

# Cert: English Language for Academic Purposes (EAP)

2014 - 2015

This certificate recognizes that a student in the ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) program has demonstrated a high level of proficiency in academic English language and literacy skills to support student academic and career success. Students also gain skills for education and employment through the completion of elective courses which support continued development of written, verbal, and technology communication, advancement of international perspectives, and career exploration.

## Program Courses

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Goal Area	Comments/Substitution
ENGL1201	College Writing I	4		
ESOL1230	College Reading and Studying Skills	4		
ESOL1260	College Writing Skills Development	4		
ESOL1280	Listening and Speaking for College Success	4		

## Program Electives

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Goal Area	Comments/Substitution
<b>Program Electives - 6 credits:</b>				
ADEV1000	Career Planning <i>or</i>	2		
ADEV1010	Job Seeking Skills <i>or</i>	1		
BIOL1230	Medical Terminology I - Basics <i>or</i>	1		
BUS1000	Career Planning <i>or</i>	2		
BUS1010	Job Seeking Skills <i>or</i>	1		
BUS1100	Introduction to Business <i>or</i>	3		
BUS1110	Human Relations & Professional Skills <i>or</i>	3		
BUS1210	Managerial Communication <i>or</i>	3		
BUS1700	Introduction to International Business <i>or</i>	3		
CIS1000	Electronic Keyboarding Communications <i>or</i>	3		
CIS1101	Business Computer Systems I <i>or</i>	3		
CIS1200	Word Processing <i>or</i>	3		
COMM1010	Fundamentals of Public Speaking <i>or</i>	3		
COMM1110	Principles of Interpersonal Communication <i>or</i>	3		
COMM1210	Small Group Communication <i>or</i>	3		
COMM1310	Intercultural Communication <i>or</i>	3		
COMM1610	Introduction to Mass Communication <i>or</i>	3		
CSCI1000	Computer Basics <i>or</i>	3		
CSCI1020	Beginning Web Page Programming <i>or</i>	1		
ENGL1112	College Writing II <i>or</i>	3		
ENGL1140	Professional Writing <i>or</i>	3		
ENGL1202	College Writing II <i>or</i>	2		
ENGL1940	Technical Writing <i>or</i>	3		
ENGL2320	Writing: From Structure to Style <i>or</i>	3		
ESOL1060	Advanced Grammar <i>or</i>	2		
ESOL1080	English Pronunciation <i>or</i>	2		
GEOG1000	Geography of the United States	2		

## NHCC Residency and GPA

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Goal Area	Comments/Substitution
<b>7 Credits must be earned at NHCC:</b>				
<b>2.00 overall GPA for NHCC courses</b>				

**Total Credit Required 22**

## Degree Requirements

2.00 overall GPA for NHCC courses

Note: This program requires a 2.0 minimum grade for courses used by its requirements unless otherwise specified.

### **Program Outcomes**

Knowledge of Human Cultures and the Physical and Natural World:

- Compare diverse global perspectives.

Intellectual and Practical Skills:

- Demonstrate advanced proficiency in academic English.
- Develop critical thinking for college and career goals.
- Employ academic skills and active learning strategies.
- Select learning practices according to learning needs.

Personal and Social Responsibility:

- Analyze the effects of one's personal beliefs and experiences on learning.
- Investigate ways to participate on campus and in the community.

### **Gainful Employment Program Information**

[English Language for Academic Purposes](#)

### **Degree Information**

Certificates may be earned for successful completion of courses in a specialized program of study with a minimum grade point average of 2.00 (C) in each class. A certificate shall include 9 to 32 semester credits. At least one-third of the total credits required for each certificate must be completed at North Hennepin Community College.

### **Developmental Courses**

Some students may need preparatory course(s) in Math and/or English. Courses numbered below 1000 will not apply toward a degree.

### **Equal Opportunity Employer and Disability Access Information**

North Hennepin Community College is a member of Minnesota State Colleges and Universities system and an equal opportunity employer and educator. This document is available in alternative formats to individuals with disabilities by calling 763-493-0555 or through the Minnesota Relay Service at 1-800-627-3529.

### **Career Opportunities**

Information on careers, including salary and employment outlook data, is available on the iseek and Bureau of Labor Statistics websites: [www.iseek.org](http://www.iseek.org) and [www.bls.gov](http://www.bls.gov).

### **Accreditation**

North Hennepin Community College is accredited by the:  
Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools  
30 N. LaSalle Street, Suite 2400  
Chicago, IL 60602-2504  
1-800-621-7440

### **Transfer Information**

If you are planning on transferring to another institution, follow the guidelines available on our transfer resources web page to help you plan the process: [Transfer Information](#)