

Transfer Guide for Learning Community Courses:

Planning to Transfer? A Learning Community Can Help You Complete Your Academic Program

- **Getting a Clue** (ENG 111 & SDV 100) For students in any academic program who placed into ENG 111 and need SDV 100. This is a good choice for students in any AS or AAS degree
- **Computing & Composing** (ENG 111 & ITE 115) All AS/AA/and AAS degrees require computer competency. This combination is for students in almost any "2-year" program (except IT and Culinary, both of which require different IT courses)
- **Conquering College Math- PRISMM Plus** (Developmental Math & SDV 100) For students in any major who have not had SDV 100 and need to take a PRISMM math.
- **Early Childhood-Distance Learners' Community** (CHD 270 & EDU 225) This Community works for students pursuing studies related to the care, supervision, education, and development of young children from birth to age twelve. It is not intended for students in Teacher Preparation programs. This is a good LC for students in the Early Childhood curriculum.
- **Global Boundaries-Global Connections** (ENG 111 & HIS 111) For students in Liberal Arts, Social Sciences, Engineering, and Business Administration programs.
- **Pre-Med & Professional School Careers Cluster Learning Community** (BIO 101 & SDV 100). This is a good choice for Science majors who intend to go to a Professional School such as Veterinary, Pharmacy or Medical School, but will fit all College Transfer curricula except Engineering.
- **What If Tarzan Could Write?** (BIO 101 & SDV 100) This LC is appropriate for students who wish to transfer in Liberal Arts/Social Science, Business Administration, and Math/Science.
- **Communication Across the Lifespan: Theories, Strategies and Skills** (CST 110 & PSY 230) This LC is appropriate for majors in Legal Assisting, Fire Science, Human Services and Business Administration (if transferring to VCU); students should check with their advisor.
- **Teacher Prep Learning Community** (ENG 111 & SDV 107) For students in Teacher Preparation programs seeking Teacher Cert.

Always check with an Advisor or the Center for Career, Transfer, and Employment if you have any questions or concerns about which classes to take or the transferability of classes to your intended 4 year college!

But I don't plan to transfer. Can I take a Learning Community (LC)?

Answer: YES! Many Reynolds Learning Communities will meet the General Education requirements of your particular AAS or AAA major/program.

AAS and AAA program majors (i.e., occupational and technical programs that are generally designed to prepare students for employment as technicians, paraprofessionals, and skilled craftspersons.) General Education requirements for AAA and AAS programs often include many of the following:

- 3 credits (one course) in *Communications (ENG 111)
- 3 credits (one course) in *Humanities/Fine Arts (for example, Art, Music, Philosophy or Religion)
- 3 credits (one course) in *Social/Behavioral Science (for example, Economics, History, Geography, Political Science, Psychology or Sociology)
- 3 credits (one course) in *Science or Math (for example Biology, Physics, Geology or Math)
- 2 credits in *Personal Wellness (SDV plus Health or Phys Ed.)

*See pages 42-45 of the JSRCC College Catalog for 2010-2011 (<http://www.jsr.vccs.edu/catalog/>) for a complete listing of general education course requirements and electives for the above categories. Also review the specific requirements for specific programs.