



*Free College Courses for Worcester Public School Students*

*Worcester State University*

*Spring 2024*

- **BA-100 - Introduction to Business**

Introduction to basic concepts related to business practices; includes examination of local, regional, and national organizations in the business world. 3 Credits.

Mondays and Wednesdays at 3:00 - 4:15  
In Person at Worcester State Campus  
1/10/2024 - 5/15/2024

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- **CJ-101 - Introduction to Criminal Justice**

This class will introduce you to the exciting and ever-changing field of Criminal Justice as a sociopolitical institution. The police, criminal courts, correctional, and rehabilitative portions of the industry will be analyzed from the perspectives of the social sciences. 3 Credits.

Mondays and Wednesdays at 1:30 – 2:45  
In Person at Worcester State Campus  
1/10/2024 - 5/15/2024

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- **CM-110 - Public Speaking**

Learn how to address a crowd, command a space, and deliver your message confidently. The essentials of speech production and speech writing for large and small groups will be covered. Classroom practice in delivering various types of speeches. 3 Credits.

Mondays and Wednesdays at 1:30 – 2:45  
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- **PS-101 - General Psychology**

Introduction to the history of psychology, scientific method, brain/nervous system, development, learning, motivation, sensation/perception, personality, psychopathology, psychotherapy, cognitive processes, social behavior. 3 Credits.

Mondays and Wednesdays at 3:00 – 4:15  
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- **SO-100 - Introduction to Sociology**

The nature of group behavior and social interaction viewed through analysis of structure, norms, and values. What makes societies operate, establish norms, contribute to group-think, and more. 3 Credits.

Mondays and Wednesdays at 4:30 – 5:45  
In-Person at Worcester State Campus  
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- **SO-199 - Special Topics: The Sociology of Hip Hop**

This course explores the role of the hip hop culture as an avenue for social change in the Bronx section of New York during the 1970's. Through assigned readings, videos and recorded music, we will learn how this under-represented population pushed for equality, inspired community development and built up a social movement that spread across the world and is standing today. We will look at music as a tool for social change and students will be encouraged to integrate this powerful tool into their community and all aspects of their life. 3 Credits.

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1:00 - 2:15  
Synchronous Online - ZOOM  
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