Astronomy

The WVC Earth Sciences Department is committed to offering comprehensive courses that promote understanding the Earth and the Universe. Courses range from those designed for the non-science major to Earth Science major transfer students in Geological Sciences, Astronomy, Meteorology, Climatology, and geological or hydrological Environmental Science.

Astronomy Classes

ASTR& 101: Introduction to Astronomy

Explore the universe through scientific analysis of astronomical images, observations and measurements. Learn the history of astronomy, the nature of light, how to locate and identify objects in the night sky, how the solar system originated, stars, galaxies, and the expansion of the universe. Indoor and outdoor laboratory exercises.

Credits 5
Weekly Contact Hours 6
Meets Degree Requirements For
Natural Science with Lab
Prerequisites
MATH 93 or higher