CISP 1090 Introduction to Programming

Credits: 3

Students will learn the basic principles of object-oriented programming (OOP) and how to design and develop programs using Java. Topics include OOP concepts such as: classes, objects, methods, inheritance, encapsulation, and polymorphism; program design using the Unified Modeling Language (UML). Students will also learn Java language elements and syntax for class definitions, variables, methods, data types, operators, control structures, and strings. Learning will be enhanced through in-class exercises and programming assignments. No previous programming experience is required. (Prerequisites: learning strategies requirements in reading and math, INFS 1010) (2 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory) F

#### **CISP 1160** Introduction to Oracle

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This course teaches students how to use Oracle database management system to plan, organize, manage and retrieve data. Students will learn the Structural Query Language, Oracles' SQL \*Plus, and other valuable tools. (Prerequisite: INFS 1010) F

#### CISP 1170 Introduction to Visual Basic

Credits: 3

Examines the object-based, event driven approach to creating useful applications. Students first learn the user interface design considerations, language constructs, looping structures, error handling, file handling and simple database access. Students then apply their newly acquired skills to create applications to solve problems. (Prerequisite: INFS 1010 or proof of competency) Sp

#### CISP 1350 Spreadsheets

Credits: 3

This course is designed to introduce students to the fundamental operations that can be performed with a spreadsheet. Topics include: spreadsheet design and formatting; mathematical formulas and functions included in Microsoft Excel 2010 (sum, average, max, min, count, if and etc); sorting and filtering data, identifying and using graph types; applying conditional formatting, collaborating and securing data, and manipulating data to and from multiple spreadsheets. Students will use the spreadsheet software, Microsoft Excel 2010. (Prerequisite: INFS 1010) F, Sp

#### CISP 1370 PC Repairs and Maintenance

Credits:

Students learn how to install, maintain, repair, troubleshoot and connect computer systems found in typical home and business environments. This course will also assist students who wish to take the CompTIA A+ Hardware Certification examination. (Prerequisite or Corequisite: INFS 1010) F

#### CISP 1420 Networking Essentials

Credits: 3

Introduces the fundamental networking concepts and technologies. Students will develop skills necessary to plan and implement networks in a typical business environment. This is the first networking course for students who wish to pursue networking certification through Cisco. (Prerequisite: INFS 1010) Sp

#### CISP 1430 Introduction to Routers

Credits: 3

Students will learn about routers and their functions. Students will gain valuable networking experience by building networks and configuring routers in labs. This course will also assist students who wish to pursue networking through Cisco. (Prerequisite: CISP 1420) F

#### CISP 1560 Beginning Internet

Credits: 3

Introduces students to services and information featured on the Internet, with an emphasis on using the Internet effectively for research. Course topics include: Internet History, web netiquette, social media, internet radio and news, downloading software, viruses and virus protection, Malware, Web search strategies, utilizIng the library for research, how to site references to avoid plagiarism. All materials are presented online. It is recommended that students have computer skills prior to enrolling in this course (See INFS 1010). Students must have a computer, the Internet at home, and a printer. (Prerequisite: Adequate keyboarding skills along with INFS 1010 recommended) F, Sp

#### CISP 2030 Data Structures

Credits: 3

A continuation of CISP 1090 (JAVA). This course takes an object-oriented approach to the design and development of abstract data types and data structures. Topics include abstract data types, recursion, arrays, files, streams, I/O techniques, searching, sorting, and data structures. After completing this course, students will be able to design and implement complex data structures such as stacks, queues, lists, and trees. (Prerequisite: CISP 1090 or CISP 2090). (2 hours lecture, 2 hours lab) Sp

#### CISP 2040 Database Programming

Credits: 3

Students learn how to enhance their database forms and reports using Visual Basic for Applications and SQL coding. Students are required to create a database of their own design. Students may attend a weekly lab if they wish. (Prerequisite:INFS 1010). F, Sp

CISP 2060 Introduction to Network Security Credits: 3
Introduction to Network Security course provides a general overview of computer and network security for home and office users. The topics include General Security Concepts, Communication Security, Infrastructure Security, Basics of Cryptography and Operational/ Organizational Security. Strong emphasis is placed on developing the skills of applying scientific method to problem solving, a keen awareness of current and future security issues, and working knowledge of safe guarding personal and cooperation electronic data in storage or in transit. (Prerequisites: Learning strategy requirements in reading and math, INFS 1010 and CISP 1370 OR CISP 1420 or instructor approval) F, Sp

#### CISP 2090 Java Programming

Credits

This course will cover the fundamental concepts of Object Oriented programming using Java. Prerequisites: INFS 1010, 1150 or permission of instructor.

#### CISP 2150 Operating Systems

Credits: 3

This course examines the fundamentals of supporting and troubleshooting computer operating systems. Popular and newest operating systems will be examined. This course is appropriate for students who want to pursue CompTIA's A+ Software Certification and a career as a computer service technician. (Prerequisite: CISP 1370) Sp

#### CISP 2170 Introduction to Computer Theory Credits: 3

This course focuses on Computer Theory. Topics include Languages, Regular Expressions, Finite Automata, Kleen's Theorem, Regular Languages and non Regular Languages, Pushdown Automata, Context and non Context free languages. This course is intended for students enrolled in the AS Transfer program with a concentration in Computer Science, Mathematics, or Engineering. (Prerequisite: MATH 1910, Corequisite: MATH 2100) Sp

#### CISP 2180 Advanced Java

Credits: 3

A continuation course in Object Oriented Programming using JAVA. The JDK tool kit is used. A reminder of the concepts of super classes, subclasses with the issues of inheritance and polymorphism developed in CISP 2090. The course focuses on recursive problem solving throughout many applications and data structures. It compares sequential data structures implementation to recursive data structures implementation. The data structures used and implemented are Stacks, Queues, Lists, and Trees. (Prerequisite: CISP 1090). F, Sp

#### CISP 2210 Seminar in Computer Applications

Credits: 1

Covers special topics in computer applications. Check with your academic advisor for courses offered each semester. Course availability determined by Dean of Mathematics and Sciences.

#### CISP 2330 PHP, MySQL, Apache

Credits: 3

This course follows a step-by-step introduction to the topics concerning programming with MySQL. Topics include introduction to Web development and PHP, working with data types and operators, building functions and control structures, manipulating strings, accessing files and directories, manipulating data in arrays and strings, working with databases and MySQL, manipulating MySQL databases with PHP, managing state information, developing object-oriented PHP, and debugging and error handling.

#### CISP 2340 Oracle Database Programming

Credits:

Students should have a working knowledge of SQL and Oracle database systems (see prerequisite). In this course, students will learn to use PL/SQL, which is Oracle's procedural language and is an extension of SQL, to manipulate databases. (Prerequisite: CISP 1160) Sp

#### CISP 2360 Web Design Methodology

Credits: 3

A continuation of the web technologies introduced in the Web Fundamentals course. New and exciting web technologies will be introduced. Also, popular WYSIWYG editors will be examined to create attractive and functional web documents. (Prerequisite: CISP 1080). Sp

#### CISP 2370 e-Commerce Design

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Students learn how to conduct business online and manage technological issues associated with electronic commerce web sites. This course prepares students for the CIW e-Commerce Design Exam. (Prerequisite: CISP 1080 or CIW Foundations Certificate). Sp

#### CISP 2380 Introduction to JavaScript

Credits: 3

JavaScript is a client-side scripting language. Students learn how to use JavaScript to create dynamic web pages, to validate data, and to provide web interactivities for the users. (Prerequisite: CISP 1080). F

# **CISP 2410 Assembly and Computer Organization** Credits: 4 This course studies the implementation of a typical computer system.

This course studies the implementation of a typical computer system. Topics include Boolean Algebra, data representation, logic circuits and memory structures, I/O, instruction representation, error detection and serial protocols. A laboratory part of the course will reinforce the concepts introduced. (Prerequisite: INFS 1010) F

#### CISP 2750 Unix/Linux Operating Systems

Credits: 3

This course covers the essentials of installing, configuring, maintaining, administering, and troubleshooting the Linux Operating System. This course also encompasses a complete coverage of the Unix, including shells, utilities, X-windows and networking. (Prerequisite: INFS 1010)

#### Cardiovascular Technology

#### CIT 101 Procedures I

Credits: 3

This course covers an overview of anatomy and physiology, practical applications of interventional procedures, vascular correlations, and surgical intervention for specific diseases processes. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### CIT 110 Procedures II

Credits: 3

This course covers theory and practice of physiological monitoring, emergency care, and pharmacology. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### CIT 120 Procedures III

Credits: 3

An overview of patient care and legal considerations, equipment and instrumentations, image quality and control, sterile techniques and isolation procedures. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### CIT 150 CIT Review

Credits: 3

This course provides the Radiologic Technologist with CIT experience, an extensive review to sit for the ARRT examination in Cardiovascular Interventional Technology. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### Cooperative Education

#### **COE 101** Cooperative Education I

Credits: 3

Experiential learning that takes place in real employment situations. The student must be approved by the Placement Coordinator, the academic division of the student's major or area that is being explored, and the employer for full-time or part-time paid employment in industry, business or government. A minimum of ten (10) hours of actual work experience per week throughout the semester is required to receive credit. The work experience will be jointly evaluated by the Placement Coordinator and the employer. For further information contact the Placement Coordinator at 865-882-4695.

#### COE 102 Cooperative Education II

Credits: 3

Experiential learning that takes place in real employment situations. The student must be approved by the Placement Coordinator, the academic division of the student's major or area that is being explored, and the employer for full-time or part-time paid employment in industry, business or government. A minimum of ten (10) hours of actual work experience per week throughout the semester is required to receive credit. The work experience will be jointly evaluated by the Placement Coordinator and the employer. For further information contact the Placement Coordinator at 865-882-4695.

#### COE 103 Cooperative Education III

Credits: 3

Experiential learning that takes place in real employment situations. The student must be approved by the Placement Coordinator, the academic division of the student's major or area that is being explored, and the employer for full-time or part-time paid employment in industry, business or government. A minimum of ten (10) hours of actual work experience per week throughout the semester is required to receive credit. The work experience will be jointly evaluated by the Placement Coordinator and the employer. For further information contact the Placement Coordinator at 865-882-4695.

#### COE 104 Cooperative Education IV

Credits: 3

Experiential learning that takes place in real employment situations. The student must be approved by the Placement Coordinator, the academic division of the student's major or area that is being explored, and the employer for full-time or part-time paid employment in industry, business or government. A minimum of ten (10) hours of actual work experience per week throughout the semester is required to receive credit. The work experience will be jointly evaluated by the Placement Coordinator and the employer. For further information contact the Placement Coordinator at 865-882-4695.

COE 201 Cooperative Education III COE 202 Cooperative Education IV Credits: 3

#### College Learning Strategies

COLS 1010 SOS - Study, Organize, Succeed Credits: 3

This course is designed to help students become more efficient, proficient, and self-aware learners. It focuses on research-based learning strategies which can improve student performance in all courses. This course is being offered free to students as part of Roane State's SAILS (Students Achieving Improved Learning Strategies) initiative. F,Sp

#### Communications

#### COMM1010 Survey of Mass Communications Credits

An overview of systems of mass communications with an emphasis on American media, their ownership, legal and social controls, role and effects. Advertising, broadcasting, journalism and publishing, and public relations will be examined and placed in the context of theories of mass communications. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **COMM1020** Introduction to Media Writing

Credits: 3

This course is an introduction to print and broadcast journalism with an emphasis on newsgathering methods and the writing of news for print and electronic media. F

#### COMM1030 Introduction to Electronic Media

Credits: 3

This course is an introduction to the history, special aspects, organization, structure, and function of electronic media. It is a basic introduction to broadcast operations. Sp

**COMM1110** American Media and Social Institutions Credits: 3 This course examines the development of various media and their impact on society. Topics include standard print media, radio, television, film, public relations, advertising, new electronic media and the World Wide Web. The course also emphasizes historical, political, social, psychological, cultural, and consumer aspects of mass media. F

#### **COMM2060** Special Topics in Editing

Credits: 3

This course is an introduction to various software applications utilized for editing film/images.  ${\bf F}$ 

#### **COMM2070** Special Topics in Camera Production Credits: 3

This course emphasizes the operation and use of standard cameras for the television/film industry. Topics will include shooting on location, handling and operation of sound and lighting equipment, and various camera styles. Sp

#### COMM2100 Television Studio Production I Credits: 4

This course will introduce video production techniques as well as the elements needed to produce television broadcasts. Topics will include camera operation, sound and light maintenance, editing, production, writing, and studio management. This course includes laboratory hours in addition to class time. (Prerequisite: COMM 2070 or permission of instructor). Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### COMM2110 Television Studio Production II Credit

Television Studio Production II is a continuation of Television Studio Production I and will offer a continued study of the applications and basics covered in the first part of this series. This course includes laboratory hours in addition to class time. (Prerequisite: COMM 2100). Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### Criminal Justice

#### CRMJ 1010 Introduction to Criminal Justice

Credits: 3

Philosophical and historical background; agencies and respective jurisdictions; police ethics, public relations and career orientation.

#### CRMJ 1020 Introduction to the Legal Process

redits: 3

This course reviews basic laws governing the maintenance of a democratic society and how criminal and constitutional laws meet the challenge of American society.

#### CRMJ 1100 Juvenile Delinquency

Credits: 3

A study of new attempts geared toward the rebellious youthful offenders in the areas of treatment, experimentation, innovative programs, and theories of causation.

#### CRMJ 1110 Criminal Procedure

Credits:

A study of legal concepts and procedures, including the laws of arrest and search warrant procedure, beginning with the issuance of legal process to ultimate court disposition.

#### CRMJ 2010 Introduction to Law Enforcement

Credits: 3

An overview of the American Police, including the philosophy and historical evolution behind the police force. Emphasis on policing procedures; crime prevention and control; functions of law enforcement; problems and needs facing the police; and contemporary issues.

#### **CRMJ 2020** Introduction to Corrections

Credits: 3

This includes the history to criminal corrections in the United States; analysis of the crime problem; identification of the correctional client; correctional methods used in the United States; and emphasis on correctional goals in the criminal justice system.

#### CRMJ 2130 Criminal Investigation

Credits: 3

Fundamentals of criminal investigation procedures; crime scene search and recording, collecting and preserving evidence; scientific and technical aids; case preparation.

#### CRMJ 2140 Understanding Terrorism

Credits: 3

An in-depth historical look at terrorism, its origins, types and history. Emphasis will be on philosophical bases, organization, equipment, and operations of terrorist groups. The role of law enforcement agencies in the implementation of anti-terrorist measures is also examined.

#### CRMJ 2210 Criminal Law

Credits: 3

Introduces students to the fundamental nature of law and provides an overview of general legal principles. Both criminal law codifications and criminal elements in felonies and misdemeanors will be analyzed.

#### **CRMJ 2310** Special Topics in Criminal Justice

Credits: 3

A course designed to consolidate the various learning experiences in criminal justice. Emphasis is placed on special problems.

#### Computed Tomography

#### CTR 110 Computed Tomography Physics

Credits: 3

This course is designed to prepare the Radiologic Technologist with CT experience to take the advanced level examination in Computerized Tomography administered by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### CTR 112 Clinical Education I

Credits: 3

Students perform variety of Computed Tomography procedures under supervision of registered CT technologists at assigned facilities. Students must complete a minimum of 125 exams to qualify for the ARRT Computed Tomography certification exam. (Co-requisite: CT Physics) (24 hours per week)

# CTR 210 Computed Tomography Patient Applications

Credits: 3

This course covers the basic principles of patient management and imaging protocols for Computed Tomography Radiography. Topics include patient care, cross-sectional anatomy, imaging procedures, post-processing techniques, special procedures, and quality control. (3 lecture hours/week) (Prerequisite for course: ARRT certification)

#### **CTR 212 Clinical Education II**

Credits: 3

Students perform variety of Computed Tomography procedures under supervision of registered CT technologists at assigned facilities. Students must complete a minimum of 125 exams in order to qualify for the ARRT Computed Tomography certification exam. (Co-requisite: CT Patient Applications) (24 hours/week)

#### Dental Hygiene Technology

#### **DHT 101** Preclinical Dental Hygiene

Credits: 5

This course introduces the student to basic concepts and techniques of performing oral health services. The student will demonstrate knowledge and skill of learned techniques in a supervised preclinical setting. (3 lecture hours, 8 laboratory hours/week)

#### **DHT 111 Dental Science I**

This course covers topics in tooth morphology: head, neck and oral anatomy; oral embryology and oral histology; oral and basic pathology; periodontology. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### **DHT 112 Dental Science II**

This course is a continuation of Dental Science I. (Prerequisites: BIOL 2010 & CHEM 1010) (3 lecture hours/week)

#### **DHT 121** Clinical Dental Hygiene I

Credits: 1

Supervised clinical practice of previously learned dental hygiene techniques. (120 total hours)

#### **DHT 132 Dental Radiography**

Credits: 3

This course covers topics in the theory, practice and interpretation of radiography. Safety concerns will be addressed. Students will demonstrate proficiency in the use of dental radiography equipment. (2 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory/week)

#### General and Oral Pathology **DHT 133**

Credits: 4 This course covers general pathological concepts and a study of oral pathology. (Prerequisite: BIOL 2020) (7.5 lecture hours/week)

#### **DHT 141** Principals of Dental Hygiene I

Credits: 3 This course is a continuation of the concepts and techniques outlined in DHT 101. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### **Biochemistry and Nutrition**

Credits: 3

This course presents the basic principles of the biochemistry of nutrition and the application of these principles to clinical Dental Hygiene.

(Prerequisite: CHEM 1010) (3 lecture hours/week)

#### **DHT 171 Dental Materials**

Credits: 3

This course investigates the characteristics, physical properties, manipulation, uses and care of materials used in dentistry. (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### **DHT 201** Pharmacology and Pain Control

Credits: 3

This course includes a study of drugs used in dentistry and pain control measures used in dentistry. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### **DHT 211 Dental Hygiene Seminar**

Credits: 2

This course covers topics of professionalism for the dental hygienist including legal aspects of practice, ethics and dental office practices. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### **DHT 212 Community Health**

Credits: 3

This course covers concepts of public community health and includes field experiences in a variety of community health settings. (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### **DHT 221** Clinical Dental Hygiene II

Credits: 2

Continuation of the supervised clinical practice of previously learned dental hygiene techniques.(180 total clinic hours/semester)

#### Clinical Dental Hygiene III

Credits: 2

Continuation of the supervised clinical practice of previously learned dental hygiene techniques.(180 total clinic hours/semester)

#### **DHT 240** Principles of Dental Hygiene II

Credits: 2

This course is a continuation of DHT 141. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### **DHT 242 Principles of Dental Hygiene III**

Credits: 1

This course is a continuation of DHT 240. (1 lecture hour/week)

#### **DHT 251** Periodontology

Credits: 2

This course presents advanced concepts in the treatment of periodontal disease. (2 lecture hour/week)

#### **DHT 260 Special Topics in Dental Hygiene**

Credits: 2

This course is designed to provide the student with knowledge and application of current and new concepts, techniques and paradigms within the practice of dentistry and dental hygiene in particular. Speakers will focus on such topics as digital technology, laser surgery, and current periodontal practices as well as product and equipment updates. The study will assist the student with their transition from student to practitioner.

