COURSE DESCRIPTION INFORMATION

Colorado State University Pueblo does not offer all the courses listed in this catalog every semester or every year.

Each semester the University creates an on-line course offering module listing a detailed schedule of courses offered and the times and places of instruction. Courses listed in the on-line course offering module are subject to change.

Explanatory Notes

Numbering of Courses
Course numbering is based on the content level of material presented in courses.

Courses numbered:
- 000-099 - Remedial; do not count toward graduation or student level
- 100-299 - Freshmen/Sophomore level (lower division)
- 300-499 - Junior/Senior level (upper division)
- 500-699 - Graduate level
- 900-999 - Post-master’s

Variable Credit Courses
(1-3 VAR) indicates variable credit; the minimum and maximum credit limitations. An example:

494 Field Experience (1-5 VAR)
Off-campus individual experience providing transition from classroom instruction to on-the-job experience. Supervised by instructor and job supervisor. Prerequisite: senior standing and permission of instructor.

Cross-listed Courses
Courses in which students may earn credit under either (but not both) of two prefixes (e.g., SOC or HIST) for the same offering.

Corequisite
A requirement which must be taken concurrently with another course of instruction.

Prerequisite
A requirement which must be fulfilled before a student can enroll in a particular course.

Minimum Grade for Prerequisite
The University policy for prerequisite grades is a C; however, the department has the authority to override individual course requirements.

Repeatable
Some specified courses may be repeated for credit. These courses are designated by the word Repeatable in the Course Description section of this catalog. The number after the word Repeatable indicates the maximum number of credits that may be used toward degree requirements.

General Education Courses
- E - Written Communication (English Composition)
- M - Quantitative Reasoning (Mathematics)
- H - Humanities
- SS - Social Science
- HS - History
- ST - Natural and Physical Science
- GT - Guaranteed transfer to Colorado two-year and four-year institutions

Cross Cultural Requirement
CC - Course meets Cross-Cultural requirement

Cancellation of Courses
The University reserves the right to cancel courses not selected by an adequate number of students or not suitably staffed by qualified faculty.

Keys to Symbols
Course descriptions include a variety of symbols conveying essential information. The following standard course description with explanation of symbols serves as a model:

MUS 127 Functional Piano I: Beginning 1(0-2)
For students with no piano experience. Introduces fundamentals, with emphasis on providing skills necessary for successful completion of the Proficiency Exam. May be repeated. (F,S) Repeatable (2)

MUS - course prefix
127 - course number

Functional Piano I: Beginning - course title
1(0-2) - number of credits (clock hours in lecture per week – clock hours in laboratory demonstration or studio experiences per week)

“For students” - explanation of course content
(F,S) - taught fall, spring

Repeatable (2) - course may be repeated and counted toward graduation for a maximum of 2 credits

Note: Not all of the above information may be noted in each course. Additional symbols include:

F - Taught fall semester
S - Taught spring semester
SS - Taught summer session
* - Offered upon demand
O - Taught odd numbered years
E - Taught even numbered years
VAR - Variable credit course
L - Suffix indicating lab course
Course Description Information

IP - Grade of IP (In Progress) available
S/U - Grade of S or U available

University-Wide "House-Numbered" Courses
200, 300, 400, 500, 600, 900 - Workshop
290, 390, 490, 590, 690, 990 - Special Project
291, 391, 491, 591, 691, 991 - Special Topics
292, 392, 492, 592, 692, 992 - Research
293, 393, 493, 593, 693, 993 - Seminar
294, 394, 494, 594, 694, 994 - Field Experience
295, 395, 495, 595, 695, 995 - Independent Study
296, 396, 496, 596, 696, 996 - Cooperative Ed Pl.
297, 397, 497, 597, 697, 997 - Studio Series
298, 398, 498, 598, 698, 998 - Internship
599, 699, 999 - Thesis Research

Course Prefixes
Courses of instruction are identified by the following approved prefixes:

