Academic Programs

Programs of study are designed to provide the educational outcomes and competencies necessary for students to obtain immediate employment or to further their education.

Programs lead to a two-year associate degree or certificate in the field of study.

Transfer Options

Programs of Study
Academic Programs

MACRAO AGREEMENT
The MACRAO Agreement is an agreement between Monroe County Community College and many Michigan four-year institutions. Depending upon the institution and the program, satisfying the requirements of this agreement could allow a student greater flexibility in meeting general education requirements at the four-year institution.

6 semester hours of English Composition
8 semester hours of Humanities (courses must be taken in more than one (1) discipline and must not include English Composition)
8 semester hours of Social Science (courses must be taken in more than one (1) discipline)
8 semester hours of Natural Science 1) At least one science must have a lab, 2) One of the sciences may be Math (151 or above), 3) Science courses must be from more than one (1) discipline

Courses which are not transferable (i.e., technical, vocational, or developmental) are not part of the agreement. For additional information or to request a MACRAO agreement evaluation, please contact the Office of the Registrar.

OCCUPATIONAL CERTIFICATE AND DEGREE PROGRAMS OF STUDY
Individuals completing a prescribed course of study in one of the career program areas will receive an Associate of Applied Science or Associate of Commerce Degree. See the instructional programs listing for a detailed description of the programs offered.

Individuals who wish to upgrade their knowledge and skills or prepare for new areas of employment may choose from a wide variety of course offerings. Special sequences of courses may be designed to meet these objectives. Students should consult with an appropriate faculty member, administrator, or counselor.

Described in detail in the instructional program listing, the following is a list of career/occupational degree and certificate programs available.

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CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS
A certificate of completion will be granted upon completion of certain specialized certificate programs. Certificate programs are listed in the career program listing.

TRANSFER AND PRE-PROFESSIONAL OPTIONS
The university parallel and pre-professional programs are designed for the students who will eventually finish their education at a four-year college or university. Typical programs are listed below. Credits earned on the parallel or pre-professional programs are generally transferable to four-year colleges and universities if the credits meet the following criteria:
1. Satisfactory grades. Grades of “C” or better, are necessary for a student to transfer the course to most colleges or universities.
2. Proper selection of courses. A student must select courses designed for college transfer which are consistent with the requirements of the school to which the student plans to transfer. Since no two schools have identical requirements, students should consult with their faculty adviser or counselor to discuss any questions regarding specific programs.

Students following a transfer guide provided by a particular four-year college can complete the first two years of a baccalaureate program at MCCC. In addition, students fulfilling appropriate graduation requirements of Monroe County Community College will be eligible to receive an associate degree.

See the Transfer Options section on pages 51-54 for more detailed academic transfer information.

BACHELOR DEGREE COMPLETION AGREEMENTS

2 + 2 Agreements
Monroe County Community College has developed articulation agreements with a number of four-year colleges and universities. These agreements (sometimes called 2 + 2 or bachelor degree completion agreements) provide students who are pursuing one of Monroe County Community College’s specific two-year associate degree programs an opportunity to continue their studies and complete the requirements for a baccalaureate degree. Those agreements provide that the student will be able to transfer 60 semester credit hours from one of Monroe County Community College’s associate degree programs toward selected bachelor degree programs at the four year institution. At the time this catalog was printed the following colleges and universities have 2 + 2 articulation agreements with Monroe County Community College (the MCCC programs are in parenthesis):

Central Michigan University
   - BAA-Administration
   - BS-Administration
   - BS-Community Development
      (AS-Pre-Business)

Eastern Michigan University
   - Applied Technology
      (most technology programs)
   - Construction Management
      (Construction Management Technology)

Ferris State University
   - Allied Health Sciences
      (Business Leadership and Quality Management, Nursing, and Respiratory Therapy)
   - Technology Programs
      (most technology programs)

Lourdes College
   - BBA
      (AC-Accounting, Business Management, and Banking Management)
   - BA-Human Resource Management
      (AC-Business Management)
   - BA-Criminal Justice
      (AS or AA - Pre-Criminal Justice)
   - BA-Sociology
      (AS or AA - Pre-Criminal Justice)
   - BS-Nursing
      (AAS-Nursing)

Madonna University
   - BSN
      (AAS-Nursing)

Marygrove College
   - BSW
      (AS-Early Childhood Development)

Saint Leo University
   - BA-Accounting
   - BA-Business Administration
   - BS-Computer Information Systems
      (AA, AS or AC degree - This is a completely on-line Bachelor’s completion program.)

Siena Heights University at MCCC
   - BA-Accounting
   - BA-Business Administration
   - BA-General Studies
   - BA-Psychology
   - BAS-Technology or Allied Health
      (any Associate Degree or 60-90 credits earned at MCCC.)

Spring Arbor College
   - BA-Management and Organizational Development
   - BA-Family Life Education
   - BS-Management of Health Services
      (Associate Degree with MACRAO endorsement)

University of Findlay
   - BA-Criminal Justice
      (AS-Pre-Criminal Justice)

University of Michigan - Dearborn
   - Bachelor of General Studies
      (any Associate Degree)
   - BS-Computer and Information Science
      (AS-Pre-Computer Science)
3 + 1 Agreements

In addition to the number of bachelor degree completion agreements MCCC has with many four-year colleges and universities, MCCC also has articulation agreements with Siena Heights University and Eastern Michigan University that give students the opportunity to transfer more than 60 credits of MCCC coursework for specified degree programs at both of these universities. Eastern Michigan University’s “3 + 1” agreements with MCCC apply to EMU’s bachelor programs in construction management and applied technology. The agreements with Siena Heights University create the added benefit of taking all or most courses at MCCC’s main campus for bachelor programs in business administration, accounting, applied science, psychology, and general studies.

Students interested in obtaining specific information regarding any of the special programs should contact a counselor in the Monroe County Community College Admissions Office.