#### Early Childhood Education

#### ECED 1010 Introduction to Early Childhood Education

Credits: 2

Introduction to the early childhood profession including an emphasis on professionalism and developmentally appropriate practice. Includes an overview of history of early education, theoretical program models, different types of early childhood programs, community resources, professional organizations, and contemporary trends and issues in programs for children ages birth to nine. Field experiences required. Sp (alternating years)

#### ECED 2010 Safe, Healthy Learning Environments

A study of the basic principles and practices of safety, health and nutrition as they relate to the early childhood setting, home and community for children ages birth to nine. Also included is a study of principles of creating appropriate learning environments for young children. Field experiences required. F, Sp

#### ECED 2015 Early Childhood Curriculum

Credits: 3

Credits: 3

A study of developmentally appropriate practices and the teacher's role in supporting development of young children ages birth to nine. An emphasis on curriculum planning including goals, environment, roles of teachers and parents, materials and settings. Field experiences required. F, Sp

#### ECED 2020 Infant, Toddler, Child Development

Credits: 3

The study of the physical, cognitive, social, and emotional aspects of young children and their application to the care, guidance and development of the child birth to nine. Laboratory observation and interaction. (Prerequisites: ECED 1010, 2010 and completion of all DSP requirements for reading, writing, and learning strategies or department approval.) Sp (alternating years)

#### ECED 2030 Infant and Toddler Care

Credits: 3

A course on the care and education of infants and toddlers, birth to age three in group settings (i.e., child care centers, family child care homes, Early Head Start). Includes rationales and strategies for supporting the whole child including cognitive, language, social-emotional, and physical development in a safe, responsive environment. Emphasis is on relationship-based care and education with special attention to the unique environment aspects of programs for the child under three. F (alternating years)

#### ECED 2040 Family Dynamics and Community Credits: 3 Involvement

The role of the family and community in the physical, cognitive, social and emotional growth of the child in a diverse society. Includes benefits of and strategies for developing positive, reciprocal relationships with families in an early childhood setting ages birth to nine. Field

experiences required. F, Sp

#### ECED 2050 Psychomotor Development

Credits: 3

This course discusses the major theories of psychomotor development and the application to the development of the young child ages birth to nine. Particular emphasis is placed on the positive development of motor skills. Field experiences required. (Prerequisite: ECED 2020 or department approval.) Sp (alternating years)

ECED 2060 Development of Exceptional Children Credits: 3 Explores practices that early childhood professionals can apply to develop a more inclusive and accessible environment for all children ages birth to nine. Provides students with skills to include children of all abilities through appropriate arrangement of the environment. Includes strategies for developing strong relationships with families and other community agencies. Field experiences required. (Prerequisites: ECED 2020 and 2040 or department approval.) F (alternating years)

#### ECED 2070 Developmental Assessment

Credits: 3

This course will cover assessment for children from birth to nine years of age. Both formal and informal instruments will be discussed with the emphasis on tools that can be used by teachers of young children. Considerations in choosing, administering and reporting results of assessments will also be addressed. Field experiences required. (Prerequisite: ECED 2020 or department approval.) Sp (alternating years)

# ECED 2080 Language and Literacy in Early Credits: 3 Childhood

The research-based principles and practices for providing young children aged birth to nine a strong foundation in language and literacy within a developmentally appropriate approach. Field experiences required. (Prerequisites: ECED 2015, 2020 or department approval.) F (alternating years)

#### ECED 2085 Math and Science in Early Childhood Credits: 3

A course on the standards, principles and practices in teaching mathematics and science to young children ages birth to nine. An emphasis will be placed on developing an integrated math and science curriculum that includes appropriate content, processes, environment and materials, and child-centered choices. Field experiences required. (Prerequisites: ECED 2015, 2020 or department approval.) F (alternating years)

#### **ECED 2090** Creative Development

Credits: 3

This course provides strategies for promoting creative development of the child ages birth to nine. Students will gain an understanding of the concept of creativity: what it is, why it is important, and how the development of creativity in young children can be encouraged. Emphasis is on the development of creativity in relation to art, music, language, movement and dramatic arts. Field experiences required. Sp (alternating years)

#### ECED 2100 The Mentoring Teacher

A study of the philosophy, principles, and methods of mentoring adults who have varying levels of training. Emphasis will be on the role of mentors as facilitators of adult learning while simultaneously addressing the needs of children, parents and other staff. (Prerequisite: department approval.) F (alternating years)

ECED 2110 Advanced Learning Environments Credits: 3

This course focuses on the skill, knowledge, and materials development that are necessary in the provision of a developmentally appropriate environment for young children ages birth to nine. Field experiences required. F (alternating years)

**ECED 2120** Administration of Child Care Centers Credits: 3

A study of organization and administration practices applicable to the child care center. Topics of special consideration will include leadership, enrollment and public relations, staff management, financial management, facilities, regulations, parent relations, and program development. Field experiences required. Sp (alternating years)

#### ECED 2130 Initial Practicum

Credits: 3

Supervised practicum with a minimum of 30 clock hours in seminar and 45 clock hours in early childhood practical experiences. Course includes a study of the physical and human qualities that combine to create an environment that is safe and healthy, and promotes optimum learning for young children ages birth through eight. F, Sp

#### ECED 2160 Final Practicum

Credits: 3

#### **Economics**

#### **ECON 2010** Macroeconomics

Credits: 3

This course is a study of basic economic concepts and macroeconomics. Topics to be covered will include basic economic theory, economic systems, national income accounting, unemployment and inflation, money and banking, fiscal and monetary policy. No prerequisites. Equivalent to RSCC's ECO 201.

#### **ECON 2020** Microeconomics

Credits: 3

This course is a study of basic economic concepts and microeconomics. Topics covered include consumer and firm behavior, economic growth, market structures, price and output determination, labor and unions, international trade and finance. No prerequisites. Equivalent to RSCC's ECO 202.

#### Education

#### **EDU 100** Orientation to College

Credits: 1

Valuable information to promote the student's success in college. Includes registration and advisement procedures; financial aid; counseling and other student services; study habits; and other topics that should contribute to student success. (It is advised that EDU 100 be taken concurrently with ENGL 1010) (as needed)

**EDU 101** Introduction to the Teaching Profession Credits: 2 Survey of the roles and responsibilities in the teaching profession and of current educational issues, practices, and problems. Information on employment opportunities, legal issues, changing social expectations of education institutions. F, Sp

# EDU 111 Introduction to Educating Exceptional Credits: 3 Children

Examination of categories of exceptionality (mental retardation, giftedness, deafness, blindness, emotional disturbance, orthopedic impairment, etc). Brief review of educational strategies used with particular problems. Site visits to acquaint the student with services, settings, and teacher roles. F, Sp

EDU 210 Child and Adolescent Development Credits: 3 Comprehensive overview of human physical, psychological, and social development from prenatal to late adolescent development. F, Sp

#### EDU 211 Educational Psychology

Credits: 3

nFocus on making classroom education more effective by applying specific principles from the following areas of psychology: development, learning, motivation, evaluation, individual differences, and adjustment. (Prerequisite: EDU 101 or permission of instructor) F, Sp

**EDU 212 Child Development and Psychology** Credits: 3 This course presents an overview of the domains of child development and an understanding of theories applicable to establishing appropriate educations environments and related issues. It also addresses classroom education and specific principles from the areas of development, learning, communication, cultural and gender differences.

**EDU 223 Instructional Aids and Equipment** Credits: 1 Basic operation of audiovisual hardware and selection, as well as the utilization of materials for developing instructional media. Students will be provided experiences with preparation of instructional materials using a variety of media. (Prerequisites: EDU 101 and computer skills) F, Sp

#### **EDU 231** Field Experiences I

Credits: 2

A cooperative classroom experience for the student and local school systems. Student exposure to duties, responsibilities, and requirements of the teaching profession. F, Sp

#### **EDU 232** Field Experiences II

Credits: 2

A cooperative classroom experience for the student and local school systems. Student exposure to duties, responsibilities, and requirements of the teaching profession. (as needed)

#### **EDU 233 Praxis I Review**

This course will review the three areas tested by the Praxis I, reading, writing and math.

#### **EDU 240** Children's Literature

Credits: 3

A survey course dealing with readings and discussions in developmentally appropriate practice literature and related activities. (as needed)

#### Environmental Health Technology

#### EHT 120 **Waste Management and Pollution** Prevention

Credits: 3

An overview of the regulatory drivers and systems by which hazardous and non-hazardous wastes are managed. Incentives for waste minimization are presented, as well as techniques and sources of information. (as needed)

#### Industrial Hygiene and Safety I **EHT 130**

Credits: 3

An overview of industrial hygiene and safety concepts including a recognition of occupational hazards and classes of control techniques. Human anatomy and physiology as it relates to occupational hazards is presented. Students are also introduced to the Occupational Safety and Health Act and its administration. (as needed)

#### **EHT 201 Environmental and Occupational Law and** Credits: 3 Regulations

Survey of federal and state laws regulating environmental management, employee health and safety, hazardous substances, waste management and environmental restoration, and water and air pollution. (as needed)

#### **Environmental Instrumentation**

Provides an introduction to those instruments used to evaluate such occupational hazards as noise, radiation, heat stress, oxygen deficiency, explosive atmospheres, and hazardous chemicals and an examination of techniques for characterizing water, wastewater, and hazardous wastes. Environmental sampling techniques and protocols are presented. (as needed)

#### **EHT 211 Safety and Emergency Response**

Credits: 3

A review of federal, state, and local emergency response guidelines and methods for protecting workers employed in hazardous waste operations and emergency response. (as needed)

**EHT 215** Applied Radiological Control Technology Study of the core academic knowledge and skill required of entry level radiation control technicians. Includes applying skills in mathematics, algebra, physical sciences and life sciences to the control of occupational exposure of workers to ionizing radiation. Topics include radiation mathematics, physical sciences, nuclear physics, sources of radiation, biological effects of radiation, radiological protection, exposure control, and radiation detector theory and operation. (as needed)

#### **EHT 225 Special Topics in Environmental Health**

Credits: 1

This elective course is designed to allow instruction in special topics deemed necessary to meet the demands of business and industry. (as needed)

#### EHT 230 **Industrial Hygiene and Safety II**

Credits: 3

A more in-depth analysis of the physical, biologic, and chemical hazards encountered in the workplace. Topics include exposure to temperature extremes, noise, radiation, hazardous chemicals, and biologic hazards including bloodborne pathogens. Specific administrative and engineering controls and personal protective equipment are presented. (as needed)

#### EHT 242 Internship

Work experience designed to familiarize students with applications of principles utilized in the environmental field. Students must attain at least 200 contact hours. No student may enroll in an internship without the approval of the instructor. (as needed)

#### **Emergency Medical Respond**

EMR 1000 Emergency Med Responder

Credits: 3

This is the initial course in pre-hospital emergency medical care. Student learning will focus on patient assessment, current American Heart Association CPR and Stroke guidelines, emergency care and movement of patients without causing injury. Successful completion of this course will allow the student to sit for licensure given by the National Registry of EMTÂ; s. (Prerequisite: 17 years old by course completion and ACT Reading Score 19 or higher). (2 hours lecture/ 2 hours lab per week) (Dual Credit Only).

#### Emergency Medical Technology

EMT 1100 Emergency Medical Technician

Credits: 12

This course, which includes EMR 1000, is designed to provide the student with knowledge of basic emergency medical care and transportation for critical and emergent patients who access the emergency medical system. Student learning will focus on human anatomy and physiology, disease process, initial assessment and patient stabilization, proper use of equipment such as automatic external defibrillators, airway adjuncts as well as legal issues, scope of practice, extrication, documentation, communication, and ambulance protocols. This course is designed to meet all State and National requirements to prepare in testing for the EMT exam given by the National Registry of EMT¿s. (Prerequisites: 18 year old, High School Graduate or GED, HOBET Exam, and admission to the EMT Program) (10 hours lecture/ 4 hours lab/ 3 hours clinical per week)

EMT 1200 Advanced Emergency Medical Technician Credits: 12 This course is designed to provide the student with knowledge of the acute and critical changes in the physiological, psychological, and clinical symptoms pertaining to pre-hospital emergency medical care of the infant, child, adolescent, adult and geriatric patient. Student learning will focus on knowledge and practical skills related to Medical/Legal/ Ethical Issues, Anatomy, Airway Management, Patient Assessment and Medical/Trauma Emergencies, Scenario Based practice, Pediatrics/ Geriatrics, Ambulance Operations, Domestic Violence, Bio-Terrorism, IV Initiation and Medicine Administration. Students that successfully complete this course will take the National Registry Exam for the Advanced EMT's. (Prerequisite: EMT 1100) (10 hours lecture/ 2 hours lab/ 8 hours clinical per week).

#### **EMT 2170** Comprehensive Advanced Cardiac Life Credits: 3 **Support**

An introduction to common cardiac emergencies encountered by prehospital care providers in adult and child populations. Emphasis is on the recognition and management of emergencies related to the respiratory and cardiovascular systems. This course covers interpretation of EKG rhythm strips, treatment algorhythms, and introduction to ischemia, injury and infarction patterns in 12-lead EKGs. Upon successful completion of this course, students will be ACLS and PALS trained by AHA standards. (Prerequisites: Admission to the Respiratory Therapy Program) (2 hours lecture/ 2 hours lab per week). Sp

#### English

#### ENGL 0891 Writing Learning Support I

Credits: 3 ENGL 0891 - Writing Learning Support I - For students who have placed into Writing Learning Support (WLS). ENGL 0891 develops writing skills with special focus on the composing of short essays. The control of sentence-level features such as grammar, usage, punctuation, and spelling is emphasized, as is the development of vocabulary, reading comprehension, critical thinking, and study skills. To earn a passing grade in the course, students must demonstrate mastery of WLS competency level one (modules one, two, and three). Computerized instruction allows students to focus on discrete writing and grammatical skills while targeted small-group discussions and workshops allow students to focus on expressing their ideas in essays which integrate a variety of writing skills. Prescriptive testing and individualized instruction allow students to exit the course early. Students who successfully complete the required five modules earn a passing grade and also complete WLS requirements, making them eligible to register for ENGL 1010, Composition I. Students who successfully complete the first three modules within ENGL 0891 also earn a passing grade but must then register for ENGL 0892 in order to complete the remaining modules. Successful completion of ENGL 0892 signals completion of WLS requirements. Neither ENGL 0891 nor ENGL 0892 satisfies

#### **ENGL 0892** Writing Learning Support II

graduation requirements. (F, S, SU)

Credits: 2 ENGL 0892 Writing Learning Support II - For students who have completed ENGL 0891 at the first competency level (modules one, two, and three) but have not yet shown competency in all five modules. ENGL 0892 develops writing skills with special focus on the composing of short essays. The control of sentence-level features such as grammar. usage, punctuation, and spelling is emphasized, as is the development of vocabulary, reading comprehension, critical thinking, and study skills. Computerized instruction allows students to focus on discrete writing and grammatical skills while targeted small-group discussions and workshops allow students to focus on expressing their ideas in essays which integrate a variety of writing skills. Individualized instruction allows students to exit the course early. To earn a passing grade in the course, students must demonstrate mastery of Writing Learning Support (WLS) at the exit competency level (modules four and five). A passing grade in ENGL 0892 completes WLS requirements, making a student eligible to register for ENGL 1010, Composition I. ENGL 0892 does not satisfy graduation requirements. (F, S, SU)

#### ENGL 1010 Composition I

Credits: 3

Composition I is designed to develop proficiency in essays based on several rhetorical modes of writing, such as narrative (personal experience) and expository (informative) essays. The majority of the essays are applicable to major fields of study and societal issues. Research paper required. F, Sp, Su

#### ENGL 1020 Composition II

Credits: 3

Writing based on literature and research. Includes interpretation and analysis of fiction, drama, poetry, and the novel. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1010) Note: ENGL 1020 may not be used as a humanities elective. F, Sp,

#### **ENGL 1220** ESL Basic Pronunciation

Credits: 3

A course to help international students improve their English speaking skills and master the patterns of English spelling. Students practice the production of English sound patterns and related spelling patterns. Highly recommended to all ESL students who do not have excellent pronunciation. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **ENGL 1225 ESL Advanced Speaking**

Credits: 3

A course for non-native speakers of English emphasizing vocabulary development in academic content areas, speaking and listening skills. Recommended to all ESL students entering college level courses. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **ENGL 1230** ESL Grammar Review

Credits: 3

This course is designed to provide students with more exposure to the rules of grammar for academic English. Structures of English with particular focus on patterns of grammar which are frequently troublesome for non-native speakers of English, will be studied. Students will practice applying these structures through extensive speaking, writing, listening and by completing a variety of exercises and writing brief essays. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### ENGL 2040 Screenwriting

Credits: 3

This course is designed to introduce students to the concept of narrative storytelling and its modes as applied within the craft of writing for the screen. Class will be conducted as a workshop, and class sessions will focus on the examination of screenwriting language and models and on the work of individual class participants. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **ENGL 2110** Survey of American Literature I

Credits: 3

Survey of American literature from the Colonial period to the Civil War. May include selections from Poe, Hawthorne, Thoreau, Dickinson, Whitman, etc. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1020) F, Sp

#### **ENGL 2120** Survey of American Literature II

Credits: 3

Survey of American literature from the Civil War through the Modern period. May include selections from Twain, Frost, Eliot, Faulkner, O'Connor, etc. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1020) F, Sp, Su

#### ENGL 2150 English Practicum

Credits: 1

to 5

Introduction to Writing Center theory and the practice of tutoring writing students. Participants will work in one of the RSCC writing centers for one or more semesters to develop tutoring skills and gain professional experience; some writing, research and work on the internet required. (Prerequisites: ENGL 1010 (ENGL 1020 preferred), a writing sample, and permission of the instructor). Course availability determined by the Dean of the Division.

#### ENGL 2210 Survey of British Literature I

Credits: 3

Survey of British literature from the Old (in translation) and Middle periods through the 18th century, with emphasis on primary texts and their link with historical Britain. May include selections from Chaucer, Spenser, Shakespeare, Behn, Swift, etc. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1020) F

#### ENGL 2220 Survey of British Literature II

Survey of British literature from the Romantic through the Modern periods, with emphasis on primary texts and their political and social significance in Britain. May include selections from Wollstonecraft, Wordsworth, Keats, Byron, Bronte, Tennyson, the Brownings, Yeats, Eliot, etc. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1020) Sp

#### **ENGL 2310** Survey of World Literature I

Credits: 3

Survey of world literature from the ancient world to the Renaissance. May include selections from the Bible, Greek and Roman classics, Dante, Marie de France, Chaucer, Cervantes, Shakespeare, etc. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1020) F, Sp

**ENGL 2311** Introduction to Technical Writing Credits: 3

An introduction to the field of technical writing, including editing, researching, report writing in the student's field of specialization, etc. The course is provided online to enhance computer and electronic communication skills. (Prerequisites: ENGL 1010). Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **ENGL 2320** Survey of World Literature II

Credits: 3

Survey of world literature from the Renaissance through the Modern period. Includes selections from Moliere, Voltaire, Swift, Flaubert, Dostoevsky, Tolstoy, contemporary world authors, etc. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1020) F, Sp

#### **ENGL 2520** Introduction to Poetry

Study of poetry as a distinct genre of artistic expression. Emphasizes analyzing and writing about poetry. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1020) Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **ENGL 2530** Seminar in Creative Writing

Theory and practice of the creation of poetry or prose through the analysis of models and student manuscripts developed in a workshop setting. (Prerequisite: ENGL 1010) Sp

#### Engineering

#### **ENGR 1110** Survey of Engineering

Credits: 1

Overview of the required skills, types of jobs, and specialty areas in engineering. An overview of the goals, objectives, methods, and ethics of the engineering profession in all the major engineering disciplines is presented. F, Sp

#### **ENGR 1120** Computer Aided Engineering

Credits: 3

Introduction to computers in engineering using structured programming in BASIC, Visual BASIC, and C to create solutions to typical engineering applications. Applications of computer packages such as engineering spread sheets, graphics, and word processors will be included. Sp

**ENGR 1610** Fundamentals of Engineering Graphics I Credits: 2 Technical sketching, geometries construction with emphasis on plane surface analysis: presentation of engineering data; graphical solution of three-dimensional space problems; primary and secondary auxiliary views. Application of Computer-Aided Design and Drafting (CADD) in solving engineering problems. F. Sp

ENGR 1620 Fundamentals of Engineering Graphics II Credits: 3 Continuation of Fundamentals of Engineering Graphics I with emphasis on CAD applications in three dimensional drawing, working drawings, assemblies and details, CAD component evaluation and use. Selected problems from the engineering sciences utilizing special drawing techniques on electronic mediums. (As needed)

#### ENGR 2010 AutoCAD I

Credits: 3

The utilization of microcomputers in the design and drafting process using AutoCAD. The selection of CAD component, the command and syntax structure, basic drawing and editing techniques, two-dimensional and three-dimensional drawing techniques. Two three-hour periods or three two-hour periods, including two hours lecture per week. (Offered if sufficient demand)

#### **ENGR 2110 Statics**

Statics of particles and rigid bodies, resultants of force systems, static equilibrium, friction, moments, and application to trusses. (Prerequisites: MATH 1910; Corequisite: PHYS 2110) F

#### ENGR 2120 Dynamics

Credits: 3

Dynamics of particles and rigid bodies, kinematics, kinetics, Newton's laws, work and energy, and impulse and momentum. (Prerequisite: ENGR 2110) Sp

**ENGR 2140** Engineering Design Fundamentals

Introduction to the design process and engineering problem solving, developing teamwork and communication skills, building oral, written and digital presentation skills for the international workplace. This course is designed for students transferring to UTK.

