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Common Course Numbers

Following are course numbers which are common to departments across campus. These common numbers may be used under named conditions by prefixing with the department subject prefix:

1059, 2059, 3159/5159, 4159/5159, 6259, 7359 - Reserved for temporary courses of a special or experimental nature. May be repeated on different topics.

3133, 4133/5133, 6233 Workshop - 1-6 hrs. Courses offered for special groups as announced in advance. Lecture workshops require 16 classroom contact hours for every one hour of credit. Activity workshops require 30 classroom contact hours for every hour of credit. Students may take work in one or more workshops. Undergraduates may not use more than 6 hours toward graduation. Graduate workshops may be used toward the completion of a graduate program with departmental approval, not to exceed 15 credit hours.

3179 Cooperative Education - 1-6 hrs. For students who wish to apply classroom learning to field experience. Requires approval by the faculty supervisor, the head of the academic department granting credit, and Cooperative Education/Internship staff for placement agreement, project, and credit arrangements. Credit may not be applied to a major or minor without approval by the department offering the major or minor. Co-op/Internship staff assist in developing placements and arranging student interviews with employers and maintain contact with student and employer during the co-op/internship experience. May be repeated for a maximum of 12 hours credit.

1086, 2086, 3186/5186, 4186/5186, 6286, 7386 Studies in "_____" - Courses to be offered by departments for specialized work not covered by regular courses. Credit and topic for "study" to be given in Schedule of Classes. May be repeated on different topics.

109C, 319C, 519C Credit for Prior Learning (CPL) - Undergraduate students: 0-6 hrs; Graduate students: 0-15 hrs.

319P Presidential Scholars Research - 1-3 hrs. For Presidential Scholars only. Credit and topic to be approved by the Presidential Scholars Board. May be repeated once for a maximum of 6 hours.

4198 Independent Study - Hours to be arranged in advance. A provision for undergraduate students to do work in a special area not offered in formal courses. (Does not provide graduate credit.) Permission of the head of the department offering the work is required. Projects must be approved well before the beginning of the semester in which the work is to be done.

4199 Study Tour - 1-12 hrs. Offered as announced in the Schedule of Classes. See Summer Bulletin for general description and consult appropriate department for specific information.

6285 or 7385 Readings - Offered as needed in the various disciplines - not offered as a class. Independent readings from a selected list as

approved in advance by department head. Credit to be determined at time of registration. May be repeated.

6289 or 7389 Seminar - Offered as needed in the various disciplines. Credit and topic to be given in Schedule of Classes. May be repeated on different topics.

629C Continuous Registration. Graduate students who have completed all of their program but not all of their graduation requirements, e.g. comprehensive exams, thesis, paper/project, recitals, etc., must be continuously registered until the degree is completed. Students reaching this stage will be automatically registered in the course ___629C, *Continuous Registration*, and assessed the appropriate tuition. Continuous registration ensures that students can access their university email accounts and utilize library services through graduation. May be repeated.

629R Directed Research - 1-6 hrs. Course is available to thesis and non-thesis students on a credit/no credit basis. Students may enroll in the course following enrollment in all allowable hours of ___6299 (6-9 hours for thesis students and 3 hours for non-thesis students). Students may take this course for a maximum of 6 hours per semester. Please refer to individual programs for possible exceptions. May be repeated to maximum of 12 hours.

6297 or 7397 Practicum - 1-4 hrs. Offered as needed in the various disciplines to provide practical experience in college teaching. May be repeated.

6299 or 7399 Research - See details for approval and registration. Repeatable to the maximum credits for a student's degree.

7300 Post-Comprehensive Registration. Doctoral students who have completed all of their program but not all of their graduation requirements, e.g. dissertation, etc., must be continuously enrolled in ___7300, *Post Comprehensive Registration*, until all degree requirements have been met to ensure continued access to their university email accounts and library services. May be repeated.

Individual Studies Program

Courses offered in the Individual Studies Program may have a prefix of INDIVSTU xxxx instead of a department prefix. These include:

Self-Forming Seminar (INDIVSTU 4192) - 1-3 hrs

This course is a type of group independent study which allows students with a common interest to organize a time for study together with each member of the team often working on part of a larger problem or project. A faculty consultant must agree to evaluate the completed project at the end of the term.

Individual Study Project (INDIVSTU 4193/5193)

This course is an opportunity for research, creative work, or experience-oriented study in areas not usually covered by the university curriculum. The form of the project and the number of credit hours assigned to the project (usually 1-3) are worked out between the student and the faculty consultant selected.

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Interdisciplinary Readings (INDIVSTU 4196) - 1-3 hrs

This course allows the student to develop a program of readings on a topic not dealt within the university's regular course offerings. The reading list and the number of credit hours must be approved by a faculty member specifically chosen to supervise and aid the students work.

