



College of the Muscogee Nation  
Degree and Certificate Learning Outcomes

**General Education**

General Education coursework is the foundation for the degree programs at the College of the Muscogee Nation (CMN). The purpose of the General Education component of all degrees at CMN is to prepare students to be lifelong learners and gain a broad, interrelated appreciation of cultural, economic, political, tribal and social contexts. Students participate in broad and extensive experiences, which are both rich and important in preparation for living in a tribal and democratic society. Taken as a whole, General Education courses provide the opportunity for the development of individual talents and a satisfying educational experience at the College of the Muscogee Nation.

Students completing the General Education component will:

- Communicate effectively with written, oral and visual communication skills and become more proficient in a Native language.
- Demonstrate a proficiency and ability to engage in the processes of intellectual inquiry and quantitative reasoning.
- Articulate the values inherent in Native culture and to be aware of other cultural traditions, values, and beliefs.
- Recognize complexities of citizenship and processes for making informed choices as engaged tribal citizens in a diverse world.

**Native American Studies**

The Native American Studies Associate of Science degree program is a specialized degree focusing on Mvskoke language or Mvskoke studies with opportunity for alternative tribal courses. Students will develop an informed and tribal-specific appreciation for historical, cultural, and language issues within the broad social contexts of Native North America. Native American Studies students develop a working knowledge to help preserve and record tribal history and strengthen culture and language.

Students completing the Native American Studies Program will:

- Exhibit cross-cultural competence through the living legacy of tribal people.
- Demonstrate knowledge of Mvskoke history, culture, and contemporary Mvskoke life or other tribal perspective.
- Demonstrate proficiency in reading, writing and speaking the Mvskoke Language within the Mvskoke cultural context or other tribal perspective.



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**Certificate in Mvskoke Language Studies**

- Students completing the Certificate in Mvskoke Language Studies will exhibit fluency in reading, writing, and speaking the Mvskoke language.

**Gaming**

The Gaming Degree Program offers an Associate of Applied Science degree which focuses on casino operations and a variety of specializations relating to marketing, management, hospitality and customer relations. Students will gain knowledge relating to management, supervision or customer service in tribal gaming. Students will develop a well-rounded educational experience that conforms to the highly specialized needs of tribal casinos and acquire knowledge applicable to Native American gaming law, Native American gaming regulations, and tribal casino operations.

Students completing the Gaming Program will:

- Practice the administrative processes necessary within casino industry.
- Recognize the importance of a functional customer service program for the casino enterprise.
- Use customer-related data within casino operations.
- Recognize unique elements of the tribal casino environment.
- Explain the principles of casino marketing and public relations.
- Identify the overall functions of the casino and its relationship to tribal government.

**Certificate in Gaming:**

- Students completing the Certificate in Gaming will demonstrate the fundamentals of the organizational and administrative processes involved within the gaming industry.



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**Tribal Services:**

The Tribal Services Associate of Science degree program emphasizes Administration, Human Services, and Health Services in the tribal organization. Students completing this program will recognize the specialized needs within tribal governments, Native American programs, and tribal enterprises. Students will develop knowledge applicable to tribal government, Indian land issues, project management and grant writing within the tribal context.

Students completing the Tribal Services Program will:

- Demonstrate a working knowledge of Native American governments, including tribal commerce and service programs within a Native cultural context.
- Recognize administrative and organizational principles within a tribal context.
- Exhibit knowledge of health care systems, external health care agencies, and an awareness of consumer health care issues within the tribal healthcare environment.
- Identify fundamentals of human services and community resources that promote welfare in tribal family and community environments.

**Police Science**

The Associate of Applied Science Degree in Police Science is an academic program designed for students who are interested in the field of tribal law enforcement. Students receive college credit for Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET) courses and develop knowledge in Federal Indian Law, tribal court, tribal government and tribal language. Students develop knowledge of unique law enforcement issues involving tribal people and communities. Students completing the Police Science Program will:

- Earn credit for CLEET courses.
- Describe the criminal justice system in the U.S. and Native American tribes through a review of its subsystems – law enforcement, the courts, and corrections.
- Exhibit knowledge of the organization of police departments, with an emphasis on tribal police.
- Develop knowledge of Native community protocol for tribal police.
- Practice standards that support focused police officer duties, practices and responsibilities.