#### French

#### FREN 1010 Beginning French I

Credits: 3

Elementary grammar, pronunciation, and conversation through textbooks supplemented by audio cassettes, filmstrips, computer programs, and videotapes. F

#### FREN 1020 Beginning French II

Continuation of Beginning French I. (Prerequisite: FREN 1010) Sp

#### FREN 2010 Intermediate French I

Credits: 3

Advanced grammar and conversation through use of textbooks supplemented by audio cassettes, filmstrips, computer programs, videotapes, and selected readings. (Prerequisite: FREN 1020). Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### FREN 2020 Intermediate French II

Credits: 3

Continuation of Intermediate French I. (Prerequisite: FREN 2010). Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### Geography

#### GEOG 1220 Human Geography

Credits: 3

This course is an overview of man's spatial distribution over the earth's surface. It concentrates on the relationship between people, places, and environments and to applying spatial and ecological perspectives to life situations. (as needed)

#### GEOG 2010 World Regional Geography

Credits: 3

Selected world regions, especially those with problems or situations of contemporary interest, are used to illustrate geographical concepts, points of view, and techniques of analysis. F, Sp, Su

#### Geology

#### **GEOL 1040** Physical Geology

Credits: 4

An introduction to the physical processes acting within and upon the Earth's surface to create its many different features. Topics of interest include identification of minerals and rocks, plate tectonics, mountain building, volcanoes, stream activity, glaciation and regional landform development. Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F

#### GEOL 1050 Historical Geology

Credits: 4

The study of the Earth's physical and biological history as interpreted from the rock and fossil record. Topics include an introduction to fossils. evolution and ancient environments, stratigraphy, and a review of earth history. Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (GEOL 1040 is strongly recommended as a prerequisite) (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) Sp

#### German

#### GERM 1010 German I

Credits: 3

Essentials of German, developing and reading comprehensive, speaking and writing. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### GERM 1020 German II

**GIS 101** 

Credits: 3

Continuation of Beginning German I. (Prerequisite: GERM 1010) Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **GERM 2010** Intermediate German I

Credits: 3

Review of German grammar and a continuation of the approach used in GERM 1010 and 1020. Selected readings. (Prerequisite: GERM 1020) Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **GERM 2020** Intermediate German II

Credits: 3

Continuation of Intermediate GERM 2010. (Prerequisite: GERM 2010) Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### Geographic Information Systems

**Introduction to Geographic Information** Credits: 4 **Systems** 

An introductory course dealing with the basics of using computerized map information in science, education, social science, and business applications. Students will learn to organize their own projects using mapping software, spatial data, and a variety of geographic information technologies and tools. Business, education, and social science applications emphasize demographic data while scientific applications emphasize environmental and facility management issues. (Prerequisite: Working knowledge of Windows or Macintosh based PC systems). F, Sp

#### **GIS 105 Computer Cartography**

Credits: 3

An introduction to the properties, uses, symbology design and computer production of maps. Covers the use of maps, aerial photographs and satellite imaging in geographical analysis. F

#### Geographic Database Technology **GIS 110**

Credits: 3 Geographic Information Systems (GIS) need access to a great variety of data to be of any value for decision making. This introductory course will cover major aspects of capturing, manipulating, and using geographic and related data. Topics include hierarchical vs. flat-file databases, data tables, geographic objects and attributes, relational databases, geographic data organization, data conversions, importexport, and data quality assessment. The student will learn to construct queries using SQL and query-by-example tools to answer simple and more complex problems. Data used includes TIGER/Line, DLG/DEM. DWG and ASCII. Database software used includes FoxPro, Access, MapInfo, ArcView, Integraph, and Maptitude plus various conversion software. Sp

#### **GIS 210 GPS** and Digital Imagery

Credits: 3

Using Global Positioning System (GPS) technology, this course will introduce topics of data capture (including scanning), editing, registration and rectification to provide an image for the extraction of geographic data such as property boundaries, streets, streams and structures. Uses of GPS in this course are to provide reference points for registering and rectification of images, verifying and correcting map data as well as creating real-time maps with the use of laptop computers. F

#### **GIS 211 Internet Mapping Applications**

Credits: 3

This course provides the foundation for distributing high-end GIS and mapping services via the internet. Students will learn how to design web based applications for integrating local and internet spatial data sources for query, display and analysis in a user friendly web browser. S

#### **GIS 220 GIS Network and Demographic** Credits: 3 **Applications**

The student will focus on developing a coherent framework for using the vast quantities of data made available by government and other sources along with his/her own data. The student will explore multiple views of a single issue or set of information by looking for new possibilities. (Prerequisites: GIS 101 and GIS 110). Sp

#### **GIS 230 GIS Project Management**

Credits: 3

The student will focus on developing a coherent framework for using the vast quantities of data made available by government and other sources along with his/her own data. The student will explore multiple views of a single issue or set of information by looking for new possibilities. Learning outcomes include gaining and enhancing the ability to effectively match data and task appropriately and to identify appropriate types and sources of information needed to solve a problem. (Prerequisites: GIS 101 and GIS 110). Sp

#### **GIS 251** Seminar in Geographic Information

Credits: 1 to 4

Special topics in GIS. Check with your advisor for courses available each semester.

#### **GIS 290 Directed Research Project**

Credits: 4

This capstone course will consolidate the student's learning experiences in geographic information systems technology. Students will develop and complete an original, comprehensive project that encompasses geographic and computer mapping fundamentals learned in previous courses.(Prerequisite: Permission of the instructor) Su

#### Health

#### **HEA 131 Elementary Nutrition**

Credits: 2

Applying principles of nutrition in the selection of food for health promotion and maintenance. F, Sp

#### **HEA 201 Principles of Nutrition**

Credits: 3

This course emphasizes the function, food sources, recommended intake, and assimilation of each of the six nutrient classes. F, Sp

#### Safety, First Aid and CPR **HEA 221**

Credits: 3

This course will provide the knowledge and skills necessary to sustain life, reduce pain and minimize the consequences of illness or injury until medical help arrives. Upon satisfactory course completion, students will receive certificates for First Aid and Adult, Infant and Child CPR. F, Sp

#### **HEA 224 Personal Trainer Certification**

Credits: 4

This is a preparation course designed as a study guide for successfully passing the National Council of Strength and Fitness (NCSF) national personal trainer certification tests. This course is based on the NCSF preparation course. F, Sp

**HEA 225** Care and Prevention of Athletic Injuries Credits: 3 The student will develop a knowledge of prevention, treatment, and basic rehabilitation of common athletic injuries as commonly seen at the interscholastic level of competition. In addition, the student will be exposed to negligence and liability issues in respect to athletic injuries. F. Sp

#### **HEA 227 Introduction to Exercise Science**

Credits: 3

This course is designed to help students appreciate the importance of physical activity, to introduce the discipline of kinesiology and help students understand its relationship to physical activity, and to expand student knowledge of physical activity professions. F, Sp

#### **HEA 241 School Health**

This course for prospective teachers is designed to investigate current school health issues. This course will include health instruction, health services and healthful school environment. Sp

#### History

#### HIST 1010 Survey of Western Civilization I

Credits: 3

A general survey of the major political, social, economic, and cultural developments in Western Civilization from the Ancient World to 1715. Emphasis on the Greek World, the Roman Empire, feudal Europe, Renaissance, Reformation, constitutional monarchy in England in the 17th century and the triumph of absolute monarchy in France under Louis XIV. (HIST 1010 and HIST 1020 can be taken in any order. Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010). F, Sp, Su (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010)

#### HIST 1020 Survey of Western Civilization II

Credits: 3

A general survey of the major political, social, economic, and cultural developments in Western Civilization from 1715 to the present. Emphasis on the Enlightenment, French Revolution and Napoleon, national unification of Germany and Italy, world wars of the 20th century, Russian Revolution, and post-1945 Europe. (HIST 1010 and HIST 1020 can be taken in any order. Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010) F, Sp, Su (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010)

#### HIST 1210 Survey of World History I

Credits: 3

The study of human history from prehistory to c. 1500 A.D., covering the beginnings of civilization c. 3000 B.C. and investigating the economic, social, political, and cultural institutions developed by humans prior to the beginning of European expansion. (HIST 1210 and HIST 1220 can be taken in any order. Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010) F (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010)

#### HIST 1220 Survey of World History II

Credits: 3

The study of human history from c. 1500 A.D. (shortly after Europeans began their expansion) to the present, and including the investigation of the economic, social, political, and cultural institutions developed by humans both in response to European expansion and independent of European influence. (HIST 1210 and HIST 1220 can be taken in any order. Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010) Sp (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010)

#### HIST 2010 Survey of U.S. History I

Credits: 3

An exploration and analysis of major themes and events in the political, cultural, social, economic, and intellectual history of the United States to 1877. (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010) F, Sp, Su (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010)

#### HIST 2020 Survey of U.S. History II

Credits:

Continuation of History 2010. (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010) F, Sp, Su (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010)

HIST 2030 Tennessee History

Credits: 3

This course is a general survey and analysis of the history of the state of Tennessee from the beginning of statehood in 1796 to about 1990. There is also a pre-statehood component that examines Native American history in the region (with an emphasis on the Cherokees) and the history of exploration and early settlement. Accepted for history sequence requirement at UTK, UTC, and MTSU (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010) as needed. (Pre-or corequisite: ENGL 1010)

# Health Information Technology HIT 102 Fundamentals of Health Informatio

Fundamentals of Health Information Cro Management

Credits: 3

This course serves as an introduction to the health information management profession and the health care delivery systems. It is an orientation to the content of the health record in acute care, long-term care, ambulatory care, home health, hospice and psychiatric facilities. The course will also include instruction in numbering, filing, microfilm, accreditation and certification standards. Practice in the assembly and analysis of medical records and numbering and filing systems will occur. Open to all students. Fall Semester (3 lecture hours/week)

# HIT 103 Coding and Classification Systems I Credits: 3 An introduction to coding and classification systems used in health care including Official Coding Guidelines, ICD-9-CM, and ICD-10-CM. Students will also be introduced to encoding software. Laboratory

practice time devoted to coding of case studies using ICD-9-CM and ICD-10-CM coding systems. (Prerequisite: HIT 107; corequisite: BIOL

2010) (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)
HIT 104 Coding and Classification System

Coding and Classification Systems II Credits: 2

An introduction to ICD-10-PCS coding and classification system used in health care including structure and conventions, root operations definition, and how to code procedures. Students will learn to code using both the ICD-10-PCS book and encoding software. Laboratory practice time devoted to coding of case studies using both diagnosis and procedure codes as appropriate for data collection and reimbursement. (Prerequisite: HIT103; corequisite: BIOL 2020) (1.5 lecture hours, 1.5 laboratory hours/week)

#### HIT 106 Health Data Systems

Credits: 3

Introduction to health care data, indexes and registries. The calculation of rates and percentages used by health care facilities will be emphasized. Manual and automated techniques of maintaining data will be discussed along with data display techniques. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### HIT 107 Medical Terminology

Credits: 3

Greek and Latin elements of medical terminology, stems, suffixes, prefixes and root words. Medical terminology pertaining to each body system. Open to all students. Fall and Spring Semesters (3 lecture hours/week)

HIT 112 Coding Professional Practice Experience Credits: 1 This course involves actual clinical coding experience with both scenarios and health records in the classroom and area health facilities. Focus of this professional practice experience is application of Official

Coding Guidelines in the professional setting. (Prerequisites: HIT 102, HIT 103; Corequisite: HIT 130, BIOL 2020) (45 hours clinical/semester)

HIT 113 Legal Aspects of Health Information Credits: 2 To provide the student a foundation in federal and state legislation regarding medical record release, retention, authorizations, and consents. The importance of confidentiality and professional ethics will be emphasized. The medical record in court and the medicolegal importance of accurate documentation will be presented. (2 lecture hours/week)

# HIT 117 Principles of Medical Claims Billing and Credits: 3 Processing

An introduction to Medical Insurance and Claims Processing with an emphasis on Managed Care Contracts and various Health Care Payers. This course will introduce the student to the basic fundamentals of medical coding by focusing on ICD-9 and CPT coding systems. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### HIT 130 CPT Coding

Credits: 3

An introduction to the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT) coding system and outpatient coding guidelines. (Prerequisites: HIT 102, HIT 103; Corequisite: BIOL 2020) (3 lecture hours/week)

#### HIT 140 Medical Office Procedures

Credits: 2

An introduction to business aspects of a medical practice including third party payers, claims filing and processing, accounting and payroll functions. (Prerequisites: HIT 102, HIT 103) (2 lecture hours/week)

#### HIT 207 Advanced Medical Terminology

Credits: 3

This course will focus on advanced topics in medical terminology such as eponymic medical conditions and procedures, traumatic injury staging, and advanced body system based terminology and anatomy. The focus will be terminology required for advanced medical coding requirements. Course is open to all students. Prerequisite of HIT 107 and BIOL 2010. (3 hours lecture/week)

#### **HIT 217 Principles of Healthcare Administration/** Credits: 3 **Quality Resource Management**

This course is an introduction to principles of management and supervision. It is specifically directed toward the health information manager. Personnel management, department budget preparation and maintenance, departmental policies, procedures and job descriptions will be discussed. Requirements of various governmental, third party payers, and accreditation bodies regarding appropriate utilization of resources and continuous quality improvement will also be emphasized. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### **HIT 218 Advanced Coding and Classification** Credits: 3 **Systems**

This course focuses on advanced topics in diagnosis and procedural coding using ICD-10-CM and ICD-10-PCS. The course will concentrate on official coding guidelines, selection of appropriate ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes and selection ICD-10-PCS procedure codes. The course will include practice in coding using both case studies and actual health records and computerized coding and grouping software. Students must have, at minimum, an AAS degree in HIT, RHIT credential or CCS credential or permission of the instructor. (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

**HIT 221 Advanced Health Information Procedures** Credits: 3 Study of advanced coding topics including chart, management of coding function, revenue cycle management and chargemaster is included. The course will also cover disease registries, professional organization activities and other health information topics as necessary. (3 lecture hours/week)

**HIT 222 Pathology and Clinical Interpretations** Credits: 4 An introduction to common disease processes, their clinical signs, symptoms, and manifestations. Diagnostic radiology and laboratory examinations, pharmacological and other treatment modalities employed in the treatment of disease will be emphasized. Fall Semester (Prerequisites: BIOL 2010, 2020) (4 lecture hours/week)

**Professional Practice Experience I** Credits: 3 Actual practice in an area hospital. Topics covered include chart assembly and analysis, coding, abstracting, release of information, and medical transcription. (135 hours clinical experience/semester)

**HIT 232 Professional Practice Experience II** Credits: 2 Clinical experience in quality improvement, utilization management, hospital committee functions, and medical record supervision. Practice is also obtained in specialized facilities such as long term care, psychiatric, ambulatory care, veterinary medicine, and tumor registry. (Prerequisite: HIT 231) (90 hours clinical experience/semester)

**Automated Health Information Systems** An introductory course dealing with principles of automated information systems. The flow of patient information from registration through the clinical care process and billing, to the end use of information in decision support systems will be explained. The importance of data accuracy, integrity and security will be emphasized. The current state of technology employed in healthcare to make the transition to a total computerized patient record will be discussed. Software packages currently utilized by health information departments will be explained and students will utilize application software packages, build databases, query systems and design reports. (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/ week)

#### HIT 251 **Coding for Reimbursement**

Credits: 4

Advanced topics in ICD-9-CM coding focusing specifically on Official Coding Guidelines, sequencing skills and the use of ICD-9-CM in health care reimbursement. The prospective payment system theory and methodology will be the course focus. Ambulatory Patient Classifications will be introduced. Laboratory practice in coding and optimization techniques using actual medical records and a computerized grouper. (Prerequisites: HIT 103, 130; Corequisite: HIT 222) (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### **HIT 260 Seminar in Health Information** Credits: 2 Management

A capstone course of research and testing based on all domains and knowledge clusters of the curriculum to prepare the student for national certification. Students will also be involved in service learning project.(2 lecture hours/week)

## Humanities

#### HUM 261 **Humanities Seminar**

Credits: 1

to 3

This course is designed for those students who are interested in pursuing an in-depth study of some particular humanities problem. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

## Information Systems

#### **INFS 1010** Computer Applications

Credits: 3

An introductory course including fundamental concepts and terminology using Windows 7, Internet Explorer, MS Word, MS Excel, MS PowerPoint. Students also learn how to function in the course management system and online environment, preparing them for other online courses. F, Sp, Su

## International Studies

#### INTL 1010 Introduction to Global Studies

Credits: 3

This is an interdisciplinary course that approaches global topics from the perspective of various disciplines while analyzing the impacts of globalization on peoples' values and lives. Students will increase their knowledge of global social and cultural institutions, political and economic processes at work in the world, and changes that science and technology are making and have made on the world we live in. The course is designed to enhance the students' appreciation of other cultures and their awareness of personal and ethical responsibilities as global citizens. F, Sp

#### Law

#### **LAW 101 Introduction to the Legal Profession and** Credits: 3 **Legal Ethics**

Philosophy and history of law; legal decision making; the American judicial system; business organizations; civil procedure; role of legal assistants; and ethical and professional standards. F

#### **LAW 102** Survey of American Law Credits: 3 Legislation, administrative process; government regulation of business,

anti-trust, and consumer law; torts; contracts; investigations; domestic relations; wills, estates, trusts, real property, etc. (F)

#### LAW 140 Legal Research

Credits: 3

Legal bibliography including codes, administrative regulations, reporters, digests, encyclopedias, citators, law reviews, treatises and West law analysis and synthesis of cases. F, Sp

#### LAW 150 Legal Writing

Credits: 3

Legal writing skills including precision and clarity, legal citation, and format; drafting of law office and trial memoranda, trial court brief, appellate brief, and abstracting depositions; analysis and synthesis of legal materials. (Prerequisite: LAW 140 or permission of the program director). F, Sp

LAW 160 Torts Credits:

Non-contractual obligations which an individual in society owes others according to common law and statue; emphasis on intentional acts violating legally protected interest. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director). F

#### LAW 170 Criminal Law

Credits: 3

Substantive aspects of criminal law including general principles of criminal liability, specific analysis of particular crimes; substantive defenses to crime. (Prerequisites: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) Sp

#### LAW 201 Domestic Relations

Credits: 3

Laws, procedures, and documents involved in domestic relations; breach of promise to marry; marriage, annulment; divorce; adoption; child custody/support. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) F

#### LAW 211 Business Organizations

Credits: 3

Credits: 3

Sole proprietorships, partnerships, corporations, and other business vehicles; formation of various types of business entities; preparations of appropriate documents. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) (as needed)

#### LAW 212 Law Office Technology

This hands on course of study is designed to provide students with the working knowledge of the use of technology in the law office. Students will be able to prepare legal documents, create and maintain client information in a database, prepare visual presentations and other law office functions accomplished through the use of technology. F

#### LAW 215 Child Support Law

Credits: 3

This course will give the student an overview of child support law in Tennessee with an emphasis placed upon the Tennessee Child Support Guidelines: child support establishment; child support enforcement; and Title IV-D offices. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) (as needed)

LAW 221 Civil Trial and Appellate Practice I

Credits: 3

Procedural law; preparation and use of pleadings and other documents involved in the trial and appeal of a civil action. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) F

LAW 222 Civil Trial and Appellate Practice II

Credits: 3

Procedural law; preparation and use of pleadings and other documents involved in the trial and appeal of a civil action. (Prerequisite: LAW 221) (as needed)

#### LAW 231 Estates and Trust I

Credits: 3

Effects of various types of ownership upon passage of property at owner death, with or without a will; administration, taxation of estates and inheritances; basic requirements for trusts, wills, guardianships, and conservatorships; administration of a decedents estate including income tax consequences; case analysis; preparation of necessary documents. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) Sp

## LAW 232 Estates and Trusts II

Credits: 3

U.S. Estate Tax, Tennessee Inheritance Tax, U.S. Gift Tax provisions, estate planning, changes in asset ownership and tax advantages through removal of assets or fixation of values; problem solving activities. (Prerequisite: LAW 231 or permission of program director) (as needed)

#### LAW 235 Legal Environment for Business

Credits: 3

Emphasis is placed on classification of laws, historical background of our systems of laws, duties, buying services, insurance, consumer protection, negotiable instruments, and business organization. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) Sp

#### LAW 240 Legal Internship

Credits: 3

Supervised activities in a law firm, agency, or corporate legal department as a paralegal. (Prerequisites: Sophomore standing and permission of the program director.) Su

#### LAW 241 Real Property

Credits:

Freehold estates, concurrent ownership, leases, real estate contracts and deeds, recording system, title assurance, easements, lateral support, water rights, zoning, and eminent domain, practical aspects of conveyance from drafting of purchase and sale agreements to passing of papers; mechanics of title examining; preparation of documents for mortgages, foreclosures, recordings, and closing. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) Sp

LAW 251 Public Benefits/Administrative Advocacy Credits: 3 Substantive law and procedures for public benefits applications and appeals from agency administrative decisions; includes Medicare, Medicaid, supplementary security income, OASDI, food stamps, structure of administrative agencies, administrative procedures and advocacy skills. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) (as needed)

### LAW 261 Creditor Rights and Bankruptcy

Credits: 3

Bankruptcy procedure including initial filing, meetings of creditors, adversarial proceedings and the final discharge hearing; operation of the automatic stay; adequate protection; conformation of a Chapter 13 Plan; Chapter 7 and Chapter 11 proceedings; debtors obligations and rights; secured and unsecured creditors priorities, preferences, fraudulent transfers. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) (as needed)

#### LAW 271 Investigations/Pretrial Advocate

Credits: 3

Investigative techniques, interviewing skills, fact analysis, courses of evidence, records access, judgment collection, missing persons, background investigation, case planning, analysis and strategy. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) (as needed)

#### LAW 275 Income Tax

Credits: 3

Survey of federal income tax laws emphasizing preparation of returns for individuals, sole proprietorships, and partnerships. Overview of corporate tax law, administrative and judicial tribunals, jurisdiction, and tax controversies. (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) (as needed)

#### LAW 290 Special Topics in Paralegal

Credits: 1 to 9

Independent studies in legal assisting. Students may take more than one independent or individualized study in a given discipline up to a maximum of nine credit hours (Prerequisite: LAW 101 and LAW 102 or permission of the program director) (as needed)

## Mammography

#### MAM 110 Principles of Mammography

Credits: 3

This course covers the basic principles of anatomy, pathology, and imaging protocols in the field of mammography. Topics include patient care, positioning, special procedures, radiation protection, and mammographic anatomy image correlation (3 lecture hours/week).

#### MAM 115 Clinical Education I

Credits: 3

Students perform a variety of Mammography procedures under supervision of a registered technologist at assigned facilities (students must complete a minimum of 120 mammography exams following specific procedural requirements to qualify for ARRT certification examination). Co-requisite: Principles of Mammography. (24 clinic hours/week)

#### MAM 120 Mammography Pathology

Credits: 1

This course will cover radiographic pathology and abnormalities of the breast. It is designed to enhance knowledge of registered mammographers as well as those seeking to take the A.R.R.T. mammography registry. (1 lecture hour/week)

# MAM 130 Instrumentation and Quality Control for Credits: 3 Mammography

A detailed study of mammography physics, equipment, and quality control tests. Topics include mammographic x-ray tubes, circuitry, generators, instrumentation, digital and film-screen imaging systems (3 lecture hours/week).

