

## UNIVERSITY STUDIES PROGRAM

The University Studies Program provides opportunities for students to complete coursework that will transfer as baccalaureate credit to four-year colleges and universities. By completing courses in the Arts and Sciences, students can earn Associate in Arts, Associate in Science, or Associate in Fine Arts degrees. These degrees are designed to prepare students to continue their education as juniors in their field of study. By completing the 44-semester-hour General Education Core, students can earn the Transfer Core Diploma in Arts or in Science.

Sandhills actively and fully complies with the 1997 Comprehensive Articulation Agreement between the North Carolina Community College System (NCCCS) and the University of North Carolina (UNC) System. This agreement establishes college transfer courses, degrees and policies that are accepted by all 58 community colleges and all 16 UNC colleges and universities. Students who complete degree requirements and are admitted to a UNC university will have certain guarantees that credits earned will transfer. These guarantees are discussed in the “degree requirements” sections that follow.

Students who do not complete all degree or general education requirements of the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA) will be able to transfer credit on a course-by-course basis and must comply with the requirements of the receiving institution. In all cases, it remains the responsibility of the student to be aware of special requirements of a particular institution or program. (Detailed information is available at [www.northcarolina.edu](http://www.northcarolina.edu).)

*Special Note:* Students planning to transfer to four-year UNC institutions must comply with the University of North Carolina Minimum Course Requirements (MCR), published at [www.northcarolina.edu](http://www.northcarolina.edu). Students who do not satisfy these requirements in high school may comply with the MCR in one of the following ways:

- They can receive an Associate in Arts or Science, Associate in Fine Arts, Bachelor of Arts or Science, or any higher degree.
- They may complete the 44-semester-hour CAA General Education Core as described in the Transfer Core Diploma information or as described in the associate’s degree requirements that follow.
- They may complete at least 6 semester hours of credit in each of the following subjects: English, mathematics, natural sciences, social and behavioral sciences, and (for students who graduate high school in or after 2004) a second language.

## ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

To be awarded an associate's degree, a student must complete 64 to 65 semester hours of credit, which include all requirements applicable to a particular degree program or pre-major agreement. At least 18 semester hours of credit must be completed at Sandhills Community College. A 2.0 grade point average must be maintained, and only courses completed with a grade of "C" or higher will qualify for transfer.

Courses required are either part of the **General Education Core** or are considered **Other Required Hours**.

The **General Education Core** includes study in the areas of the humanities and fine arts, social and behavioral sciences, natural sciences and mathematics, and English composition. Within the core, students receive opportunities to achieve competence in reading, writing, communicating, demonstrating mathematical skills, understanding science concepts, and using computers.

**Other Required Hours** provide the opportunity for students to specialize and tailor their degree programs to particular interests, majors or career fields.

*Special Note on the General Education Core Requirement for the Associate in Arts and Associate in Science Degree:* The General Education Core requirement of 44 semester hours of credit has been established under the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement. Any student who successfully completes the entire 44-hour core **with a grade of "C" or higher in each course** will be able to transfer all 44 hours as a block to any UNC institution. This 44-hour core will fulfill the lower-division general education requirements of the receiving UNC institution even if specific course requirements at the institution are different.

**Transfer Core Diploma:** Students who **successfully** complete the 44-hour General Education Core **with a grade of "C" or higher in each course** may be awarded the Transfer Core Diploma. As defined by the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement between the UNC System and the North Carolina Community College System and approved by the North Carolina Legislature, the 44-hour General Education Core includes study in the areas of the humanities and fine arts, social and behavioral sciences, natural sciences and mathematics, and English composition. Completion of the general education core **with a grade of "C" or higher in each course** for either the Associate in Arts or the Associate in Science degrees as described in this catalog, will fulfill the requirements of this diploma.

**Pre-Major Agreements:** Pre-major agreements have been developed statewide as advising aids in several major areas. These agreements specify, in greater detail, which courses students may take to be prepared to enter

major programs at the junior level. Any student who successfully completes the requirements of an approved pre-major agreement will be awarded the Associate's Degree appropriate to the major from Sandhills Community College.

Pre-major agreements are available to students from their advisors, the college transfer counselor, [www.northcarolina.edu](http://www.northcarolina.edu), or [www.sandhills.edu/usp](http://www.sandhills.edu/usp).