ACCT - Accounting
AIM - Automotive Industry Management
ANTH - Anthropology
AREC - Agribusiness (Courses with AREC prefix are online courses through Colorado State University-Fort Collins, in the Agriculture and Resource Economics major. These courses can be taken simultaneously through CSU Pueblo and CSU-Fort Collins to complete the degree.)
ART - Art
ASL - American Sign Language
AT - Athletic Training
BIOL - Biology
BSAD - Business Administration
CBSE - Communities to Build Active STEM Engagement
CET - Civil Engineering Technology
CHEM - Chemistry
CIS - Computer Information Systems
CLDE - Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Education
CM - Construction Management
COMR - Communication & Rhetoric
CNED - Continuing Education
CR - Continuous Registration
CRIM - Criminology
CS - Chicano Studies
CTL - Center for Teaching and Learning
DS - Diversity Studies
ECE - Early Childhood Education
ECON - Economics
ED - Education
EE - Electrical Engineering
EN - Engineering
ENG - English
ESL - English as a Second Language
EPER - Exercise Science and Health Promotion
FIN - Finance
FRN - French
GEOG - Geography
GEOL - Geology
GER - German
HIST - History
HONR - Honors
INTL - International Studies
ITL - Italian
LAS - Library Archival Studies
MATH - Mathematics
MC - Media Communication
ME - Mechanical Engineering
MGMT - Management
MKTG - Marketing
MSL - Military Science & Leadership
MUS - Music
NPA - Non-Profit Administration
NSE - National Student Exchange
NSG - Nursing
PHIL - Philosophy
PHYS - Physics
PLP - President's Leadership Program
A
- Accounting (ACCT) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/acctg/)
- American Sign Language (ASL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/asl/)
- Anthropology (ANTH) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/anthr/)
- Art (ART) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/art/)
- Athletic Training (AT) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/at/)
- Automotive Industry Management (AIM) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/aim/)

B
- Biology (BIOL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/biol/)
- Business Administration (BSAD) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/busad/)

C
- Center for Teaching and Learning (CTL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/ctl/)
- Chemistry (CHEM) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/chem/)
- Chicano Studies (CS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/cs/)
- Civil Engineering Technology (CET) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/cet/)
- Communication & Rhetoric (COMR) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/comr/)
- Communities to Build Active STEM Engagement (CBSE) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/cbase/)
- Computer Information Systems (CIS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/cis/)
- Construction Management (CM) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/cm/)
- Continuing Education (CNED) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/coned/)
- Criminology (CRIM) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/crim/)
- Culturally & Linguistically Diverse Education (CLDE) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/clde/)

D
- Diversity Studies (DS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/ds/)

E
- Early Childhood Education (ECE) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/ece/)
- Economics (ECON) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/econ/)
- Education (ED) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/ed/)
- Engineering (EN) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/en/)
- English (ENG) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/eng/)
- English as a Second Language (ESL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/esl/)
- Exercise Science and Health Promotion (EPER) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/exhp/)

F
- Finance (FIN) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/fin/)
- French (FRN) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/frn/)

G
- Geography (GEOG) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/geog/)
- Geology (GEOL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/geol/)
- German (GER) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/ger/)

H
- Health Science (HS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/hs/)
- History (HIST) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/hist/)
- Honors (HONR) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/honor/)
- Humanities and Social Sciences (HSS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/hss/)
• Italian (ITL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/itl/)

• Library Archival Studies (LAS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/las/)

• Management (MGMT) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/mgmt/)
• Marketing (MKTG) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/mktg/)
• Mathematics (MATH) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/math/)
• Media Communication (MC) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/mccnm/)
• Military Science & Leadership (MSL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/msl/)
• Music (MUS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/mus/)

• Non-Profit Administration (NPA) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/npa/)
• Nursing (NSG) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/nsg/)

• Philosophy (PHIL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/phil/)
• Physics/Physical Science (PHYS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/phys/)
• Political Science (POLS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/polsc/)
• President’s Leadership Program (PLP) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/plp/)
• Psychology (PSYC) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/psych/)

• Reading (RDG) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/rdg/)
• Recreation (REC) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/rec/)

• Science (SCI) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/sci/)
• Social Science (SCSC) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/scsc/)
• Social Work (SW) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/sw/)
• Sociology (SOC) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/soc/)

• Spanish (SPN) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/spn/)

• University Studies (US) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/us/)

• Wildlife & Natural Resources (WANR) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/wanr/)
• Women’s Studies (WS) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/ws/)
• World Language (WL) (https://catalog.csupueblo.edu/course-description-information/wl/)