

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS GENERAL STUDIES

The General Studies program is not open to students enrolled in other academic programs.

GSC 100 The First Year Experience 0 hour

Written and Oral Communication 15 hours

- CART 101 Introduction to Public Speaking3
- ENGL 101 Critical Reading & Writing I*3
- ENGL 102 Critical Reading & Writing II*3
- ENGL 203, 204, 205, 206 Survey of English or American Lit I/II.....3

*A minimum grade of “C” is required in English 101 and English 102 in order to meet English proficiency requirements.

One of the following3

- ART 200 Survey of Art
- CART 200 Survey of Theatre
- FNAR 100 Introduction to Fine Arts
- MUSC 200 Survey of Music

Problem Solving and Critical Thinking 11 hours

- MATH 106 or higher course number3
- Two four hour lab science courses.....8

Recommended for programs in the Departments of Business, Criminal Justice, Fine Arts, Language and Literature, and Social Science:

- ENVR 101 Environmental Science
- SCNC 101 Earth Science
- SCNC 102 Nature of Sound and Light
- SCNC 103 Contemporary Biology
- SCNC 104 Forensic Chemistry

Other Science courses may satisfy these requirements. Please consult with your advisor and the *College Catalog*.

***see requirements of specific degree programs to select appropriate general education courses.**

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Culture and Society 10 hours

- PED 201 First Aid & Safety.....1
- PED 301 Lifelong Wellness

Two of the following6

- HIST 201 History of World Cultures I
- HIST 202 History of World Cultures II
- HIST 207 US History to 1877
- HIST 208 US History Since 1877
- POSC 203 American National Government

One of the following3

- ECON 201 Principles of Microeconomics
- ECON 202 Principles of Macroeconomics
- GEOG 203 World Regional Geography
- PSYC 201 General Psychology
- SOCL 205 Principles of Sociology
- SOCS 225 Introduction to Global Studies

Technology 3 hours

- CSCI 101 Computing Concepts3
- CSCI 267 Computer Skills for Education

Area of Emphasis..... 9 hours

All nine hours must be selected from courses offered within a single academic department. Applicable departments are Business, Criminal Justice, Education, Health and Physical Education, Fine Arts, Land Resources, Language and Literature, Science and Mathematics, or Social Science. Nine of the twelve hours must be at the 200 level or above.

A minimum grade of “C” is required in all courses in the Area of Emphasis.

General Electives 12 hours

Total minimum hours required for degree 60 hours