

Greater Kansas City BBA/BSM/BBIS/BBL Drop-In Course Offerings

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Arts and Humanities

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HI 231: 1945-1980: Decades of Change: (*History Discipline*) This course closely examines the social, political, and diplomatic history of America in the intense period from the end of World War II until the election of Ronald Reagan in 1980. Special attention is given to the civil rights movement, the effects of Communism on American (including the Vietnam War), and the legacy of the Nixon presidency.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 93	10/5/11	11/2/11	Wednesday	Overland Park	9/23/11
BAC 107	3/4/13	4/8/13	Monday	Overland Park	2/22/13
BAC 110	4/3/12	5/1/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	3/23/12

EN110: Literature and Ideas: (*Literature Discipline*) This course is a study of the artistic conventions and techniques employed by writers in order to structure written language into literary works of art. Selections are drawn from a wide spectrum of contemporary and historical works.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 93	1/4/12	2/1/12	Wednesday	Overland Park	12/16/12
BAC 106	9/26/11	10/24/11	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	9/16/11
BAC 107	12/3/12	1/14/13	Monday	Overland Park	11/16/12
BAC 110	6/19/12	7/24/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	6/8/12

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PH 111: Critical Thinking: (*Philosophy Discipline*) This is a philosophy course that focuses on how to recognize, formulate, analyze and evaluate arguments. Topics include deductive logic, inductive reasoning, predicate logic and informal fallacies. Attention is given to applying logic to problems and ethics and values, to constructing and evaluating extended arguments and to understanding the value of sound reasoning. Readings are included from philosophers in the Western tradition: Aquinas, Bacon, Hume, Mill and Clifford.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 110	11/29/11	1/10/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	11/19/11

RE 350: Bible and Leadership: (*Religion Discipline*) This course examines significant characters of the Bible with emphasis on issues of leadership. Though the Bible is a document of the Christian faith, it is not necessary to be a Christian to take the course, nor will students be expected to adopt any Christian beliefs.

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BAC 94	9/13/11	10/11/11	Tuesday	Lee's Summit	9/2/11
BAC 96	11/15/11	12/13/11	Tuesday	Overland Park	11/4/11
BAC 98	2/1/12	2/29/12	Wednesday	Overland Park	1/20/12
BAC 99	3/29/12	4/26/12	Thursday	Lee's Summit	3/16/12
BAC 101	5/7/12	6/11/12	Monday	Northland	4/27/12
BAC 105	7/9/12	8/6/12	Monday	Overland Park	6/29/12
BAC 106	7/30/12	8/27/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	7/20/12
BAC 110	4/9/13	5/7/13	Tuesdays	Overland Park	3/29/13

SC 115: Oral Communication: (*Speech Discipline*) This course is designed to familiarize participants with the principles of speaking in public and in small groups. The course offers practical application of speaking and emphasis is provided on discussion techniques and solving problems in small groups.

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BAC 110	10/25/11	11/22/11	Tuesdays	Overland Park	10/14/11

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TH 111: Theatre Experience: (*Theatre Discipline*) This course traces the process by which a script is transformed into a theatrical production. Examples of tragedies, comedies and tragicomedies are examined as products of their individual societies, and their corresponding periods of theatre and cultural history are examined. Dramatic criticism and the production elements of acting, and directing and technical theatre are explored.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 107	1/28/13	2/25/13	Monday	Overland Park	1/18/13
BAC 110	2/28/12	3/27/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	2/17/12

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Social Science

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PS 115: Introduction to American Politics: This course introduces the student to the basic concepts of American politics, including its classical roots and theoretical basis, the Constitution, the three branches of government, civil liberties, public policy, the mass media and foreign policy. At the conclusion, students apply their understanding of the theories to specific current problems.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 99	10/13/11	11/10/11	Thursday	Lee's Summit	9/30/11
BAC 101	11/21/11	12/19/11	Monday	Northland	11/11/11
BAC 102	11/8/11	12/6/11	Tuesday	Overland Park	10/28/11
BAC 105	1/30/12	2/27/12	Monday	Overland Park	1/20/12
BAC 106	2/20/12	3/19/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	2/10/12
BAC 110	10/30/12	11/27/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	10/19/12