## **TWO-YEAR COLLEGE TRANSFER ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE PROGRAM**

The following programs are designed to transfer to senior colleges and universities. Completion should satisfy the first two years (pre-major) of a four-year degree. The pre-majors indicated by \* have approved statewide Pre-Major Articulation Agreements.

### **ASSOCIATE IN ARTS**

Art Education*	Health Education*
Business Administration*	History*
Accounting	Information Systems*
Economics	Liberal Studies*
Finance	Mass Communication/Journalism*
Marketing	Middle Grades Education*
Business/Marketing Education*	Nursing*
Communication/Comm Studies*	Physical Education*
Computer Science*	Political Science*
Criminal Justice*	Psychology*
Elementary Education*	Social Science Secondary Ed*
English*	Social Work*
English Education*	Sociology*
	Special Education*

### **ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS**

Art	Music and Music Education*
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### **ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE**

Biology/Biology Education*	Mathematics*
Chemistry/Chemistry Education*	Math Education*
Engineering*	

## **COLLEGE TRANSFER COURSE LIST**

The following lists contain Sandhills Community College courses approved for college transfer under the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA). These lists contain two types of courses:

1. Courses Approved as Part of the **General Education Core**. These courses will satisfy general education core requirements for the college transfer programs. These courses may also be used to satisfy **Other Required Hours or Elective** requirements. They are as follows:

ANT 210, 220, 221, 240	HIS 111, 112, 121, 122, 131, 132
ART 111, 114, 115	HUM 110, 120, 122, 150, 160, 161, 211, 212, 220
AST 111, 111A	MAT 140, 151, 171, 172, 175, 263, 271, 272, 273
BIO 110, 111, 112, 120, 130, 140 & 140A	MUS 110, 113
CHM 151, 152	PHI 215, 240
CIS 110, 115	PHY 110 & 110A, 151, 152, 251, 252
COM 110, 120, 231	POL 110, 120, 210, 220
DRA 111, 126	PSY 150, 237, 239, 241, 281
ECO 151, 251, 252	REL 110, 211, 212, 221
ENG 111, 112, 114, 131, 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262	SOC 210, 213, 220, 225
FRE 111, 112, 211, 212	SPA 111, 112, 211, 212
GEO 111, 112	

2. Courses Associated with **Approved Pre-Major Agreements** or **Approved Elective Courses**. These courses will satisfy **Other Required Hours** requirements for college transfer programs. These courses may **not** be used to satisfy **General Education Core** requirements. Additional courses may be approved. Updated lists will be available from Advisors, the College Transfer Counselor, the University Studies Coordinator, or [www.sandhills.edu/usp](http://www.sandhills.edu/usp). The current list includes:

ACC 120, 121	ENG 125, 126, 272, 273
All ART Prefix Courses	FRE 161, 181, 182, 221, 281, 282
BIO 163, 165, 166, 271, 275	HEA 112
BUS 110, 115, 137	HIS 221, 222, 223, 236
CHM 130 & 130A, 251, 252	HUM 170
CJC 111, 121, 141	MAT 167, 280, 285
COM 251	All MUS Prefix Courses
CSC 120, 130, 134, 148	All PED Prefix Courses
DFT 170	POL 130
DRA 130, 131	PSY 231, 263
EDU 216	SPA 161, 181, 182, 281, 282
EGR 220, 225	

## TRANSFER CORE DIPLOMA PROGRAM

The General Education Core requirement of 44 semester hours of credit has been established under the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement. Any student who successfully completes the entire 44-hour core with a grade of “C” or higher in each course will be able to transfer all 44 hours as a block to any UNC institution, upon acceptance to that UNC institution. This 44-hour core will fulfill the lower-division general education requirements of the

receiving UNC institution even if specific course requirements at the institution are different. Upon successful completion of the 44-hour core with a grade of “C” or higher in each course, a student will be awarded the Transfer Core Diploma. Earning this Diploma makes transferring to the UNC system and to many private four-year institutions easy and seamless.

## **TRANSFER CORE DIPLOMA: ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE OPTION (D10100)**

If a student is following an Associate of Arts degree path, the Transfer Core Diploma course options are listed below. These course options are the General Education Core for the Associate of Arts Degree.

