

Virginia Community College Courses and their Hampden-Sydney College Equivalents					
VCCS Course	Credit Hours	HSC Equivalent	Credit Hours	Note	Requirement Met
<i>To petition for transfer credit for courses not included on this matrix, contact the Registrar at wmerinar@hsc.edu.</i>					
Written and Oral Communication					
ENG111 College Composition I	3	RHET101 Principles and Practice of Good Writing or RHET100 Introduction to Grammar and Composition	3	Must pass Diagnostic Exam May receive credit for HSC course once	Rhetoric 101 (depending on Diagnostic Exam score) or Graduation hours
ENG112 College Composition II	3	RHET102 Principles and Practice of Good Writing or RHET100 Introduction to Grammar and Composition	3		Rhetoric 102 (depending on Diagnostic Exam score) or Graduation hours
SPD100 Principles of Public Speaking	3	RHET210 Public Speaking	3		Graduation hours
Humanities/Fine Arts					
ART121 Drawing I	3	VISU221 Drawing I	3	Digital portfolio required	Fine Arts Studio
ART131 Fundamentals of Design I	3	VISU220 Color and Two-Dimensional Design	3		Fine Arts Studio
ENG125 Introduction to Literature	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG215 Creative Writing - Fiction I	3	ENGL252 Introductory Creative Writing: Fiction	3		Graduation hours
ENG217 Creative Writing - Poetry I	3	ENGL250 Introductory Creative Writing: Poetry	3		Graduation hours
ENG230 Mystery in Literature and Film	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG233 The Bible as Literature	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG236 Introduction to the Short Story	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG237 Introduction to Poetry	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG241 Survey of American Literature I	3	ENGL221 American Literature	3		Literature or American Studies
ENG242 Survey of American Literature II	3	ENGL222 American Literature	3		Literature or American Studies
ENG243 Survey of English Literature I	3	ENGL211 History of English Literature	3		Literature
ENG244 Survey of English Literature II	3	ENGL212 History of English Literature	3		Literature
ENG245 Major English Writers	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG246 Major American Writers	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature or American Studies
ENG249 Survey of Asian American Literature	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG253 Survey of African-American Lit I	3	ENGL224 Intro African-American Literature	3		Literature or American Studies
ENG254 Survey of African-American Lit II	3	ENGL224 Intro African-American Literature	3		Literature or American Studies
ENG267 The Modern Novel	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG268 The Modern Drama	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG270 Non-Western Lit in Global Context	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature or International Studies
ENG271 The Works of Shakespeare I	3	ENGL270 Introduction to Shakespeare	3		Literature
ENG272 The Works of Shakespeare II	3	ENGL270 Introduction to Shakespeare	3		Literature
ENG273 Women in Literature I	3	ENGL226 Women and Literature	3		Literature
ENG274 Women in Literature II	3	ENGL226 Women and Literature	3		Literature
ENG276 Southern Literature	3	ENGL258 Literature of the South	3		Literature
ENG278 Appalachian Literature	3	ENGLELE English Elective	3		Literature
ENG279 Film and Literature	3	ENGL257 Fiction into Film	3		Literature
HUM201 Survey of Western Culture I	3	GCUL103 Global Cultures	3		Consult with Director
HUM202 Survey of Western Culture II	3	GCUL104 Global Cultures	3		Consult with Director
HUM216 Survey of Non-Western Cultures	3	GCUL 103 Global Cultures	3		Consult with Director
MUS125 American Music	3	MUSI217 American Music	3		Fine Arts
MUS225 The History of Jazz	3	MUSI218 Jazz History	3		Fine Arts
REL100 Introduction to the Study of Religion	3	RELI101 Introduction to Religion	3		Religious/Philosophical Studies
REL217 Life and Letters of Paul	3	RELI218 Theology of Paul	3		Religious/Philosophical Studies
REL230	3	RELI103 Introduction to World Religions	3		Religious/Philosophical Studies
REL233 Introduction to Islam	3	RELI204 Islam	3		Rel/Phil or International Studies
SPD130 Introduction to the Theatre	3	THEA101 Introduction to Theatre	3	Credit for H-SC THEA 101 limited to three hours, possible THEA ELE credit up to six additional hours	Fine Arts
SPD231 History of Theatre I	3	THEA101 Introduction to Theatre	3		Fine Arts
PD232 History of Theatre II	3	THEA101 Introduction to Theatre	3		Fine Arts
Foreign Language					
FRE101 Beginning French I	3	FREN101 Introduction to French	3		Graduation hours
FRE102 Beginning French II	3	FREN102 Introduction to French	3		Graduation hours

