## Doane Core Connections (DCC) 2025-2026



- 1) Foundational Areas of Knowledge (FAK)
  - a minimum 3 credit course from each category a maximum of two courses from any single prefix can be used to fulfill the FAK
  - Community and Identity: understanding of themselves and the communities in which they live and world, and how identity is formed through the interaction of the individual in larger society

CMS-112 Small Group Commun (3) ECO-203 Macroecon & Literacy (3) ENG-231 Lang Community & Socty (3) HIS-206 History of the US II (3) HNR-200 Introduction to Honors (3) POV-101 Intro to Policy & Values(3) PSI-101 American Politics (3)

PSY-117 Intro to Psychology (3) PSY-259 Lifespan Development (3) SOC-109 Intro to Sociology (3)

HIS-205 History of the US I (3)

Mathematical Reasoning: mathematical thought in order to analyze complex scenarios, make connections, solve problems, explain

conclusions, and think more effectively

MTH-107 Problem Solving (3) MTH-125 Precalculus (4) MTH-108 Modeling & Applictns (3) MTH-213 Math for Elementary Teachers (3)

PHI-105 Logic and Critical Thinking (3)

MTH-120 Intro Data thru Visualization (3) MTH-235 Calculus I (4)

Rhetorical Communication: use language purposely and effectively, thoughtful communicators, aware of what they are doing and why in each phase of the communication process

BUS-217 Business Communication (3)

CMS-220 Interpersonal Commun (3) ENG-101 Eng Comp: Writing Semnr (3) SPA-305 Spanish Conv and Comp (3)

CMS-105 Fund of Communication (3) CMS-210 Public Speaking (3) ENG-102 Eng Comp II: Writg in Context (3)

Global and Cultural Contexts: modern world and interconnections of global cultures; address complex questions about race, gender, nationality, religion, law, economics, business, politics to understand multiple cultural perspectives

ANT/SOC-308 Cultural Anthro (3) ART-204 Western Art History I (3) ART-345 Topics in Non-European Art (3) BUS-101 Understand Envir of Bus (3) BUS-357 International Marketing (3) CMS-321 Intercultural Commun (3) EIS-115 Living Religions (3)

ENG-330 Diverse Voices & Views (3) EVS-392 Envir Policy & Sustainability (3) GEG-301 Social-Cultural Geog (3) HIS-106 History of Civilization II (3) HIS-304 Military History (3) MUS-335 World Music (3) PSI-105 Comparative Govt's (3)

SOC-324 Race and Nationality (3) SPA-101, 102 Elem Spanish (3) (3) SPA-203, 204 Interm Spanish (3) (3) SPA 205 Spanish for Educators SPA-225 Spanish for Health Care (3)

SPA 230 Spanish for Business

Scientific Perspectives: understanding of scientific thinking includes lab or field experiences

AST-103 Introductory Astronomy (3) BIO-101 Intro to Biology (4) BIO-110 Biological Inquiry Lab (3) CHM-101 Intro to Chemistry (4) CHM-125 General Chemistry I (4)

EVS-105 Intro to Natural Resources (3) GEG-112 Physical Geography (3) GEO-101 Environmental Geology (4) GEO-103 Physical Geology (4) GEO-107 Intro to Meteorology (3)

PHS-105 Prin of Physical Science (4) PHY-107 Introductory Physics I (4) PHY-201 General Physics I (4)

Human Creativity: creative process and its reflection of human society

ART-101 Art Appreciation (3) ART-107 Two-Dimensional Design (3) ART-110 Three-Dimensional Design (3) ART-205 Western Art History II (3)

ART-207 Drawing (3) ART-234 Intro Digital Photography (3) CMM/ENG-210 Film Studies (3) EIS-325/425 Relig & Pop Cult (3)(3) ENG-285 Creative Writing (3) FAR-103 Intro to Fine Arts: Music (3) MUS-125 History of Rock & Roll (3)

ART-235 Color Theory & Applic (3)

MUS-190 Concert Band (0-1) MUS-191 Doane Choir (0-1) MUS-192 Collegiate Chorale (0-1) MUS-196 String Ensemble (0-1) THE-101 Introduction to Theatre (3)

THE-103 Acting I (3)

In Search of Meaning and Values: what it means to be human; existence, philosophy, spirituality, ethical values

BUS-365 Ethics in Business Envirnmnt (3) EIS-305/405 Christianity (3) CMP-205 Computing and Society (3) EIS-105 Intro to the Bible (3)

EIS-120 Intro to Old Testament (3) EIS-121 Intro to New Testament (3) EIS/HIS-323 Religion in American Life (3) ENG-237 Intro to Literary Fiction (3) HIS-105 History of Civilization I (3)

HUM-210 Integrated Humanities (3)

LDR-230 Interfaith Leadership (3) PHI-110 Introduction to Philosophy (3) PHI-111 Introduction to Ethics (3)

## 2) Liberal Arts Studies

- a) LAR 101: Inquiry Seminar: Learning the Art of Inquiry (3) (Transfers bringing in 90 credits LAR-101 waived)
- b) LAR 202: Integrative Seminar: Democracy and Diversity (3)
- c) LAR 303: Impact Seminar: Connecting Knowledge to Choices and Actions (3) or EDU-341: Practicum ID (3)

## 3) Experiential Learning

- 1. Cultural Immersion: Study abroad, Short-term travel
- Professional Practice: Internship, Student teaching, Professional practice within a course
- Scholarly Practice: Independent research, creative production or performance
- Service-learning: Integrated course work with service that meets a community identified need