<u>Courses</u>	<u>Semester Hours</u>
<b>GENERAL EDUCATION CORE</b> .....	<b>44</b>

**English Composition** .....6

ENG 111 and one of the following: ENG 112, 113, or 114

**Humanities/Fine Arts** ..... 12

Select **four** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a literature course.**

- Art (ART 111, 114, 115)
- Drama (DRA 111, 126)
- Foreign Languages with corequisite laboratory (FRE 111, 112, 211, 212; SPA 111, 112, 211, 212)
- Interdisciplinary Humanities (HUM 110, 120, 121, 122, 130, 150, 160, 161, 211, 212, 220)
- Literature (ENG 131, 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262)
- Music (MUS 110, 113)
- Philosophy (PHI 215, 240)
- Religion (REL 110, 211, 212, 221)
- Speech/Communication (COM 110, 120, 231)

**NOTE:** *Communications courses DO NOT satisfy the humanities/fine arts elective for Associate in Applied Science degree programs. However, 3 SHC speech/communication may be substituted for 3 SHC humanities/fine arts in transfer programs. Speech/communication may not be substituted for the literature requirement.*

**Social/Behavioral Science** ..... 12

Select **four** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a history course (HIS).**

- Anthropology (ANT 210, 220, 221, 240)
- Economics (ECO 151, 251, 252)
- Geography (GEO 111, 112)
- History (HIS 111, 112, 121, 122, 131, 132)
- Political Science (POL 110, 120, 210, 220)
- Psychology (PSY 150, 237, 239, 241, 281)
- Sociology (SOC 210, 213, 220, 225)

**Natural Sciences/Mathematics..... 14**

**Natural Sciences (8 SHC):** Select **two** courses, including accompanying laboratory work, from among the biological and physical science disciplines.

- Astronomy (AST 111 & 111A)
- Biology (BIO 110, 111, 112, 120, 130, 140 & 140A)
- Chemistry (CHM 151, 152)
- Physics (PHY 110 & 110A, 151, 152, 251, 252)

**Mathematics (6 SHC):** Select at least **one** course in introductory mathematics; the other course may be selected from among other quantitative subjects, such as computer science and statistics.

- Mathematics (MAT 140, 171 or 175, 172 or 175, 263, 271, 272, 273)
- Other Quantitative Subjects (Statistics-MAT 151, Computer Science-CIS 110, 115)

**TRANSFER CORE DIPLOMA: ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE OPTION (D10400)**

If a student is following an Associate of Science Degree path, the Transfer Core Diploma course options are listed below. These course options are the General Education Core for the Associate in Science Degree.

Courses	Semester Hours
<b>GENERAL EDUCATION CORE.....</b>	<b>44</b>

**English Composition..... 6**

ENG 111 and **one** of the following: ENG 112, 113, or 114

**Humanities/Fine Arts.....9**

Select **three** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a literature course.**

- Art (ART 111, 114, 115)
- Drama (DRA 111, 126)
- Foreign Languages with co-requisite laboratory (FRE 111, 112, 211, 212; SPA 111, 112, 211, 212)
- Interdisciplinary Humanities (HUM 110, 120, 121, 122, 130, 150, 160, 161, 211, 212, 220)
- Literature (ENG 131, 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262)
- Music (MUS 110, 113)
- Philosophy (PHI 215, 240)
- Religion (REL 110, 211, 212, 221)
- Speech/Communication (COM 110, 120, 231)

**NOTE:** *Communications courses DO NOT satisfy the humanities/fine arts elective for Associate in Applied Science degree programs. However, 3 SHC speech/communication may be substituted for 3 SHC humanities/fine arts in transfer programs. Speech/communication may not be substituted for the literature requirement.*

**Social/Behavioral Science.....9**

Select **three** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a history course (HIS).**

- Anthropology (ANT 210, 220, 221, 240)

- Economics (ECO 151, 251, 252)
- Geography (GEO 111, 112)
- History (HIS 111, 112, 121, 122, 131, 132)
- Political Science (POL 110, 120, 210, 220)
- Psychology (PSY 150, 237, 239, 241, 281)
- Sociology (SOC 210, 213, 220, 225)

**Natural Sciences/Mathematics ..... 20**

**Natural Sciences (8 SHC):** Select a minimum of a **two-course sequence**, including accompanying laboratory work, from among the biological and physical science disciplines.

