



The Associate of Arts degree (A.A.) at JCCC is a general transfer degree and partners well with the first two years of most bachelor degree programs. Students who transfer to UCM with an Associate of Arts degree are considered to have met all 42 hours of UCM’s General Education requirements, with the exception of Major/Minor-Required General Education courses and the Constitution Requirement. (See the [UCM General Education Program guide](#) for details.) The elective hours within the A.A. allow students to complete additional general education and lower division courses required for specific majors/minors.

Students who transfer to UCM without a degree (or a degree other than an AA) will have all coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis. JCCC students not completing the AA degree should refer to the tables in the [UCM General Education Program guide](#) for course equivalents and also the UCM catalog for any specific or additional General Education requirements for their UCM program of study.

NOTE: Courses taken to fulfill General Education requirements may not be taken on the pass/fail basis.

Students should be cognizant of UCM’s Upper-Level Course Requirement and Residence Requirement, especially if enrolling in more than 60 hours at JCCC. Please refer to the [UCM General Education Program guide](#) for details.

NOTE: The UCM General Education guide can be found at: [https://www.jccc.edu/student-
 resources/transfer/files/transfer-guides/ucmo-general-ed.pdf](https://www.jccc.edu/student-resources/transfer/files/transfer-guides/ucmo-general-ed.pdf)

The International Studies, BA degree requires a minimum of 120 credit hours. All international studies majors must satisfy an International Experience Requirement, click [here](#) for details.

It is the STUDENT’S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This academic program map for transfer is provided as a service and is updated as needed. Degree requirements at the four-year colleges are subject to change by those institutions. To ensure you have the most accurate up to date information about the program, it is imperative you meet with an advisor at the transfer institution.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THIS DEGREE

UCM Course	Hrs	JCCC Equivalent	Hrs
GER 2301 Intermediate German GE OR	3	FL 220 Intermediate German I* OR	3
SPAN 2601 Intermediate Spanish I GE OR	3	FL 230 Intermediate Spanish I* OR	3
FREN 2201 Intermediate French I GE	3	FL 240 Intermediate French I*	3
POLS 2520 Comparative Government and Politics GE	3	POLS 132 Introduction to Comparative Government	3
POLS 2530 World Politics GE	3	POLS 135 International Relations	3

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (42 hours)

UCM Course	Hrs	JCCC Equivalents	Hrs
Content Specialization – Content 1 – The Global Society & Culture			
CJ 3020 Comparative Justice Systems	3	CJ 223 International Criminal Justice Systems	3
HIST 1402 History of the Modern World GE	3	HIST 126 Western Civilization: Scientific Revolution to the Modern Age OR HIST 152 World History: Modern World	3 3
POLS 2535 Model United Nations	3	POLS 200 Model United Nations	3
Content Specialization – Content 2 – International Relations, Peace & Justice – No JCCC equivalents			
Content Specialization – Content 3 – International Political Economy & Policy Studies			
ECON 1011 Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON 231 Principles of Microeconomics	3
POLS 4511 Public Policy	3	POLS 220 Introduction to Public Policy	3
SOC 2845 Social Justice	3	SOC 147 Social Work and Social Justice OR SOC 180 Inequality and Diversity in The United States	3 3
Content Specialization – Content 4 – Human Development & the Physical Environment			
SOC 2845 Social Justice	3	SOC 147 Social Work and Social Justice OR SOC 180 Inequality and Diversity in The United States	3 3
Geographic Specializations – Geographic 1 African Studies – No JCCC equivalents			
Geographic Specializations – Geographic 2 – Asian Studies – No JCCC equivalents			
Geographic Specializations – Geographic 3 – European Studies			
HIST 4442 The Soviet World	3	HIST 160 Modern Russian History	3
Geographic Specializations – Geographic 4 – Latin American Studies – No JCCC equivalents			
Geographic Specializations – Geographic 5 – Middle East Studies – No JCCC Equivalents			
Additional requirements for this major must be taken at UCM.			

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

MODERN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT (6-9 hours) The modern language requirement is fulfilled by successfully completing nine semester hours of one modern language, or completing six hours of one modern language and three hours of modern literature in translation ([ENGL 2220](#) or [ML 2000](#)), or completing three hours of an upper-level (or level three) modern language course.

UCM Course	Hrs	JCCC Equivalents	Hrs
ENGL 2220 Introduction to World Literature GE	3	ENGL 251 World Literature to 1620*	3
GER 2302 Intermediate German II GE OR	3	FL 221 Intermediate German II* OR	3
SPAN 2602 Intermediate Spanish II GE OR	3	FL 231 Intermediate Spanish II* OR	3
FREN 2202 Intermediate French II GE	3	FL 241 Intermediate French II*	3

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