

Associate of Arts: General Studies

Program Code (039)

Division of Social & Behavioral Science

Required: 63 Credit Hours, 2.00 GPA

Students are required to complete the following General Education and Major Requirement courses. Students who complete this associate's degree are prepared to transfer and continue their education at a four-year college/university. Students should consult with their academic advisor and refer to the 4-semester by semester program planning guide to understand course sequencing.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (40 HOURS)	MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (23 HOURS)
<p>English Composition - 6 hours <i>(Select Both)</i> ___ ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I ___ ENGL 1213 Freshman Composition II</p> <p>U.S. History - 3 hours <i>(Select One)</i> ___ HIST 1483 Am His 1492-1865 or HIST 1493 Am His 1865-Pr</p> <p>U.S. Government - 3 hours <i>(Select One)</i> ___ POS 1113 American Federal Government</p> <p>Biological Science - 4 hours <i>(Select One)</i> ___ BIO 1114, BOT 1114, or ZOO 1114</p> <p>Physical Science - 4 hours <i>(Select One)</i> ___ GPS 1214, CHEM 1115, PHYS 1114, or GEOL 1014</p> <p>Orientation - 1 hour <i>(Select One)</i> ___ ORI 1111 Freshman Orientation</p> <p>Mathematics - 3 hours <i>(Select One)</i> ___ MATH 1413 Survey of Contemporary Math²</p> <p>Health, Physical Education & Recreation - 2 hours <i>(Select One)</i> ___ any HPER course, except activity courses</p> <p>Humanities - 6 hours <i>(Select Two)</i> ___ HUM 2113 Gen Hum. I ___ HUM 2223 Gen Hum II ___ ART 1113 Art Appreciation ___ DRMA 1213 Intro Theatre ___ HIST 1113 Early West Civ ___ HIST 1123 Mod West Civ ___ MUS 1113 Music Apprec ___ PHIL 1113 Intro to Philosophy ___ PHIL 2123 Ethics ___ RLED 1113 Old Testament ___ RLED 1123 New Testament ___ RLED 2113 World Religions ___ Any Literature Course(s)</p> <p>Approved Electives - 8 hours <i>(Select CS 1103 and Electives)</i> Select CS1103 <u>and</u> any two courses in psychology, social sciences, foreign languages, & fine arts (art, music, drama) in conference with advisor ___ CS 1103 Microcomputer Applications ___ Elective ___ Elective</p>	<p>Required Courses in Major - 23 hours <i>(Select courses in consultation with advisor)</i></p> <p>___ Courses in consultation with advisor¹</p>
<p>Totals: ----- Credit Hours: 40</p>	<p>Totals: ----- Credit Hours: 23</p>

Notation:

¹Students who declare General Studies as their major should select courses that apply to the degree program found at the college to which they will transfer.

²MATH 1413 is Math Pathways requirement. However, student should consider the math requirement of the four-year transfer institution.

Semester by Semester Degree Plan
General Studies, AA (039)

Course Number – Course Description	Hours
Freshman Year 1st Semester – Fall	
<input type="checkbox"/> ORI 1111 Freshman Orientation	1
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1113 Freshman Composition I	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HIST 1483 or 1493 American History	3
<input type="checkbox"/> CS 1103 Microcomputer Applications	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Elective in General Education (PSY, SOC, GEOG, LANGUAGE, ART, MUS, OR DRAMA)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Course Selection	3
Total:	16
Freshman Year 2nd Semester – Spring	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 1213 Freshman Composition II	3
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 1413 Survey of Contemporary Math	3
<input type="checkbox"/> POS 1113 American Federal Government	3
<input type="checkbox"/> HPER Course –2-3 hours	2-3
<input type="checkbox"/> Elective in General Education (PSY, SOC, GEOG, LANGUAGE, ART, MUS, OR DRAMA)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Course Selection	3
Total:	17-18
Sophomore Year 1st Semester – Fall	
<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Science - (CHEM, GPS, OR PHYS)	4
<input type="checkbox"/> Humanities (ART, ENGL, HUM, MUS, PHIL, OR RLED)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Course Selection	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Course Selection	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Course Selection	3
Total:	16
Sophomore Year 2nd Semester – Spring	
<input type="checkbox"/> Biological Science (BIO, BOT, OR ZOO)	4
<input type="checkbox"/> Humanities (ART, ENGL, HUM, MUS, PHIL, OR RLED)	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Course Selection	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Course Selection	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Course Selection	3
Total:	16
Total Hours: 63-64	

Program Requirements: 63 cr-hrs, 2.00 GPA

How to Use this “Semester by Semester Degree Plan”: Courses in this semester by semester breakdown are listed with several thoughts in mind. Prerequisites are listed first. Science, math, and major coursework are listed in order the course should be taken and in what term the course should be taken. Students should enroll into ORI 1111 and ENGL 1113, and any development courses in the first term. Courses listed in parenthesis are selections from which a student may choose. Enrollment into developmental courses will add to the total credit hour count, and may alter math and science enrollment rotations. -- While this is a guide to help the student with pre-enrollment, a study of the Course Schedule and a visit with an academic advisor is a must.

Estimated Program Cost: Students can complete this degree in four semesters (15-16 per semester).

The estimated cost of this program is approximated at: $63 \text{ credit-hours} \times \$127.25 \text{ per credit hour} = \$ 8,016.75$ (Please know that this cost does not include textbooks, supplies, developmental coursework, and other expenses, and is designed as an ESTIMATE only). Actual program cost is based on Fall 2018 in-state tuition amounts and the final costs will vary from this estimate.