- Biology (BIO 111 and one of the following: 112, 120, or 130)
- Chemistry (CHM 151, 152)
- Physics (PHY 151, 152, 251, 252)

**Mathematics (6 SHC):** Select at least **one** 200-level course and one other course from the following:

- Mathematics (MAT 171 or 175; 172 or 175; 263; 271; 272; 273)
- Other Quantitative Subjects (Statistics-MAT 151, Computer Science-CIS 110, 115)

**Other Science and Mathematics (6 SHC minimum):** Select an additional 6 SHC from Natural Science/Mathematics general education transfer courses.

## **REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE (A10100)**

The Associate in Arts degree is designed for students who wish to transfer to a university to earn a Bachelor of Arts (or Bachelor of Science, depending upon the university) degree in one of the following fields of study: anthropology, architecture, business administration (accounting, finance, and marketing), communication, economics, education, English language and literature, foreign languages, geography, linguistics, history, humanities, interdisciplinary studies, journalism, library science, philosophy, political science, psychology, religion, social sciences, and visual and performing arts. Students who are interested in a career in dentistry, law, medicine, theology or ministry, optometry, pharmacy, physical therapy, or veterinary medicine are usually required or at least strongly encouraged to earn a bachelor's degree before applying to one of these graduate or professional degree programs. For more information, students should read "Preparation for Graduate School" in the "Transfer Resources" section of the University Studies website.

Courses

Semester Hours

**GENERAL EDUCATION CORE .....44**

**English Composition .....6**

ENG 111 and one of the following: ENG 112, 113, or 114

**Humanities/Fine Arts**.....12

Select **four** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a literature course.**

- Art (ART 111, 114, 115)
- Drama (DRA 111, 126)
- Foreign Languages with co-requisite laboratory (FRE 111, 112, 211, 212; SPA 111, 112, 211, 212)
- Interdisciplinary Humanities (HUM 110, 120, 121, 122, 130, 150, 160, 161, 211, 212, 220)
- Literature (ENG 131, 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262)
- Music (MUS 110, 113)
- Philosophy (PHI 215, 240)
- Religion (REL 110, 211, 212, 221)
- Speech/Communication (COM 110, 120, 231)

**NOTE:** *Communications courses DO NOT satisfy the humanities/fine arts elective for Associate in Applied Science degree programs. However, 3 SHC speech/communication may be substituted for 3 SHC humanities/fine arts in transfer programs. Speech/communication may not be substituted for the literature requirement.*

**Social/Behavioral Science**.....12

Select **four** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. **At least one course must be a history course (HIS).**

- Anthropology (ANT 210, 220, 221, 240)
- Economics (ECO 151, 251, 252)
- Geography (GEO 111, 112)
- History (HIS 111, 112, 121, 122, 131, 132)
- Political Science (POL 110, 120, 210, 220)
- Psychology (PSY 150, 237, 239, 241, 281)
- Sociology (SOC 210, 213, 220, 225)

**Natural Sciences/Mathematics**.....14

**Natural Sciences (8 SHC):** Select **two** courses, including accompanying laboratory work, from among the biological and physical science disciplines.

- Astronomy (AST 111 & 111A)
- Biology (BIO 110, 111, 112, 120, 130, 140 & 140A)
- Chemistry (CHM 151, 152)
- Physics (PHY 110 & 110A, 151, 152, 251, 252)

**Mathematics (6 SHC):** Select at least **one** course in introductory mathematics; the other course may be selected from among other quantitative subjects, such as computer science and statistics.

- Mathematics (MAT 140, 171 or 175, 172 or 175, 263, 271, 272, 273)
- Other Quantitative Subjects (Statistics-MAT 151, Computer Science-CIS 110, 115)

**OTHER REQUIRED HOURS**.....**20-21****Academic Related (1 SHC)**

ACA 122 College Transfer Success.....1

**Physical education (2 SHC):** Select **two** activity courses with a PED prefix (PED 110 is NOT an activity course.).....1

Choose another 17-18 hours from:..... 17-18

- Any of the courses listed in the general education core not already used.
- Courses required for transfer to one of the sixteen branches of the University of NC System with junior status in a major field of study, as specified in approved pre-major agreements
- Any course approved for transfer under the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement.

