



[ARTCAA; CIP Code 24.0101]

Associate in Arts (A.A.) – Transfer

This program is designed for students who wish to transfer to a four-year college after completing the first two years of undergraduate coursework. The Liberal Arts program is not designed for specific majors but allows graduating students to advance to many different areas of study. As the Liberal Arts program allows considerable course options, students should research the degree requirements of the four-year colleges of interest.

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Liberal Arts, A.A.

FIRST YEAR – Fall Semester

☐ CSCI 101 Introduction to Microcomputers or CSCI 110 Information Technology	2–3
☐ ENGL 101 English Composition I or ENGL 101E Enhanced English Composition I	3–4
☐ _____ General Education History Elective	3
☐ _____ General Education Mathematics Elective	3–4
☐ _____ General Education Humanities Elective	3
	14–17

Spring Semester

☐ ENGL 102 English Composition II	3
☐ SPEH 101 Effective Speech	3
☐ _____ General Education Lab Science Elective	4
☐ _____ General Education Social Science Elective	3
☐ _____ Program Elective	3
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SECOND YEAR – Fall Semester

☐ _____ General Education Humanities Elective	3
☐ _____ General Education Mathematics or Science Elective	3–4
☐ _____ General Education Social Science Elective	3
☐ _____ Program Elective	3
☐ _____ Program Elective	3
	15–16

Spring Semester

☐ _____ General Education Global and Cultural Awareness Elective	3
☐ _____ General Education History Elective	3
☐ _____ General Education Humanities Elective	3
☐ _____ Program Elective	3
☐ _____ Program Elective	3
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TOTAL MINIMUM CREDITS: 60

Program Learning Outcomes

Students who have completed the program will be able to:

- Demonstrate effective communication skills by expressing ideas and sharing knowledge in a clear, focused, and organized manner
- Demonstrate mathematical and statistical concepts and operations to interpret data and to solve problems
- Demonstrate scientific method of inquiry, through the acquisition of scientific knowledge
- Apply computer systems or other appropriate forms of technology to achieve educational and personal goals
- Apply social science theories and concepts to analyze human behavior, social and political systems, and to act as responsible citizens
- Analyze works in the fields of art, music, theater, literature, philosophy and/or religious studies and gain competence in the use of a foreign language
- Evaluate historical events and movements in World, Western, non-Western or American societies and assess their subsequent significance
- Analyze the importance of global perspectives and culturally diverse peoples
- Evaluate ethical issues and situations
- Locate, retrieve and critically evaluate information and sources

Program Electives

Students will select a combination of 5 program courses across academic divisions Allied Health, STEM, and Business, Education and Humanities, and Communication and Creative and Performing Arts. Nine of the credits must be in one division. Students who elect a foreign language should select 6 credits in the same language.

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