

Welcome to an Academic Advising Tutorial-- LABUS.AA

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Tutorial Overview

- The following tutorial applies to Liberal Arts—Business Option students who **started in Fall 2008 or later**.
- The following tutorial will refer to basic requirements and the topic of General Education (GE) electives (Social Science, Humanities, Diversity, Math, Science, and Technology).
- For any questions about transfer, please make an appointment with a transfer counselor in Edison Hall 100. Call 732.906.2546. **Please note that the Liberal Arts—Business Degree is designed specifically for Rutgers New Brunswick Business School.**

Basic Requirements I

- ENG 121 and ENG 122 (“C” or better)
- SPE 121 (Public Speaking)
- HIS 121 and 122 (History of Western Civilization I & II)
- Six credits of GE Social Science Electives

Basic Requirements II

- One GE Humanities Elective
- Two semesters of a modern language sequence.
- Two semesters of GE Math—MAT 123/124 or MAT 129/131 or MAT 131/132 or MAT 131/285. **The MAT 131/285 sequenced is preferred by Rutgers.**
- One semester of a GE Science
- One GE Diversity Elective

Basic Requirements III

- CSC 105 or CSC 106 (The CSC 106 course has the prerequisites of MAT 014 and CSC 105 or a working knowledge of Microsoft Office.) **CSC 106 is preferred by Rutgers.**
- ACC 101 and ACC 102
- ECO 201 and ECO 202
- One 1 credit Physical Education course (PED) or one 3 credit Health Education (HED) course. Please note that HED 150 or HED 200 **cannot** be utilized to fulfill both the HED and Diversity requirements.

Modern Language Requirement

- If you plan to continue a modern language that you studied in high school, it is **strongly recommended** that you take the diagnostic test for that language at the Testing Center.
- This placement will better ensure that your language course at MCC will transfer to a bachelor-degree granting institution.
- You can also choose to take an elementary sequence in a language which you have not studied.

Diversity Course

- All Liberal Arts—Business majors must complete one **GE diversity course**.
- Please remember that Diversity Electives are **different from Divisional Electives**.
- When you see **DIV** in the College Catalog, the term refers to Diversity, not Divisional.

Choosing Science Courses

- If you want to take a four-credit lab science, you must have a lab science in high school with at least a “C” grade.
- However, the four-credit SCI 155 has a prerequisite of MAT 013 and does not need the high school lab with “C” or better.

What to Do if You did not have a High School Lab Science

- You can take BIO 010 or CHM 010 as a prerequisite to a four credit lab science.

OR

- If you did not have a high school lab science, you can register for SCI 155 since the course requires MAT 013 and no high school lab science as a prerequisite. That course would then become the prerequisite for a second science course, BIO 105 or 106.

OR

- You can take a three credit science and use that as a prerequisite for BIO 105 or BIO 106.

OR

- You can take a three credit GE science .