**Total Semester Hours Credit (SHC) in Program.....64-65**

### ASSOCIATE IN ARTS – COURSE SEQUENCE EXAMPLE

		<u>Course Hours Per Week</u>		<u>Semester Hours</u>
		<u>Class</u>	<u>Lab</u>	<u>Credit</u>
<b>FIRST SEMESTER (Fall)</b>				
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1	0	1
ENG 111	Expository Writing	3	0	3
MAT	MAT 140, 151, 171 (or higher)			
	Math core requirement	3	0	3
***	AST, BIO, CHM, or PHY			
	Science core requirement	3	2	4
***	HIS	3	0	3
***	Elective	***	***	3
PED	Physical Education elective	<u>0</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>1</u>
		***	***	18
<b>SECOND SEMESTER (Spring)</b>				
ENG	ENG 112 or 114			
	English core requirement	3	0	3
***	MAT or CIS			
	Math core requirement	3	0	3
***	AST, BIO, CHM, or PHY			
	Science core requirement	3	2	4
***	Soc/Beh Sciences core requirement	3	0	3
***	Elective	***	***	3
PED	Physical Education elective	<u>0</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>1</u>
		***	***	17
<b>THIRD SEMESTER (Fall II)</b>				
ENG	Literature core requirement	3	0	3
***	Soc/Beh Sciences core requirement	3	0	3
***	Hum/FA Core requirement	3	0	3
***	Elective	***	***	3
***	Elective	<u>***</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>3</u>
		***	***	15
<b>FOURTH SEMESTER (Spring II)</b>				
***	Soc/Beh Sciences core requirement	3	0	3
***	Hum/FA Core requirement	3	0	3
***	Hum/FA Core requirement	3	0	3
***	Elective	***	***	3
***	Elective	<u>***</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>2-3</u>
		***	***	14-15

**Total Required Minimum Semester Hours Credit: 64-65**

## REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE (A10400)

The Associate in Science degree is designed for students who wish to transfer to a university to earn a Bachelor of Science degree in one of the following fields: architecture; agriculture; biological/life sciences; business, management, and marketing; computer and information sciences; corrections and criminal justice; engineering; engineering technologies; health professions and clinical sciences; mathematics and statistics; parks, recreation, and fitness studies; physical sciences; science education; social sciences; and transportation and materials moving. Students who are interested in a career in dentistry, law, medicine, theology or ministry, optometry, pharmacy, physical therapy, or veterinary medicine are usually required or at least strongly encouraged to earn a bachelor's degree before applying to one of these graduate or professional degree programs. For more information, students should read "Preparation for Graduate School" in the "Transfer Resources" section of the University Studies website.

Courses	Semester Hours
<b>GENERAL EDUCATION CORE</b> .....	<b>44</b>

**English Composition**.....6

ENG 111 and **one** of the following: ENG 112, 113, or 114

**Humanities/Fine Arts**.....9

Select **three** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a literature course**.

- Art (ART 111, 114, 115)
- Drama (DRA 111, 126)
- Foreign Languages with co-requisite laboratory (FRE 111, 112, 211, 212; SPA 111, 112, 211, 212)
- Interdisciplinary Humanities (HUM 110, 120, 121, 122, 130, 150, 160, 161, 211, 212, 220)
- Literature (ENG 131, 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262)
- Music (MUS 110, 113)
- Philosophy (PHI 215, 240)
- Religion (REL 110, 211, 212, 221)
- Speech/Communication (COM 110, 120, 231)

**NOTE:** *Communications courses DO NOT satisfy the humanities/fine arts elective for Associate in Applied Science degree programs. However, 3 SHC speech/communication may be substituted for 3 SHC humanities/fine arts in transfer programs. Speech/communication may **not** be substituted for the literature requirement.*

**Social/Behavioral Science**.....9

Select **three** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a history course (HIS)**.

- Anthropology (ANT 210, 220, 221, 240)
- Economics (ECO 151, 251, 252)
- Geography (GEO 111, 112)
- History (HIS 111, 112, 121, 122, 131, 132)

- Political Science (POL 110, 120, 210, 220)
- Psychology (PSY 150, 237, 239, 241, 281)
- Sociology (SOC 210, 213, 220, 225)

**Natural Sciences/Mathematics** ..... 20

**Natural Sciences (8 SHC):** Select a minimum of a **two-course sequence**, including accompanying laboratory work, from among the biological and physical science disciplines.