PY 111: General Psychology: This course is an overview of the wide variety of subject areas that comprise the study of behavior. Opposing schools of thought are presented in the approach to understanding methodology, learning, memory, language, perception, anxiety and stress, development and social interactions.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 107	4/15/13	5/13/13	Monday	Overland Park	4/5/13
BAC 110	5/15/12	6/12/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	5/4/12

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PY 258: Industrial and Organizational Psychology: This course helps students understand the factors that influence human behavior in organizational settings. Emphasis is place on scientific analysis of individual process, group processes and organizational structure and design. Topics addressed include research methodology, attitude determinants, communication, performance determinants and evaluations, decision making and leadership.

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BAC 94	10/25/11	11/22/11	Tuesday	Lee's Summit	10/14/11
BAC 96	1/3/12	1/31/12	Tuesday	Overland Park	12/16/11
BAC 98	3/7/12	4/4/12	Wednesday	Overland Park	2/24/12
BAC 99	5/3/12	5/31/12	Thursday	Lee's Summit	4/20/12
BAC 101	6/18/12	7/23/12	Monday	Northland	6/8/12
BAC 105	8/13/12	9/17/12	Monday	Overland Park	8/3/12
BAC 106	9/10/12	10/8/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	8/31/12
BAC 110	5/14/13	6/11/13	Tuesdays	Overland Park	5/3/13

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BI120: Human Ecology: This is a biology course for the non-scientist. The course is an introduction to the terminology and world view of biological science through a consideration of the impact of modern technology on human ecology.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 110	1/17/12	2/14/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	1/6/12

BI 245: Human Nutrition: This course provides an introduction to the fundamentals of human nutrition as related to growth, development, and maintenance of good health. In addition to nutritional theory, students learn to analyze and plan nutritional regimes.

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BAC 98	11/2/11	12/7/11	Wednesday	Overland Park	10/21/11
BAC 99	1/12/12	2/9/12	Thursday	Lee's Summit	12/16/11
BAC 101	2/20/12	3/19/12	Monday	Northland	2/10/12
BAC 102	1/31/12	2/28/12	Tuesday	Overland Park	1/20/12
BAC 105	4/16/12	5/14/12	Monday	Overland Park	4/6/12
BAC 106	5/7/12	6/11/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	4/27/12
BAC 110	1/22/13	2/19/13	Tuesdays	Overland Park	1/11/13

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MA 145: College Algebra: This course includes a study of algebraic equations, inequalities, functions, graphs, polynomials, rational functions, and exponential and logarithmic functions.

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BAC 101	9/26/11	11/14/11	Monday	Northland	9/14/11
BAC 105	11/21/11	1/23/12	Monday	Overland Park	11/9/11
BAC 106	12/12/11	2/3/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	12/2/11
BAC 110	9/4/12	10/23/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	8/24/12

**Note: College Algebra is a seven-week course.*

Information concerning preparation for the College Algebra course is available at

<http://www.bakeru.edu/spgs-current-students/academic-tools/math-resources>

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BU220: Foundations of Business Management: This course is designed to introduce the student to the operation of the business enterprise and its role in U.S. and international commerce. The roles of business as supplier of goods and services, employer participant in public affairs and civic partner are examined. Basic business functions of accounting, management, marketing, finance and human resources are introduced. Career options in business are also explored.

