

Program Pathway – Associate of Arts General Studies

This map is a term-by-term sample course schedule. Highlighted courses have been identified as "key courses." It is strongly advised that students make every effort to pass these courses on the first attempt with a "C" or higher in order to be successful in this program. The milestones listed below each year are designed to keep you on course to graduate in four years. Missing milestones could prevent you from being eligible for a particular program or could result in a delay in graduation. The Program Pathway serves as a general guideline to help you build a full schedule each term.

First Year – Term 1			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
ENGL 1101 *	English Composition I	3	Minimum HS GPA or SAT/ACT/Accuplacer score
MATH 1001, MATH 1101, MATH 1111, or MATH 1401	Quantitative Skills/Reasoning, Math Modeling, College Algebra, or Elementary Statistics	3	Minimum HS GPA or SAT/ACT/Accuplacer score
POLS 1101	American Government	3	
HIST 2111 or HIST 2112	US History to 1877 or US History since 1877	3	Minimum HS GPA or SAT/ACT/Accuplacer score
COMM 1110	Fundamentals of Speech	3	
PRSP	Perspective Elective	1	
		Semester Total	16

First Year – Term 2			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
ENGL 1102 *	English Composition II	3	ENGL 1101 ('C' or higher)
First Lab Science Elective	ASTR 1010 & ASTR 1010L, ASTR 1020 & ASTR 1020L, BIOL 1105K, BIOL 1107K, BIOL 1108K, BIOL 1203K, BIOL 1224K, CHEM 1151K, CHEM 1211K, CHEM 1212K, GEOL 1121K, GEOL 1122K, GEOL 1131K, PHYS 1111K, PHYS 1112K, PHYS 2211K, or PHYS 2212K	4	Varies by Course Selected
First Social Science Elective	ANTH 1103, ECON 2105, ECON 2106, GEOG 1100, GEOG 1101, GEOG 1111, HIST 1111, HIST 1112, HIST 2111, HIST 2112, PHIL 1103, PHIL 2010, PHIL 2020, POLS 2101, POLS 2201, POLS 2301, POLS 2401, PSYC 1101, PSYC 2101, PSYC 2103, SOCI 1101, or SOCI 1160	3	Varies by Course Selected
Area F Elective	Focus Course from Area of Interest**	3	Varies by Course Selected
		Semester Total	13

First Year Milestones
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete ENGL 1101 & ENGL 1102 • Complete Mathematics course • Meet with your advisor • Research next steps for future career or transfer school plans

Second Year – Term 1			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites

Second Lab Science Elective	ASTR 1010 & ASTR 1010L, ASTR 1020 & ASTR 1020L, BIOL 1105K, BIOL 1107K, BIOL 1108K, BIOL 1203K, BIOL 1224K, CHEM 1151K, CHEM 1211K, CHEM 1212K, GEOL 1121K, GEOL 1122K, GEOL 1131K, PHYS 1111K, PHYS 1112K, PHYS 2211K, or PHYS 2212K	4	Varies by Course Selected
Second Social Science Elective	ANTH 1103, ECON 2105, ECON 2106, GEOG 1100, GEOG 1101, or GEOG 1111, HIST 1111, HIST 1112, HIST 2111, HIST 2112, PHIL 1103, PHIL 2010, PHIL 2020, POLS 2101, POLS 2201, POLS 2301, POLS 2401, PSYC 1101, PSYC 2101, PSYC 2103, SOCI 1101, or SOCI 1160	3	Varies by Course Selected
Literature Elective	ENGL 2000, ENGL 2201, ENGL 2111, ENGL 2112, ENGL 2120, ENGL 2121, ENGL 2130, or ENGL 2131	3	Co-req w/ ENGL 1102
Field of Study	Focus Course from Area of Interest**	3	Varies by Course Selected
Field of Study	Focus Course from Area of Interest**	3	Varies by Course Selected
Semester Total		16	

Second Year – Term 2			
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre-requisites
STEM Elective	ASTR 1010, ASTR 1020, BIOL 1105K, BIOL 1107K, BIOL 1108K, BIOL 1203K, BIOL 1224K, CHEM 1151K, CHEM 1211K, CHEM 1212K, CMPS 1301, CMPS 1302, DATA 1501, GEOL 1121K, GEOL 1122K, GEOL 1131K, MATH 1113, MATH 1401, MATH 2181, MATH 2253, MATH 2254, PHYS 1111K, PHYS 1112K, PHYS 2211K, or PHYS 2212K	3	Varies by Course Selected
Humanities Elective	ARTS 1100, HUMN 1201, HUMN 1202, MUSC 1100, MUSC 1110, MUSC 1120, THEA 1100, ENGL 2000, ENGL 2201, ENGL 2111, ENGL 2112, ENGL 2120, ENGL 2121, ENGL 2130, or ENGL 2131	3	Varies by Course Selected
Field of Study	Focus Course from Area of Interest**	3	Varies by Course Selected
Field of Study	Focus Course from Area of Interest**	3	Varies by Course Selected
Field of Study	Focus Course from Area of Interest**	3	Varies by Course Selected
Semester Total		15	

Notes:

* denotes grade of 'C' or higher required

****Focus Course from Area of Interest** will be selected from Core IMPACT classes. Courses previously used to satisfy other Core requirements cannot be shared here.

Second Year Milestones
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet with your advisor • Solidify choices for next degree/institution to avoid taking unnecessary courses. • Submit Graduation Application to Office of Enrollment Services

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