GER101 Beginning German I	4-5	GERM101 Introduction to German	3		Graduation hours
GER102 Beginning German II	4-5	GERM102 Introduction to German	3		Graduation hours
SPA101 Beginning Spanish I	4-5	SPAN101 Introduction to Spanish	3		Graduation hours
SPA102 Beginning Spanish II	4-5	SPAN102 Introduction to Spanish	3		Graduation hours
Social and Behavioral Science					
ECO201 Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECON Elective	3		Graduation hours
ECO202 Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON101 Introduction to Economics	3		Social Science
HIS101 Western Civilizations Pre - 1600 CE	3	HIST101 European Survey	3		Graduation hours
HIS102 Western Civilizations Post - 1600 CE	3	HIST102 European Survey	3		Graduation hours
HIST111 World Civilizations Pre-1500 CE	3	HISTELE History Elective	3		Social Science
HIST112 World Civilizations Post-1500 CE	3	HISTELE History Elective	3		Social Science
HIS121 United States History to 1877	3	HIST111 United States	3		American Studies or Social Science
HIS122 United States History since 1865	3	HIST112 United States	3		American Studies or Social Science
PSY200 Principles of Psychology	3	PSYC101 Introduction to Psychology	3	Credit for H-SC PSYC 101 limited to three hours, possible PSYC ELE credit up to six additional hours	Social Science
PSY201 Principles of Psychology I	3	PSYC101 Introduction to Psychology	3		Social Science
PSY202 Principles of Psychology II	3	PSYC101 Introduction to Psychology	3		Social Science
PSY215 Abnormal Psychology	3	PSYC 204 Abnormal Psychology	3		Graduation hours
PSY230 Developmental Psychology	3	PSYC 315 Abnormal Psychology	3		Graduation hours
PLS211 US Government I <i>and</i> PLS212 US Government II	3 3	GVFA101 Introduction to American Government	3	*See note below	Social Science or American Studies
SOC200 Principles of Sociology	3	SOCI201 Introduction to Sociology	3	Credit for H-SC SOCI 201 limited to three hours, possible SOCI ELE credit up to six additional hours	Social Science
SOC201 Introduction to Sociology I	3	SOCI201 Introduction to Sociology	3		Social Science
SOC202 Introduction to Sociology II	3	SOCI201 Introduction to Sociology	3		Social Science
Natural Sciences and Mathematics/Computer Science					
NAS 130 Elements of Astronomy	4	ASTR Elective	4		Natural Science A.II or C.
NAS 131 Astronomy I/PHY141	4	ASTR115 Introduction to Astronomy w/Lab	4	Credit for H-SC ASTR 115 limited to four hours, possible ASTR ELE credit for 4 additional hours	Natural Science A.I, A. II, or C.
NAS 132 Astronomy II/PHY142	4	ASTR115 Introduction to Astronomy w/Lab	4		Natural Science A.I, A. II, or C.
BIOL101 General Biology I	4	BIOL110 Principles of Biology BIOL151 Laboratory Principles of Biology	4		Natural Science A.I, A. II, or C.
BIOL102 General Biology II	4	BIOL ELE Biology Elective	4		Natural Science A.II or C.
BIOL107 Biology of the Environment	4	BIOL108 Environmental Biology	3		Natural Science A.II or C.
CHM 111 College Chemistry	4	CHEM 103 Chemical Concepts in a Tech Society	4		Natural Science A.II or C.
CHM 112 College Chemistry	4	CHEM ELE Chemistry Elective	4		Natural Science A.II or C.
CSC110 Introduction to Computing	3	COMS161 Introduction to Computing	3		Natural Science Math C.
MTH165 Finite Mathematics	3	MATH130 Finite Mathematical Models	3		Natural Science Math B.or C.
MTH245 Statistics	3	MATH121 Statistics	3		Natural Science Math B.or C.
MTH261 Applied Calculus	3	MATH140 Calculus for Economics	3		Natural Science Math B.or C.
MTH263 Calculus I	4	MATH141 Calculus I	4		Natural Science Math B.or C.
MTH264 Calculus II	4	MATH142 Calculus II	4		Natural Science Math B.or C.
PHY131 Applied Physics I	3	PHYS 101 Introduction to Engineering Physics	3		Natural Science A.II or C.
PHY201 General College Physics I	4	PHYS ELE Physics Elective	4		Natural Science A.II or C.
PHY202 General College Physics II	4	PHYS ELE Physics Elective	4		Natural Science A.II or C.
PHY241 University Physics I	4	PHYS131 Fundamentals of Physics <i>and</i> PHYS151 General Physics Laboratory	3 1		Natural Science A.I, A. II, or C.
PHY242 University Physics II	4	PHYS132 Fundamentals of Physics <i>and</i> PHYS152 General Physics Laboratory	3 1		Natural Science A.I, A. II, or C.
PHY243 Modern Physics	3	PHYS233 Modern Physics	3		Natural Science A.II or C.

Note for Government and Foreign Affairs 101 credit: Students are expected to complete at least one writing major assignment (other than exams) and to have read original source documents of American government, such as Federalist # 10 & 51.

Note for Visual Arts 221 credit: Digital portfolio with at least one example of linear perspective, one of cylindrical perspective, and examples of more than one drawing medium is required. This portfolio can take the form of a webpage, a CD file, or emailed jpegs sent to .