- Biology (BIO 111 and one of the following: 112, 120, or 130)
- Chemistry (CHM 151, 152)
- Physics (PHY 151, 152, 251, 252)

**Mathematics (6 SHC):** Select at least **one** 200-level course and one other course from the following:

- Mathematics (MAT 171 or 175; 172 or 175; 263; 271; 272; 273)
- Other Quantitative Subjects (Statistics-MAT 151, Computer Science-CIS 110, 115)

**Other Science and Mathematics (6 SHC minimum):** Select an additional 6 SHC from Natural Science/Mathematics general education transfer courses.

**OTHER REQUIRED HOURS** .....**20-21**

**Academic Related (1 SHC)**

ACA 122 College Transfer Success ..... 1

**Physical education (2 SHC):** Select **two** activity courses with a PED prefix (PED 110 is NOT an activity course.) ..... 1

**Choose another 17-18 hours from:**..... 17-18

- *Natural Sciences/Mathematics:* A minimum of 14 SHC of approved college transfer courses in mathematics, natural sciences, or computer science.
- Courses required for transfer to one of the sixteen branches of the University of NC System with junior status in a major field of study, as specified in approved pre-major agreements.
- Any course approved for transfer. A list may be found earlier in this section.

**Total Semester Hours Credit (SHC) in Program**.....**64-65**

**ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE – COURSE SEQUENCE EXAMPLE**

		Course Hours Per Week		Semester Hours
		Class	Lab	Credit
<b>FIRST SEMESTER (Fall)</b>				
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1	0	1
ENG 111	Expository Writing	3	0	3
MAT	Math core requirement**	3	0	3
***	BIO, CHM, or PHY I			
	Science core requirement	3	2	4
***	HIS	3	0	3
***	Hum/FA Core requirement	3	0	3
PED	Physical Education elective	0	***	1
		16	***	18

**SECOND SEMESTER (Spring)**

ENG	ENG 112 or 114			
	English core requirement	3	0	3
***	MAT or CIS			
	Math core requirement	3	0	3
***	BIO, CHM, or PHY II			
	Science core requirement	3	2	4
***	Science/Math elective	***	***	4
PED	Physical Education elective	<u>0</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>1</u>
		***	***	15

**THIRD SEMESTER (Fall II)**

ENG	Literature core requirement	3	0	3
***	Soc/Beh Sciences core requirement	3	0	3
***	Science/Math elective	3	0	3
***	Science/Math elective	***	***	4
***	Science/Math elective	<u>***</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>4</u>
		***	***	17

**FOURTH SEMESTER (Spring II)**

***	Soc/Beh Sciences core requirement	3	0	3
***	Hum/FA Core requirement	3	0	3
***	Science/Math elective	3	0	3
***	Science/Math elective	***	***	4
***	Science/Math elective	<u>***</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>3-4</u>
		***	***	14-15

**Total Required Minimum Semester Hours Credit: 64-65**

\*\* At least one math core requirement must be a 200-level course.

**REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS IN ART DEGREE (A1020A)**

The Associate in Fine Arts in Art degree is designed to prepare students to transfer to a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree program at a senior college or university. Students will receive a foundation in color, design, drawing and fundamentals of studio techniques. Upon completion, they should be able to present a portfolio of work that is strong enough to allow them to continue their work as juniors and begin an area of concentration at the senior transfer institution.

<u>Courses</u>	<u>Semester Hours</u>
<b>GENERAL EDUCATION CORE.....</b>	<b>28</b>

**English Composition.....6**  
 ENG 111 and **one** of the following: ENG 112 or 114

**Humanities/Fine Arts.....6**  
 Select **two** courses from at least **two** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a literature course.**

- Drama (DRA 111, 126)
- Foreign Languages with co-requisite laboratory (FRE 111, 112, 211, 212; SPA 111, 112, 211, 212)

- Interdisciplinary Humanities (HUM 110, 120, 121, 122, 130, 150, 160, 161, 211, 212, 220)
- Literature (ENG 131, 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262)
- Music (MUS 110, 113)
- Philosophy (PHI 215, 230, 240)
- Religion (REL 110, 211, 212, 221)
- Speech/Communication (COM 110, 120, 231)

**NOTE:** *Communications courses DO NOT satisfy the humanities/fine arts elective for Associate in Applied Science degree programs. However, 3 SHC speech/communication may be substituted for 3 SHC humanities/fine arts in transfer programs. Speech/communication may not be substituted for the literature requirement.*

**Social/Behavioral Science** ..... 9

Select **three** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. **At least one course must be HIS.**

- Anthropology (210, 220, 221, 240)
- Economics (ECO 151, 251, 252)
- Geography (GEO 111, 112)
- History (HIS 111, 112, 121, 122, 131, 132)
- Political Science (POL 110, 120, 210, 220)
- Psychology (PSY 150, 237, 239, 241, 281)
- Sociology (SOC 210, 213, 220, 225)

**Natural Sciences/Mathematics** ..... 7

**Natural Sciences (4 SHC):** Select **one** course, including accompanying laboratory work, from among the biological and physical science disciplines.