#### MAM 135 Clinical Education II

Credite:

Students perform a variety of Mammography procedures under supervision of a registered technologist at assigned facilities (students must complete a minimum of 120 mammography exams following specific procedural requirements to qualify for ARRT certification examination). Co-requisite: Instrumentation and Quality Control for Mammography. (24 clinic hours/week)

## Massage Therapy

# MAS 113 Massage Physiology Pathology and Credits: 3 Pharmacy I

Students will learn basic anatomy and physiology of the major body systems. Within each body system this course will cover pathologies and medication that massage therapists may commonly encounter. Emphasis will be on understanding the impact of massage techniques on normal physiology as well as on selected pathologies and medications. (3 lecture hours/week)

# MAS 114 Massage Physiology Pathology and Credits: 3 Pharmacy II

Students will learn basic anatomy and physiology of the major body systems. Within each body system this course will cover pathologies and medication that massage therapists may commonly encounter. Emphasis will be on understanding the impact of massage techniques on normal physiology as well as on selected pathologies and medications. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### MAS 117 TN Massage Law & Practice Ethics Credits: 3

This course will cover Tennessee law as it relates to massage therapy, understanding the rules of the Tennessee Board of Massage regulating the practice of massage therapy and scope of practice for massage therapists. The importance of a professional presence will be discussed. Students will begin to develop professional boundaries as well as confidence and compassion in addressing the emotional dimensions of massage therapy. Codes of ethics will be examined and applied to real life dilemmas in massage practice. (3 lecture hours/week)

# MAS 118 Massage Business, Professionalism & Credits: 2 Communication

Designed for a student who plans to work as an employee, a self-employed independent contractor or an employer of other massage therapists, this course will cover basics of business record keeping, taxes, insurance, contracts, job applications, and legal business structures for business. Promotional materials and methods of practice building will also be emphasized. They will learn to write clear, concise and accurate clinical documentation. Students will describe the components of a therapeutic environment, the importance of professional communication, scheduling, time management, and managing stressors and burnout. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### MAS 120 Swedish Massage

Credits: 3

Students will be taught the techniques of Swedish Massage, which serves as the foundation in which all Western massage techniques were developed. Swedish Massage dates back to the early 19th century and is based on a scientific system of manipulating soft tissues. (1lecture hour, 5 laboratory hours/week)

#### MAS 121 The Muscular System I

Credits: 2

Students will learn musculoskeletal anatomy, kinesiology, palpation and assessment of the major muscles in the body. Coursework will include building the muscles in clay, finding the muscles and attachment sites in the student's own body and/or palpating them in other students. Assessment of muscle tone and beginning skills in manual release of specific muscle tension will be emphasized. (1 lecture hour, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### MAS 122 The Muscular System II

Credits: 2

Students will learn musculoskeletal anatomy, kinesiology, palpation and assessment of the major muscles in the body. Coursework will include building the muscles in clay, finding the muscles and attachment sites in the student's own body and/or palpating them in other students. Assessment of muscle tone and beginning skills in manual release of specific muscle tension will be emphasized. (1 lecture hour, 3 laboratory hours/week)

## MAS 123 Overview of Somatic Therapies

With hundreds of somatic therapy sub-specialties requiring advanced training, students need exposure to practitioners of as many of these as possible. When guest lecture/demonstration/lab presenters who practice an important sub-specialty are not available, the text will be used. (2 lecture hour, 1 laboratory hour/week)

#### MAS 124 Student Massage Clinic

Credits: 1

Credits: 2

Under supervision students will provide twelve massages for persons not enrolled in the RSCC Massage Therapy Program. Documentation, time management and body mechanics will be emphasized, as well as client feedback to enhance effective massage and develop the student's personal style. This course is a transition to the MAS 152 Clinical Massage Practice externship experience. (45 hours total/semester)

#### MAS 130 Medical Massage Therapies

Credits:

Medical Massage Therapies are desigend to provide relief for patients suffering from acute and/or chronic myofascial (muscle-connective tissue) pain. Students will apply knowledge of neurological laws, ischemia, trigger points, nerve entrapment, and postural distortion to choose appropriate and effective techniques. Use of SOAP charts to document sessions is required. Main areas of concentration include head and neck, shoulder, carpal tunnel, and low back pain. (2 lecture hours, 6 laboratory hours/week)

#### MAS 135 Massage for Special Population

Credits: 2

Infant, pregnancy, and geriatric massage are the main focus of this course. Other populations related to student interests and instructor expertise may be addressed also. (2 lecture hours, 1 laboratory hours/week)

#### MAS 152 Clinical Massage Practice

Credits: 2

Students must document at least 60 hours of massage practice and attend at least two seminar sessions. The experiential learning activities of recruiting clients and arranging at least one outside setting for giving massage sessions may be completed prior to the course starting. (60 clinical hours/semester) Summer only.

## **Mathematics**

#### MATH 0891 Mathematics Learning Support I Credits: 3

For students who have placed into Mathematics Learning Support (MLS). This course is designed to provide students with real number sense, knowledge of operations on real numbers, knowledge of operations with algebraic expressions (including polynomials) and the ability to solve equations (emphasis on linear equations/inequalities). Mastery of MLS modules one, two and three is necessary to earn a passing grade in this course. This course does not fulfill the math requirement for graduation. Lecture/Lab combined.

#### MATH 0892 Mathematics Learning Support II

Credits:

For students who have passed MATH 0891, but not yet shown mastery of all five Math Learning Support (MLS) competency points. This course is designed to provide students with the ability to analyze graphs (emphasis on linear functions and graphs, including inequalities) and knowledge of mathematical modeling and critical thinking. Mastery of MLS modules four and five is necessary to earn a passing grade in this course. This course does not fulfill the math requirement for graduation. Lecture/Lab combined. Prerequisite: MATH 0891

#### MATH 0990 Geometry

Credits: 3

A study of the most used theorems of two- and three-dimensional Euclidean Geometry. Topics include symmetry, congruence, similarity, right triangle relationships, and geometrical modes of thinking in problem solving. NOTE: This course is designed for students majoring in a transfer program who have not had high school geometry or another advanced high school mathematics course with geometry as a major component and will not fulfill the requirement for graduation. F, Sp MATH 1000 Algebra Essentials Credits: 3

This course is designed to prepare students for algebra-intensive college level courses. It covers operations on polynomials, solving polynomial and rational equations and other topics necessary for success in MATH 1130 and other algebra-intensive college level courses. This course does

# not fulfill the math requirement for graduation. MATH 1010 Selected Topics

Credits

A three-credit hour review of algebraic concepts necessary for MATH 1130 or specific certificate programs. MATH 1010 provides a bridge for students who have completed the necessary high school or entrance examination requirements for MATH 1130 but show a deficiency in basic algebraic skills. This course does not fulfill the General Education core requirements for graduation or transfer. Will be offered as an express class preceding the beginning of the semester, or as needed during the semester. F, Sp

#### MATH 1030 Mathematics for the Health Sciences Credits: 3

This course is designed to prepare the allied health student to function in academic and clinical settings with mathematics competence. Topics of study include fractions, fractional equations and formulas, ratios and proportions, apothecaries and metric measurements, dosage calculations, logarithms, and statistics. (Prerequisite: Two years of high school algebra and one year of high school geometry or appropriate learning support mathematics courses) This course does not meet math requirement for AS/AA degree, nor does it carry transfer credit. F, Sp

#### MATH 1130 College Algebra

Credits: 3

A course in algebraic functions, their properties and uses-equations, inequalities, graphs, systems of linear equations, analytical geometry including ellipse and hyperbola. Applications are in the mathematics of finance as well as the laws of growth and decay in other areas. (Prerequisites: Two years of high school algebra and one year of geometry with an ACT of 19 or above OR appropriate mathematics learning support courses and MATH 1000) F, Sp, Su

# MATH 1410 Number Concepts/Algebra Structures Credits: 3 This course includes symbolic logic, logical reasoning, history of early numeration systems, set theory with rules of operations and Venn diagrams, relations and functions, the systems of whole numbers, of integers, and of rational numbers. Any student would profit from this course, but it is especially targeted to the education major (elementary)

integers, and of rational numbers. Any student would profit from this course, but it is especially targeted to the education major (elementary and non-math secondary). (Prerequisite: Two years of high school algebra and one year of geometry with an ACT of 19 or above OR appropriate learning support math courses.) F, Sp

#### MATH 1420 Problem Solving Geometry

Credits: 3

A continuation of MATH 1410, this course includes elementary number theory, irrational number, basic algebra, interest (simple and compound), elements of plane and solid geometry (especially working with measurements and formulas), the metric system, and basic statistics. (Prerequisites: MATH 1410 or consent of instructor). Sp

# MATH 1530 Probability and Statistics (Non-Calculus Credits: 3 Based)

An introduction to probability and statistics without calculus. Topics covered include sampling, frequency distribution, elementary probability, hypotheses testing, linear regression and correlation, analysis of variance and non-parametric statistics. A scientific calculator is required. (Prerequisites: Two years of high school algebra and one year of geometry with an ACT of 19 or above OR appropriate learning support mathematics courses) F, Sp, Su

#### **MATH 1630** Finite Mathematics

Credits: 3

Brief review of algebra with emphasis on linear, quadratic, exponential, and logarithmic functions. Correlation, regression, matrix algebra, linear programming, mathematics of finance, and probability. Applications to business and finance. (Prerequisites: Two years of high school algebra and one year of geometry with an ACT of 23 or above OR appropriate learning support mathematics courses andMATH 1130). F, Sp

#### MATH 1720 Trigonometry

Credits: 3

Analysis of functions of angles, solutions of right and general triangles, graphs of trigonometric functions, identities and formulas, equation-solving techniques, polar coordinates. A calculator with trig and log functions will be needed by the student. (Prerequisites: Two years high school algebra and one year of geometry, or appropriate learning support mathematics courses and MATH 1130) F

## MATH 1730 PreCalculus

Credits: 4

Designed primarily for students planning to enter the calculus sequence, but who need more mathematical background. Topics include functions and graphing-algebraic, trigonometric, exponential and logarithmic, equations, the binomial theorem, and conics. A calculator with trig and log functions will be needed by the student. (Prerequisites: Two years high school algebra, a year of geometry and a score of 23 or higher on the math component of the ACT, OR appropriate RSCC courses, e.g. learning support and MATH 1130. Regardless of high school background, an ACT of less than 26 on the math component indicates that the student would profit from taking MATH 1730 before calculus.) F, Sp

#### MATH 1830 Calculus for Business

Credits: 3

A calculus course designed for students in the business or biological sciences. Differential and integral calculus of the algebraic, exponential and logarithmic functions with applications in business and economics. (Prerequisites: Two years of high school algebra and one year of geometry with an ACT of 24 or above or MATH 1130). F, Sp

#### MATH 1910 Calculus I

Credits: 4

The standard course in single-variable calculus is designed for students of science, engineering, mathematics, and computer science. Topics included are rates of change, limits, continuity, differentiation of algebraic and transcendental functions, applications of the derivative, anti-differentiation, basic integration and the fundamental theorem of the calculus. (Prerequisites: Two years high school algebra, one year of geometry, and one year of advanced math (including trigonometry) plus satisfactory ACT scores of 26 (or equivalent SAT scores) or above on the math component, MATH 1730 OR MATH 1710 and 1720 from RODP) F, Sp

#### MATH 1920 Calculus II

Credits: 4

A continuation of the standard year of freshman calculus, this course includes integration by substitution, by-parts, partial fractions and trigonometric substitutions for both algebraic and transcendental functions. Further applications of integration, such as area between curves, volumes of rotation, and surfaces of revolution are considered. Indeterminate forms, l'Hopital's Rule, and improper integrals are covered. Infinite series, including Taylor and MacClaurin with applications complete the semester. (Prerequisite: MATH 1910) Sp, Su

## **MATH 2000** Matrix Computations

Credits: 1

Introduction to matrix calculations including determinants, eigenvalues and eigenvectors. This is a five week class. (Prerequisite: MATH 1910 or permission of instructor.) Sp

#### MATH 2010 Matrix Algebra

Credits: 3

A first course in the algebra of simultaneous linear equations and matrices. Includes Gaussian elimination, determinants, vector spaces, linear transformation, eigenvalues, eigenvectors change of basis, Gram-Schmidt orthonormalization process, and applications. (Prerequisite: MATH 1910 or permission of instructor) Sp

MATH 2050 Probability and Statistics (Calculus-Based) Credits: 3 This calculus-based course is designed primarily for students of Business and Economics. It includes descriptive statistics, concepts of probability and probability distributions, binomial and normal distributions, linear correlation and regression, estimation and significance tests for means, ANOVA, contingency tables and quality control. A calculator and basic computer abilities are necessary. (Prerequisite: MATH 1830 or MATH 1910) Sp

#### MATH 2100 Discrete Mathematics

Credits: 3

This course is designed for mathematics and computer science majors. It includes symbolic logic, sets, relations and functions. Boolean algebra, combinatorics, and the concept of proof in mathematics and elementary number theory. (Prerequisite: MATH 1910) Sp

### MATH 2110 Calculus III

Credit

This course is a continuation of the first-year calculus sequence. Topics included are partial differentiation, multiple integrals, polar co-ordinate geometry and parametric equations, 3-D analytical geometry vectors and vector calculus. (Prerequisite: MATH 1920) F

#### **MATH 2120 Differential Equations**

Credits: 3

A study of the solution of ordinary differential equations, first order equations, linear equations of any order, series solutions, applications, Laplace transforms, and Runge-Kutta methods. (Prerequisite: MATH 1920 and it is strongly recommended that students also take MATH 2110). Sp

## Medical Transcription

MDT 102 Medical Terminology I

Credits: 3

A study of medical terminology word elements including prefixes, suffixes and root words. Diagnostic, clinical, laboratory, pharmaceutical and surgical terms are also learned as they pertain to each body system. (3 lecture hours/week)

# MDT 103 Anatomy Concepts in Medical Transcription

Credits: 2

A study of basic anatomy and physiology of all body systems. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### MDT 104 Medical Transcription I

Credits

Transcription practice of basic healthcare dictation incorporating skills in English language, technology, medical knowledge, proofreading, editing and research, while meeting progressively demanding accuracy standards. (18 laboratory hours/week)

#### MDT 105 Medical Transcription Procedures

Credits: 2

Emphasis is placed on healthcare documentation standards according to the AAMT Book of Style for Medical Transcription. A general overview of fundamental grammar concepts, capitalization, and punctuation usage relative to clinical documentation is provided. Course also includes an introduction to medicolegal issues and regulatory agency requirements as they relate to the practice of medical transcription. (2 lecture hours/week)

# MDT 110 Technology Concepts in Medical Credits: 2 Transcription I

This coursework is designed to introduce the student to word processing applications and related technologies and to develop computer skills and proficiency. It is designed to study, synthesize, and apply technologies used in healthcare documentation. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### MDT 111 Medical Transcription II

Credits: 5

Transcription of intermediate and advanced original healthcare dictation using advanced proofreading, editing, and research skills, while meeting progressively demanding accuracy and productivity standards. (18 laboratory hours/week)

#### MDT 112 Clinical Practicum

Credits: 3

Transcription practice of authentic physician dictation provided by a medical facility or transcription service. Prerequisite: MDT 111 or permission of Program Director. (240 clinical hours total/semester)

# MDT 118 Technology Concepts in Medical Credits: 2 Transcription II

A study of advanced Microsoft Word features designed to improve efficiency and accuracy of transcribed reports. Additional topics of study include electronic research techniques, electronic references and resources, troubleshooting, security issues, and related technologies. Practice with typing tutorial software to further increase speed and accuracy. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### MDT 120 Medical Terminology II

Credits: 3

A study of advanced anatomical terms, disease processes and associated pathology, laboratory, and radiology terminology. Common surgical terms, techniques, equipment, and instrumentation are also studied. (3 lecture hours/week)

# MDT 125 Pharmacology Concepts in Medical Credits: 2 Transcription

A study of the language of pharmacology including the correct spelling, pronunciation, classification and therapeutic use of commonly prescribed drugs. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### MDT 150 Special Topics in Medical Transcription

Credits: 2 to 5

Special topics may include the transcription of authentic medical dictation at an intermediate and/or advanced level to satisfy the total number of minutes required for program completion. Other special topics may include transcription-related topics such as speech recognition technology, transcription of ESL physician dictation, RMT review, etc. (Elective) 4 to 18 hours/week depending on topic of study. Note: (MDT 150 is optional unless the total number of minutes transcribed is less than 2100 upon completion of MDT 104, MDT 111 and MDT 112.)

## Management

#### MGT 200 Foundations of Business

Credits: 4

Nature of business, including economic issues and systems. An overview of the functional areas of business including management, marketing, financial systems, computers, accounting, business law, and careers in business is presented. Students may not receive credit for both MGT 200 and BUS 101. F

#### MGT 201 Management Concepts

Credits: 4

This course is an introduction to management with emphasis on the managerial functions, i.e., planning, organizing, staffing, directing and controlling. Also included is an exploration of leadership, motivation, communication, quality control and decision making from both an individual and a group standpoint. Students may not receive credit for both MGT 201 and BUS 281. F

#### MGT 203 Human Resource Management

Credits: 4

The study of the various aspects of human resource management with special emphasis on the training of personnel for both private and public organizations. Included in the course is the exploration of selection and recruitment; placement; evaluation techniques; collective bargaining and union/management relations; and compensation management including incentives and benefit packages. F

## MGT 205 Marketing in the Global Economy

Credits: 4

An overview and analysis of the activities performed by individuals, businesses, and nonprofit organizations that allow for the exchange of goods and services satisfying the needs of major markets. The course includes the study of controllable and uncontrollable market variables, marketing strategy and consumer behavior. Students may not receive credit for both MGT 205 and BUS 273. Sp

#### MGT 206 Applied Economics

Credits:

This course covers the foundations of economics-supply and demand and demand theory as well as features and goals of capitalism market systems, national income determinations, and monetary fiscal policy. Sp

#### MGT 207 Managerial Accounting and Finance

Credits: 4

This course focuses on the use of management accounting information and financial accounting information in various business settings. Additionally, the course will focus on accumulation and reporting accounting information. Sp

#### MGT 208 Training and Development

Credits: 4

Underscores the most recently developed training techniques with emphasis on needs assessment; teaching and learning skills; instructional systems design (ISD); and training delivery and evaluation. Management electives offered summer term only, on an alternating basis.

#### MGT 209 Interpersonal Communication

Credits: 4

An exploration and application of the basic concepts and principles of effective interpersonal and intergroup communication. Emphasis will be on the students' development of a personal action plan to improve their interpersonal communication skills. Management electives offered summer term only, on an alternating basis.

#### MGT 210 Business and Its Legal Environment

Credits: 4

The exploration of the laws and procedures affecting the legal environment of business including the nature and sources of law; courts and legal procedures; constitutional law; and the law of torts; in particular intellectual properties like copyrights and trademarks. Management electives offered summer term only, on an alternating basis.

#### MGT 211 Introduction to Global Business

Credits: 4

This course provides an introduction to global business and the evolving global economy. It focuses on the commercial, economic, financial and human/social aspects of globalization in the world today. The course examines what global business is and how it pervades most aspects of our lives. The course covers a wide range of perspectives on the pros and cons of globalization. In addition, the future impacts and trends related to globalization are explored. Management electives offered summer term only, on an alternating basis.

#### MGT 215 Special Topics in Management I

Credits: 1 to 8

An in-depth analysis of a particular topic, concern or problem as it applies to management. May be used for prior learning assessment with prior approval from the student's academic advisor.

# MGT 221 Introduction to Green Leadership and Credits: 4 Sustainability

Designed for the beginning student to understand the concepts of 'Green Leadership' and 'Sustainability,' this course will build the student's capacity to analyze, recommend, and implement sustainability programs within an organization. The course will further enable the student to initiate or continue quality improvements, develop eco-advantage, and enhance the triple-bottom-line of People, Planet, and Profit. The student will be able to perpetuate sustainable business practices which take from our Planet¿s limited resources no more than what can be replaced. The ultimate goal of sustainable business practices and Green leadership is to have a 'zero carbon footprint' which creates 'no-harm' to our environment.

# MGT 225 Resolving Conflict: Negotiating Successful Credits: 4 Solutions

In this course the student will gain an understanding of the various types of conflict and the causes of those conflicts. The student will learn different methods of successfully resolving conflict in both interpersonal and group environments. Additionally the student will learn ways to improve negotiation skills and other means of Alternate Dispute Resolution (ADR) available to resolve conflicts and solve problems. Students may not receive credit for both MGT 225 and BUS 236. Management electives offered summer term only, on an alternating basis.

## Magnetic Resonance Imaging

MRI 111 Physics and Instrumentation

Credits: 3

This course covers the basic principles of physics and instrumentation in the field of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI). Topics include magnetization, magnet hardware, gradient and radio-frequency coil technology, image formation techniques, image characteristics, pulse sequences, sequence parameters, and image artifacts. The course also covers the concepts of safety and bio-effects. Corequisite: Clinical Education I. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### MRI 113 Clinical Education I

Credits: 3

Students perform a variety of Magnetic Resonance Imaging procedures under supervision of a registered technologist at assigned facilities (students must complete a minimum of 120 exams following specific procedural requirements to qualify for the ARRT Magnetic Resonance certification examination). Co-requisite: MRI Physics and Instrumentation. (24 hours/week)

# MRI 115 Magnetic Resonance Imaging Patient Credits: 3 Applications

This course covers the basic principles of patient management and imaging protocols for Magnetic Resonance Imaging. Topics include patient care, cross-sectional anatomy, imaging procedures, post-processing techniques, special procedures, and quality control. Corequisite: Clinical Education II. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### MRI 117 Clinical Education II

Credits: 3

Students perform a variety of Magnetic Resonance Imaging procedures under supervision of a registered technologist at assigned facilities (students must complete a minimum of 120 exams following specific procedural requirements to qualify for the ARRT Magnetic Resonance certification examination). Co-requisite: Magnetic Resonance Imaging Patient Applications. (24 hours/week)

## Military Science Army

#### MSAR 1010 Foundations of Officership

Credits: 2

Discusses organization and role of the Army. Emphasizes basic life skills pertaining to fitness and communication. Analyzes Army values and expected ethical behavior. Adventure training skills lab introduces land navigation, rifle marksmanship, mountaineering and optional field training exercises. Course availability determined by host institution.

