

# HELP Core Curriculum Checklist

Required IHL CPC – The HELP Core Curriculum is eighteen and one-half (18-1/2) units of high school course work that includes the *Required IHL College Preparatory Curriculum (CPC)*. *Applies to incoming college freshmen 2022-2023.*

## English (4 Carnegie Units)

\_\_\_ English I or equivalent  
\_\_\_ English II or equivalent  
\_\_\_ English III or equivalent  
\_\_\_ English IV or equivalent

## Math (4 Carnegie Units)

\_\_\_ Math Course: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_ Algebra I  
\_\_\_ Math higher than Algebra I Course: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_ Math higher than Algebra I Course: \_\_\_\_\_

## Science (3 Carnegie Units)

\_\_\_ Biology I  
\_\_\_ Science higher than Biology I Course: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_ Science higher than Biology I Course: \_\_\_\_\_

## Social Studies (3 1/2 Carnegie Units)

\_\_\_ Social Studies Course: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_ Social Studies Course: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_ Social Studies Course: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_ Social Studies 1/2-Unit Course: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ **Arts (1 Carnegie Unit or two 1/2 Carnegie Units) Course:** \_\_\_\_\_

Any visual and performing arts course(s) meeting the requirements for high school graduation (*studio art, band, ceramics, dance, drawing, choral, instrumental, music, theory, painting, photography, strings, theatre, visual arts, voice, etc.*)

## Advanced Electives (2 Carnegie Units)

\_\_\_ Option 1: Foreign Language I and Foreign Language II  
\_\_\_ Option 2: Foreign Language I and one unit from Option 3  
\_\_\_ Option 3: (1) Any combination of an advanced level course above the required Carnegie units as noted in the Mississippi Department Secondary Course Manual and/or any (b) Advanced Placement (AP), Academic or Career and Technical Dual Credit (DC), International Baccalaureate (IB) or Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) course. (2) Completion of any two-year Career and Technical course may count as one unit.  
Option 3 Course 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Option 3 Course 2: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ **Technology or Computer Science (1 Carnegie Unit) Course:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ **TOTAL CREDITS (should equal 18-1/2)**

## Notes:

- **Pre-High School units:** Courses taken prior to high school will be accepted for admission provided the course earns Carnegie credit and the content is the same as the high school course.
- **Substitutions:** Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), Academic or Career and Technical Dual Credit (DC), and Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) courses can be substituted for each requirement in the College Preparatory Curriculum.
- **Course Acceptance:** A course may not be used to satisfy more than one requirement.
- **Please review the approved CPC Course Listing found [here](#).**