EARLY START PROGRAM (ESP)
FALL 2021 ONLINE (ASYNCHRONOUS) COURSES

AMERICAN FAMILY SYSTEMS
Course Code: SOC 2232-190
Description: An examination of the diversity of marriage and family life in American society as reflected in changing social conditions and social policies. Focus is given to social and economic justice and populations at risk, including the identification and function of values, norms, and codes relevant to marriage and family decision making.
Instructor: Dr. Janice Purk
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the A.A.S. Health Education, B.S.E. Early Childhood and Elementary Education, and the B.S.W. Social Work degree programs. SOC 2232 is also a general education course at Mansfield University.

CRITICAL THINKING
Course Code: PHL-2200-190
Description: This course is designed to improve a student's ability to recognize and evaluate arguments and claims as they occur in a variety of contexts, such as editorials, articles, debates, newscasts, speeches, advertisements, and conversations. Logical fallacies, common ways in which arguments go wrong, will be studied, along with the features of good reasoning. Various forms of inductive or informal argumentation will be analyzed, including scientific, legal and everyday reasoning.
Instructor: Dr. Adrianne McEvoy
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course satisfies a general education requirement at Mansfield University.

INTRODUCTION TO ART
Course Code: ARH 1101-190
Description: An approach to the dominant movements and ideas of the Western World as they evolved in visual arts from cave art origins to the present.
Instructor: Mr. Adam Veil
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the B.A. Art History and B.S. Graphic Design degree programs. ARH 1101 is also a general education course at Mansfield University.
INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT

Course Code: BUS 1130-190
Description: Studies an overview of the broad concept of business functions. Provides a foundation for understanding the relationships among essential activities of business. Helps students to determine and pursue their areas of interest and aptitude.
Instructor: Dr. Xia Zhou
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the A.S. Business Administration, all B.S. Business Administration concentrations (Accounting, Management and Marketing) and the B.M. Music: Music Business degree programs.

INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Course Code: CJA 1100-190
Description: An introduction to the field of criminal justice and its major components, roles and functions. Emphasis is placed upon concepts of law and the historical descriptive analysis of the police, courts, and corrections.
Instructor: Dr. Justin Crowl
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the A.S. and B.S. Criminal Justice Administration degree programs.

INTRODUCTION TO GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY

Course Code: PSY 1101-190
Description: Designed to familiarize students with the application of scientific psychology to human life. Emphasis is on “normal” behavior and its antecedents. Includes the study of broad categories of human behavior through various psychological models.
Instructor: Dr. Francis Craig
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the following degree programs: A.A.S. Health Education, A.A.S. Radiologic Technology, B.S. Respiratory Care, B.S. Community Health Education, B.S.Ed. Early Childhood Education, B.M. Music Education, B.S.N. Nursing, B.S.Ed. Professional Studies in Secondary Education (all concentrations), and B.S. Psychology (all concentrations). PSY 1101 is also a general education course at Mansfield University.

INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE

Course Code: ENG 1115-190
Description: Introduction to reading poetry, fiction, and drama for understanding and enjoyment.
Instructor: Ms. Teri Doerksen
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: ENG 1115 is a general education course at Mansfield University.
INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

Course Code: SOC 1101-190
Description: Introduction to the basic concepts, premises, and techniques involved in the scientific approach to the study of human societies. Analysis is made of selected aspects of social behavior at interpersonal, intergroup, and societal levels. Global perspectives are explored.
Instructor: Dr. Tim Madigan
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the following degree programs: A.A.S. Health Education, B.A. Sociology, B.S. Community Health Education, B.S. Nutrition, B.S.N. Nursing, and B.S.W Social Work degree programs. SOC 1101 is also a general education course at Mansfield University.

INTRODUCTORY STATISTICS

Course Code: MA 1125-190
Description: A survey of basic statistical methods for analyzing data. Topics include descriptive statistics, probability, sampling, point and interval estimation, hypothesis tests, linear regression, correlation, and non-parametric tests.
Instructor: Dr. Matt Haner
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the following degree programs: A.S. Chemical Technology, A.S. Computer Information Systems, A.A.S. Health Education, B.S. Community Health Education, B.S. Biology – Medical Laboratory Sciences Concentration, B.S. Geosciences (all concentrations), B.S.N. Nursing, B.S. Nutrition, B.S.Ed. Professional Studies in Secondary Education – Earth/Space Science, English, and Social Studies Concentrations, B.S. Safety Management, and B.A. Sociology. This course may also be used to satisfy the mathematics requirement in the A.A.S. Environmental Technology program. MA 1125 is also a general education course at Mansfield University.

PHYSICAL GEOLOGY WITH LAB

Course Code: GEL 1125-190 and GEL 1125L-190
Description: A study of the solid portion of the earth, its composition, and the processes that act upon it. Included are such topics as rocks and minerals, weathering, and geologic structures.
Instructor: Dr. Lee Stocks
Credits: 4 credits
Notes: This course is required by the A.A.S. Environmental Technology and B.S. Geosciences degree programs. GEL 1125 is also a general education course.
PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING I

Course Code: ACC 1110-190
Description: Introduces the fundamentals of accounting, which is “the language of business.” The course covers the accounting cycle, balance sheet and income statement preparation, and internal controls. Other topics include accounting for cash, receivables, merchandise inventory, plant assets and intangibles, and ethics.
Instructor: Dr. Xiaoxuan Ji
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the A.S. Business Administration, all B.S. Business Administration concentrations (Accounting, Management and Marketing) and the B.M. Music: Music Business degree programs.

PRINCIPLES OF MACROECONOMICS

Course Code: ECO 1101-190
Description: An introduction to aggregate economics with emphasis on interdependence of sectors of an economy, aggregate concepts, determination of national income and fiscal and monetary policy for stabilization.
Instructor: Dr. Atika Benaddi
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the A.S. Business Administration, all B.S. Business Administration concentrations (Accounting, Management and Marketing) and the B.M. Music: Music Business degree programs.

UNITED STATES HISTORY TO 1877

Course Code: HST 2201-190
Description: A survey of American history covering pre-European contact through colonization, independence, and the formation of the new republic; nationalism, sectionalism, and the growth of democracy in the 19th century; and the Civil War and Reconstruction.
Instructor: Dr. Karen Guenther
Credits: 3 credits
Notes: This course is required by the B.A. History and B.S.E. Professional Studies in Secondary Education Social Studies: History degree programs. HST 2201 is a general education course at Mansfield University.