

## **Course Outcome Summary**

**Standard Course** 

## **COLL 145 First-Year College Experience**

Course Information	
Division	Humanities/Social Sciences
Contact Hours	30
Total Credits	2

**Prerequisites** RDG 090 or qualifying scores on accepted placement tests.

## **Course Description**

This course is designed to work with students early in their college experience to help them identify potential career paths and avoid barriers that would prevent them from completing their educational goals. Included in this course are tools to connect students with support services designed to help overcome academic challenges. The instruction encourages the development of study skills to achieve classroom excellence and independent learning, including textbook mastery and lecture synthesis. Special emphasis includes study applications in critical thinking, academic and career planning, and engagement with college life. The Humanities and Social Sciences Division offers this course in order to assist students in achieving their academic goals.

## **Course Outcomes**

In order to evidence success in this course, students will be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate textbook interaction and management skills
- 2. Demonstrate the ability to take class notes from a lecture or from a reading in a textbook
- 3. Demonstrate the ability to create an outline from a class lecture or from a reading in a textbook
- 4. Identify and avoid barriers to academic success
- 5. Identify and use student support services
- 6. Explore pathways or a program major
- 7. Develop an academic career plan or transfer plan of study
- 8. Engage in experiential learning
- 9. Participate in activities offered by MCCC

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