CATALOG GLOSSARY

Key to Course Numbering System
100-299 Lower division courses not open to graduate students for credit.

300-699 Upper division courses that may, if so designated, carry graduate credit. Courses with level "U" may be offered for undergraduate and/or graduate credit. Insofar as a course approved for graduate credit may not be offered for graduate credit in a given semester, the current schedule of classes (https://catalog.uwm.edu/course-search) should be consulted. Junior standing is normally a minimum prerequisite for 300-699 courses that carry graduate credit.

Abbreviations in Course Descriptions

Abbreviation | Description
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C | Co-requisite
conc enroll | Concurrent Enrollment
cons instr | Consent of Instructor
conc reg | Concurrent Registration
cons Dept Chair | Consent of Department Chair
cons Prog Dir | Consent of Program Director
cr | Credit(s)
equiv | Equivalent
ER | Enrollment Restriction
fr, soph, jr, sr, grad st | Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior, Graduate Standing
intro | Introductory
lit-in-trans | Literature in Translation
max | Maximum
NC | Non-repeatable Co-requisite
NP | Non-repeatable Prerequisite
P | Prerequisite(s)
R | Recommended Course
sem | Semester
yr | Year

Prerequisite Course Definitions

R-Recommended Course: A course that the instructor strongly recommends be taken prior to enrollment in a subsequent course.

Ex.: ANTHRO 334 American Indians of the Southwest . . . Prereq: ANTHRO 314 (R). ANTHRO 314 is recommended for students enrolling in ANTHRO 334.

P-Prerequisite: A course in which a student is required to earn credit prior to being allowed to enroll in a subsequent higher level course. A prerequisite course may not be taken for credit subsequent to the earning of credit in the higher level course.

Ex.: PSYCH 205 Personality . . . Prereq: PSYCH 101 (P). Students must earn credit in PSYCH 101 before enrolling in PSYCH 205, and may not receive credit for PSYCH 101 after enrolling in PSYCH 205.

NP-Nonrepeatable Prerequisite: A prerequisite course for which the student is not permitted to substitute the grade earned when the course is repeated subsequent to earning credit in the higher level course.

Ex.: COMPSCI 252 Computer Programming II . . . Prereq: COMPSCI 152 (NP). Students may not repeat COMPSCI 152 for the purpose of receiving a higher grade after enrolling in COMPSCI 252.

C-Corequisite: A course that may be taken as either a prerequisite or as a concurrent registration with the higher level course.

Ex.: BUS ADM 210 Introduction to Management Statistics . . . Prereq: MATH 211 (C) or MATH 231 (C). Students must enroll in MATH 211 or 231 either prior to or at the same time as they enroll in BUS ADM 210.

NC-Nonrepeatable Corequisite: A corequisite course for which the student is not permitted to substitute the grade earned when the course is repeated subsequent to earning credit in the higher level course.

Ex.: HLTHMNT 232 Nursing Practice for Health Promotion . . . Prereq: admission to enroll in clinical nursing major; HLTHMNT 210 (NC), 211 (NC), FNDNURS 230 (NC); HLTHRST 320 (NC). Students must enroll in the four listed (NC) courses either prior to or at the same time as they enroll in HLTHMNT 232. They may not repeat any of these four courses for the purpose of receiving a higher grade after enrolling in HLTHMNT 232.

ER-Enrollment Restriction: A course that is not open for enrollment to students who have earned credits in a specified course (or courses) with similar or overlapping content.

Ex.: ECON 100 after cr is earned in ECON 103 or 104.

A course number followed by another number in parentheses means that the course was previously offered under the number in parentheses. The two courses are the same course and the repeat policy applies.

Ex.: HUM KIN 270 (370) - HUM KIN 270 is the same course as HUM KIN 370. A student with credit in HUM KIN 370 may enroll in 270 as a repeat unless 370 was taken more than once.