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BU 230: Financial Planning: This course is designed to introduce the role of a consumer in the economy, develop a basic financial plan, apply budgeting procedures in daily and monthly spending plans, calculate principal and interest, define types of consumer credit and identify types of housing mortgages. The student should be able to determine individual insurance needs and be able to explain employee and retirement benefits.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 98	9/21/11	10/19/11	Wednesday	Overland Park	9/9/11
BAC 101	1/9/12	2/13/12	Monday	Northland	12/16/11
BAC 102	12/13/11	1/24/12	Tuesday	Overland Park	12/2/11
BAC 105	3/5/12	4/2/12	Monday	Overland Park	2/24/12
BAC 106	3/26/12	4/23/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	3/16/12
BAC 110	12/4/12	1/15/13	Tuesdays	Overland Park	11/16/12

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BU 240: Basic Economics: This course provides an introduction to the study of economics as applied to contemporary social issues such as health care, professional sports, crime, unemployment and taxation. A framework of basic tools is provided to support understanding of fundamental economic principles.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 96	10/11/11	11/8/11	Tuesday	Overland Park	9/30/11
BAC 98	12/14/11	1/25/12	Wednesday	Overland Park	12/2/11
BAC 99	2/16/12	3/15/12	Thursday	Lee's Summit	2/3/12
BAC 101	4/2/12	4/30/12	Monday	Northland	3/23/12
BAC 102	3/6/12	4/3/12	Tuesday	Overland Park	2/24/12
BAC 105	5/21/12	6/25/12	Monday	Overland Park	5/11/12
BAC 106	6/18/12	7/23/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	6/8/12
BAC 110	2/26/13	3/26/13	Tuesdays	Overland Park	2/15/13

BU 250: Advertising and Promotion: This course provides an introduction to the fundamental principles of consumer behavior in the buying process and how to apply those principles to target market strategies. Advertising principles and practices are introduced and students develop an advertising plan for a business organization.

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BAC 94	11/29/11	1/10/12	Tuesday	Lee's Summit	11/18/11
BAC 96	2/7/12	3/6/12	Tuesday	Overland Park	1/27/12
BAC 98	4/18/12	5/16/12	Wednesday	Overland Park	4/6/12
BAC 99	6/7/12	7/12/12	Thursday	Lee's Summit	5/25/12
BAC 101	7/30/12	8/27/12	Monday	Northland	7/20/12
BAC 105	9/24/12	10/22/12	Monday	Overland Park	9/14/12
BAC 106	10/15/12	11/12/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	10/5/12
BAC 110	6/18/13	7/23/13	Tuesdays	Overland Park	6/7/13

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BU 260: Fundamentals of Accounting: An introductory accounting course describing accounting theory and practice, this course emphasizes the use of financial statements for management control.

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BAC 92	9/15/11	10/13/11	Thursday	O.P.	9/2/11
BAC 94	1/17/12	2/14/12	Tuesday	Lee's Summit	1/6/12
BAC 96	3/13/12	4/10/12	Tuesday	Overland Park	3/2/12
BAC 98	5/23/12	6/20/12	Wednesday	Overland Park	5/11/12
BAC 99	7/19/12	8/16/12	Thursday	Lee's Summit	7/6/12
BAC 101	9/10/12	10/8/12	Monday	Northland	8/31/12
BAC 105	10/29/12	11/26/12	Monday	Overland Park	10/19/12
BAC 106	11/19/12	12/17/12	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	11/9/12
BAC 110	7/30/13	8/27/13	Tuesdays	Overland Park	7/19/13

MC 140: Mass Media and Society: This course is a study of the technological growth and impact of our media environment on the individual and on society as a whole. Special emphasis is placed on the political, legal, economic, sociological and psychological effects of mass media on American life.

Group	Start Date	End Date	Day of Week	Location	Registration Deadline
BAC 105	10/10/11	11/14/11	Monday	Overland Park	9/30/11
BAC 106	11/7/11	12/5/11	Monday	St. Joseph, MO	10/28/11
BAC 110	7/31/12	8/28/12	Tuesdays	Overland Park	7/20/12

End of Electives listing

This is the end of the current Greater Kansas City BAC Course Offerings.