

 	<b>ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE</b> <b>HUMAN AND SOCIAL SERVICES –</b> <b>GERONTOLOGY MAJOR</b>	<b>2024-25 Catalog</b> Effective Summer 2024
	<i>The catalog in force is assigned to students based on the academic year they first applied to the college, and changes only when students change their major or request the change in writing. Refer to Policy No. 3357:15-13-28.</i>	<b>1003</b>

*Health and Public Services Division*

*Human Services and Justice Studies Department*

TECHNICAL Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
GER121	Introduction to Gerontology	3		
GER122	Psychosocial Aspects of Aging++	3		
HJS250	Human Services and Justice Studies Practicum and Seminar	3	CJS240 <b>or</b> GLS123 <b>or</b> SWK130 <b>or</b> CDC222	
SWK121	Introduction to Social Welfare++^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
SWK124	Methods in Practice I++	3	SWK121	
SWK125	Substance Abuse^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
SWK126	Human Behavior in the Social Environment++^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
SWK130	Methods in Practice II++	3	SWK124	
SWK224	Poverty in the U.S.++	3	SWK121 <b>and</b> ENG124	
SWK230	Social Services for the Elderly++	3	ENG124	
<b>Total</b>		<b>30</b>		
NON-TECH Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
SSC101	Student Success Seminar^^	1	<i>Take first semester</i>	
BIO127	Human Biology	4		
BUS122	Basic Economics^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
COM121	Effective Speaking	3		
ENG124	College Composition ^	3	Co-ENG024 <b>or</b> Co-ENG011 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
ITD122	Computer Applications for Professionals^	3	ITD100 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
MTH118 <b>or</b> MTH124	Quantitative Reasoning^ <b>or</b> Statistics^Ω	3 <b>or</b> 3	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>	
PSC121	U.S. Government and Politics	3		
PSY121	General Psychology^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
SOC121	Sociology^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
SOC225	Diversity in American Society++	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency	
<b>Total</b>		<b>32</b>		
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>		<b>62</b>		

^Based on SSC placement scores.

^^To promote student success, this course should be taken in the first semester.

++Minimum grade of "C" required.

Ω MTH124 should only be taken by students planning to transfer to a four-year institution.

Students are required to follow the program curriculum in effect when they begin taking technical courses, not when students are accepted to the College or program.

# HUMAN AND SOCIAL SERVICES – GERONTOLOGY MAJOR

## FULL-TIME STUDENT ADVISING NOTES

### Academic Advising

Students should make an appointment to see their advisor before registering for classes each semester. They should have prepared a completed registration form, including courses they wish to take, prior to this meeting.

### Course Sequence

The semester-by-semester listing below provides the normal scheduling option for full-time associate degree students who plan to finish in two years.

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Credit Hours</u>	<u>Pre- and Co-requisites</u>
SSC101	Student Success Seminar^^	1	<i>Take first semester</i>
COM121	Effective Speaking	3	
ENG124	College Composition^	3	Co-ENG024 <b>or</b> Co-ENG011 <b>or</b> Proficiency
GER121	Introduction to Gerontology	3	
SOC121	Sociology^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
SWK121	Introduction to Social Welfare++^	<u>3</u>	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
		<b>16</b>	
<u>Second Semester</u>			
BIO127	Human Biology	4	
ITD122	Computer Applications for Professionals^	3	ITD100 <b>or</b> Proficiency
MTH118	Quantitative Reasoning^	3	
<b>or</b>	<b>or</b>	<b>or</b>	<i>Check for prerequisites</i>
MTH124	Statistics^Ω	3	
SWK124	Methods in Practice I++	3	SWK121
SWK224	Poverty in the U.S.++	<u>3</u>	SWK121 <b>and</b> ENG124
		<b>16</b>	
<u>Third Semester</u>			
PSY121	General Psychology^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
SOC225	Diversity in American Society ++	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
SWK125	Substance Abuse^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
SWK126	Human Behavior in the Social Environment+++^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
SWK130	Methods in Practice II++	<u>3</u>	SWK124
		<b>15</b>	
<u>Fourth Semester</u>			
BUS122	Basic Economics^	3	IDS102 <b>or</b> Proficiency
GER122	Psychosocial Aspects of Aging++	3	
HJS250	Human Services and Justice Studies Practicum and Seminar	3	CJS240 <b>or</b> GLS123 <b>or</b> SWK130 <b>or</b> CDC222
PSC121	U.S. Government and Politics	3	
SWK230	Social Services for the Elderly++	<u>3</u>	ENG124
		<b>15</b>	
	<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>62</b>	

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