

College of the Desert - Mecca/Thermal

COD - Mecca/Thermal Spring Registration

Classes start Monday, January 29 and run 16 weeks unless otherwise noted.

Call (760) 396-2010 for an appointment for registration and admissions information, financial aid, and counseling.

COD - Mecca/Thermal, continues to provide college credit courses in the eastern end of the Coachella Valley. Choose from a variety of subject areas including English, Administration of Justice, Math, Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Political Science and Communication Studies.

The following services and assistance are available at our Mecca/Thermal location:

- Assessment testing
- Daytime credit classes
- Academic Counselor available
- Onsite Registration
- CSU & UC Transferable Classes
- Tutoring available for Math and English classes
- Financial Aid
- EDGE
- EOPS
- DSPS
- Easy access to Sunline Bus

TASC Computer Lab is located in Room C-3. (760) 396-3410
 Open Lab Hours:
 Monday-Thursday
 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.



Administration of Justice

AJ 001 introduces students to the characteristics of the criminal justice system in the United States.

Advisory: ENG-070

IGETC: 4J

6881	AJ 001	INTROD TO CRIM JUSTI	3.0	09:00a-12:05p	W	MECCB6	Mayes,D
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AJ 002 offers an analysis of the doctrines of criminal liability in the United States and the classification of crimes against persons, property, morals, and public welfare. Prerequisite: AJ-001 or concurrent enrollment

6885	AJ 002	CONCEPTS OF CRIM LAW	3.0	01:00p-04:05p	W	MECCB6	Abrahamyan,K
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Biology

BI 004 is an introduction to biology for non-science majors covering the foundations of biology with a laboratory component accompanying this course. *Advisory: ENG-071* *IGETC: 5B*, 5C**

6883	BI 004	ELEMENTS OF BIOLOGY	4.0	02:30p-03:50p	TR	MECCC8	Fierro,M
				04:00p-05:20p	TR	MECCC6	Fierro,M

Chemistry

6879	CH 003	INTRO GENERAL CHEM	4.0	09:30a-10:50a	TR	MECCC8	Singh,J
				11:00a-02:05p	T	MECCC6	Singh,J
6871	CH 003	INTRO GENERAL CHEM	4.0	09:30a-10:50a	TR	MECCC8	Singh,J
				11:00a-02:05p	R	MECCC6	Singh,J

Communication Studies

COMM 001 students learn to develop an effective style of public communication, including informative, expository, persuasive, extemporaneous, and impromptu forms of speaking.

Advisory: ENG-001A

IGETC: 1C

6887	COMM 001	PUBLIC SPEAKING	3.0	11:00a-12:20p	TR	MECCB8	Bashore,D
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English

ENG 001A introduces students to the demands of writing in the academic setting.

Prerequisite: ENG-061 or ENG-071 or ESL-071

IGETC: 1A

6869	ENG 001A	COMPOSITION	4.0	02:00p-04:05p	TR	MECCC7	Lewenstein,J
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ENG 002 emphasizes analysis and critical thinking skills through the close study of literature.

Prerequisite: ENG-001A

IGETC: 1B, 3B

6867	ENG 002	ARG. WRIT. AND CRIT	4.0	11:00a-01:05p	TR	MECCC8	Lewenstein,J
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ENG 061 is the preparation for academic reading and critical thinking expected in transfer and associate-degree classes.

6817	ENG 061	ACCELERATED ENGLISH	4.0	09:30a-11:35a	MW	MECCC7	Rubenstein,I
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Geology

G 010 is a general survey of the Earth and the processes that formed it and that operate on it, such as earthquakes, volcanoes and weather. Advisory: ENG-001A & MATH-040

IGETC: 5A, 5C

6877	G 010	THE EARTH SCIENCES	4.0	09:30a-12:35p	TR	MECCC2	Burns,R
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Mathematics

MATH 040 covers solving and graphing linear, quadratic and exponential equations, systems of linear equations, rational exponents, root equations, quadratic inequalities, circles and applications of these topics. Prerequisite: MATH-054 Advisory: RDG-051

6831	MATH 040	INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA	4.0	03:30p-06:35p	MW	MECCB7	Guilin,S
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MATH 060 covers adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing whole numbers, signed numbers, fractions, and decimals with an introduction of variable expressions to prepare students for algebra.

Prerequisite: MATH-070 Advisory: ENG-070

6833	MATH 060	PRE-ALGEBRA	3.0	01:15p-03:20p	MW	MECCB7	Guilin,S
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Political Science

PS 001 is an introduction to the principles, organization and politics of the National Government of the United States, including the study of State and local government. Advisory: ENG-070

IGETC: 4H

6823	PS 001	INTRO TO GOVERNMENT	3.0	08:00a-09:20a	MW	MECCC8	STAFF
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Tutoring & Academic Skills Center [TASC]

FREE SERVICES FOR ALL COD STUDENTS

Information on free services: collegeofthedesert.edu/asc (760) 773-2557

TASC Labs:
Palm Desert – ASC Building
Indio – Room 205
Mecca/Thermal – Room C3

Need tutoring in math or writing?

Need a quiet place to study?

Need access to a computer?

East Valley's Tutoring and Academic Skills Center offers everything you need to succeed in your studies.

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Students at off-campus sites should allow sufficient travel time to arrive on time and remain for the duration of the class.

Non-Participation and excessive absences may be grounds for being dropped from a course.