- Astronomy (AST 111 & 111A)
- Biology (BIO 110, 111, 112, 120, 130, 140 & 140A)
- Chemistry (CHM 151, 152)
- Physics (PHY 110 & 110A, 151, 152, 251, 252)

**Mathematics (3 SHC):** Select **one** course in introductory mathematics (100 level or higher).

- Mathematics (MAT 140, 171, 172, 263, 271, 272, 273)

**OTHER REQUIRED HOURS**.....**37**

*\*Art majors should take ART 121 before they can take any other studio course except ART 131.*

**Major Core** ..... 16

ART 114, 115, 121, 122, 131, 214

**Art Program Electives**.....9

Select at least **nine** credit hours from the following list: ART 132, 171, 231, 232, 240, 241, 264

**Electives**.....9

Select at least **nine** credit hours from the approved general education core classes or art studio classes.

**Academic Related (1 SHC)**

ACA 122 College Transfer ..... 1

**Physical education (2 SHC):** Select **two** activity courses with a PED prefix.  
 (PED 110 is NOT an activity course.)..... 2

**Total Semester Hours Credit (SHC) in Program.....65**

**ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS IN ART  
 COURSE SEQUENCE EXAMPLE**

		<u>Course Hours Per Week</u>		<u>Semester Hours</u>
		<u>Class</u>	<u>Lab</u>	<u>Credit</u>
<b>FIRST SEMESTER (Fall)</b>				
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1	0	1
ART 121	Design I	0	6	3
ART 131	Drawing I	0	6	3
ENG 111	Expository Writing	3	0	3
***	HIS	3	0	3
MAT 140	Survey of Mathematics (or higher)	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		10	12	16
<b>SECOND SEMESTER (Spring)</b>				
ART 122	Design II	0	6	3
ART ***	Art Studio Elective	0	6	3
ENG 112	Argument-Based Research OR			
ENG 114	Prof Research & Reporting	3	0	3
***	Humanities Elective	3	0	3
***	Social/Behavioral Science Elective	3	0	3
PED	PED Activity Course	<u>0</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>1</u>
		***	***	16
<b>THIRD SEMESTER (Fall II)</b>				
ART 114	Art History Survey I	3	0	3
ART ***	Art Studio Elective	0	6	3
ART ***	Art Studio Elective	0	6	3
ENG ***	Humanities/Literature	3	0	3
***	Natural Science (BIO 111 recommended)	3	3	4
PED	PED Activity Course	<u>0</u>	<u>***</u>	<u>1</u>
		***	***	17
<b>FOURTH SEMESTER (Spring II)</b>				
ART 115	Art History Survey II	3	0	3
ART 214	Portfolio and Resume	0	2	1
ART ***	Art Studio Elective or Approved General Transfer List	***	***	3
ART ***	Art Studio Elective or Approved General Transfer List	***	***	3
ART ***	Art Studio Elective or Approved General Transfer List	***	***	3
***	Social/Behavioral Science	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		***	***	16

**Total Required Minimum Semester Hours Credit: 65**

## ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS IN MUSIC AND MUSIC EDUCATION (A1020D) – Degree Program

The Associate in Fine Arts in Music and Music Education degree is designed to prepare students for transfer to a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree program at a senior college or university. Students will receive a foundation in music theory, music history, and applied music performance skills. They should be able to audition on their primary instrument or voice and complete theory and history placement exams to allow them to continue work as juniors and to begin an area of concentration at the transfer institution.

