

> ACADEMIC UPGRADING

With Academic Upgrading courses at Lethbridge College, you can change directions or choose a new path to future success.

"I AM A MATURE STUDENT, A SINGLE PARENT, AND ENTERING A CAREER THAT IS NON-TRADITIONAL FOR WOMEN. I WAS SCARED OF NOT SUCCEEDING. LETHBRIDGE COLLEGE STOOD BEHIND ME AND SUPPORTED ME."

Angela Nelson
Academic Upgrading 2011
Civil Engineering Technology 2014

BE READY.

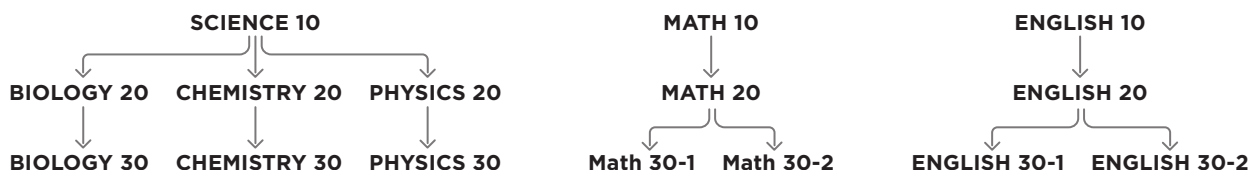
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WHY START HERE

If you're looking for an upgraded understanding of math, science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics) or English, we've got the courses and great instructors to help you along. Our upgrading courses, which are accepted in lieu of high school courses at Alberta's post-secondary institutions, can help you change directions or choose a new path to professional success. Whether you need to complete high school equivalency courses or upgrade your marks, academic upgrading will prepare you for where you want to go.

COURSES

The Academic Upgrading program is open to any person who has the desire and the academic skills to be successful at a selected course level. Admission is based on academic background, skills assessment, and advisement. Course sequencing builds off your courses from high school and your skills assessment.



IS THE GED THE NEXT STEP?

By completing and passing the GED tests at Lethbridge College, you will obtain your High School Equivalency Diploma in Alberta. There are five tests included in the GED and you may be eligible to write the General Educational Development (GED) tests if you meet these three requirements:

- are 18 years of age or older
- have been out of school for at least ten consecutive months
- do not have a high school diploma

PREPARING TO TAKE THE GED?



Scan to visit the LC+ Extension page. Search “GED” in the Search bar or go to All Classes > Upgrading.

For more information, call 403-394-7338.

Contact our Academic Advisors to discuss if the GED is the right path to your future success.

PREREQUISITES FOR PROGRAMS

ACU can help you on your pathway by meeting program admission requirements.

SCIENCE PREREQUISITES

Grade 11 Biology

Environmental Assessment and Restoration
Renewable Resource Management
Natural Resource Compliance

Grade 11 Chemistry

Environmental Assessment and Restoration
Renewable Resource Management

Grade 11 Physics

Civil Engineering Technology
Engineering Design and Drafting Technology
Geomatics Engineering Technology

Grade 12 Biology

Exercise Science
Massage Therapy
Therapeutic Recreation – Gerontology
Practical Nursing (60% or higher)

Grade 12 Chemistry

Agriculture Science degree

Grade 12 Physics

Engineering Transfer
Radiology

ENGLISH PREREQUISITES

Grade 10 English

Culinary
Health Care Aide

Grade 11 English

Agriculture Heavy Equipment
Automotive Systems

MATH PREREQUISITES

Program	Math 30-1		Math 30-2
Civil Engineering Technology	50%	OR	60%
Engineering Design and Drafting Technology	50%	OR	60%
Geomatics Engineering Technology	50%	OR	60%
Agricultural Enterprise Management	X	OR	X
Architectural Animation Technology	X	OR	X
Business Administration (including Accounting and Administrative Office Professional	X	OR	X
Computer Information Technology	X	OR	X
Interior Design Technology	X	OR	X
Environmental Assessment and Restoration	X	OR	X
Renewable Resource Management	X	OR	X
Natural Resource Compliance	X	OR	X
Exercise Science	X	OR	X
Massage Therapy	X	OR	X

EXPLORE YOUR FUTURE!

Lethbridge College's Academic Upgrading program is one of the most accessible upgrading programs in Alberta based on price and course availability



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COURSES OFFERED
INCLUDING BIOLOGY,
CHEMISTRY,
PHYSICS, SCIENCE,
MATH, AND ENGLISH

> READY TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP?

Discuss your options with our team:

Meet with an Academic Advisor to determine whether upgrading is right for you – advisor@lethbridgecollege.ca

403.320.3366 - PA1130 (across from the Bookstore)

Our admission team is here to support you.

Academic Upgrading – upgrading@lethbridgecollege.ca
Program Chair Kelly Oikawa – kelly.oikawa@lethbridgecollege.ca

FUNDING YOUR EDUCATION:

Foundational Learning Assistance is available for eligible students: awards@lethbridgecollege.ca

call us at 403-320-3372 or come in 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
to right by the front doors under the Financial Aid sign

lethbridgecollege.ca/upgrading

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