#### MSAR 1020 Basic Leadership

Credits: 2

Develops basic skills that underline effective problem solving. Examines factors that influence leader and group effectiveness. Emphasis communication skills to include active listening and feedback techniques. Adventure training skills lab introduces land navigation, rifle marksmanship, mountaineering and optional field training exercises. Course availability determined by host institution.

#### MSAR 1030 Army ROTC Fitness Program

Credits: 1

Develops individual muscular strength, muscular endurances and cardio-respiratory endurance. Classes are divided into groups based on ability and exercises are geared toward personal improvement. Primary evaluation is the Army Physical Fitness Test, which consists of pushups, situps and a two-mile run. May be repeated. Maximum 4. Course availability determined by host institution.

#### MSAR 2000 Leaders' Training Course

Credits: 4

A 28-day leadership of self, self-confidence, and individual leadership skills. Concentrates on problem solving and critical thinking skills. Emphasizes communication skills such as feedback and conflict resolution. Adventure training skills lab introduces land navigation, rifle marksmanship, mountaineering, and optional field training exercises. Course availability determined by host institution.

#### MSAR 2010 Individual Leadership Studies

Credits: 3

Develops knowledge of self, self-confidence, individual leadership skills. Concentrates on problem solving and critical thinking skills. Emphasizes communication skills such as feedback and conflict resolution. Adventure training skills lab introduces land navigation, rifle marksmanship, mountaineering, and optional field training exercises. Course availability determined by host institution.

#### MSAR 2020 Leadership and Problem Solving

Credits

Focuses on self-development through understanding of self and group processes. Examines leadership through group projects and historical case studies. Adventure training skills lab introduces land navigation, rifle marksmanship, mountaineering, and optional field training exercises. (Prerequisite: MSAR 201 or consent of the professor of Military Science) Course availability determined by host institution.

## Math-Science

MSC 1012 Introduction to Physical Science

Credits: 4

This is a survey course of the principles of physics and chemistry. Topics from the following areas will be covered: The nature of science, mechanics, energy momentum, sound and light, electricity and magnetism, atomic theory, chemical reactions, nuclear reactions, science and modern life. This course is designed primarily for students in the 2 + 2 education program. Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory) F, Sp, Su

#### MSC 261 Southwest Field Trip

Credits: 3

The Southwest Field Trip is a multidisciplinary and humanistic study (including contributions from anthropology, archeology, astronomy, biology, geography, geology, history, and literature) of the prehistoric and historic peoples and cultures of the 'Four Corner' area of the American southwest, including the ecology and geology of the region. Primary attention is given to the Ancestral Puebloans, ancient Native American peoples who lived throughout the Colorado Plateau. Sp

#### MSC 262 Southwest Field Trip

Credits: 3

The Southwest Field Trip is a multidisciplinary and humanistic study (including contributions from anthropology, archeology, astronomy, biology, geography, geology, history, and literature) of the prehistoric and historic peoples and cultures of the 'Four Corner' area of the American southwest, including the ecology and geology of the region. Primary attention is given to the Ancestral Puebloans, ancient Native American peoples who lived throughout the Colorado Plateau. Sp

## Music

#### MUS 010 Solo Class

Credits: 0

Performance opportunity for all students enrolled in Individual Instruction. Required of all students enrolled for two hours credit in Individual Instruction, and for Music and Music Education Option Students each semester. Solo class is also for students with a music scholarship. F, Sp

#### MUS 020 Recital

Credits: 0

Required of all Music and Music Education majors in their performance area with permission and recommendation of applied instructor. Should be registered for the last semester before graduation. F, Sp

#### MUS 101 Voice Class I

Credits: 1

Group instruction in basic vocal techniques, focusing on vocal styles of the 20th century. Class meets twice per week. F, Sp

## MUS 102 Voice Class II

Credits: 1 ormance

Continuation of group instruction in voice, focusing on performance skills and stage presence. Class meets twice per week. F, Sp

#### MUS 103 Class Piano I

Credits: 1

Group instruction in basic keyboard technique for students with little or no prior training in piano, or for music majors preparing for a piano proficiency exam. F, Sp

#### MUS 1030 Music Appreciation

Credits: 3

Open to all students who desire a better understanding of music. In this one-semester course, traditional art music will be explored through class lecture as well as weekly listening assignments. Available in lecture, video, and web format. F, Sp, Su

#### MUS 104 Class Piano II

Credits: 1

Group instruction in basic keyboard technique for students with little prior training in piano, or for music majors preparing for a piano proficiency examination. Electronic pianos will be used. Class meets twice weekly. Daily practice required. Should be taken in sequence. Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **MUS 105** Accompanying

Credits: 1

Accompany voice lessons, ensembles, and recitals in order to learn the fundamentals of accompanying. Two voice students assigned per semester hour. Admittance by audition. Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **MUS 106** Accompanying

Credits: 2

Students with acceptable piano proficiency accompany voice lessons, ensembles, and/or recitals. Two voice students assigned per credit hour. Admittance by audition. May be repeated for credit. (Students enrolled in MUS 105 or MUS 106 are eligible for scholarship awards.) Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **MUS 108 Contemporary Guitar Class**

This course explores the idiom of Bluegrass music with an emphasis on

Group instruction in basic skills of guitar, focusing on contemporary and folk music. Class meets twice weekly. Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **MUS 110** Music Theory I

Credits: 3

Credits: 1

A study of notation, tonality, intervals, triads, seventh chords and chord progressions leading to a fundamental understanding of harmony in 18th century music. (Prerequisite: Knowledge of music fundamentals.) F

#### **MUS 111** Ear Training I

Development and proficiency in identifying intervals, scales, and triads aurally. Ability to vocalize and notate basic melodies, harmonies and rhythms. Should be taken concurrently with MUS 110, Music Theory I.

#### **Roane State Concert Choir**

Credits: 1

Performs a variety of music, from pop to major choral works and selections from standard choral literature. Meets three hours per week. May be repeated for credit. Open to all students. F, Sp

#### **MUS 113** Celebration

Credits: 1

A contemporary show choir. Meets four hours per week and begins one week prior to the beginning of fall semester. Students accepted into Celebration are expected to participate in the class both fall and spring semester of the academic year. May be repeated for credit. Admission by audition only (Auditions are held each spring for the following year). F. Sp

#### **MUS 114 Celebration Choreography**

Credits: 1

Meets two hours per week and begins one week prior to the beginning of fall semester. Students accepted into Celebration are expected to participate in the class both fall and spring semesters of the academic year. F, Sp

#### **MUS 115 Small Instrument Ensembles**

Credits: 1

String, brass, and woodwind ensembles will rehearse three hours per week and perform three times during a semester. Classical literature for standard instrumentations will be emphasized. Rehearsal times arranged according to students' schedules. Assignment of groups to be determined by instructor. Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **MUS 116 Concert Band**

Credits: 1

Performs traditional and contemporary wind ensemble literature. Open to all qualified students. Meets three hours per week. Open to all students who play band instruments. Course availability determined by Program Director.

## **MUS 117**

Performs arrangements for jazz in contemporary and jazz-rock styles. Performances regularly scheduled off-campus, as well as for student body. Meets two hours per week. No audition is required. May be repeated for credit. F, Sp

#### **MUS 118** Gospel Choir

Credits: 1

Perform traditional and contemporary gospel music designed for students who enjoy singing gospel music. Emphasis is placed upon public performances. Meets three hours per week. May be repeated for credit. Open to all students. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 119** Women's Choir

Credits: 1

Vocal ensemble consisting of female students. Performs a variety of choral literature specifically designed for the female voice. Ensemble will perform a minimum of three times per semester. May be repeated for credit but not to replace a failing grade. Meets on the Oak Ridge campus. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 120 Music Theory II**

This course includes the study of standard vocabulary of harmony, part writing, form and analysis of common practice music. Must be taken in sequence. (Prerequisites: MUS 110; MUS 111) Sp

#### **MUS 121 Bluegrass Band**

performance. Students rehearse together in order to become familiar with playing in an ensemble, improve instrumental proficiency and prepare for performances. F, S.

#### **MUS 123 Ear Training II**

Credits: 1

This course covers development of proficiency in identifying and notating melodic, harmonic and rhythmic dictation. Must be taken in sequence. Should be taken concurrently with MUS 120.(Prerequisites: MUS 110; MUS 111) Sp

#### **MUS 126** Vocal Survey

Addresses issues related to the study of vocal music in a lecture, class discussion and performance format. Subjects of study include an introduction to vocal anatomy, diction (International Phonetic Alphabet), voice classification, voice literature, textual and musical interpretation, performance etiquette, stylistic appropriateness and career opportunities. (This course is intended for music majors with voice as a principle instrument. Students should complete two semesters total whether planning to continue in performance or education.) F, Sp

#### **MUS 131** Pop Music in America

Credits: 3

A survey of American music representative of the present day scene, focusing on the evolution of rock music. Open to all students. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **Stage Production Band**

Credits: 2

This course concentrates on reading written music of several different styles - pop, jazz, rock, broadway and classical. Students may work with RSCC musical productions produced through the music or music theatre departments. Instrumentation will vary each semester, but all instrumentalists are welcome including strings, brass, reeds, rhythm section, etc. (Prerequisite: music reading skills on one's particular instrument)(This course is intended for instrumental students with a strong reading background whether from a high school concert, marching, jazz band, or private study. Offered for students looking to fulfill the ensemble requirement for music majors or anyone wanting to improve their reading and performing skills.) F. Sp.

#### **Fundamentals of Music**

A beginning study of music, its terminology, and its elements such as notes, scales, intervals, keys, triads, meter and smaller forms. Designed to acquaint the student with notation, the keyboard, sight singing, and ear training. Open to all students. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 170**

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 171** Guitar

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F. Sp

#### **MUS 180**

Credits: 1

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 181** Piano

Credits: 2

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 182** Organ

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 183** Organ

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 190** Voice

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 191** Voice

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 192**

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 193** Woodwinds

Credits: 1

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 194 Strings**

Credits: 1

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 195** Percussion

Credits: 1

This course is an individual instruction class and may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 200 Music Seminar**

Credits: 1 to 3

This course is designed for those students who are interested in pursuing an in-depth study of some particular music area. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 210** Music Theory III

This course includes a study of tonicization, modulation, chromatic harmony, chord progressions, part writing, form and analysis leading to an understanding of harmony and melody in 19th century music. Must be taken in sequence. (Prerequisites: MUS 110, MUS 120) F

#### **MUS 213 Introduction to Digital Music**

Credits: 3 Introduction to the use of computer technology in music notation, recording and editing. Course investigates MIDI technology, sequencing and audio recording. While some musical knowledge is a plus, creativity will suffice. F, Sp

#### **MUS 214 Digital Music II**

This course is a continuation of Intro to Digital Music. Students will continue to learn the use of computer technology in music notation, recording and edition. This course further investigates MIDI technology, sequencing and audio recording. (Prerequisite: MUS 213) F, Sp

#### **MUS 215 Ear Training III**

Credits: 1

This course is a continuation of MUS 123, Ear Training II. Student continues to develop aural listening skills and proficiency in identifying intervals, compound intervals, modes and chords. Ability to vocalize and notate complex melodies, harmonies and rhythms. Should be taken concurrently with MUS 210. (Prerequisites: MUS 120; MUS 123) F

#### **MUS 220** Music Theory IV

Study of modulation, chromatic harmonies, 20th century harmonies, and other harmonic procedures since the common practice period. Must be taken in sequence. (Prerequisites: MUS 110, 120, 210) Sp

#### **Ear Training IV MUS 222**

Content covers development of proficiency in identifying and notating complex, melodic, harmonic and rhythmic dictation. Must be taken in sequence. Should be taken concurrently with MUS 220. (Prerequisites: MUS 210; MUS 215) Sp

#### **MUS 230** Introduction to Music Literature I

Credits: 3

Study of music in Western civilization from antiquity through the Baroque era. Students learn through class lecture, listening assignments, concert attendance, and performance of representative literature. Offered for non-music majors who can read music; required for music majors. Course availability determined by Director of Music Program.

#### **MUS 231 Music History Survey**

Credits: 3

Study of music in western civilization from antiquity through 20th century. Students learn through class lecture, listening assignments, concert attendance, and performance of representative literature. Offered for non-music majors who can read music; required for music majors. Course availability determined by Director of the Music Program.

#### **MUS 240 Introduction to Music Literature II**

A continuation of MUS 230, Introduction to Music Literature I, covering the Classic era through 20th century. Offered for non-music majors who can read music; required for music majors. (Offered only in alternate Spring semesters). Course availability determined by Director of the Music Program.

#### **Choral Conducting MUS 250**

Credits: 3

Study of choral conducting techniques; and management of church, school and community choral groups both vocally and organizationally. Offered for both music majors and non-music majors. Students should be able to read music. Course availability determined by Director of the Music Program.

#### **MUS 270** Guitar

Credits: 2

This course is an individual instruction class for first year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp **MUS 271** 

This course is an individual instruction class for second year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

This course is an individual instruction class for first year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 281**

This course is an individual instruction class for second year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 282**

This course is an individual instruction class for first year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### **MUS 283**

Credits: 2

This course is an individual instruction class for second year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

#### MUS 290 Voice

Credits: 2

This course is an individual instruction class for first year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp MUS 291 Voice Credits: 2

This course is an individual instruction class for second year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. F, Sp

MUS 292 Brass Credit

This course is an individual instruction class for second year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. Course availability determined by Director of the Music Program.

#### MUS 293 Woodwinds

Credits: 2

This course is an individual instruction class for second year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. Course availability determined by Director of the Music Program.

MUS 294 Strings

Credits: 2

This course is an individual instruction class for second year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. Course availability determined by Director of the Music Program.

MUS 295 Percussion Credits: 2

This course is an individual instruction class for second year music majors. This course may be repeated for credit. Students registering for this course should contact the instructor to schedule the lessons. Course availability determined by Director of the Music Program.

## Nanotechnology

#### NANO 1110 Nanoscience Fundamentals I

Credits: 4

This course is an introduction to nanoscience. It includes the history and significance of nanoscience and nanotechnology and an introduction of the knowledge, skills, and tools needed in the nanoscale world. This course teaches a sense of scale and the need for exponential notation. It also includes the importance of understanding molecular and atomic structure, the effects of surface area to volume ratio, and the predominant forces of the macroscale, microscale, and nanoscale world. These concepts are fundamental to learning how nanoscale interactions and phenomena differ from those in our common macroscale world. The course also includes specific study of the application of nanotechnology to biological areas such as the study of proteins, drug interactions, cell operation and ion channels and of sensing systems and newly developed diagnostic tools that are a result of understanding the biological system at the nanoscale. Finally, the course also includes the impact of nanoscience and nanotechnology on society and the environment and a technology maturity model for projecting the expected future impact. (Prerequisite/Corequisites: BIOL 1110 and MATH 1730)

#### NANO 1120 Nanoscience Fundamentals II

Credits: 4

Focuses on the material science, chemistry and physics aspects of the nanoscale. The course begins with the discussion of elemental attributes and how environment can impact properties and performance of the starting material. Crystal structure and material properties are then discussed with an emphasis on differences in interactions and measurements at various scale realms. Using the current semiconductor fabrication process as a foundation, students are introduced to the concepts and limitations of photolithography and etching processes. New approaches toward electronic circuits are introduced as students gain an understanding of the current process and necessary operation concepts for today's electronic devices. Connection from electronic circuits to the outside world is also covered. Finally, the concepts of optics, photonics and lasers are discussed with an emphasis on new devices and applications based at nanoscale properties. (Prerequisite: NANO 1110, Corequisites: CHEM 1110 and PHYS 2010) Sp

## Nursing

NSG 105 Foundations for Nursing Practice

Credits: 10

Introduction to the nursing process as it is applied to individuals at various stages throughout the life cycle. Content areas will include the role of nursing in health care delivery; basic human needs; legal and ethical considerations; the nursing process; therapeutic communication; vital signs; physical assessment; promotion of comfort; safety; hazards of immobility; infection control; wound care; medication administration; elimination; oxygenation; perioperative care; sensory alterations; sleep; nutrition; stress; psychosocial, cultural, and family factors in health care; loss, death, and grief; and patient education. (Prerequisites or corequisites: BIOL 2010; corequisite: NSG 118) (6 hours theory, 6 hours clinical, 6 hours laboratory) F

NSG 107 Care of the Childbearing Family

Credits: 3

Students will continue to apply the nursing process to care of the childbearing family. Content areas include family planning; conception & fetal development; pregnancy; fetal assessment; labor & delivery; postpartum care; care of the newborn; maternal-infant nutrition; and care of the high-risk child-bearing family. (Prerequisites: BIOL 2010, NSG 105, and NSG 118; Corequisites: BIOL 2020, NSG 109) (2.6 hours theory, 6 hours clinical for 1/2 semester) Sp

NSG 108 Care of the Childbearing Family for LPN Credits: 3 mobility

Includes all content in NSG 107. Corequisites BIOL 2020, NSG 126 F

NSG 109 Adult and Child Health I Credits: 6

This course introduces the student to pediatric and adult medical-surgical concepts within the framework of the nursing process. Emphasis is placed on pathophysiologic disturbances and related nursing skills. Content includes fluids and electrolyte, orthopedic, and common eye and ear disorders; oncologic hematologic, integumentary and reproductive disorders; and communicable diseases. (Prerequisites or corequisites for LPNs: NSG 105 and NSG 118; Corequisites BIOL 2020 and NSG 107) (3 hours theory, 6 hours clinical, 6 hours laboratory for 1/2 semester) Sp NSG 110 Adult and Child Health I for LPN mobility Credits: 6

Includes all content in NSG 109. Prerequisites NSG 126, NSG 108 Sp

NSG 118 Pharmacology in Nursing Credits: 3 This course will introduce the student to drug standards and legislation pertaining to drug therapy; drug preparation; basic principles of drug action; application of the nursing process in drug therapy; pediatric and geriatric implications in drug therapy; distribution systems; drug orders; mathematic principles related to drug preparation and administration; routes of drug administration; drug classifications; basic mechanisms of action, therapeutic applications, and nursing implications. (Prerequisite: Admission into Nursing Program; corequisite: NSG 105) F

# **NSG 126 Pharmacology in Nursing LPN** Credits: 3 Includes all content in NSG 118. Prerequisites: Admission to LPN mobility program or permission of program director, BIOL 2010,

Corequisites BIOL 2020, NSG 107, NSG 109. Sp: NSG 210 Adult and Child Health II

Credits: 10

A continuation of Adult and Child Health I. This course increases the pathophysiologic knowledge base in pediatric and adult medical-surgical health care within the framework of the nursing process. Content areas include the care of clients with cardiovascular, respiratory, renal, neurologic, endocrine, and gastrointestinal system dysfunctions. (Prerequisites: BIOL 2010, 2020, 2230, NSG 109, PSYC 2130) (6 hours theory, 12 hours clinical) F

# NSG 211 Adult and Child Health II for LPN Credits: 10 mobility

Includes all content in NSG 210. Prerequisites: BIOL 2010, 2020, 2230, NSG 110, PSY 220) (6 hours theory, 12 hours clinical) F

#### NSG 212 Psychosocial Nursing

Credits: 4

This course focuses on the psychosocial needs of individuals of differing age groups at varying points on the mental health continuum. Multiple theoretical models are presented as the scientific bases for the implementation of the nursing process. (Prerequisites: NSG 210) (3 hours theory, 6 hours clinical for 1/2 semester) Sp

NSG 213 Psychosocial Nursing for LPN mobility Credits: 4 Includes all content in NSG 212. Prerequisite NSG 211 Sp

#### NSG 215 Transitions to Nursing Practice Credits: 3

A seminar course which focuses on exploration of nursing roles, organizational approaches to the delivery of nursing care, client and organizational management, and contemporary issues in nursing and health care. Clinical experiences focus on refinement of advanced nursing skills and delegation. (Prerequisite: NSG 210) (1.7 class hours/week, 60 hours clinical/semester) Sp

# NSG 217 Transitions to Nursing Practice for LPN Credits: 3 mobility

Includes all content in NSG 215. Prerequisite NSG 211 Sp

NSG 290 Nursing Seminar

Credits: 1 to 3

In-depth analysis of a particular topic or concern in nursing. Courses may be oriented towards underserved populations, various health practices, or public health issues.

# NSG 291 Transcultural Nursing: Study of Credits: 2 Healthcare in an International Setting

This course provides the student the opportunity to experience a direct relationship with healthcare providers and recipients from various cultural backgrounds in an international setting. The students will travel to a supervised site for theoretical concepts as well as clinical experiences. Students will focus on differences and similarities in health care related to cultural values, beliefs and practices.

