

University of Colorado Denver Core Status for First-Year Seminar Courses

Beginning with the Fall 2009 semester, the UC Denver Core Curriculum Oversight Committee (CCOC) approved using one First-Year Seminar (FYS) course towards Core Curriculum requirements. The FYS courses are individually reviewed by the CCOC for knowledge area content, critical thinking and writing requirements of the Core. FYS course may only be applied toward a specific Knowledge Area of the Core, which excludes using a FYS course towards writing/mathematics proficiency in Intellectual Competencies, International Perspectives, or Cultural Diversity areas of the Core. The following table outlines the FYS courses by department/program, title, and instructor for official Core Status.

FYS	Course Title	Instructor	Fall 2009	Fall 2010
ARTS	Sources of Creativity	Bloom	Arts	Arts
BIOL	Global Health Crisis	Regier	Biol & Phy Sci, Math	Biol & Phy Sci, Math
CHEM	Science Behind Environmental Headlines	Lanning	Biol & Phy Sci, Math	Biol & Phy Sci, Math
COMM	Communication and Popular Culture	Dawe	Behavioral Science	Behavioral Science
COMM	Evaluating Contemporary TV	Ott	-	Behavioral Science
CRJU	Law & Order: Anatomy of the Criminal Justice System	Dodge	Social Science	Social Science
ENGL	Rereading America	DeMarte	Humanities	-
ENGR	The Psychology of Technology and Industry	Rakowski	-	Behavioral Science
ETST	Racial Minorities in the US	Dadabhoy	Social Science	Social Science
FA	Appreciating Art: Its Form and Content	George	Arts	-
GEOG	Climate Change	Chambers	Biol & Phys Sci, Math	-
HIST	Denver History: Finding Your Way Around	Hunt	-	Humanities
MATH	Mathematics of Sports, Games and Gambling	Ferrara	-	Biol & Phy Sci, Math
MGMT	Current Topics in Business	Stansifer	Behavioral Science	Behavioral Science
MGMT	Introduction to Business	McConnell	Behavioral Science	Behavioral Science
MGMT	Leadership, Business and You	Bettenhausen	Behavioral Science	Behavioral Science
PHYS	How Things Work	Tagg	Biol & Phys Sci, Math	-
PSYC	What Psychologists do	Handelsman	-	Behavioral Science
TCED	TEACH – Imagine the Possibilities	Gutierrez	Humanities	Humanities
TCED	Learning for the 21 st Century	Basile	Humanities	Humanities