

These courses are connected to applied degree and/or certificate programs at HCC.

Qualified instructors must have 2,000 work hours experience unless otherwise noted.

This section also displays transferable elective courses denoted by an asterisk, which often differ from career-technical education courses in terms of prerequisites and/or instructor qualifications.

You are welcome to reach out to Heartland Academic Departments to discuss specific course options and/or pathways related to course options:

heartland.edu/academicDepartments





Administrative Office Professional | Business Technology

Course Options	Credits	Capacity	Prerequisites
*ACSM 101: Intro to Computers	3	30	None required for College NOW students
ACSM 125: Powerpoint	1	30	None required for College NOW students
ACSM 136: Excel Level I	1	30	None required for College NOW students
ACSM 137: Excel Level II	1	30	Completion of/concurrent enrollment in ACSM 136
ACSM 138: Excel Level III	1	30	Completion of/concurrent enrollment in ACSM 137
ACSM 146: Access Level I	1	30	None required for College NOW students
ACSM 147: Access Level II	1	30	Completion of/concurrent enrollment in ACSM 146
ACSM 148: Access Level III	1	30	Completion of/concurrent enrollment in ACSM 147
ACSM 156: Word Level I	1	30	None required for College NOW students
ACSM 157: Word Level II	1	30	Completion of/concurrent enrollment in ACSM 156
ACSM 158: Word Level III	1	30	Completion of/concurrent enrollment in ACSM 157
*BUSN 110: Intro to Business	3	30	Placement at college-level Literacy

Instructor qualifications for:

- ACSM 101: Master's degree w/ a minimum of 18 graduate hours in CSCI or master's degree in CSCI
- ▶ BUSN 110: Master's degree w/ a minimum of 18 graduate hours in BUSN or master's degree in BUSN



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Computer Science | Networking | Digital Media

Course Options	Credits	Capacity	Prerequisites
*CSCI 101: Intro to Computer Information Science	4	24	None required for College NOW students
NETW 150: Workstation Operating Systems	3	20	None required for College NOW students
NETW 151: PC Hardware Maintenance & Repair	3	20	None required for College NOW students
NETW 160: Intro to Networking	3	20	None required for College NOW students
NETW 167: Windows Server Administration	3	20	Completion of NETW 150 w/ a C or better
DMED 101: Intro to Digital Media	3	18	None required for College NOW students
DMED 110: Web Page Development	3	18	None required for College NOW students
DMED 120: Computer Imaging & Design	3	18	None required for College NOW students

Instructor qualifications for CSCI 101: Master's degree w/ a minimum 18 graduate hours in CSCI **OR** master's degree in CSCI **AND** CISCO instructor certification.



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Early Childhood Education

Course Options	Credits	Capacity	Prerequisites
*CHLD 101: Intro to Early Childhood	3	32	None required for College NOW students
*CHLD 102: Growth & Development of the Young Child	3	32	None required for College NOW students
CHLD 202: Healthy, Safety & Nutrition for the Young Child	3	32	None required for College NOW students

Instructor qualifications for CHLD 101/102/202: Master's degree w/a minimum of 18 graduate hours in ECE or related field.





Health Sciences | Emergency Medical Services

Course Options	Credits	Capacity	Prerequisites
EMT 101: Emergency Medical Technician	8	25	None required for College NOW students
HLTH 110: Medical Terminology	3	30	None required for College NOW students
NURS 110: Nursing Assistant	8	8	None required for College NOW students

Instructor qualifications for EMT 101: A current license as an EMT-B, EMT-I, EMT-P, RN or physician;

- a minimum of four years of experience in pre-hospital emergency care;
- at least two years of documented teaching experience;
- documented classroom teaching experience, i.e., BTLS, PHTLS, CPR, Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS);
- documented successful completion of the Illinois EMS Instructor Education Course or equivalent to the National Standard Curriculum for EMS Instructors.

Instructor qualifications for NURS 110: 2,000 work hours experience AND an active IL RN license AND current Train the Trainer (IDPH) certificate.





Industrial Technology

Course Options	Credits	Capacity	Prerequisites
CAD 101: Intro to AutoCAD	3	25	None required for College NOW students
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CAD 235: CAD for Construction	3	16	Completion of, or concurrent enrollment in, CAD 101
CNST 101: Construction Materials & Methods	3	16	None required for College NOW students
MFTG 115: Manufacturing & Production Processes	3	25	None required for College NOW students
TECH 114: Intro to Technical Graphics	3	20	None required for College NOW students
WELD 110: Intro to Welding Processes	3	10-20	None required for College NOW students
WELD 116: Shielded Metal Arc Welding I	3	10-20	Completion of WELD 110





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Course Options	Credits	Capacity	Prerequisites
TECH 121, Dringiples of Engineering	3	20	Name required for College NOW students
TECH 121: Principles of Engineering	3	30	None required for College NOW students
TECH 122: Aerospace Engineering	3	30	None required for College NOW students
TECH 123: Biomedical Engineering	3	30	None required for College NOW students
TECH 124: Civil Engineering & Architecture	3	30	None required for College NOW students
TECH 125: Computer Integrated Manufacturing	3	30	None required for College NOW students
TECH 126: Digital Electronics	3	30	None required for College NOW students
TECH 127: Engineering Design & Development	3	30	None required for College NOW students

