

College Transfer Programs

A 10 10 0 Associate in Arts

CONCENTRATION OVERVIEW

The Associate in Arts Degree is designed to meet the two-year general college requirements of four-year colleges and universities.

Upon completion of this concentration, graduates will be able to transfer with junior-level status in almost any academic or pre-professional field ranging from traditional academic areas such as economics, education, psychology, and English to pre-professional areas such as medicine, law, criminal justice, pharmacy, and other business-related activities. This curriculum is also suited to students who prefer a broad education background without definite transfer plans.

Student Learning Outcomes – Upon completion of the program, students will:

1. Write effective documents that are unified, coherent, well developed, and which adhere to standard grammar and mechanics.
2. Deliver oral presentations that are unified, coherent, well developed, and which adhere to standard grammar. In addition, students will demonstrate proficiency in components of delivery which may include eye contact, posture/body language, volume, articulation, and use of time.
3. Demonstrate an understanding of basic computer terminology and file management. In addition, students will demonstrate working knowledge of applications which may include: email, web browser, word processor, spreadsheet, and presentation software.
4. Perform basic arithmetic and algebraic computations. In addition, students will apply these skills in problem solving and in the interpretation of quantitative data.
5. Locate, evaluate, and utilize information using a variety of print and electronic sources.

In compliance with state transfer articulation agreements, only courses with a grade of C or higher will fulfill degree requirements in this program.

Partnership: College of The Albemarle has articulation agreements with certain universities for students transferring into specific programs of study. Students can complete the first two years of that specific baccalaureate degree at College of The Albemarle. Students should check with their advisor and the COA website for more information. www.albemarle.edu/student-resources/transfer-from-coa/



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COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	SEMESTER	CO-REQUISITES	PRE-REQUISITES	CREDITS
STUDENT SUCCESS					1
ACA 122	College Transfer Success			None	1
COMPOSITION					6
ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry		ENG 011	ENG 002 Tier 1	3
ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines			ENG 111	3
HUMANITIES/FINE ARTS					6
Select 2 courses from: ART 111 (none), ART 114 (ENG 002 Tier 1), ART 115 (ENG 002 Tier 1), DRA 111 (none), ENG 231 (ENG 112), ENG 232 (ENG 112), ENG 241 (ENG 112), ENG 242 (ENG 112), MUS 110 (none), MUS 112 (none), or PHI 240 (ENG 111)					
				Varies – pre-requisites in parentheses	3
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SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES					9
Select 3 courses from at least two different disciplines: ECO 251 (ENG 002 Tier 1 and MAT 003 Tier 1), ECO 252 (ENG 002 Tier 1 and MAT 003 Tier 1), HIS 111 (ENG 002 Tier 1), HIS 112 (ENG 002 Tier 1), HIS 131 (ENG 002 Tier 1), HIS 132 (ENG 002 Tier 1), POL 120 (ENG 002 Tier 1), PSY 150 (ENG 002 Tier 1), or SOC 210 (ENG 002 Tier 1)					
				Varies – pre-requisites in parentheses	3
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MATHEMATICS					3-4
Select 1 course from: MAT 143 – 3 credit hours (MAT 003 Tier 1 and ENG 002 Tier 1), MAT 152 – 4 credit hours (MAT 003 Tier 2 and ENG 002 Tier 1), or MAT 171 – 4 credit hours (MAT 003 Tier 2 or MAT 143 or MAT 152)					
			Varies	Varies – pre-requisites in parentheses	3-4
NATURAL SCIENCES					8
Select 2 courses from: AST 111 with AST 111A (MAT 003 Tier 1), BIO 111 (ENG 002 Tier 1 and MAT 003 Tier 1), BIO 112 (BIO 111), CHM 151 (ENG 002 Tier 1 and MAT 003 Tier 2, and either CHM 090 or one unit of HS Chemistry), CHM 152 (CHM 151), or PHY 110 with PHY 110A (MAT 003 Tier 1)					
				Varies – pre-requisites in parentheses	4
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COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	SEMESTER	CO-REQUISITES	PRE-REQUISITES	CREDITS
COMMUNICATIONS					3
COM 231	Public Speaking			ENG 111	3
FOREIGN LANGUAGE					3
Select 1 course from: SPA 111 or FRE 111. Students may substitute any foreign language course coded as General Education GEN ED: Humanities/Fine Arts from the Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA) course list.					
				None	3
COMPUTER SCIENCE					3
Select 1 course from: CIS 110 (ENG 002 Tier 1 and MAT 003 Tier 1) or CIS 115 (MAT 003 Tier 1) *					
				Varies – pre-requisites in parentheses	3
OTHER GENERAL EDUCATION HOURS					7
Select at least seven additional credit hours from the College of The Albemarle (COA) list of Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA) courses, coded either as Universal General Education Transfer Course (UGETC) or as General Education (GEN ED).					
				Varies	Varies
				Varies	Varies
				Varies	Varies
HEALTH/WELLNESS					2-3
Select 2-3 credit hours from: HEA 110 – 3 credit hours (ENG 002 Tier 1), PED 110 – 2 credit hours (none), or two 1 credit hour PED activity courses (Level I and Beginning activity courses have no pre-requisites; Level 2 and Intermediate activity courses have pre-requisites of the corresponding Level 1 or Beginning activity courses.)					
				Varies – pre-requisites in parentheses	Varies
				Varies – pre-requisites in parentheses	Varies
ADDITIONAL COURSEWORK					7-9
Select 7-9 additional credit hours from the College of The Albemarle (COA) list of Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA) courses. (Number of hours of additional coursework needed is based upon course choices made in the first-year mathematics course, in other general education hours, and in the health/wellness choice.) Courses should be chosen based upon requirements for student's intended major at the receiving four-year institution.					7-9
				Varies	
				Varies	
				Varies	
				Varies	
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREE					60-61