Undergraduate Thesis (INDIVSTU 4197) - 3-6 hrs

The writing of a thesis is required of all Individual Studies majors. This six-credit project may take the form of a research paper, creative work, or application of knowledge gained from an internship or work-related experience. The thesis topic must be approved by the faculty advisor. Copies of Undergraduate Thesis Guidelines are available in the Individual Studies Office.

Guide to Course Prefixes

This table is in alphabetical order by *Department/Unit*:

3-digit Prefix through Summer 2011	Subject Area Abbreviation effective Fall 2011	Subject Area Name	Department/Unit
120	ACCT	Accounting	Accounting
New prefix effective Summer 2024	ENGR	Engineering	Applied Engineering
330	TECH	Technology	Applied Engineering
New prefix effective Summer 2020	TECH TEE	Technology Engineering Education	Applied Engineering
600	ART	Art Studio	Art and Graphic Design
600	ARTED	Art Education	Art and Graphic Design
600	ARTHIST	Art History	Art and Graphic Design
840	BIOL	Biology	Biology
890	IA LL	Iowa Lakeside Laboratory	Biology
100	BUSINESS	Business Administration, Interdepartmental	Business Administration, College of, Interdepartmental
New prefix effective Summer 2022	CTE	Career Technical Education	Business Administration, College of, Interdepartmental
CAP	CAP	Capstone	Capstone, Liberal Arts Core
860	CHEM	Chemistry and Biochemistry	Chemistry and Biochemistry
51C and 51S	CSD	Communication Sciences and Disorders	Communication Sciences and Disorders

New prefix effective Summer 2024	48C	CM CORE	COMM	Communication and Media Core	Communication and Media
New prefix effective Summer 2016	48P	COMM DM	COMM PR	Communication and Media: Digital Media	Communication and Media
48C/48E/48J/48P	COMM COR	COMM PR	COMM COR	Communication and Media: Public Relations	Communication and Media
48C/48E/48J/48P	COMM GRAD	COMM COR	COMM GRAD	Communication and Media Core	Communication and Media
48C/48E/48J/48P	COMM GRAD	COMM GRAD	COMM GRAD	Communication and Media Graduate	Communication and Media
810	CS	CS		Computer Science	Computer Science
New prefix effective Summer 2021	CS ED	CS ED		Computer Science Education	Computer Science
New prefix effective Summer 2019	TECH CM	TECH CM		Technology Construction Management	Construction Management
New prefix effective Summer 2025	CI	CI		Curriculum & Instruction	Curriculum & Instruction
210	ELEMECML	ELEMECML		Elementary, Early Childhood and Middle Level Education	Curriculum and Instruction
New prefix effective Summer 2024	ELSPED	ELSPED		Elementary and Special Education	Curriculum and Instruction
230	LITED	LITED		Literacy Education	Curriculum and Instruction
New prefix effective Summer 2022	LRNTECH	LRNTECH		Learning Technologies	Curriculum and Instruction
300	SAFETYED	SAFETYED		Safety Education	Curriculum and Instruction
350	SLS	SLS		School Library Studies	Curriculum and Instruction
870	EARTHSCI	EARTHSCI		Earth Science	Earth and Environmental Sciences
920	ECON	ECON		Economics	Economics
190	INTDEPED	INTDEPED		Education, Interdepartmental	Education, Interdepartmental
270	EDLEAD	EDLEAD		Educational Leadership	Educational Psychology, Foundations, and Leadership Studies

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170	POSTSEC	Postsecondary Education: Student Affairs	Educational Psychology, Foundations, and Leadership Studies
200	EDPSYCH	Educational Psychology	Educational Psychology, Foundations, and Leadership Studies
250	MEASRES	Measurement and Research	Educational Psychology, Foundations, and Leadership Studies
260	SOCFOUND	Social Foundations	Educational Psychology, Foundations, and Leadership Studies
290	COUN	Counseling	Family, Aging & Counseling
31F	FAM SERV	Family Services	Family, Aging & Counseling
31G	GERO	Gerontology	Family, Aging & Counseling
31I	INTDSGN	Interior Design	Family, Aging & Counseling
New prefix effective Summer 2025	PRODINNO	Product Innovation	Family, Aging & Counseling
31T	TEXDSGN	Textiles and Apparel	Family, Aging & Counseling
160	FIN	Finance	Finance
970	GEOG	Geography	Geography
New prefix effective Summer 2020	RTNL	Recreation, Tourism, and Non-Profit Leadership	Health, Recreation and Community Services
960	HIST	History	History
680	HUM	Humanities	Interdisciplinary
000	INDIVSTU	Individual Studies	Interdisciplinary
440	KAHHS (effective Summer 2018)	Kinesiology, Allied Health and Human Services, interdepartmental	Kinesiology, Allied Health and Human Services, Interdepartmental
42T	AT	Athletic Training	Kinesiology & Athletic Training
New prefix effective Summer 2022	KINES	Kinesiology	Kinesiology & Athletic Training
710	CHIN	Chinese	Languages and Literatures