## Opticinary

## OPT 101 Introduction to Opticianry Credits: 4

A general overview of the field of Opticianry, intended to provide the student with a broad base for more advanced study. Included is the history of Opticianry, the visual sense, basic geometric optics, normal and abnormal vision, lens theory and design, frame design and principles of decentration, government regulations and licensure, as well as an introduction to the ophthalmic dispensing clinic. (3 lecture hours, 3 clinic hours / week)

#### OPT 110 Ophthalmic Dispensing I

Credits: 4

A continuation of Introduction to Opticianry to include frame fit and adjustment, prescription analysis, visual acuity, resolving prisms, influence of vertex distance on prescription, and introduction to presbyopia. (3 lecture hours, 3 clinic hours/week)

#### OPT 120 Ophthalmic Materials I

Credits: 4

This course is designed to introduce the student to the most commonly used ophthalmic devices, and the physical make-up of these devices. This includes single vision lenses, spectacle frames, and bifocal lenses, with special emphasis on how these devices are produced. Also included is an introduction to fabrication of lenses, developing a basis for layout, blocking, grinding, and verification procedures. Combined lecture/lab. (3 lecture hours, 3 lab hours/week)

#### **OPT 123** Geometric Optics for Opticians

Credits: 3

Surveys basic elements of geometric optics. Explores the basic theories of light, the electromagnetic spectrum, shadows and pinhole cameras, refraction at a plane surface, critical angle and internal reflection, lateral shift, apparent depth, prisms, mirrors, thin lenses and image formation. Emphasizes ray tracing and calculations. (Prerequisite: MATH 1130) (3 lecture hours/week)

#### OPT 130 Contact Lenses I

Credits: 4

An introduction to the fitting of contact lenses, following the history of contact and the development of new contact lens materials. Advantages and disadvantages of these materials are outlined, as well as indications and contra-indications to contact lens wear. Emphasis is placed on the optical principles behind contact lens correction, and the introduction of basic skills with related instrumentation. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### OPT 140 Practicum

Credits: 1

Supervised fieldwork in a retail dispensary under a licensed optician, optometrist, or ophthalmologist. (120 total hours/semester)

# **OPT 143** Anatomy and Physiology of the Eye Credits: 4 A detailed study of the structures and functions of the eye and its adnexa, as well as an overview of common ocular pathologies (4 lecture hours)

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#### OPT 210 Ophthalmic Dispensing II

Credits: 4

A continuation of Ophthalmic Dispensing I to include the optical properties of spectacle lenses and their relationship to the patient's refractive error, the spectacle management of presbyopia, the spectacle management of high power prescriptions and prescription analysis. (3 lecture hours, 3 clinic hours/week)

#### OPT 220 Ophthalmic Materials II

Credits: 4

A continuation of Ophthalmic Materials I, stressing: multifocal lenses - bifocals, trifocals, occupationals, blended and progressives. Increased hands-on experience with lens edging, including insertion, removal, and bench adjustment or spectacles. ANSI standards applied to all lab work. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### OPT 230 Contact Lenses II

Credits: 4

Continuation of Contact Lenses I with increased attention to lens selection and design. Fitting philosophies of hydrogel and gas permeable contact lenses are put into practice, and follow-up care is stressed. Insertion, removal, and diagnostic skills are increased. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

## OPT 260 Ophthalmic Dispensing III

Credits: 4

A continuation of Ophthalmic Dispensing II to include advanced prescription analysis, clinical astigmatism, fashion spectacle dispensing, aniseikonia, low vision care, clinical types of hyperopia, ocular injuries and emergencies, visual field anomalies, orthoptics, prosthetic eyes, ophthalmic instrumentation, and theory of refraction. (3 lecture hours, 3 clinic hours/week)

**OPT 280** 

#### **OPT 270 Ophthalmic Materials III**

Credits: 4 A continuation of Ophthalmic Materials II to include cataract eyewear, glass lens tempering, high minus lens designs/materials, and a variety of specialty lenses. Practice management including: ordering, inventory, duty to warn, equipment maintenance, semantics and salesmanship. Licensed professional responsibilities are presented, along with the latest trends (fashion, technological breakthroughs). Advanced spectacle

progressive lenses, bifocal projects, and prism RXs. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

**Contact Lenses III** 

Continuation of Contact Lenses II, dealing mainly with special fitting problems and special lens design. Practice management techniques are included, as well as continued use of all needed instrumentation. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

fabrication in the lab, to include: semirimless mounts, various repairs,

Occupational Therapy Assistant

**Introduction to Occupational Therapy** This course introduces the student to the profession of occupational therapy and the health care system. The holistic approach of occupation as a concept and an orientation to ethics is provided. Information is presented that relates to the role of the occupational therapy assistant and includes the purpose, philosophy, and history of the profession. (2) lecture hours/week)

**OTA 107 Therapeutic Activities**  Credits: 3

This course will provide a conceptual overview of activity analysis and practice skill in the therapeutic use of technology, manual arts, media, and activity (occupation). Planning, preparation, learning methods, and safety factors are emphasized. Therapeutic occupations will be approached using occupational therapy terminology from the Practice Framework Domain and Process. (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/ week)

#### **OTA 110** Theory and Treatment of Psychosocial Credits: 5 Dysfunction

This course will present descriptions of psychosocial dysfunction commonly treated in occupational therapy. Theories of occupational therapy treatment will be explored and students will practice a variety of techniques used in identifying and treating psychosocial disorders to promote rehabilitative change. Reading assignments, discussions, presentations, practice application of standardized assessments in lab, and structured learning activities will be utilized to prepare students to interact effectively and safely in psychosocial treatment situations. (4 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### Level I Psychosocial Fieldwork **OTA 115**

Credits: 2

This course will provide directed observation and participation in either a psychosocial or life-development community setting to develop occupational therapy principles, professional behaviors, and therapeutic skills. (15 lecture hours, 40 clinical fieldwork hours/semester)

**OTA 117 Neurological Theory and Treatment** Credits: 5 Students will review basic neuroanatomy, neurophysiology and learn pathologies commonly seen in occupational therapy. Students will be introduced to concepts of rehabilitation and accepted treatment techniques through application of treatment principles in lab. Study of normal movement, abnormal movement, and the developmental sequence is included at the entry level of practice. (4 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

**OTA 121** Level I Physical Disability Fieldwork Students will experience directed observation and participation with occupational therapy in a physical disability setting to learn the clinical application of occupational therapy principles and practice. (15 lecture hours, 40 clinical fieldwork hours/semester)

#### **OTA 124 Human Movement for Occupation**

Credits: 3

This course presents a study of the kinetics of human motion. Emphasis will be placed on normal motion and movement patterns in the context of activity and Occupational Therapy. Procedures for range of motion, manual muscle testing and movement analysis will be reinforced. The course will also introduce biomechanical principles, postural considerations and functional characteristics of the musculoskeletal system. (2 hours lecture, 3 hours lab)

#### **OTA 210** Theory and Treatment of Physical Dysfunction

The student will learn about physical pathologies, conditions, and disabilities commonly seen in occupational therapy as well as current evidence-based treatment techniques and methods. Treatment applications and rationale will be explored in lecture and laboratory with simulated treatment practice. (4 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week) Credits: 2

#### **OTA 212 Occupational Therapy Practice** Management

Students will develop knowledge of responsibilities required to provide occupational therapy in a community or health care setting. Responsibilities include operations, supervisory requirements, quality assurance, and compliance with regulations. Planning and management of activity service programs are also included. Occupational therapy discussions will include current topics and issues in practice, promotion of the profession, and the changing role from student to practitioner.(2 lecture hours/week)

**OTA 216 Pediatric Theory and Treatment** Credits: 5 Students will be introduced to commonly treated disorders in children and developmentally disabled individuals. Occupational therapy treatment techniques, rationale and application are presented. Laboratory

experience will include entry level treatment skills and simulated treatment practice using purposeful activities (occupation). (4 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

OTA 221 Level II Fldwrk - Placement 1

Students will participate in 8 week, full-time (or 320 hours) supervised clinical fieldwork experience in preparation for entry-level practice. Practice settings may include traditional and/or emerging practice areas (ACOTE standards, 2006). Students will integrate academic knowledge, including human growth/development, disease/disability, psychosocial factors, and client-centered, occupation-based treatment interventions in the provision of occupational therapy services across the lifespan. Outside assignments are required. Prerequisites: all academic coursework must be completed prior to beginning Level II Fieldwork. (40 hours/week)

Level II Fieldwork - Placement 2 **OTA 226** Students will participate in 8 week, full-time (or 320 hours) supervised clinical fieldwork experience in preparation for entry-level practice. Practice settings may include traditional and/or emerging practice areas (ACOTE standards, 2006). Students will integrate academic knowledge, including human growth/development, disease/disability, psychosocial factors, and client-centered, occupation-based treatment interventions in the provision of occupational therapy services across the lifespan. Outside assignments are required. Prerequisites: all academic coursework must be completed prior to beginning Level II Fieldwork. (40 hours/week)

## **Paramedic**

#### PARA 2100 Paramedic I

Credits: 12

Paramedic I is the first of three lecture and laboratory courses to prepare the student for the National Registry Paramedic examinations. Topics include paramedic roles and responsibilities, medical/legal considerations, general pathophysiology, general pharmacology, airway management, and cardiology. (Prerequisite: Admission to the Paramedic Program; Co-requisite: PARA 2150) (11 lecture hours/ 4 laboratory hours/week).

#### PARA 2150 Clinic I

Credits: 2

This course provides the paramedic student with an opportunity to apply previously learned knowledge and skills in a supervised clinical setting. Rotations in this course include the emergency department, respiratory therapy, psychiatric observation, geriatric care, ambulatory care and critical care. (Co-requisite: PARA 2100) (180 clinical hours/semester).

#### PARA 2200 Paramedic II

Credits: 12

Paramedic II is the second of three lecture and laboratory courses to prepare the student for the National Registry Paramedic examinations. Topics include pulmonology, neurology, endocrinology, gastroenterology, urology and nephrology, hematology, gynecology, obstetrics, neonatology, pediatrics, and trauma. (Prerequisite: PARA 2100; Co-requisite: PARA 2250) (11 lecture hours/ 4 laboratory hours/ week).

#### PARA 2250 Clinic II

Credits: 2

This course provides the paramedic student with an opportunity to apply previously learned knowledge and skills in a supervised clinical setting. Rotations in this course include surgery, pediatric emergency department, pediatric critical care, labor and delivery and ALS Ambulance Orientation. (Prerequisite: PARA 2150; Co-requisite: PARA 2200) (180 clinical hours/semester).

#### PARA 2300 Paramedic III

Credits: 12

Paramedic III is the third of three lecture and laboratory courses to prepare the student for the National Registry Paramedic examinations. Topics include research methodologies, trauma, allergies and anaphylaxis, toxicology and substance abuse, environmental emergencies, psychiatric and behavioral disorders, clinical decision-making, and domestic violence. Upon successful completion of all Paramedic courses, the student will be eligible for State of Tennessee Paramedic licensure. (Prerequisite: PARA 2200; Co-requisite: PARA 2350) (11 lecture hours/ 4 laboratory hours/week).

#### PARA 2350 Clinic III

Credits: 2

This course provides the paramedic student with an opportunity to apply previously learned knowledge and skills in a supervised team lead setting. Rotations in this course include approved ambulance services. (Prerequisite: PARA 2250; Co-requisite: PARA 2300) (180 clinical hours/semester).

## Pharmacy

## PHAR 1010 Introduction to Pharmacy Practice Credits: 3

An overview of pharmacy practice as it relates to pharmacy technicians. Highlights of the course include: history of pharmacy, pharmacy operations and processes in both acute care and community pharmacy, reading, interpreting and filling prescriptions and the differences in the role of pharmacist and technician. Field trips to different places of pharmacy practice are also included. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### PHAR 1020 Anatomy for Pharmacy Technician

This is a web course that gives a basic and broad overview of human anatomy and physiology in eight body systems. Exposure to medical terminology in the pharmacy setting as it relates to those systems and medications to treat common conditions is also provided. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### PHAR 1030 Pharmacy and Therapeutics I

Credits: 2

Basic principles of pharmacology, including an introduction into dispensing methods of medication, drug classifications, mechanisms of action, proper dosing frequencies, adverse reactions, and drug interactions. Identify medications used in the different body systems for the treatment of various disease processes. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### PHAR 1040 Pharmacy and Therapeutics II

Credits: 2

Basic principles of pharmacology, including an introduction into dispensing methods of medication, drug classifications, mechanisms of action, proper dosing frequencies, adverse reactions, and drug interactions. Identify medications used in the different body systems for the treatment of various disease processes. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### PHAR 1050 Pharmacy Calculations

Credits

This course is designed to prepare the pharmacy tech student to function in academic and clinical settings with mathematics competence. There will be a review of fractions, decimals and percentages. Pharmacy calculations will include an introduction to: calculations involving alligation, ratio, flow rates, dilutions, proportions and enlarging or reducing formulae, and dosage calculations. Also included are conversions between household, Apothecary and metric systems and how to interpret and calculate dosages from prescriptions and physician orders. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### PHAR 1110 Pharmacy Law and Ethics

Credits: 2

This course will discuss state and federal laws, which govern the practice of pharmacy and the distribution of drugs. Students will also be introduced to the Tennessee Pharmacy Act and the Rules and Regulations promulgated by the Tennessee Board of Pharmacy, health and safety regulations, effective communication with patients and co-workers, patient confidentiality, and other ethical aspects of the profession. (2 lecture hours/week)

## PHAR 1120 Basics of Pharmacy I

Credits: 3

This course will give the student an introduction to pharmacy abbreviations, prescription transcription, dosage forms, various routes of administration, storage requirements for specific drugs and introduction of narcotic drug schedules. Computer software is provided to enable the student to experience prescription order entry. Brand generic names are emphasized of the top 200 drugs. (2 lecture hours, 2 laboratory hours/week)

#### PHAR 1130 Basics of Pharmacy II

Credits: 3

This course will discuss the fundamentals of the preparation of sterile fluids as well as how to handle these in a sterile manner. Introduction of compounding techniques is also discussed. Inventory management, blood glucose monitoring and advanced prescription interpretation are also included. (2 lecture hours, 2 laboratory hours/week)

## PHAR 1210 Pharmacy Practice I

Credits: 4

This is a clinical rotation which provides the student practical hands on experience. The student will work under the direct supervision of a licensed pharmacist in a hospital and or a health care center. Enrollment is at the discretion of the Program Director. (144 contact hours/semester; 7 weeks)

#### PHAR 1220 Pharmacy Practice II

Credits: 4

This is a clinical rotation which provides the student with practical experience in a retail setting. The student will work under the direct supervision of a licensed pharmacist in area retail establishments. Enrollment is at the discretion of the Program Director. (144 contact hours/semester; 7 weeks)

#### PHAR 1230 Special Projects

Credits: 3

Independent study of special areas in pharmacy which relate to current topics or research projects. No student may enroll in this course without the prior approval of the program director. (3 hours/week)

## Physical Education

PHED 1080 Jujitsu I

Credits: 1

This course will demonstrate the techniques and movements utilized in Jujitsu, an ancient form of self-defense that originated in Japan. The course will also explore Jujitsu's underlying philosophy and terminology. Optional addition: Jujitsu was designed to turn the force of an opponent's attack against him, throw an attacker off-balance, topple the opponent, and immobilize him after getting him on the ground. (as needed)

#### PHED 1090 Team Games & Conditioning

This course implements all the aspects needed to play various types of team sports, including, but not limited to conditioning, weight training, and fundamentals. Instructor Approval

#### PHED 1100 Fitness Walking

Proper techniques for walking for fitness. Emphasis on health benefits of walking. F, Sp

## PHED 1110 Jujitsu II

Credits: 1

This course expands on the material from Jujutsu I. This course will demonstrate the techniques and movements utilized in Jujitsu, an ancient form of self-defense that originated in Japan. The course will also explore Jujitsu's underlying philosophy and terminology. Prerequisite: PHED 1080 - Jujitsu I.

#### PHED 1120 Exercise and Weight Control

Credits: 1

For those interested in losing body fat and improving physical fitness. (as needed)

#### PHED 1140 Fitness Running

Credits: 1

or 2

Fitness Running is endurance conditioning of the heart, lungs, blood vessels, and working muscles. The emphasis is on running. Students will learn basic fitness testing and instruction on running equipment, running form, and warm up/cool down. This course will prepare a student to run a 5 K.

#### PHED 1160 Marathon/ Distance Training

An advanced running course in which principles of long distance/ marathon running are discussed and applied to provide a foundation for high level aerobic fitness. Knowledge in the areas of bio-mechanics, nutrition, training principles and programs, physiology, and running performance will be developed in lecture/discussion format. Running, both tempo and endurance, will be featured throughout the course. Prerequisite: PHED 1140 or permission from the instructor.

#### PHED 1170 Basketball

Credits: 1

Practice of fundamentals as well as the various types of play. (as needed) PHED 1180 Bowling Credits: 1

Proper selection of equipment, correct method of approach and release of the bowling ball, and scoring. A fee will be charged for facility and equipment rental. F, Sp

#### PHED 1210 Golf

Credits: 1

Acquaintance of the beginning player with correct swing, selection and use of the various clubs, and fundamentals. (as needed)

#### PHED 1220 Flag Football

Credits: 1

Instruction and practice in exercises, rules, strategies and skill development designed to promote fitness while engaging friendly competition.

#### PHED 1230 Soccer

Credits: 1

Soccer is an introductory level course designed to help the student develop and maintain an understanding of the fundamental skills and rules for participation in the sport.

#### PHED 1300 Beginning Weight Training

Credits: 1

An introduction to the proper techniques and practices of weight training. F, Sp

## PHED 1340 Tennis

Credits: 1

Instruction and practice in the development of basic strokes, rules, and terminology, with emphasis on learning to play singles and doubles. (as needed)

#### PHED 1350 Volleyball

Credits: 1

Fundamentals, rules, and strategy of play. (as needed)

#### PHED 1380 Fitness for Living I

Credits: 1

An individual total fitness program which encompasses these health related components for physical activity: cardiorespiratory endurance, muscular endurance, muscular strength, flexibility and body composition. There will be an additional emphasis on the development of a healthy, well-balanced nutrition plan. F, Sp, Su

PHED 1390 Fitness for Living II

Credits: 1

A continuation of PHED 1380 (Prerequisite: PHED 1380) F, Sp, Su PHED 1400 Fitness for Living III

Credits: 1

An individual fitness program which encompasses these health related components for physical activity: cardio respiratory endurance, muscular endurance, muscular strength, flexibility and body composition. There will be additional emphasis on the development of programs focusing on healthy backs and becoming a smart health consumer. (Prerequisite: PHED 1390)F, Sp, Su

#### PHED 1410 Fitness for Living IV

Credits: 1

An individual fitness program which encompasses cardio respiratory endurance, muscular endurance, muscular strength, flexibility and body composition.(Prerequisite: PHED 1400) F, Sp, Su

#### PHED 1420 Personal Fitness

Credits: 1

To develop a total fitness program which encompasses cardio respiratory endurance, muscular endurance, muscular strength, and flexibility while participating in an exercise plan tailored to their individual needs by utilizing the equipment and facilities at National Fitness Center in Oak Ridge. (An additional course fee is required for this class) F, Sp

#### PHED 1430 Fundamentals of Rappelling and Rock Credits: 1 Climbing

This course is designed to introduce students to the basics of rappelling and rock climbing. Primary topics covered will be: (a) climbing gear and equipment, (b) climbing techniques, (c) anchor building, (d) direct, indirect and redirect belaying techniques, (e) releasable rappels, (f) reading terrain, and (g) site management. Secondary, emphasis will be placed on the following topics: (a) history of climbing, (b) leadership in climbing environments, (c) basic rock/guiding principles and (d) natural history of climbing environments. In addition, a large portion of the class will focus on risk identification, participant screening, and activity administration.

## PHED 1450 Beginning Scuba

Credits: 1

This course instructs the novice in the skills of SCUBA diving. Emphasis is placed on safety and a pattern of survival in all phases of underwater instruction. Some time will be spent in classroom theory and lecture. A greater part will be spent in pool/lab work and open water dive trips. Field trips are required for certification. Upon successful completion of the course, the student will become a certified SCUBA diver, receiving an Open Water Diver certification from PADI (Professional Association of Diving Instructors) (An additional fee is required for this class)F, Sp, Su

#### PHED 1550 Advanced Scuba

Credits: 1

Advanced Scuba will provide students with diving exploration, excitement, and experience. Advanced Scuba (PADI Advanced Open Water Diver Course) is focused on these three diving foundations. This course is designed so students can go straight into it after the PADI Open Water Diver Course. Advanced Scuba (PAID Advanced Open Water Diver course) helps students increase their confidence and build additional scuba skills so students can become more comfortable in the water. Advanced Scuba is a great way to get more dives logged while continuing to learn under the supervision of a PADI Dive instructor. Upon satisfactory completion in the class, the student will receive a PADI Advanced Open Water certification card. Advanced Scuba (PADI Advanced Open Water Diver Course) is focused on just diving. The class will introduce students to (and build their skills in) Â; Underwater navigation (Learn how NOT to get lost), Deeper water diving (typically anywhere between 60-80 feet), (Learn the affects of depth and understanding your limits), Fish Identification, and Peak Performance Buoyancy (Learn how to stay off the coral!!!).

#### PHED 1560 Skiing

Credit

Instruction and practice for the development of skiing skills. Class will be held at Ober-Gatlinburg on four sessions. A fee for facility use, ski rental, lift tickets, and insurance will be charged for this activity. (as needed)

#### PHED 1750 Concepts of Wellness

Credits: 2

A course that emphasizes a six-dimensional model of wellness (physical, emotional, occupation, social, spiritual, and intellectual). This course will stress the importance of creating a balance of these dimensions that make up our daily lives. This course will fulfill requirements of one physical education activity course. F, Sp

#### PHED 2030 Intermediate Weight Training

Credits: 1

An introduction of more advanced weight training terminology, concepts, and instruction in developing a weight training program.

#### PHED 2040 Advanced Weight Training

Credits: 1

Instruction and practice in developing and utilizing a weight training program that incorporates periodization.

