

Course Outcome Summary

Standard CourseColl 145 College Success Skills

Course Information

Division Humanities/Social Sciences

Contact Hours 45 Total Credits 03

Prerequisites RDG 090 or qualifying scores on accepted placement tests

Course Description

This course is designed to work with students early in their college experience to help them avoid barriers that would prevent them from completing their educational goals. Included in this course are tools to connect students with support services designed to help overcome academic challenges. The instruction encourages the development of study skills to achieve classroom excellence and independent learning, including textbook mastery and lecture synthesis. Special emphasis includes study applications in critical thinking, academic and career planning, and engagement with college life. The Humanities and Social Sciences Division offers this course to assist students in achieving their academic goals.

Course Outcomes

In order to evidence success in this course, students will be able to:

- 1. demonstrate textbook interaction and management skills.
- 2. demonstrate the ability to take class notes from a lecture or from a reading in a textbook.
- 3. demonstrate the ability to create an outline from a class lecture or from a reading in a textbook.
- 4. identify and avoid barriers to academic success.
- 5. identify and use student support services.
- 6. explore an academic career plan or transfer plan of study.
- 7. participate in activities offered by MCCC.

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