*Because the use of computers is integral to this curriculum, some courses are delivered in an online format.*

### GENERAL EDUCATION CORE .....28

#### English Composition .....6

ENG 111 and **one** of the following: ENG 112 or 114

#### Humanities/Fine Arts ..... 6

Select **two** courses from at least **two** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be a literature course.**

- Art (ART 111, 114, 115).
- Drama (DRA 111, 126)
- Foreign Languages with co-requisite laboratory (FRE 111, 112, 211, 212; SPA 111, 112, 211, 212)
- Interdisciplinary Humanities (HUM 110, 120, 121, 122, 130, 150, 160, 161, 211, 212, 220)
- Literature (ENG 131, 231, 232, 241, 242, 261, 262)
- Music (MUS 110, 113)
- Philosophy (PHI 215, 230, 240)
- Religion (REL 110, 211, 212, 221)
- Speech/Communication (COM 110, 120, 231)

**NOTE:** *Communications courses DO NOT satisfy the humanities/fine arts elective for Associate in Applied Science degree programs. However, 3 SHC speech/communication may be substituted for 3 SHC humanities/fine arts in transfer programs. Speech/communication may not be substituted for the literature requirement.*

#### Social/Behavioral Science ..... 9

Select **three** courses from at least **three** of the following discipline areas. At least **one course must be HIS.**

- Anthropology (210, 220, 221, 240)
- Economics (ECO 151, 251, 252)
- Geography (GEO 111, 112)
- History (HIS 111, 112, 121, 122, 131, 132)
- Political Science (POL 110, 120, 210, 220)
- Psychology (PSY 150, 237, 239, 241, 281)
- Sociology (SOC 210, 213, 220, 225)

**Natural Sciences/Mathematics.....7**

**Natural Sciences (4 SHC):** Select **one** course, including accompanying laboratory work, from among the biological and physical science disciplines.

- Astronomy (AST 111 & 111A)
- Biology (BIO 110, 111, 112, 120, 130, 140 & 140A)
- Chemistry (CHM 151, 152)
- Physics (PHY 110 & 110A, 151, 152, 251, 252)

**Mathematics (3 SHC):** Select **one** course in introductory mathematics (100 level or higher).

- Mathematics (MAT 140, 171, 172, 263, 271, 272, 273)

**OTHER REQUIRED HOURS..... 37**

**Academic Related (1 SHC)**

ACA 122 College Transfer Success.....1

**Music Courses .....36**

MUS 121, 122, 161, 162, 221, 222, 261, 262, 271, 272, along with 4 SHC ensemble participation (Band, Choir, Jazz Band, Orchestra, or Ensemble), and MUS 151 and MUS 152.

**Total Semester Hours Credit (SHC) in Program.....65**

**ASSOCIATE IN FINE ARTS IN MUSIC & MUSIC EDUCATION – COURSE SEQUENCE EXAMPLE**

		<u>Course Hours Per Week</u>		Semester Hours
		Class	Lab	Credit
<b>FIRST SEMESTER (Fall)</b>				
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1	0	1
MUS 121	Music Theory I	3	2	4
MUS 161	Applied Music I	1	2	2
MUS 151B	Class Music I (piano)	0	2	1
MUS ***	Ensemble Participation (select: band, choir, jazz band Orchestra, or ensemble)	0	2	1
ENG 111	Expository Writing	3	0	3
***	Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		11	8	15
<b>SECOND SEMESTER (Spring)</b>				
MUS 122	Music Theory II	3	2	4
MUS 162	Applied Music II	1	2	2
MUS 152B	Class Music II (piano)	0	2	1
MUS ***	Ensemble Participation	0	2	1
ENG 112	Argument-Based Research	3	0	3
***	Social Behavioral Science Elective	3	0	3
***	HIS	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		13	8	17

**THIRD SEMESTER (Fall II)**

MUS 221	Music Theory III	3	2	4
MUS 261	Applied Music III	1	2	2
MUS 271	Music History I	3	0	3
MUS ***	Ensemble Participation	0	2	1
MAT 140	Survey of Mathematics (or higher)	3	0	3
***	Social/Behavioral Science Elective	<u>3</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3</u>
		13	6	16

**FOURTH SEMESTER (Spring II)**

MUS 222	Music Theory IV	3	2	4
MUS 262	Applied Music IV	1	2	2
MUS 272	Music History II	3	0	3
MUS ***	Ensemble Participation	0	2	1
ENG ***	Humanities/Literature Elective	3	0	3
***	Natural Science Elective	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>
		13	9	17

**Total Required Minimum Semester Hours Credit: 65**