# **Elementary Education Course Equivalency Guide**

COMPETENCY	LU ONLINE Course Options	Available Courses from: Straighterline Study.com Sophia Learning https://www.liberty.edu/online/transfer-partnerships/	Available College Level Exams:  CLEP DSST/Dantes or Excelsior Exams *all exams are 3 credit hours each unless noted otherwise
Composition	Undergrad level: ENGL 101/Composition & Rhetoric ENGL 102/Composition & Literature ENGL 333/Modern Grammar ENGL 350/Advanced Expository Writing  Grad Level: ENGL 607/Composition Studies ENGL 633/Advanced English Grammar	Straighterline: ENG 101/English Composition I ENG 102/English Composition II  Study.com: English 104/College Composition II English 105/College Composition II English 305/Advanced Technical Writing  Sophia Learning: English Composition I English Composition I English Composition II	CLEP Exams accepted: College Composition (essay portion not needed)  Excelsior Exams accepted: English Composition
Oral Communication (Speech)	Undergrad level:  COMS 101/Speech Communication  Grad Level:  COMS 520/ Communication Theory & Practices  COMS 522/Interpersonal Communication Theory & Practice	Straighterline: COM 101/Intro to Communications  Study.com: Communications 101/Public Speaking Communications 102/Interpersonal Communication  Sophia Learning: Public Speaking	DSST/Dantes Exams accepted: Principles of Public Speaking  Excelsior Exams accepted: Interpersonal Communication
Literature	Undergrad level:  ENGL 215/English Literature I  ENGL 216/English Literature II  ENGL 201/ American Literature II  ENGL 202/American Literature II  ENGL 221/World Literature I  ENGL 222/English Literature II  ENGL 322/Shakespeare  ENGL 341/American Realism & Naturalism  ENGL 460/ Christian Literature  Grad Level:  ENGL 637/Studies in African-American Literature  ENGL 656/Studies in World Literature	<b>Study.com:</b> English 101/English Literature English 102/American Literature English 301/Non-Western Literature English 310/Short Stories	<b>CLEP Exams accepted:</b> American Literature English Literature

**AREA TWO: MATHEMATICS (6 hours)** Any 2 of the 3 (College Algebra, Statistics, Geometry) must be taken to fulfill the Math requirement. \*Please note that Quantitative Reasoning, Intermediate Algebra, Fundamentals of Math, or Math for Liberal Arts cannot be used to fulfill the 6 hours of Math. We cannot use Psychology or Social Science Statistics. Courses must be Math.

College Algebra	Undergrad level:  MATH 121/College Algebra  MATH 126/Elementary Calculus for Business & Science  MATH 131/Calculus & Analytic Geometry I  MATH 132/Calculus & Analytic Geometry II  Grad Level:  MATH 510/Applied Linear Algebra  MATH 520/Abstract Algebraic Systems  MATH 530/Foundations of Multivariable Calculus	Straighterline:  MAT 101/College Algebra  MAT 201/Precalculus  Study.com:  MATH 101/College Algebra  MATH 103/Precalculus  MATH 105/Precalculus Algebra  Sophia Learning:  College Algebra	CLEP Exams accepted: College Algebra Pre-calculus  DSST/Dantes Exams accepted: Fundamentals of College Algebra
Probability & Statistics	<b>Undergrad level:</b> MATH 201/Intro to Probability & Statistics	Straighterline:  MAT 150/Business Statistics  MAT 202/Intro to Statistics  Study.com:  Statistics 101/Principles of Statistics  Sophia Learning: Intro to Statistics	DSST/Dantes Exams accepted: Principles of Statistics  Excelsior Exams accepted: Statistics
Geometry	Undergrad level:  MATH 217/ Elementary Geometry  MATH 131/ Calculus & Analytic Geometry I  MATH 132/ Calculus & Analytic Geometry II  MATH 405/Fundamentals of Modern Geometry  Grad Level:  MATH 505/Fundamentals of Modern Geometry	Straighterline:  MAT 250/General Calculus I  MAT 251/General Calculus II  Study.com:  MATH 104/Calculus  Geometry 101/Intro to Geometry	<b>CLEP Exams accepted:</b> Calculus (Geometry)

AREA THREE: LABORATORY SCIENCES (9 hours) Please note, 9 hours is a minimum requirement stated by the VDOE. If students have met the 2 different science disciplines (lectures and labs) but have 1 remaining hour, students can complete this hour with an additional Lecture or Lab to fulfill the minimum 9 hours. \*This section must include 2 of the four Science Disciplines: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, & Earth/Space Science.

