

Associate of Arts

Degree Code: AA-0090

Minimum GPA: 2.0

Minimum Hours: 64

An Associate of Arts degree provides students a general liberal arts education that prepares them for a bachelor's degree program at a four-year college or university. In order for credits earned through an Associate of Arts degree to (1) transfer to a four-year college and (2) meet the general education requirements of a bachelor's degree. An Associate of Arts provides students with a foundational education in liberal arts. Studies may include coursework in humanities, social sciences, history, and mathematics, among other subjects. While the Associate of Arts degree helps students gain useful career skills, they are typically designed as a stepping stone into a bachelor's degree program. The general education core curriculum includes coursework approved by the Illinois Articulation Initiative. For an up-to-date listing of classes, please consult the website at www.itransfer.org.

Communications 9 hours minimum <u>Must earn at least a "C" in each course to graduate (Must either test out of or take ENG 0041/0047/0048)</u>					
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 111 – English Composition I	<input type="checkbox"/> ENG 112 – English Composition II	<input type="checkbox"/> SPC 111 – Speech			
Fine Arts/ Humanities 9 hours minimum (One course from each category)					
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Social Sciences 9 hours minimum (Taken from 2 different disciplines)					
<input type="checkbox"/> ECO 211 – Economics - Macro <input type="checkbox"/> ECO 212 – Economics - Micro <input type="checkbox"/> GOV 117 – Intro to American Government <input type="checkbox"/> HIS 116 – Western Civilization to 1715 <input type="checkbox"/> HIS 117 – Western Civilization from 1715 <input type="checkbox"/> HIS 121 – World History Beginning to 1450 <input type="checkbox"/> HIS 122 – World History from 1450 <input type="checkbox"/> HIS 214 – History of US to 1877	<input type="checkbox"/> HIS 215 – History of US from 1877 <input type="checkbox"/> HIS 217 – History of Eastern Civilization <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 211 – Intro to Psychology <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 216 – Social Psychology <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 217 – Developmental Psychology: Lifespan <input type="checkbox"/> PSY 218 – Child Psychology	<input type="checkbox"/> SOC 212 – Sociology <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 217 – Marriage and Family <input type="checkbox"/> SOC 218 – Cultural Diversity			
Mathematics AA: 3 hours minimum (Must test out of or take MAT 0039/0041/0043)					
<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 110 – General Education Math <input type="checkbox"/> MAT 112 – Math for Elem. Teachers II <input type="checkbox"/> MAT 113 – Quantitative Literacy	<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 119 – Finite Mathematics <input type="checkbox"/> MAT 209 – Calculus I <input type="checkbox"/> MAT 210 – General Elem. Statistics	<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 211 – Calculus II <input type="checkbox"/> MAT 212 – Calculus III <input type="checkbox"/> MAT 215 – App Calculus for Bus & Social Science			
Sciences AA: 7-8 hours minimum (Must include at least 1 life and 1 physical. At least one class must contain a lab)					
<u>Life Sciences</u> <input type="checkbox"/> BIO 111 – Intro to Biology <input type="checkbox"/> BIO 115 – Human Biology <input type="checkbox"/> BIO 211 – Ecology <input type="checkbox"/> BIO 213 – Botany <input type="checkbox"/> BIO 216 – Survey of the Animal Kingdom	<u>Physical Sciences</u> <input type="checkbox"/> AST 111 – Introduction to Astronomy <input type="checkbox"/> CHE 111 – Inorganic, Organic and Biochemistry I <input type="checkbox"/> CHE 114 – Inorganic Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> GEO 213 – Geology <input type="checkbox"/> GEO 215 – Intro to Environmental Geology	<input type="checkbox"/> GRY 214 – Intro to Physical Geography <input type="checkbox"/> PHY 116 – College Physics I <input type="checkbox"/> PHY 120 – Intro to Real World Physics <input type="checkbox"/> PHY 216 – University Physics I			
Seminar 1hour minimum (Must choose one course)					
<input type="checkbox"/> LRC 112 – Library as an Information Source	<input type="checkbox"/> SEM 111 – College Orientation	<input type="checkbox"/> VOL 201 – Volunteer Service			
Electives (25-26 hours) Must be chosen from the transfer courses listed in the back of the catalog and noted with a "T". Total Hours for the AA degree must equal 64 hours. Developmental courses will not count as electives for any degree. MAT 115/116/118 may be necessary for some majors, however will not count in the General Education Core. Please consult an advisor prior to enrolling.					
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