



**METROPOLITAN**  
Community College



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- **Cost of tuition is waived for the 2025-26 academic year.**
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- **Most courses count toward MCC degrees.**
- **Courses may transfer to many four-year institutions (check with a college before assuming transferability).**
- **KSO classes are led by NDE-certified MCC instructors.**

**Fall semester course dates: Aug. 18-Dec. 5, 2025 (Break: Nov. 24-28)**

#### **BSAD 1000 (Introduction to Business)**

Students learn core concepts and common practices in the business environment.

#### **ECON 1000 (Macroeconomics)**

Students study the concepts of macroeconomics such as GDP, inflation, unemployment, labor and international trade.

#### **ENGL 1010 (Composition I)**

Students develop rhetorical knowledge; practice critical reading, thinking and writing; and use a writing process to draft, revise and edit texts.

Prerequisite required (see catalog).

#### **FREN 1110 (Elementary French)**

This is the first of three sequential courses that teach the basic skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing in French. Students build these skills by preparing for the unit objectives with grammar tutorials, interactive vocabulary presentations, authentic readings and corresponding assessment activities.

#### **HIMS 1111 (Healthcare Careers)**

This course provides an overview of the health care field.

#### **HIMS 1120 (Med Term I)**

This course emphasizes understanding medical vocabulary and establishes a solid foundation of medical terms and symbols, prefixes, suffixes, word roots and abbreviations.

#### **HIST 1010 (US History I)**

This course is a survey of American history from discovery through the Civil War and Reconstruction.

#### **HMRL 1010 (Human Relations)**

This is an introductory course on interpersonal skills, stressing the importance of utilizing those skills in the workplace.

#### **MATH 1425 (Pre-Calculus Algebra)**

Students will learn advanced algebra topics that include rational expressions; radical equations; circles; relations and functions; systems of equations and inequalities; and more topics. Prerequisite required (see catalog).

#### **POLS 2050 (American Government)**

This course is an introduction to American national government, including a study of the structural function of the political system and the elements of constitutionalism, republicanism and federalism.

#### **PSYC 1010 (Introduction to Psych)**

This course provides a survey of the major themes in psychology and explores applications for daily living.

#### **SOCI 1010 (Intro to Sociology)**

This course is an introduction to the scientific study of society and human social behavior.

#### **SPAN 1110 (Elementary Spanish I)**

This is the first of two introductory courses in which students begin to learn the fundamentals of Spanish. It stresses comprehension, pronunciation, speaking, listening, reading, writing and vocabulary. The course content covers nouns, adjectives and the present tense, as well as a study of Spanish-speaking cultures.

# Spring semester course dates: Jan. 12-May 1, 2026 (Break: March 2-6)

## **COMS 1110 (Public Speaking)**

This course provides both a theoretical basis and practical instruction for speaking effectively in public. Students are required to record speech assignments in front of an audience of four to five individuals.

## **ECON 1100 (Microeconomics)**

Students examine the theory and application of the four market structures: pure competition, monopolistic competition, oligopoly and monopoly.

## **ENGL 1010 (Composition I)**

Students develop rhetorical knowledge; practice critical reading, thinking and writing; and use a writing process to draft, revise and edit texts. Prerequisite required (see catalog).

## **ENGL 1020 (Composition II)**

Students build English skills by becoming better critical readers, researchers and writers. A passing grade in Composition I is a prerequisite.

## **ENGL 2450 (Intro to Literature)**

Students explore the genres, elements and themes of literature by critically reading, discussing and responding in writing to a culturally diverse selection of works. Fiction, poetry and drama are emphasized. Prerequisite required: ENGL 1010.

## **FINA 1000 (Financial Literacy)**

This course reviews the most critical financial literacy concepts needed by consumers in today's marketplace.

## **FREN 1120 (Elementary French II)**

This is the second of three sequential courses that teach the basic skills of listening, speaking, reading and writing in French. Students build these skills through grammar tutorials, interactive vocabulary presentations, authentic readings and corresponding assessment activities. Prerequisite required: FREN 1110.

## **GEOG 1050 (Human Geography)**

This course provides spatial, cultural and ecological perspective on the human occupancy of the earth.

## **HIMS 1130 (Med Term II)**

This course builds on HIMS 1120 to present additional body systems, specialty medical areas, clinical procedures, medical terms and abbreviations. A passing grade in HIMS 1120 is a prerequisite.

## **HIMS 1150 (Intro to Med Law and Ethics)**

This course gives a foundation in the federal and state laws of the medical profession and ethical issues associated with working in a health care setting.

## **HIST 1020 (US History II)**

This course is a survey of American history from the end of the Civil War to present.

## **HMRL 1010 (Human Relations)**

This is an introductory course on interpersonal skills, stressing the importance of utilizing those skills in the workplace.

## **MATH 1410 (Statistics)**

This course requires students to develop a critical and functional understanding of data. Software and calculators are used as appropriate. Prerequisite required (see catalog).

## **POLS 2050 (American Government)**

This course is an introduction to American national government, including a study of the structural function of the political system and the elements of constitutionalism, republicanism and federalism.

## **PSYC 1120 (Human Growth and Development)**

Students study the stages of the human life span: prenatal, infancy, toddlerhood, middle childhood, adolescence, adulthood and gerontology.

## **PSYC 1010 (Introduction to Psych)**

This course provides a survey of the major themes in psychology and explores applications for daily living.

## **SOCI 1010 (Introduction to Sociology)**

This course is an introduction to the scientific study of society and human social behavior.

## **SPAN 1120 (Elementary Spanish II)**

Students continue to focus on the skills introduced in SPAN 1110. The course covers past tenses and subjunctive mood, as well as Spanish-speaking cultures. Prerequisite required: SPAN 1110.

## **REQUIRED MATERIALS AND COST:**

MCC KSO courses are tuition free. Students are responsible for textbooks and materials, which vary in cost. Access to a computer and an internet connection is required.

## **FORMAT:**

Students will access their courses using the CANVAS platform. Completing the online CANVAS orientation is required before the start of the course.

## **REGISTRATION DEADLINES:**

- First semester (2025): Aug. 13, 2025
- Second semester (2026): Jan. 7, 2026

## **ONLINE INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION:**

Visit [mccneb.edu/KSO](http://mccneb.edu/KSO) to access the registration form, instructions and additional information.

**Seats are limited. Students are encouraged to register early as courses fill quickly. Enrollment is on a first-come, first-serve basis.**



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