Course Information

Windward Community College General Education Requirements

FW  Written Communication
FQ  Quantitative Reasoning
FGA Global & Multicultural Perspectives, Group A
FGB Global & Multicultural Perspectives, Group B
FGC Global & Multicultural Perspectives, Group C
OC  Oral Communications
DA  Arts
DH  Humanities
DL  Literatures
DS  Social Sciences
DB  Biological Science
DP  Physical Science
DY  Laboratory Science

Focus Requirements & Designations

HAP  Hawaiian, Asian, and Pacific Issues
OC  Oral Communication
WI  Writing Intensive
TXT0  Textbook Cost $0
SF  Sustainability Focused
EC  Early College

Course Numbering

Each course is designated by an abbreviation which stands for the subject area of the course, followed by a number.

- Courses numbered from 1-99 are generally not applicable for credit toward a baccalaureate degree but some are applicable to certificates.
- Courses numbered from 100-199 are initial or introductory courses.
- Courses numbered from 200-299 are generally second-year courses in a sequence or development within a field of study.
- Courses ending in -92, -94, or -96 are special topics courses dealing with timely issues or unique subject matter not included in the main curriculum. These courses may be infrequently offered.
- Courses ending in -97 or -98 are experimental courses proposed for inclusion in the main curriculum and are offered for only one year on this basis.
- Courses ending in -99 are independent study courses such as directed reading, research or field work experience.
- The suffix "L," when used, designates a laboratory course which is a companion course (whether required or not) to a given lecture course.
- The suffix "V," when used, designates variable credit. The credit to be earned is arranged with the instructor by each student at the time of registration.
- The suffix "WI," when used in the class schedule, designates a Writing Intensive course.

HAP Hawaiian, Asian, and Pacific Issues

Hawaiian, Asian, and Pacific Issues (HAP): HAP-designated courses focus on issues in Hawaiian and Asian or Pacific cultures and history and promote cross-cultural understanding between nations and cultures. Courses listed in the class schedule with the "HAP" designation are intended to fulfill HAP-focus requirements at any other UH campus. HAP-designated class satisfy the following hallmarks:

- The course content reflects the intersection of Asian and/or Pacific Island cultures with Native Hawaiian culture.
The course encourages learning from the cultural perspectives, values, and world views rooted in the experience of peoples indigenous to Hawai‘i, the Pacific, and Asia.

The course includes an understanding of one or more of the following: the histories, cultures, beliefs, the arts, the societal, political, economic, or technological processes of these regions (for example, the relationships of societal structures to the natural environment).

The course involves an in-depth analysis or understanding of the issues in order to foster multi-cultural respect and understanding.