



Social Studies Program Agreement

Western Michigan University

Bachelor of Arts, Social Studies, (B.A.)

Kalamazoo Valley Community College

Liberal Arts MTA, Associate of Arts (A.A.)

Catalog Year 2023 - 2024

I. KALAMAZOO VALLEY COURSES for GENERAL EDUCATION/Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) (30 credits minimum)

See attached [Kalamazoo Valley MTA guide](#) for specific courses from Kalamazoo Valley that will fulfill the MTA requirements

Kalamazoo Valley Course	WMU WES Equivalent	Transfer Credit Hours
English Composition – ENG 110 or ENG 160, and one of the following COM 113, COM 210, ENG 111, ENG, 112, ENG 127, ENG, 227, ENG 260	ENGL 1050 & varies	6
Humanities - Foreign Language & HRY 251 or HRY 252	First semester of language & HIST 2020 or HIST 2030	6
Mathematics - Varies	Varies	3/4
Science – GEO 120 and 1 non-GEO Science	GEOG 1050 and varies	8
Social Sciences – HRY 102 & GEO 102	HIST 2100 & GEOG 1020	6
TOTAL KALAMAZOO VALLEY MTA CREDIT HOURS		29-30 CREDIT HOURS

II. KALAMAZOO VALLEY HISTORY COURSES – KALAMAZOO VALLEY Elective Courses (32 credits)

Kalamazoo Valley Course	WMU Equivalent	Transfer Credit Hours
ECO 201	ECO 2020	3
ECO 202	ECO 2010	3
HRY 103	HIST 2110	3
HRY 251 or 252	HIST 2020 or 2030	3
Two from PSI 201, 202, or 250	Two from PSCI 2500, 2400, or 2700	6
Second semester of language	Varies	4
Kalamazoo Valley General Education and Elective Courses to Reach 62 credits		
EDU 104	FYE 2100	3
PSI 101	PSCI 2000	3
WPE	Varies	2
Electives	Varies	3
SECTION II CREDIT HOURS KALAMAZOO VALLEY PROGRAM GUIDE		32 CREDIT HOURS
TOTAL KALAMAZOO VALLEY CREDIT HOURS (ASSOCIATES COMPLETED)		62 CREDIT HOURS

III.a. WMU COURSES REQUIRED FOR SOCIAL STUDIES (33 credits)

WMU Course	WMU Course Title	WMU Credit Hours
ECON 2190	Economic Principles of Sustainability, the Environment, and Natural Resources	3
GEOG 2050	Human Geography	3
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		6 CREDIT HOURS AT WMU

III.b. WMU INTERMEDIATE ELECTIVES - Pick 3 in different fields (9 CREDITS)		
WMU Course	WMU Course Title	WMU Credit Hours
ECON (3000-LEVEL)	Varies	3
GEOG (3000-LEVEL)	Varies	3
HIST (3000-LEVEL)	Varies	3
PSCI (3000-LEVEL)	Varies	3
TOTAL SECTION III.b		9 CREDIT HOURS AT WMU

III.c. WMU ADVANCED ELECTIVES- Pick 3 in different areas (9 CREDITS)		
WMU Course	WMU Course Title	WMU Credit Hours
ECON (4000-LEVEL)	Varies	3
GEOG (4000-LEVEL)	Varies	3
HIST (4000-LEVEL)	Varies	3
PSCI (4000-LEVEL)	Varies	3
TOTAL SECTION III.c		9 CREDIT HOURS AT WMU

III.d. WMU DIVERSITY REQUIRED COGNATE - Pick 1 in different areas (3 CREDITS)		
WMU Course	WMU Course Title	WMU Credit Hours
AAAS 3000	African and African History, Culture and Experience to 1865	3
AAAS 3010	African American History, Culture and Experience from to the Present	3
AAAS 3140	The Black Community: Historical and Contemporary Perspectives	3
ANTH 2600	Sex, Gender, Culture	3
ANTH 2800	Language in a Global World	4
ANTH 3390	Cultures of Latin America	3
ANTH 3410	Global Africa Past and Present	3
ANTH 3470	Ethnicity/Multiculturalism	3
REL 3165 ^{GP}	Religion and Globalization	3
REL 3170	Religion and Gender	4
TOTAL SECTION III.d		3 CREDIT HOURS AT WMU

III.e. WMU INTERNSHIP/WORK EXPERIENCE (Minimum 3 credits)		
WMU Course	WMU Course Title	WMU Credit Hours
GEOG 4120	Professional Practice	1-3
HIST 4950	Internship	3-9
PSCI 3900	Field Work in Political Science	1-12
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS SECTION III.e		3 CREDIT HOURS AT WMU

III.c. WMU GENERAL REQUIREMENTS NEEDED TO REACH 60 CREDITS		
WMU Course	WMU Course Title	WMU Credit Hours
ENGL 1060	Writing, Rhetoric, & Research	3
WES Global Perspectives	Varies	3
WES Local & National Perspectives	Varies	3
Electives to reach 60 credits	Varies	21
TOTAL SECTION III.c		30 CREDIT HOURS AT WMU
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR HISTORY PROGRAM		60 CREDIT HOURS AT WMU

TOTAL CREDITS (I –III)		
62 Kalamazoo Valley Credits		
60 WMU Credits		
122 Total Credits		

Minimum credits required for Kalamazoo Valley associate degree: 62 Minimum credits required at WMU: 60 Total credits required: 122

† Professional level courses that require acceptance into the WMU Social Studies program

^{GP} WES level 3 courses satisfying Global Perspective

^{NP} WES level 3 courses satisfying National Perspective

Advising Notes

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Additional Program Notes

Program Agreement

This agreement shall commence as of November 6th, 2023. This program agreement shall abide by all language of the Institutional Agreement between Kalamazoo Valley Community College and Western Michigan University.

Signatures

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