## VCU Undergraduate Bridge Curriculum

### Summer (2014 August 9 -20)

1. **ENLP 390 Bridge Orientation** 3 ELP credits  
   - Bridge students only  
   - English Language professor + two American Teaching Assistants  

*Bridge Orientation will include campus tours, individual advising, classwork, trips and adventures.*

### Fall (2014 August 21-December 5)

1. **UNIV 101 Introduction to the University** 1 academic credit  
   - Bridge students only  
   - English Language professor + American Teaching Assistant  

*UNIV 101 helps students understand university expectations and resources at VCU.*

2. **UNIV 111 Focused Inquiry I** 3 academic credits  
   - Bridge students only  
   - Content professor + English Language professor + American Teaching Assistant  

*UNIV 111 teaches critical thinking, reading and writing.*

3. **MATH 141 Applied Algebra (Stretch)** 3 academic credits  
   - Bridge students only  
   - Content professor + English Language professor + 2 American Teaching Assistants  

*MATH 141 teaches basic algebra and problem solving in an English language context.*

4. **INTL 101 Human Societies and Globalization** 3 academic credits  
   - Bridge students + other students in large lecture class  
   - Content professor + English language professor  
   - Study sessions with English language professor after every class  

*INTL 101 helps students understand societies around the world and how they are connected.*

5. **ENLP 391 Bridge Communication** 4 ELP credits  
   - Bridge students only  
   - English Language professor  

*Bridge Communication will support listening, speaking, reading and writing in English.*

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**TOTAL ACADEMIC CREDITS FOR FALL 2014:** 10
**Spring (2015 January 12-May 1)**

1. UNIV 102 Mindset for Academic Success 1 credit
   - Bridge students only
   - English Language professor + American Teaching Assistant

   *UNIV 102 helps students learn and use the best study skills.*

2. UNIV 112 Focused Inquiry II 3 credits
   - Bridge students only
   - Content professor + English Language professor + American Teaching Assistant

   *UNIV 112 teaches critical thinking, reading, writing and research.*

3. ENLP 392 Bridge Portfolio 4 ELP credits
   - Bridge students only
   - English Language professor

   *Bridge Portfolio will support students’ critical self-reflection and evaluation of their own learning.*

4. CHEM 110 Chemistry and Society 3 credits
   OR

4. ECON 210 Principles of Microeconomics 3 credits
   - Bridge students + other students in large lecture class
   - Content professor + English language professor
   - Study sessions with English language professor after every class

5. MATH 151 Precalculus 4 credits
   - Bridge students only
   - Content professor + English Language professor + 2 American Teaching Assistants

   OR

5. Major-appropriate course as approved 3-4 credits
   - Study sessions with American TA after every class

*TOTAL ACADEMIC CREDITS FOR SPRING 2015: 10 - 11*

*Students may choose to take a course during Summer 2015 to reach full sophomore status by August.*