#### PHED 2050 Recreational Hiking

Credits: 1

Instruction and experience in hiking for exercise and recreational enjoyment: Fundamentals of hiking, safety concerns, preparation and planning, and use of trail maps. (Prerequisite: P.E. Fitness Walking or permission of instructor) (as needed)

#### PHED 2060 Snowboarding

Credits: 1

Instruction and practice for the development of basic skills. Course orientation sessions will include clothing and equipment, exercise and preparation, trail maps, etiquette, and safety. Ski/Snowboarding activities will be at resorts to be arranged for each semester. Fees required for ski rental, group lessons, lift tickets, and insurance; additional fees for travel, meals, and lodging for Colorado excursions.

#### PHED 2070 Jujitsu III

Credi

This course expands on the material from Jujutsu I and II. This course will demonstrate the techniques and movements utilized in Jujitsu, an ancient form of self-defense that originated in Japan. The course will also explore Jujitsu's underlying philosophy and terminology.

#### PHED 2080 Jujitsu IV

Credits: 1

This course expands on the material from Jujutsu I, II, and III. This course will demonstrate the techniques and movements utilized in Jujitsu, an ancient form of self-defense that originated in Japan. The course will also explore Jujitsu's underlying philosophy and terminology.

## PHED 2310 Wilderness Camping

Credits: 3

A course designed to inform the novice through the experienced outdoors-person on the latest equipment, techniques, and clothing for safe hiking and camping. Students may apply this course toward one of the required physical education activity courses. (as needed)

#### PHED 2510 Swimming

Credits: 1

Training for beginners in swimming, emphasizing recreational swimming. A special fee will be charged for this course based on facility rental charges. (as needed)

## PHED 2550 Rowing

Credits: 1

Fundamentals of rowing, including proper technique, safety, physical fitness, terminology, and recreational aspects of rowing. (as needed)

## Philosophy

## PHIL 1030 Introduction to Philosophy

Credits: 3

This is a general introductory course designed to familiarize the student with the basics of philosophical inquiry. In this course we will discuss the 'big' questions of life while looking at some of the answers the great philosophers of the Western tradition have devised. Prerequisites: No prerequisites except the ability to read and write at a college level; and to enjoy a sense of curiosity about life. Students who are unfamiliar with the internet and/or computers will want to spend some time before class starts getting to know the basics. F. Sp

#### PHIL 111 Elementary Logic

Credits: 3

Study of the principles of reasoning, deductive and inductive fundamentals, and the use of logic as a practical tool for critical thinking. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### PHIL 121 Elementary Ethics

Credits: 3

Credits: 1

Critical analysis of the principal ethical theories and their application to the problem of life. F

#### PHIL 130 Philosophy Seminar

to 3

Designed to give students an in-depth study of a particular topic in contemporary branches of philosophy. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

PHIL 201 Introduction to Religions of the World Credits: 3 Introduction to the study of religion through selected historical traditions, East and West. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### PHIL 231 Medical Ethics

Credits: 3

Deals with ethical issues in allied health fields such as abortion, euthanasia, patient-professional relationships, allocation of medical resources, genetic engineering, and related topics. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

## **Physics**

#### PHYS 1020 Introduction to Physics

Credits: 4

Emphasis is placed on understanding the nature of physics and applying basic physics concepts in one's everyday life experience and work. Topics covered include mechanical motion, energy, temperature and heat, fluids, electricity, magnetism, and wave motion. This course is NOT for science or engineering majors. Prerequisites of Algebra II and Geometry.

#### PHYS 2010 Non-Calculus Based Physics I

Credits: 4

Covers mechanics, wave motion, and heat. (Prerequisite: MATH 1130 and MATH 1720 OR MATH 1730 or equivalent) Must be taken in sequence. Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F

#### PHYS 2020 Non-Calculus Based Physics II

Credits: 4

Covers electricity and magnetism, optics, and modern physics. (Prerequisite: PHYS 2010) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) Sp

#### PHYS 2110 Calculus Based Physics I

Credits: 4

Covers mechanics, wave motion, and heat (Prerequisite: MATH 1910) Must be taken in sequence. Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) F

#### PHYS 2120 Calculus Based Physics II

Credits: 4

Covers electricity and magnetism, optics, and modern physics. (Prerequisite: PHYS 2110) Each student is assessed a lab fee for this course. (3 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory) Sp

## Political Science

#### POLS 1025 Introduction to Political Science

Credits: 3

An introduction to the analysis of politics and of political systems and political ideologies in various countries. Sp

#### POLS 1030 American Government

Credits: 3

An introduction to the fundamental institutions and processes of American national politics including the constitution, civil liberties, political parties, voting, the presidency, congress, and the courts. F, Sp POLS 2010 State and Local Government Credits:

The course will study state and local government in Tennessee with a general survey of state and local government in the United States. The course will look at the Tennessee Constitution, the three branches and administrative agencies of state government. The course will also examine the organization and powers of municipalities and counties in Tennessee.

## Polysomnography

PSG 101 Polysomnography I

Credits: 4

This course covers the International 10-20 system, application of sensors used in polysomnograms, calibrations and functioning of polysomnographic equipment, electrical safety, artifact elimination, and procedures used in performing sleep studies. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

**PSG 104** Sleep Disorders Diagnosis and Treatments Credits: 4 This course covers sleep history; symptoms, diagnosis and treatment of sleep disorders; neuroanatomy, neurophysiology and respiratory anatomy and functioning during sleep; and medical guidelines for polysomnography. (4 lecture hours/week)

**PSG 107 Polysomnographic EKG Interpretation** Credits: 3 This course covers identification of cardiac dysrhythmias, anatomy of the heart and abnormal heart rhythms seen during polysomnography. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### PSG 111 Polysomnography II

Credits: 4

This course covers troubleshooting equipment malfunctions, CPAP, Bi-Level, and Auto-titrating therapy titrations, conducting the all night polysomnogram, MSLTs, MWTs, GER studies and NPT studies. Ancillary equipment and maintenance of polysomnographic equipment. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### **PSG 116** Polysomnographic Interpretations

Credits: 3

This course covers all aspects of polysomnogram interpretation and report calculations. It will include sleep staging, interpretation of normal and abnormal EEG, respiration, body movements and cardiac rhythms. (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### PSG 120 Clinical I

Credits: 3

Students will complete rotations at clinical sites to gain experience working with polysomnographic equipment and sleep disorders patients. (120 total clinical hours/semester)

#### PSG 125 Clinical II

Credits: 5

Continuation of Clinical I. (240 total clinical hours/semester)

## Psychology

## PSYC 1030 General Psychology

Credits: 3

A survey course dealing with the scientific analysis of human behavior and mental processes. F, Sp, Su

#### PSYC 2110 Psychology of Adjustment

Credits: 3

A survey course dealing with adjustment in modern society focusing on a healthy self-concept, coping with psychological stress, and preventing maladjustment. Emphasis on humanistic principles and research. (as needed)

#### PSYC 2120 Social Psychology

Credits: 3

Social Psychology focuses on the scientific study of individual behavior in group contexts, group behavior, and associated phenomena. Includes instruction in social learning theory, group theory and dynamics, sex roles, social cognition and inference, attribution theory, attitude formation, criminal behavior and other social pathologies, altruistic behavior, social development, and social ecology. F, SP

#### PSYC 2130 Life Span Psychology

Credits: 3

A survey course dealing with the physical, cognitive, social and emotional aspects of the human developmental processes-from conception to death. F, Sp, Su

#### PSYC 2220 Biological Basis of Behavior

Credits:

A survey course describing the theories and research involving the role of genetic factors, nervous and endocrine systems and other biological features influencing human behavior and mental processes. F, Sp

#### PSYC 2230 Abnormal Psychology

redits:

Definition of abnormal behavior. Survey of development and treatment of anxiety disorders, affective disorders, schizophrenia, paranoid disorders, personality disorders, organic mental disorders, somatoform disorders, dissociative disorders, childhood disorders, psychosexual disorders, and drug dependence. (Recommended: PSYC 1030) F, Sp

## Physical Therapist Assistant

#### PTA 121 Kinesiology

Credits: 3

This course presents the basic concept of kinesiology. The perspective taken in studying this subject is from that of a physical therapist assistant or occupational therapy assistant. A detailed understanding of musculoskeletal anatomy will be reinforced and the neurological connections highlighted. Emphasis is placed on normal motion and movement patterns, especially as they apply to physical rehabilitation. Biomechanical principles and functional characteristics of the musculoskeletal system are introduced. The course includes an introduction to posture, normal and pathological gait, goniometry and MMT. (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### PTA 141 Patient Care Techniques

Credits: 4

This course introduces the student to basic skills necessary for safe care of the patient and teaches the theory and techniques of basic patient care procedures. Included are: basic assessment skills, body mechanics, patient positioning, draping, bed mobility, transfers, gait training with assistive devices, wheelchair skills, functional training, ADL training, environmental/architectural barrier identification and modification, bandaging, infection control and asepsis and ROM exercise. (2 lecture hours, 6 laboratory hours/week)

#### PTA 151 Therapeutic Modalities

Credits: 5

The general principles of treatment, indications, contraindications, physiological effects of superficial heat and cold, massage, phototherapy, hydrotherapy, deep heat modalities, mechanical traction, intermittent compression and electrotherapy are discussed and practiced. (3 lecture hours, 6 laboratory hours/week)

#### PTA 214 Treatment of Medical/Surgical Conditions Credits: 3

This course introduces the student to common medical and surgical conditions. This will include definition and overview, incidence, etiology, risk factor, pathogenesis, clinical manifestation, diagnosis, prognosis, treatment (medical, surgical). Specific attention will be paid to physical therapy aspect of treatment and management. Implication of patient response to physical therapy intervention will be investigated. This will include how the condition will present in the physical therapist's evaluation. Also, presented will be: how a condition will alter patient response to specific PT interventions, what modification of PT interventions may be indicated, what precautions and contraindications exist. Selected treatments skills will be introduced and developed in the areas of cardiac & pulmonary rehabilitation, wound and burn management.(3 lecture hours/week)

PTA 235 Advanced Physical Therapy Procedures I Credits: 6 This course introduces the student to the fundamentals of therapeutic exercise as they pertain to orthopedic conditions, arthritis, aging and amputations. There will be opportunity to learn and practice specific treatment techniques for these conditions such as selected examination procedures, demonstrating and teaching therapeutic exercises and writing home exercise programs. (3 hours lecture, 6 hours laboratory/week)

PTA 236 Advanced Physical Therapy Procedures II Credits: 6 This course introduces the student to the treatment fundamental for the adult or pediatric patient with neurological damage, wound and burn care. Developmental sequence of gross and fine motor skills, an introduction to normal/abnormal movement patterns, concepts of motor learning and training are included. Use of orthotics is introduced. Rehabilitation concepts and procedures are discussed and practiced in terms of goals, indications, contraindications/precautions, modifications, adaptations, documentation and discharge planning per patient status. Selected pathologies will be covered. This will include definition and overview, incidence, etiology, risk factors, pathogenesis, clinical manifestation, diagnosis, prognosis, treatment (medical, surgical, physical therapy). (4 lecture hours, 6 laboratory hours/week)

PTA 238 **Clinical Preparation I** Credits: 2 This course prepares the PTA student for his/her clinical experiences and entry into the field as a physical therapist assistant. Information on non-verbal, oral and written communication used by rehabilitation professionals is presented. This will include medical records, patient documentation, and the use of professional literature to write abstracts and perform medical literature review. Emphasis will be on the practical use of medical terminology, medical documentation and medical conversations. The basic principles of risk management are presented. Investigation and integration of personal and professional attitudes and behaviors are pursued in selected areas. The role of the PTA beyond patient care is discussed. The course also provides the student with his/ her first clinical experiences in a variety of settings/formats. The student will begin to develop the concept of comprehensive patient care with mock clinic assignments (supervised practice sessions). As an assistant to the Fitness Lab instructor and the PTA faculty, the student will develop his/her skill as a PTA in the areas of wellness and prevention. The last four Fridays of the semester, the student will participate in an integrated clinical affiliation. (1.5 lecture hours, 32 clinic hours/ semester)

#### PTA 239 Clinical Preparation II

Credits: 2

This course is a continuation of PTA 238 as it prepares the PTA student for his/her clinical experiences and entry into the field as a physical therapist assistant. Strategies for obtaining employment are discussed. Effective techniques for cover letter/resume writing and interview performance are presented and practiced. Other important employment issues including benefits, management/employee relations, and sexual harassment will be presented. Fiscal management and reimbursement issues are introduced and discussed. The student will learn how to develop and present an inservice. There will be continued assessment and planning of professional behavior development. During this course, the student will continue to participate in a variety of clinical experiences: 1) development of comprehensive patient care with mock clinic assignments (supervised practice sessions), 2) development of his/ her skills as a PTA in the areas of wellness and prevention by assisting in the fitness lab, 3) participation in an integrated clinical affiliation during the last four Fridays of the semester. (1.5 lecture hour, 32 clinic hours/ semester)

#### PTA 244 Seminar

Credits: 1

This concentrated course completes the transition from student to physical therapist assistant. Case studies and treatment cards prepared by the students during their summer clinicals are presented and discussed. A resource project is orally presented and a written copy collected. Additional attention to cultural diversity and ethical issues is provided. Students are responsible for taking at least one national board prep test prior to attending this class. Final preparations are completed to allow students to take their national board exam. Upon passing this exam they will qualify to be licensed as a PTA in Tennessee. (8 hours in class discussion, 7 hours independent preparation) Summer only.

PTA 256 Clinical Education I Credits: 5 Supervised patient care and clinical observation for the final semester PTA student. (240 hours clinic/semester)

PTA 257 Clinical Education II

Credits: 5

Supervised patient care and clinical observation for the final semester PTA student. (240 hours clinic/semester)

## Radiologic Technology

RDT 103 Image Analysis I

Credits: 2

This course provides an evaluation of radiographic image criteria. Topics will include identification of anatomical structures, accurate positioning, and technical factors on an image. An emphasis will be placed on problem solving to determine the appropriate changes needed to obtain optimal image quality. Areas of study include chest, abdomen, shoulder girdle, and upper extremities (2 lecture hours/week).

#### **RDT 106** Clinical Education I

Credits: 2

Application of principles of radiographic positioning under the supervision of qualified registered ARRT technologists. Skills include application of technical factors, radiographic positioning, patient interactions, and professional behavior. Students must demonstrate competence by performing radiologic examinations unassisted (224 hours clinical experience per semester).

#### **RDT 107** Clinical Education II

Credits: 2

Application of principles of radiographic positioning under the supervision of qualified registered ARRT technologists. Skills include application of technical factors, radiographic positioning, patient interaction, and professional behavior. Students must demonstrate competence by performing radiologic examinations unassisted (224 hours clinical experience per semester).

#### RDT 108 Clinical Education III

Credits: 2

Application of principles of radiographic positioning under the supervision of qualified registered ARRT technologists. Skills include application of technical factors, radiographic positioning, patient interaction, and professional behavior. Students must demonstrate competence by performing radiologic examinations unassisted (240 hours clinical experience) (Prerequisites BIO 2010, 2020).

#### RDT 110 Image Analysis II

Credits: 2

This course provides an evaluation of radiographic image criteria. Topics will include identification of anatomical structures, accurate positioning, and technical factors on an image. An emphasis will be placed on problem solving to determine the appropriate changes needed to obtain optimal image quality. Areas of study include lower extremities, hip, pelvis, vertebral column, and contrast studies (2 lecture hours/week).

## RDT 113 Radiographic Procedures I

Credits: 4

A study of the basic principles of positioning, terminology, pathology, and radiographic anatomy as applied to diagnostic procedures of the radiology department. Areas of study include chest, abdomen, shoulder girdle, and upper extremities (3 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory/week).

### RDT 114 Radiographic Procedures II

Credits: 4

A study basic principles of positioning, terminology, pathology, and radiographic anatomy as applied to diagnostic procedures of the radiology department. Areas of study include lower extremities, hip, pelvis, vertebral column, and contrast studies (3 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory/week).

# **RDT 122 Principles of Radiographic Exposure** Credits: 4 This course provides an analysis of the technical aspects of radiography

to include photographic and geometric factors. Topics include latent/manifest image formation, intensifying screens, grids, sensitometry, and prime factors that influence film quality (4 lecture hours/week).

RDT 130 Imaging Acquisition and Quality Control Credits: 4 This course will discuss the history and role of computers in modern imaging systems. A study of equipment operation and quality control factors for digital imaging, DICOM and PACS will be included. Digital radiography will be compared to conventional radiology principles, equipment, and methodology. Topics include RIS, HIS, digital receptors, CR imaging, histograms, and display workstations (4 lecture hours/week).

#### RDT 203 Image Analysis III

Credits: 1

This course provides an evaluation of radiographic image criteria. Topics will include identification of anatomical structures, accurate positioning, and technical factors on an image. An emphasis will be placed on problem solving to determine the appropriate changes needed to obtain optimal image quality. Areas of study include facial bones, skull, and sinuses. (Prerequisites: BIO 2010, 2020) (1 lecture hour/week)

#### **RDT 206** Clinical Education IV

Credits

Application of principles of radiographic positioning under the supervision of qualified registered ARRT technologists. Skills include application of technical factors, radiographic positioning, patient interaction, and professional behavior. Students must demonstrate competence by performing radiologic examinations unassisted (336 clinical experience hours/semester).

#### **RDT 207** Clinical Education V

Credits: 3

Application of principles of radiographic positioning under the supervision of qualified registered ARRT technologists. Skills include application of technical factors, radiographic positioning, patient interaction, and professional behavior. Students must demonstrate competence by performing radiologic examinations unassisted (336 clinical experience hours/semester).

#### RDT 210 Radiographic Procedures III

Credits: 3

A study basic principles of positioning, terminology, pathology, and radiographic anatomy as applied to diagnostic procedures of the radiology department. Areas of study include bony thorax, skull, facial bones, and sinuses. (Prerequisites BIO 2010, 2020) (2 lecture hours, 1 laboratory hour/week)

#### RDT 212 Radiographic Procedures IV

Credits: 4

A study of basic principles of positioning and terminology as applied to diagnostic procedures. The course includes a focus on non-routine radiology anatomical exams in relation to the modification of standard projections to better demonstrate pathology and accommodate patient conditions. An orientation to special imaging areas with a focus on computed tomography, interventional radiography, nuclear medicine, MRI, ultrasound, radiation therapy, bone densitometry, and PET (3 lecture hours, 2 laboratory hours/week).

