

Guide to Course Number 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 & Technical Management
330	TECH	Technology	Applied Engineering & Technical Management
New prefix effective Summer 2019	TECH CM	Technology Construction Mangement	Applied Engineering & Technical Management
New prefix effective Summer 2020	TECH TEE	Technology Engineering Education	Applied Engineering & Technical Management
600	ART	Art Studio	Art
600	ARTED	Art Education	Art
600	ARTHIST	Art History	Art
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	BUSTEACH	Business Teaching	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	CM CORE	Communication and Media Core	Communication and Media
48C	COMM	Communication and Media	Communication and Media

48E	COMM EM (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2016)	Communication and Media: Electronic Media	Communication and Media
New prefix effective Summer 2016	COMM DM	Communication and Media: Digital Media	Communication and Media
48J	COMM J (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2016)	Communication and Media: Journalism	Communication and Media
48P	COMM PR	Communication and Media: Public Relations	Communication and Media
48C/48E/48J/48P	COMM COR	Communication and Media Core	Communication and Media
48C/48E/48J/48P	COMM GRAD	Communication and Media Graduate	Communication and Media
810	CS	Computer Science	Computer Science
New prefix effective Summer 2021	CS ED	Computer Science Education	Computer Science
210	ELEMECML	Elementary, Early Childhood and Middle Level Education	Curriculum and Instruction
New prefix effective Summer 2024	ELSPED	Elementary and Special Education	Curriculum and Instruction
240	INSTTECH (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2022)	Instructional Technology	Curriculum and Instruction
230	LITED	Literacy Education	Curriculum and Instruction
New prefix effective Summer 2022	LRNTECH	Learning Technologies	Curriculum and Instruction
300	SAFETYED	Safety Education	Curriculum and Instruction
350	SLS	School Library Studies	Curriculum and Instruction
870	EARTHSCI	Earth Science	Earth and Environmental Sciences
920	ECON	Economics	Economics
190	INTDEPED	Education, Interdepartmental	Education, Interdepartmental

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270	EDLEAD	Educational Leadership	Educational Psychology, Foundations, and Leadership Studies
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
31T	TEXDSGN	Textiles and Apparel	Family, Aging & Counseling
160	FIN	Finance	Finance
970	GEOG	Geography	Geography
410	HPE (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2020)	Health Promotion and Education	Health, Recreation and Community Services
430	LYHS (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2020)	Leisure, Youth and Human Services	Health, Recreation and Community Services
310	NUTR (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2018)	Nutrition	Health, Recreation and Community Services
New prefix effective Summer 2020	RTNL	Recreation, Tourism, and Non-Profit Leadership	Health, Recreation and Community Services
960	HIST	History	History
962	HISEUA (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2020)	Europe to ca. 1700	History

963	HISEUB (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2020)	Europe Since ca. 1700	History
964	HISNW (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2020)	Non-Western History	History
961	HISUS (prefix no longer used effective Summer 2020)	United States 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
440	HPELS (prefix no longer used 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
420	PEMES	Physical Education	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

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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
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	SOCSCIED	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
220	SPED	Special Education	Special Education
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