620	ENGLISH	English Language and Literature	Languages and Literatures
720	FREN	French	Languages and Literatures
740	GER	German	Languages and Literatures
700	LANG	Languages	Languages and Literatures
790	PORT	Portuguese	Languages and Literatures
770	SLAV	Russian	Languages and Literatures
780	SPAN	Spanish	Languages and Literatures
630	TESOL	TESOL/Applied Linguistics	Languages and Literatures
New prefix effective Summer 2017	LIBRARY	Library	Library
150	MGMT	Management	Management
New prefix effective Summer 2022	ENTR	Entrepreneurship	Marketing and Entrepreneurship
130	MKTG	Marketing	Marketing and Entrepreneurship
800	ACT SCI	Actuarial Science	Mathematics
800	MATH	Mathematics	Mathematics
800	STAT	Statistics	Mathematics
080	MIL SCI	Military Science	Military Science
540	MUS APPL	Music Applied	School of Music
570	MUS ED	Music Education and Methods	School of Music
530	MUS ENS	Music Ensembles	School of Music
590	MUS HIST	Music History	School of Music
595	MUS LIT	Music Literature	School of Music
560	MUS TECH	Music Techniques	School of Music
580	MUS THEO	Music Theory	School of Music
520	MUSIC	Music	School of Music
New prefix effective Summer 2020	PH	Public Health and Education	Nursing and Public Health
New prefix effective Summer 2024	NUR	Nursing	Nursing and Public Health
650	PHIL	Philosophy	Philosophy and World Religions
640	RELS	World Religions	Philosophy and World Religions
880	PHYSICS	Physics	Physics
942	POL AMER	Politics, American	Political Science

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944	POL COMP	Politics, Comparative	Political Science
940	POL GEN	Politics, General	Political Science
943	POL INTL	Politics, International	Political Science
941	POL THRY	Political Theory	Political Science
400	PSYCH	Psychology	Psychology
950	PUB POL	Public Policy	Public Policy
820	PSM	Professional Science Masters	Science Education
820	SCI ED	Science Education	Science Education
830	ENV SCI	Environmental Science	Science Education
900	SOC SCI	Social Science	Social Science
New prefix effective Summer 2018	SOCSIED	Social Science Education	Social Science
450	SW	Social Work	Social Work
990	ANTH	Anthropology	Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminology
982	CRIM	Criminology	Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminology
980	SOC	Sociology	Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminology
New prefix effective Summer 2025	SPIE	Special and Inclusive Education	Special Education
New prefix effective Summer 2025	EDUC	Education	Teaching
280	TEACHING	Teaching	Teaching
490	THEATRE	Theatre	Theatre
010	UNIV	University, Interdisciplinary	University, Interdisciplinary
some 680 and 900 prefixes	WGS	Women's and Gender Studies	Women's and Gender Studies

Courses numbered 2000 through 2999: Lower level undergraduate courses; those that ideally are taken by second and perhaps third year students. These courses might build on materials and knowledge from the 1000 series courses and may have prerequisites.

Courses numbered 3000 through 3999: Upper level undergraduate courses, courses for majors, courses which require significant prerequisites.

Courses numbered 4000 through 4999: Advanced upper level undergraduate courses including seminars, advanced independent study courses, honors thesis work, etc.

Courses numbered 5000 through 5999: Introductory graduate or first year graduate courses.

Courses numbered 6000 through 6999: Upper level graduate courses.

Courses numbered 7000 through 7999: Doctoral courses.

Semester Designation for Courses

Each course description has a semester(s) designation indicating when it is typically offered. The semester designation is listed at the **end** of each course description in parenthesis -- i.e., (Offered Fall and Spring), (Offered even Springs), (Variable), etc. Every effort will be made to abide by the designations, but this is not a guarantee that the course will be offered as indicated.

Course Number Explanation

Courses are designated by an alpha subject field (up to 8 characters) and 4-digit course number. The alpha subject field refers to the department or area of the course; the number refers to the specific course. For example, in the course designated ART 3011, *ART* refers to the Department of Art and Graphic Design and the *3011* refers to the course.

Courses numbered 0000 through 0999: Non-credit courses and courses that are offered to non-matriculated students (such as CIEP).

Courses numbered 1000 through 1999: Introductory, elementary, and general education courses that are appropriate for first year students and others with no special background. A course in this series will have few if any prerequisites.