#### RDT 215 Advanced Radiography

Credits: 2

A study of the positioning and exposure modifications required for trauma, geriatric patients and patients with unusual conditions, body types or diseases. (1 lecture hour, 2 laboratory hours/week)

### **RDT 216** Applied Radiation Physics

Credits: 2

A study of equipment operation and quality control factors for computer and digital radiography, including a review of basic radiation physics principles for conventional radiography. (2 lecture hours/week)

RDT 218 Current Trends in Radiologic Technology Credits: 2 This elective course is designed to allow a study of special current topics such as the examination of the role of advanced imaging modalities. Other topics will include an examination of present and future health care trends as each relates to the field of Radiology. (2 lecture hours/week)

## **RDT 222** Radiation Biology and Protection

Credits: 2

A study of the biological effects of ionizing radiation, patient and personnel protection, maximum permissible dose, personnel monitoring, and units of measurement for radiation exposure. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### **RDT 225** Radiation Physics

Credits:

A study of electromagnetism, production and properties of x-rays, interactions with matter, x-ray tube and circuitry, and specialized imaging equipment. (4 lecture hours/week)

#### **RDT 226** Radiation Science

Credits: 3

(Course active, effective Fall 2013) Knowledge of the profession is enhanced through group discussion, research and writing. A comprehensive review of radiologic technology registry content is included. (4 lecture hours/week)

## Reading

## READ 0891 Reading Learning Support I Credits: 3

For students who have placed into Reading Learning Support (RLS). READ 0891 is designed to develop college-level reading competence through instruction in comprehension skills, vocabulary development, reading study strategies, and the application of skills in the context of authentic reading tasks, including textbook material and whole books. Discussion of reading passages in targeted small-group settings is a focus of the class, as is writing about reading. Higher-order critical and creative thinkingÂ; the ability to interpret, analyze, synthesize, and evaluate¿is consistently emphasized. Computerized instruction allows students to strengthen discrete reading skills. Prescriptive testing and individualized instruction allow students to exit the course early. Students who successfully complete the required five modules earn a passing grade and also complete RLS requirements, making them eligible to register for college-level classes with reading prerequisites. Students who successfully complete the first three modules within READ 0891 also earn a passing grade but must then register for READ 0892 in order to complete the remaining modules. Successful completion of READ 0892 signals completion of RLS requirements. Neither READ 0891 nor READ 0892 satisfies graduation requirements. (F, S, SU)

#### **READ 0892** Reading Learning Support II

Credit

For students who have completed READ 0891 at the first competency level (modules one, two, and three) but have not yet shown competency in all five modules. READ 0892 is designed to develop college-level reading competence at the exit competency level through instruction in comprehension skills, vocabulary development, reading study strategies, and the application of skills in the context of authentic reading tasks, including textbook material and whole books. Discussion of reading passages in targeted small-group settings is a focus of the class, as is writing about reading. Higher-order critical and creative thinkingÂ; the ability to interpret, analyze, synthesize, and evaluate¿is consistently emphasized. Computerized instruction allows students to strengthen discrete reading skills. Individualized instruction allows students to exit the course early. To earn a passing grade in the course, students must demonstrate mastery of Reading Learning Support (RLS) at the exit competency level (modules four and five). A passing grade in READ 0892 completes RLS requirements, making a student eligible to register for college-level courses with reading pre-requisites. READ 0892 does not satisfy graduation requirements. (F, S, SU))

## Respiratory Therapy

# RTT 121 Cardiopulmonary-Renal Anatomy and Credits: 4 Physiology

An in-depth study of the structure and function of the cardiopulmonary and renal organ systems, including the study of hemoglobin, oxygen, carbon dioxide, and acid base balance in health and disease. (4 lecture hours/week)

## RTT 122 Respiratory Care Science I

Credits: 4

Course will discuss the following information: ethical/legal issues as they pertain to the respiratory care profession. Patient assessment techniques to include vital signs, cardio/thoracic assessment, radiographic, diagnostic, and laboratory test and results. Medical terminology, stems, suffixes, prefixes and root words. Introduction to charting, utilization of the SOAP technique, and other relative patient information. Principle, operation, maintenance, and trouble-shooting of compressed gas sources and gas administration devices will be discussed. An introduction of humidity and aerosol theories and therapies and an introduction to compressed gas monitoring equipment will be included. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours/week)

#### RTT 123 Respiratory Pharmacology

Credits: 2

Course will discuss drug preparations, basic principles of drug action, distribution systems, drug orders, mathematical principles related to drug preparation and administration, routes of drug administration, drug classifications, basic mechanisms of action, and therapeutic applications for drugs administered by respiratory therapists. (2 lecture hours/week)

RTT 131 Pathology of Respiratory Diseases I Credits: A study of common respiratory abnormalities. Anatomical alterations of the lungs due to disease, the etiology of the disease, the major respiratory-related clinical manifestations associated with the disease process, and treatment of the disease will be studied. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### RTT 132 Respiratory Care Sciences II

Credits: 6

This course will be a continuation of Respiratory Care Science I. In this course, the following will be discussed: therapeutic aerosol delivery both long and short term. Aspects of airway care to include: tracheal aspiration, various types of airways, intubation/extubation techniques, cuff care, and trach care procedures will be discussed. Continued discussions of medical terminology will occur. Procedures and theory of hyperinflation therapy will be taught to include: deep breathing and coughing techniques, Sustained Maximal Inspiration (SMI), and Intermittent Positive Pressure Breathing (IPPB). Students will be introduced to the clinical sites, and will get an understanding of the clinical policies and procedures. Students will apply procedural methods learned in Respiratory Care Science I in the clinical setting. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours, 12 clinic hours/week; 168 clinic hours/semester)

#### RTT 220 Respiratory Care Science III

Credits: 4

This course will primarily discuss the concepts and physiological effects of mechanical ventilation. Various types of ventilators from hand-held devices to computer controlled devices will be discussed. Various ventilatory adjuncts such as PEEP, CPAP, SIMV, pressure support and others will be discussed. Mechanical ventilation preparation, set-up, monitoring and troubleshooting will be discussed in detail. Students will be introduced to critical care medicine during the clinical rotations and will perform those procedures studied in Respiratory Care Science II. Medical rounds with physicians will be conducted along with patient case presentations. (2 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours, 128 clinic hours/semester).

#### RTT 230 Respiratory Care Science IV

Credits: 6

This course will be a continuation of Respiratory Care Science III. Concepts of ventilator weaning will be discussed. Various types of ventilators and techniques for monitoring and adjusting parameters will be discussed. Students will begin work in the critical care areas. Procedures learned in Respiratory Care Science III will be performed by students during this clinical rotation. Students will continue physician rounds and gain experience in the use of advance patient monitoring equipment and working with various mechanical ventilators. (3 lecture hours, 3 laboratory hours, 224 clinic hours/semester)

RTT 231 Pathology of Respiratory Diseases II Credits: 2 A continuation of Pathology of Respiratory Diseases I. (2 lecture hours/week)

#### RTT 235 Neonatal and Pediatric Care

Credits: 3

A detailed study of respiratory care concepts and techniques in neonatal and pediatric medicine. A close look at advanced equipment used in this specialty area as well as disease processes will be discussed. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### RTT 245 Respiratory Care Science V

Credits: 7

This course introduces students to special therapeutic and diagnostic procedures in respiratory care. Elements of home care to include: equipment, patient/environmental assessment, and state/federal regulations. Theory and introduction to special diagnostics such as bronchoscopy, stress testing, pulmonary rehabilitation, metabolic studies, and brachytherapy will also be included. Patient education methods will be introduced. Care of patients in the subacute care area will also be introduced. In the clinical setting students will continue work in the critical care areas and will work with and perform those modalities discussed in Respiratory Care Science IV. Students will also gain knowledge of and work in the pediatric and neonatal intensive care areas. Students must complete a final clinical summation evaluation during this course. (4 lecture hours, 360 clinic hours/semester)

**RTT 260** Hemodynamics and Rhythms Credits: 3 This course will introduce the student to the following: Theory and application of cardiac output measurement. Arterial line insertion techniques, care, and hazards. Hemodynamic studies to include: insertion, care, and hazards of flow directed balloon tipped catheter and the central venous pressure catheter. Pressure monitoring will discuss central venous pressures, right arterial pressures, right ventricular pressures, pulmonary artery pressures, and pulmonary occluding pressures. Study will also introduce the student to equipment associated with hemodynamic monitoring such as: transducers and monitoring devices. Waveform interpretation with clinical application will be discussed. Fundamentals of electrocardiography will be introduced to include: lead application, pharmacology for the cardiovascular problems, and tracing interpretation. Studies in fluid and electrolyte balance as it relates to respiratory care will also be discussed. (3 lecture hours/week)

RTT 261 Respiratory Care Seminar Credits: 2 A review and practice of the NBRC Self Assessment Examinations including the entry level written registry, and the clinical simulation. Students must pass these examinations to receive a certificate of completion. (2 lecture hours/week)

# Service Learning SERV 1010 Service Learning Practicum

Credits: 1 to 3

This course is designed to provide students with an opportunity to enrich their college experience by taking part in projects designed to promote community services and self-discovery. While the emphasis of the course may vary, according to the instructor, the main goal of the course will always be to promote community service and discovery learning. Students will access community needs, discuss them, analyze them and act on them. (as needed)

## Sociology

SOCI 1010 Introduction to Sociology Credits: 3

This course focuses on the analysis of human social interaction, patterned social relationships, and social change. Emphasis is placed on the theoretical perspectives and principles of explanation used by sociologists, as well as the basic concepts such as culture, socialization, social organization, social deviance, and social stratification. F, Sp, Su SOCI 1020 Social Problems Credits: 3

This course focuses on the study of the scope and effects of a number of societal problems. Attention is given to research findings as well as social programs and policies that have been or can be taken to attempt to solve the problems. Some social problems examined include environmental abuse, population and resource challenges, war, social inequality, technology, and violence. F, Sp

#### SOCI 2110 Cultural Anthropology

Credits: 3

This course is an introductory survey of the principles, concepts, methods, and scope of anthropology. Emphasis is placed on the nature of culture, sociocultural adaptation, language, kinship, social systems, subsistence patterns, art, ritual and belief systems, and the impact of change. F, Sp

#### SOCI 2120 Prehistoric Archaeology

redits: 3

This course is an introductory survey of human origins and prehistoric cultures. Emphasis is placed on the general principles, history, theoretical orientations, and methods of archaeology. This course will examine a number of prehistoric cultural lifeways from the beginnings of human culture to the rise of civilization. (as needed)

## Spanish

#### SPAN 1010 Beginning Spanish I

Credits: 3

Elementary grammar, pronunciation and conversation through the use of films, videotapes, cassette tapes, filmstrips and computer programs. (No prerequisite) F

SPAN 1020 Beginning Spanish II

Credits: 3

Continuation of Beginning Spanish I. (Prerequisite: SPAN 1010.) Sp SPAN 2010 Intermediate Spanish I Credits: 3

Advanced grammar and conversation through use of films, videotapes, cassette tapes, filmstrips, computer programs and library readings. (Prerequisite: SPAN 1020) F

SPAN 2020 Intermediate Spanish II Credits: 3 Continuation of Intermediate Spanish I. (Prerequisite: SPAN 2010) Sp

## Speech

SPCH 1010 Fundamentals of Speech Communication Credits: This course is designed to introduce the student to the skills of

interpersonal communication. Emphasis is placed upon the fundamental principles and techniques of public speaking, and the oral and physical aspects of delivery. Emphasis is also placed upon discussion, listening skills, thoughtful examination of diverse ideas, respect for everyone's right to a point of view and the tenets of free speech. F, Sp, Su

## Social Science

#### SSC 120 The Civil War

Credits: 3

The purpose of this course is to study and gain an understanding of the great central event of American history, the Civil War. Major political, economic, social, and military developments will be examined through use of a textbook, the PBS video series 'The Civil War', lecture, and class discussion. (as needed)

#### SSC 210 Social Science Seminar

Credits: 1 to 3

In-depth analysis of a particular topic, concern, or problem in the social sciences. Courses maybe oriented toward any one of the social science disciplines (history, political science, psychology, sociology-anthropology) or may be cross disciplinary in nature combining several social sciences. Social Science elective credit only. Some examples of frequently offered Social Science Seminars include: African American History; The Civil War; Death and Dying; European Studies; Human Sexuality; North American Indians; The Southwest Field Trip; Women in Western Civilization; and World War II. (as needed)

#### **SSC 211 Southwest Field Trip**

Credits: 3

The Southwest Field Trip is a multidisciplinary and humanistic study (including contributions from anthropology, archeology, astronomy, biology, geography, geology, history, and literature) of the prehistoric and historic peoples and cultures of the 'Four Corner' area of the American southwest, including the ecology and geology of the region. Primary attention is given to the Ancestral Puebloans, ancient Native American peoples who lived throughout the Colorado Plateau. Sp

#### **Southwest Field Trip**

The Southwest Field Trip is a multidisciplinary and humanistic study (including contributions from anthropology, archeology, astronomy, biology, geography, geology, history, and literature) of the prehistoric and historic peoples and cultures of the 'Four Corner' area of the American southwest, including the ecology and geology of the region. Primary attention is given to the Ancestral Puebloans, ancient Native American peoples who lived throughout the Colorado Plateau. Sp

#### SSC 215 World War II

Credits: 3

This course examines the largest single event in human history, the Second World War. The background to this conflict along with political, diplomatic, and military aspects will be studied through use of a textbook, 'The World at War' video series, lecture, and class discussions. (as needed)

#### **SSC 221** The Haiti Experience

Students will learn about Haiti through lectures and research. Aspects covered include language, economics, politics, history and lifestyle. Students will experience cultural immersion through a trip to Haiti where they will work with the Haitians on a service project. (as needed)

#### SSC 223 **Social Science Seminar**

Credits: 1

In-depth analysis of a particular topic, concern or problem in the social sciences. Courses can be oriented toward any one of the social science disciplines (history, political science, psychology, sociologyanthropology) or may be cross disciplinary in nature, combining several social sciences. Social science elective credit only. Some examples of frequently offered social science seminars include: African American History, The Civil War, Death and Dying, European Studies, Human sexuality, North American Indians, Southwest Fieldtrip, Women in Western Civilization, and World War II. Offered as needed.

#### **SSC 260** Social Science Seminar

Credits: 1 to 3

In-depth analysis of a particular topic, concern, or problem in the social sciences. Courses maybe oriented toward any one of the social science disciplines (history, political science, psychology, sociologyanthropology) or may be cross disciplinary in nature combining several social sciences. Social Science elective credit only. Some examples of frequently offered Social Science Seminars include: African American History; The Civil War; Death and Dying; European Studies; Human Sexuality; North American Indians; The Southwest Field Trip; Women in Western Civilization; and World War II. (as needed) Credits: 1

#### **Social Science Seminar SSC 261**

to 3

In-depth analysis of a particular topic, concern, or problem in the social sciences. Courses maybe oriented toward any one of the social science disciplines (history, political science, psychology, sociologyanthropology) or may be cross disciplinary in nature combining several social sciences. Social Science elective credit only. Some examples of frequently offered Social Science Seminars include: African American History; The Civil War; Death and Dying; European Studies; Human Sexuality; North American Indians; The Southwest Field Trip; Women in Western Civilization; and World War II. (as needed)

## Theatre

#### **THEA 1030** Introduction to Theatre

Credits: 3

A survey course in theatre covering the history and development of Western drama. This course will emphasize drama as production rather than as literature. F, Sp

#### **THEA 110** Theatre History I

Credits: 3

A study of the Greek Period to the Restoration. The development of drama and the theatre; critical study of representative plays of the period. Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **THEA 111** Theatre History II

Credits: 3

A study of the Restoration to Present. The development of drama and the theatre; critical study of representative plays of the period. Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **THEA 112 Musical Theatre Dance**

Credits: 2

Covers dance forms and styles used in musical theatre choreography. Covers basic techniques, vocabulary and dance excerpts from musical theater shows. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **THEA 115** Costuming

Credits: 3

Designed to meet individual needs for advanced study in costume for entertainment and the arts. Topic to be determined at time of scheduling. A minimum of 40 hours of laboratory work required. (Class available as determined by Director of Theatre Program). Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **THEA 117 Lighting Design**

Credits: 3

Designed to meet individual needs for advanced study in lighting for entertainment and the arts. Topic to be determined at time of scheduling. A minimum of 40 hours of laboratory work required. (Class available as determined by Director of Theatre Program) Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### **THEA 119** Scenic Design

Lectures and practical experience in planning and designing settings for the stage. Emphasis on forms and styles of scenery, historical period research designers, and theatrical materials, methods, and techniques. Major projects in set design. A minimum of 40 hours of laboratory and/ or crew requirement. (Class available as determined by Director of Theatre Program).

#### **THEA 231** Fundamentals of Acting I

Credits: 3

Fundamentals of Acting will emphasize the mechanics (vocal and physical) of presenting a character on stage. F

## **Fundamentals of Acting II**

Improvisations, use of acting techniques in extensive work. Emphasis placed on special problems in contemporary roles. (Prerequisite: THEA 231 or permission of instructor) Sp Credits: 3

#### **Fundamentals of Play Directing THEA 233**

Play analysis, production concepts, staging, theory and techniques; rehearsal methods and procedures. Introduction of scene work. Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **THEA 234 Dramatic Theory**

Selected major playwrights linked by theme or a particular genre of dramatic theory; and intensive examination of plays which either survey playwrights' careers or represent a significant portion of genre's canon. Course availability determined by Program Director.

#### **THEA 235** Intro to Theatre Technology

Credits: 3

An introduction to the tools and methods used in modern theatrical productions, including scenery construction, lighting and sound design, and stage management technologies. F

#### THEA 236 Media Production I

Credits: 3

Students will write, produce, and direct a short narrative or television program. This intensive classroom project, students will explore the crafts of directing, producing, editing, screenwriting and cinematography. In addition to producing their own television show, students will work in key positions on each other's projects. The class goal as a group will be to workshop a teleplay script for a scheduled shoot at the end of the term. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### THEA 2510 Theatre Production Practicum I Credits: 1

Field experience course offering practical experience for students working in on-campus and off-campus technically oriented or performance oriented theatre activities. Each course carries one hour credit, and students may earn up to six credits by enrolling for one course each semester. F, Sp

#### THEA 2520 Theatre Production Practicum II Credits: 1

Field experience course offering practical experience for students working in on-campus and off-campus technically oriented or performance oriented theatre activities. Each course carries one hour credit, and students may earn up to six credits by enrolling for one course each semester. F, Sp

#### **THEA 2530** Theatre Production Practicum III Credits: 1

Field experience course offering practical experience for students working in on-campus and off-campus technically oriented or performance oriented theatre activities. Each course carries one hour credit, and students may earn up to six credits by enrolling for one course each semester. F, Sp

#### **THEA 2540** Theatre Production Practicum IV Credits: 1

Field experience course offering practical experience for students working in on-campus and off-campus technically oriented or performance oriented theatre activities. Each course carries one hour credit, and students may earn up to six credits by enrolling for one course each semester. F, Sp

#### THEA 2550 Theatre Production Practicum V Credits:

Field experience course offering practical experience for students working in on-campus and off-campus technically oriented or performance oriented theatre activities. Each course carries one hour credit, and students may earn up to six credits by enrolling for one course each semester. F, Sp

#### THEA 2560 Theatre Production Practicum VI Credits: 1

Field experience course offering practical experience for students working in on-campus and off-campus technically oriented or performance oriented theatre activities. Each course carries one hour credit, and students may earn up to six credits by enrolling for one course each semester. F. Sp

#### THEA 261 Jazz Dance

Credits

Introduces fundamentals of jazz dance technique. Emphasizes and develops correct body alignment, coordination, strength, flexibility, rhythm, and movement awareness. Includes jazz dance vocabulary and basic jazz dance combinations. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### THEA 262 Modern Dance

Covers basic movement and modern dance techniques; emphasizes communicative skills, creativity and improvisation. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### THEA 263 Tap Dance Credit

Introduces fundamentals of tap dance technique and vocabulary. Develops a sense of timing, rhythm and musicality. Emphasizes basic traditional tap steps, rhythm tap combinations and complete dances. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

#### THEA 264 Beginning Ballet

Credits: 2

Introduces correct body alignment for posture, coordination and balance; covers stretching and limbering for muscle tone, agility and strength. Covers exercises at the barre followed by center floor work. Course availability determined by Dean of the Division.

## Ultrasound

#### **ULT 110** Abdominal Sonography

Credits: 4

This course is a study of the cross-sectional anatomy of the abdominal organs and their normal and pathological appearance on ultrasound. This course includes the study of small parts sonography in the areas of thyroid, breast, and scrotum. (4 lecture hours/week)

#### **ULT 120** Sonography Analysis I

Credits: 3

Introduction to the critiquing of ultrasound images on a basic level to improve the students' ability to use sonographic terminology in describing ultrasound images. Students will submit 2 basic normal case studies and the analysis of two ultrasound journal articles. This is an independent study (3 lecture hours/week)

#### **ULT 130** Obstetrics and Gynecology

Credits: 4

This is a study of the female pelvic organs in the non-gravid and gravid condition and how normal and abnormal anatomy appears on ultrasound. It includes the study of the normal and abnormal fetus as evaluated by sonography.(4 lecture hours/week)

#### **ULT 140 Ultrasound Physics**

Credits: 3

This ultrasound physics course is a detailed study of how ultrasound produces our image and how it interacts with tissue. Quality assurance and safety issues are also covered. (3 lecture hours/week)

#### **ULT 145** Clinical Applications I

Credits: 3

This clinic course is designed to provide the students with clinical experience in abdominal and OB/GYN sonography. (24 hours/week)

#### **ULT 150** Sonography Analysis II

Credits:

A course designed to improve the students' skills in recognizing technical errors on sonograms. Students will submit 3 abnormal case studies and the analysis of three ultrasound journal articles. This is an independent study. (3 lecture hours/week)

# ULT 161 Advanced Sonography Practice and Credits: 4 Review

A study of current and miscellaneous ultrasound procedures. A comprehensive review of ultrasound physics, abdominal ultrasound and ob/gyn ultrasound. (4 lecture hours/week)

#### ULT 170 Sonography Analysis III

Credits: 3

A course designed to improve the students' skills in presenting a sonogram for reading by the interpreting physician. Students will submit 3 abnormal case studies and will complete a scientific research paper. This is an independent study. (3 lecture hours/week)

## ULT 180 Vascular Sonography

Credits: 4

This is a study of the cerebrovascular system. It includes extracranial, intercranial, and peripheral vascular imaging. Normal and abnormal conditions are studied as it relates to sonography.(4 lecture hours/week)

#### **ULT 185** Clinical Applications II

Credits: 3

This clinic course is designed to provide clinical experiences in vascular sonography. (24 hours/week)

#### ULT 190 Echocardiography

Credits:

This course is a study of the cross-sectional anatomy of the heart and its related vessels. It includes practical knowledge and application of two-dimensional m-mode, Doppler, color flow Doppler, transesophageal and stress echocardiography. Normal and abnormal conditions of the heart as related to echocardiography are covered. (4 lecture hours/week)

#### **ULT 200** Pediatric Sonography

Credits: 4

A study of sonographic procedures that is specific to the neonate and pediatric patient. This includes neonatal head, neonatal spine, and specific diseases of the abdomen and pelvis of the pediatric patient. (4 lecture hours/week)

#### **ULT 205** Clinical Applications III

Credits: 3

This clinic course is designed to provide clinical experiences in cardiac sonography. (24 hours/week)

## Wellness

#### WELL 1010 Lifetime Wellness

Credits: 3

In this course, students will expand their knowledge and understanding of optimal health and wellness as it relates to their personal lives. Students will learn to evaluate their present health condition, make decisions for a healthy future and also plan and implement changes for a healthy lifestyle. F, Sp

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B.A., The College of Wooster-Biochemistry/Molecular Biology

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B.S.N., Southern Nazarene University-Nursing

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# **Concluding Statements**

#### Weapons on Campus (felony)

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- Smoking is permitted outside of buildings in designated locations. Appropriate signage and ash urns will be provided at these locations. Smoking is not permitted within fifteen (15) feet of any building entrance except where physical layout does not permit.
- Smoking or use of other tobacco products is prohibited inside any building or college vehicle.
- 3. Enforcement of this policy for staff will be the primary responsibility of supervisors. Security officers/guards will be responsible for enforcement at public events. Student offenders will be referred to the Assistant Vice President of Student Services/Dean of Students if disciplinary action is deemed necessary. All college personnel have the authority to enforce this policy.
- This policy will be widely communicated through standard institutional communication channels.

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