*This requirement is used to demonstrate computer literacy to meet institutional core competencies. Students may also demonstrate this proficiency via high school articulated credit, course substitution, or credit by exam (CBE). Students requesting CBE must provide substantial reason(s) why they are qualified to sit for the exam. If computer literacy proficiency is demonstrated in a manner which does not result in degree credit, 3 credit hours of General Education electives from the CAA list must be taken in place of CIS 110.

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A 10 10 0 Associate in Arts Suggested Sequence of Courses

First Year Fall Semester Course Number and Title	Pre-Requisites and Co-Requisites	Class Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours	Total Contact Hours	Total Credit Hours
ACA 122 College Transfer Success	None	0	2	0	2	1
ENG 111 Writing and Inquiry	Pre-Requisites: ENG 002 Tier 1 Co-Requisites: ENG 011	3	0	0	3	3
Select one of the following: CIS 110 or CIS 115	Pre-Requisites: Varies	2	2	0	4	3
Select one of the following: MAT 143, MAT 152, or MAT 171	Pre-Requisites: Varies Co-Requisites: Varies	2-3	2	0	4-5	3-4
Elective	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
Physical Education/Health	Pre-Requisites: Varies	0-3	2-3	0	3	1-3
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS		10-14	8-9	0	19-20	14-17
First Year Spring Semester Course Number and Title	Pre-Requisites and Co-Requisites	Class Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours	Total Contact Hours	Total Credit Hours
ENG 112 Writing/Research in Disciplines	Pre-Requisites: ENG 111	3	0	0	3	3
Elective	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
Social/Behavioral Science	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
Natural Science	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	2-3	0	5-6	4
Humanities/Fine Art	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS		15	2-3	0	17-18	16
Second Year Fall Semester Course Number and Title	Pre-Requisites and Co-Requisites	Class Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours	Total Contact Hours	Total Credit Hours
Humanities/Fine Art	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
Natural Science	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	2-3	0	5-6	4
Social/Behavioral Science	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
Foreign Language	None	3	0	0	3	3
Elective	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS		15	2-3	0	17-18	16

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Second Year Spring Semester Course Number and Title	Pre-Requisites and Co-Requisites	Class Hours	Lab Hours	Clinical Hours	Total Contact Hours	Total Credit Hours
COM 231 Public Speaking	Pre-Requisites: ENG 111	3	0	0	3	3
Humanities/Fine Art	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
Elective(s)	Pre-Requisites: Varies	Varies	Varies	0	Varies	3-6
Social/Behavioral Science	Pre-Requisites: Varies	3	0	0	3	3
TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS		Varies	Varies	0	Varies	12-15
TOTAL DEGREE HOURS						60- 61*

*Number of hours of elective coursework needed is based upon course choices made in the first-year mathematics course, in other general education hours, and in the health/wellness choice. Courses should be chosen based upon requirements for student's intended major at the receiving four-year institution. A student must have 60-61 credit hours to complete the degree.