



A.A. in General Studies: Humanities, Arts, Communication, and Languages area of concentration



CATALOG YEAR:
2025-26

B.A. in Public Service Interpreting & Translation

MONTGOMERY COLLEGE Requirements for Associate's Degree		UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK Requirements for Bachelor's Degree
3	ENGL 101 Introduction to College Writing *	Transfers as 3 degree credits toward the total required for the UMCP degree (the course has no exact UMCP equivalent) ^{^^}
3	Mathematics Foundation† (MATF)	See UMCP note*
4	SPAN 103 Intensive Elementary Spanish (HUMCP) ††	SPAN 103
3	COMM 108 or COMM 112 (GEIR)	COMM 107
3	Natural Sciences Distribution without Lab (NSND)	See UMCP note**
3	ENGL 102 Critical Reading, Writing & Research (ENGF)	ENGL 101
3	ANTH 256 World Cultures (BSSD)	Transfers as 3 degree credits toward the total required for the UMCP degree (the course has no exact UMCP equivalent) ^^
3	COMM 225 Intercultural Communication (HACL Core 1)	Diversity & Cultural Competency
4	Natural Sciences Distribution with Lab (NSLD)	See UMCP note**
3	SPAN 201 Intermediate Spanish I †† (GEIR) %	SPAN 203
3	Arts Distribution (ARTD)	See UMCP note**
3	PSYC 100 General Psychology (BSSD)	PSYC 100
3	COMM 204 Interpersonal Communication (HACL Core 2)	Transfers as 3 degree credits toward the total required for the UMCP degree (the course has no exact UMCP equivalent) ^^
3	COMM 250 Intro to Communication Inquiry and Theory (HACL Core 3)	COMM 250
3	SPAN 202 Intermediate Spanish II †† (HACL Core 4)	SPAN 204
3	SPAN 215 Advanced Spanish Conversation & Composition (HACL Core 5)	Transfers as 3 degree credits toward the total required for the UMCP degree (the course has no exact UMCP equivalent) ^^
3	SPAN 216 Advanced Readings in Spanish: Introduction to Latin American Literature	Transfers as 3 degree credits toward the total required for the UMCP degree (the course has no exact UMCP equivalent) ^^
3	Elective ^	See UMCP Note***
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1	Elective ^	See UMCP Note***
60	TOTAL CREDITS TRANSFERRED	
REMAINING UMCP DEGREE REQUIREMENTS - RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE UPON TRANSFER WITH ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE		
	COMM 382 Essentials of Intercultural Communication	3
	COMM 390 Health Communication	3
	SPAN 325 Hispanic Linguistics I: Grammar and Society	3
	PSIT 310 Fundamentals of Translation	3
	Elective	3
	SPAN 370 Spanish for Business I	3
	SPAN 374 Spanish in the Community	3
	PSIT 320 Fundamentals of Interpreting	3
	Elective	3
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	SPAN 420 Spanish and Spanish-Speaking Communities in the US	3
	COMM 424 Communication in Complex Organizations or COMM 434 Legal Communication	3
	Professional Writing (FSPW)	3
	Elective	3
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	COMM 406 English Writing in Professional Communication or COMM 407 Advanced Public Speaking	3
	PSIT 388 Public Service Interpreting and Translation Practicum	3
	PSIT 410 Public Service Translation or PSIT 420 Public Service Interpreting	3
	SPAN 476 Central Americans in the DMV	3
	Elective	3
TOTAL CREDITS REMAINING AT UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK		60

MONTGOMERY COLLEGE NOTESSuggested 1st SemesterSuggested 2nd SemesterSuggested 3rd SemesterSuggested 4th Semester

*If needed for ENGL102. If not, becomes Elective.

† MATH117 or higher

†† Students with previous knowledge of a language should take the [language placement test](#). Students who have completed the placement test or received equivalent course credit for AP, IB or CLEP tests should consult a program advisor for world languages or work with the world languages/humanities departments on their language placement for this track. Completion of WL 202 and higher courses for the selected language are required for students intending to pursue this major at UMCP after transfer.

MC Students who have not followed the Foreign Language Sequence for Spanish courses at MC would need to obtain a rating of "Advanced Low" in the ACTFL Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI). Note: Applicants may take an in-house version of this test free of charge with examiners from the Department of Spanish and Portuguese at the University of Maryland (UMCP)

% Suggested for Winter Session

^Suggested Electives: PHIL140 Introduction to the Study of Ethics; LING200 Introduction to Linguistics; CCJS110 Administration of Justice; HINM115 Medical Terminology I; HINM116 Medical Terminology II

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK NOTES

^^Courses listed as having "no exact UMCP course equivalent" still transfer toward the total number of credits required for a University of Maryland bachelor's degree. UMCP degree requirements include major requirements, General Education requirements, and elective coursework totaling 120 credits for this program.

* MC students must select from approved MC Mathematics Foundations course options; UMCP equivalency may vary (consult UMCP transfer credit database, <https://registrar.umd.edu/transfer-credit/transfer-course-database>), but will at minimum count toward the total credits required for the UMCP degree.

** MC students must select from approved MC General Education category course options; UMCP equivalency may vary (consult UMCP transfer credit database, <https://registrar.umd.edu/transfer-credit/transfer-course-database>), but will at minimum count toward the total credits required for the UMCP degree.

*** UMCP equivalency may vary depending on course taken (consult UMCP transfer credit database, <https://registrar.umd.edu/transfer-credit/transfer-course-database>), but will at minimum count for a UMCP elective course.

+ UMCP equivalency may vary (consult UMCP transfer credit database, <https://registrar.umd.edu/transfer-credit/transfer-course-database>). Students should choose a 1-credit MC course