# <u>Laboratory Sciences (9 hours):</u> Must include TWO Science Disciplines and TWO Labs

**American History** 

# **Science Lecture Options:**

BIOL 101/ Principles of Biology
BIOL 102/Principles of Human Biology
PHYS 101/Elements of Physics
PHYS 201/General Physics I (includes lab)
PHSC 210/Elements of Earth Science
PHSC 121/Intro to Astronomy
PHSC 311/Oceanography
PHSC 312/Meteorology
ENVR 320/ Environment & Sustainability
ENVR 330/ Energy Resources & Efficiencies
ENVR 350/ Environmental Science & Policy

# **Science Lab Options:**

BIOL 103/Principles of Biology Lab PHYS 103/Elements of Physics Lab PHSC 211/Elements of Earth Science Lab PHSC 122/Elements of Astronomy Lab

#### Straighterline:

BIO 101/Intro to Biology / BIO101L/Intro to Biology Lab
BIO 201/Anatomy & Physiology I / BIO 201L/Anat & Phys I Lab
BIO 202/Anatomy & Physiology II / BIO 202L/Anat & Phys II Lab
BIO 250/Microbiology / BIO 250L/Microbiology Lab
CHEM 101/General Chemistry I / CHEM 101L/Gen Chem I Lab
PHY 250/General Physics I / PHY 250L/Gen Physics I Lab
ENV 101/Intro to Environmental Science

#### Study.com:

Astronomy 101/Intro to Astronomy Biology 101/Intro to Biology Biology 101L/Intro to Biology w/Lab (4 hours) Biology 102/Basic Genetics Biology 103/Microbiology Biology 105/Anatomy & Physiology Chemistry 101/General Chemistry Chemistry 111L/Chemistry I w/Lab (4 hours) Chemistry 112L/Chemistry II w/Lab (4 hours) Earth Science 101/Earth Science Earth Science 104/Intro to Meteorology Environmental Science 101/Environment & Humanity Genetics 101/Intro to Genetics Geology 101/Physical Geology Physics 101/Intro to Physics Physics 111/Physics I / Physics 112/Physics II Science 101/Intro to Natural Sciences Science 102/Principles of Physical Sciences

#### Sophia Learning:

Environmental Science Human Biology

# CLEP Exams accepted:

Biology Natural Sciences Chemistry

#### DSST/Dantes Exams accepted:

Astronomy
Environmental Science
Intro to Geology
\*Exams do not include Labs. Labs must be completed separately to fulfill the requirement.

#### **Excelsior Exams accepted:**

Anatomy & Physiology
Microbiology
Earth Science
\*Exams do not include Labs. Labs must be completed separately to fulfill the requirement.

# **AREA FOUR: HISTORY (3 hours)** Either American History or World History must be taken to fulfill the History requirement.

# HIUS 221/Survey of American History I

HIUS 222/Survey of American History II HIUS 420/Civil War & Reconstruction

**Undergrad level:** 

# **Grad Level:**

HIUS 510/Virginia Colonial History HIUS 512/American Revolution HIUS 520/Civil War & Reconstruction

# Straighterline:

USHIST 101/US History I USHIST 102/US History II

# Study.com:

History 103/US History I
History 104/US History II
History 105/US History from Settlement to Present Day
History 306/The American Civil War Era
History 307/American Civil Rights Movement

#### Sophia Learning:

U.S. History I U.S. History II

## **CLEP Exams accepted:**

History of the US I History of the US II

## DSST/Dantes Exams accepted:

Civil War and Reconstruction

World History	Undergrad level: HIEU 201/History of Western Civilization I HIEU 202/History of Western Civilization II HIWD 370/Age of the Enlightenments  Grad Level: HIWD 555/Modern European Military History	Straighterline: CIV 101/Western Civilization I CIV 102/Western Civilization II CIV 103/Survey of World History  Study.com: History 100/Western Civ from Prehistory to Post WWII History 101/Western Civilization I History 102/Western Civilization II	CLEP Exams accepted: Western Civilization I Western Civilization II  DSST/Dantes Exams accepted: History of the Soviet Union				
AREA FIVE: SOCIAL SCIENCE	AREA FIVE: SOCIAL SCIENCE (3 hours) Either Geography or Economics must be taken to fulfill the Social Science requirement.						
Geography	Undergrad level: GEOG 200/ Intro to Geography GEOG 305/Physical Geography GEOG 310/Human Geography  Grad Level: GEOG 520/Historical Geography	<b>Study.com:</b> Geography 101/Human & Cultural Geography	DSST/Dantes Exams accepted: Introduction to Geography				
Economics	Undergrad level:  ECON 110/Survey of Economics  ECON 213/Principles of Microeconomics  ECON 214/Principles of Macroeconomics  ECON 350/Classical Economics  Grad Level:  ECON 613/Microeconomic Theory  ECON 614/Macroeconomic Theory	Straighterline: ECON 101/Macroeconomics ECON 102/Microeconomics  Study.com: Economics 101/Prin of Microeconomics Economics 102/Prin of Macroeconomics  Sophia Learning: Macroeconomics Microeconomics	CLEP Exams accepted: Principles of Macroeconomics Principles of Microeconomics				
AREA SIX: ARTS (3 hours) A History/Appreciation Course *Can include Music, Theatre, or Cinematic Arts History and/or Appreciation.							
Arts Elective	Undergrad level:  ARTS 105/Art Appreciation  ARTS 201/History of Art I  ARTS 202/History of Art II  ARTS 205/20 <sup>th</sup> -21 <sup>st</sup> Century Art  CSTU 101/Western Culture  MUSC 103/Music Appreciation  Grad Level:  MUSC 620/Music in America	Study.com:  Art 103/History of Western Art I  Art 104/History of Western Art II  Humanities 101/Intro to Humanities  Sophia Learning:  Art History I  Art History II	DSST/Dantes Exams accepted: Art of the Western World				

<sup>7.1.21 \*\*</sup> If you wish to take courses at another institution, please email <a href="mailto:contentcompevals@liberty.edu">contentcompevals@liberty.edu</a> for instructions and approval.

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