

General Education Equivalency Guide

The BCC Transfer Office has negotiated a number of general education course equivalency guides with area colleges. The guides list the general education courses that all students are required to take at the 4-year colleges and the BCC courses that are equivalent.

UMASS Boston College of Arts & Sciences

UMASS Boston Distribution Area Requirements

BCC Equivalent

Arts & Humanities

(BA 9cr; BS 3cr in Humanities
3cr in Arts)

Arts

ART 13, 34
ENG 17, 30, 50, 51, 52, 53, 57, 59
FRN 51, 52
HUM 53
MUS 11, 13
THE 19

Humanities

HST 13, 14, 20, 22, 23, 52, 60
HUM 54, 58, 60, 72
PHL 51, 52
AMC 11, 12

Math & Natural Sciences

(BA 9cr including at least one
Natural Science; BS 12cr
including at least one Natural
Science)

Math

CIS 10, 11
MTH 14, 15, 19, 32, 51, 52

Natural Sciences

AST 11
BIO 10, 11, 12, 17, 20, 21, 22
CHM 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16
ENV 12
PHY 11, 12
SCI 12, 15

SSC 14

Social Behavioral
(BA 9cr; BS 6cr)

ANT 11
ECN 11, 12, 15, 51
GVT 12, 51
HST 15, 21
PSY 51, 58, 59, 62, 64, 66
SOC 11, 52, 55, 56, 57

World Cultures and World Languages

(BA at least 2 semesters of a Foreign Language as well as 6cr in World Cultures and/or World Languages;
BS 3cr in World Cultures or World Languages 02 level or higher)

World Languages

FRN 01, 02, 11, 12
POR 01, 02, 11, 12
SPA 01, 02, 11, 12
HST 54, 57

World Cultures

Freshman Writing Requirement
6cr

ENG 11

All transfer students must complete a writing proficiency exam during their first semester at UMASS.

