Degree Term Guide

Emergency Medical Services, AAS FS175

ICCB Approved Total Program Hours: 71.5 Semester Hours

The following suggested schedule is based on full-time enrollment. Students planning to transfer to a senior institution should check with that institution for specific transfer requirements.

Courses that are approved for the AA/AS degrees are **bolded.**

Mode of Delivery:
T = Traditional classroom
W = Online
Q = Blended

Program Prerequisites :

FIRST YEAR

First Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes
EMS 101	First Responder	4	T		Fall, Spring, Summer	This fulfills 4 hours towards the requirement for Major Core Elective
BIO 125	Human Biology	4	T	Satisfactory placement test scores; or ENG 021 and ENG 099; or ENG 096; or ENG 101; and MATH 090; minimum grade C in all of above.	Fall, Spring, Summer	
PSYC 101	General Psychology	3	T		Fall, Spring, Summer	
ENG 101	Rhetoric	3	T	Appropriate placement score; or minimum grade "C" in one of the following: ENG 021 and ENG 099; or the EAP course sequence ENG 079 and ENG 089; or ENG 096	Fall, Spring, Summer	
Elective		3				
	Total Semester Hours:	17				

Second Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes
EMS 201/209	Emergency Medical Technician - Basic	10	T	Prerequisite: EMS 101 with a "C" or better, and, placement into ENG 101 ; or minimum grade of "C" in one of the following: ENG 021 and ENG 099 ; or the EAP course sequence ENG 078 , ENG 079 , ENG 088 and ENG 089 ; or ENG 096 . Must be 18 years of age, and have a high school diploma or GED and a current CPR for health care card or equivalent (includes infant, child, adult choking and CPR)	Fall, Spring	
SPCH 101	Principles of Speech Communication	3	T	Placement into ENG 101; or minimum grade of "C" in one of the following: ENG 021 and ENG 099 ; or the EAP course sequence ENG 078 , ENG 079 , ENG 088 and ENG 089 ; or ENG 096	Fall, Spring, Summer	
	Total Semester Hours:	13				

Third Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes
EMS 215	EMT-P Essentials I	7.5	T	Current IDPH certified EMT-B or EMT-I license, high school diploma or GED, and current Health Care CPR Provider	Summer/ Fall	
MATH 127* or higher	Math for General Education	3	T	MATH 095 and MATH 098 or equivalents. Minimum grade of C. or satisfactory placement score	Fall, Spring, Summer	*Student may substitute any higher level math course
	Total Semester Hours:	10.5				

SECOND YEAR

Fourth Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes
EMS 216	EMT-P Essentials II	8.5	T	EMS 215	Fall/ Spring	
EMS 218	EMT-P Essentials IV	4	T	EMS 216	Fall/ Spring	
PHIL 103	Introduction to Ethics	3	T	Placement into ENG 101 ; or minimum grade "C" in one of the following: ENG 021 and ENG 099 ; or the EAP course sequence ENG 078 , ENG 079 , ENG 088 , and ENG 089 ; or ENG 096	Fall, Spring, Summer	
	Total Semester Hours:	15.5				

Fifth Semester

Course	Title	Credit Hours	Mode of Delivery	Pre Requisites	Term(s) Offered	Notes
EMS 217	EMT-P Essentials III	6.5	T	EMS 218	Spring/ Summer	
EMS 219	EMT-P Essentials III	4	T	EMS 217	Spring/ Summer	
Electives		5				
	Total Semester Hours:	15.5				

Graduation Requirements

To be awarded an Associate degree at Joliet Junior College, each student must meet the following requirements:

1. Satisfy all admission requirements.
2. Complete the courses required for the chosen degree. If the student is a transfer student with coursework taken elsewhere, he/she must complete a minimum of 60 credit hours of which the last 15 credit hours applicable to the degree are earned at Joliet Junior College. If the student has not taken the last 15 hours at JJC, then a total of 30 credit hours applicable to the degree must be earned at Joliet Junior college. Proficiency test, CLEP and Advanced Placement do not meet this requirement.
3. Earn a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.0.
4. Discharge all financial obligations to the college; have no restrictions.
5. File an application for graduation (An application should be filed at the time of registration for student's anticipated last semester).
6. Have on file in the Graduation office by the graduation filing date all transcripts from other colleges/universities that are to be evaluated for credit, to be applied toward a degree. A delay in the process may result in a later graduation date.

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