

**NVCC COLLEGE-WIDE COURSE CONTENT SUMMARY
ARA 111 - CONVERSATION IN ARABIC I (3 CR.)**

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Emphasizes the spoken language, stressing fluency and correctness of structure, pronunciation, and vocabulary on simple topics.

Lecture - 3 hours per week

GENERAL COURSE PURPOSE

This course provides practice in speaking Arabic, with emphasis upon developing fluency, increasing vocabulary and improving sentence structure.

ENTRY LEVEL COMPETENCIES

The prerequisite for this course is ARA 102 – “Beginning Arabic II” or equivalent.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course students should be able to initiate, sustain, and close conversations in a wide range of circumstances and covering a variety of topics. Students will improve their pronunciation.

MAJOR TOPICS TO BE COVERED

- A. Introductions
- B. Asking for directions
- C. Making purchases
- D. Using the telephone
- E. Ordering a meal
- F. Current events
- G. Culture