

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS ASSOCIATE OF ARTS – GENERAL

2025-26 Catalog

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Arts and Sciences Division

English, Language, and Social Sciences Department

Arts and Sciences Division Eng		gush, Language, and Social Sciences		Берантет
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
FRESHMAN EXPERIENCE				
SSC101	Student Success Seminar^^	1	Take first semester	
COMPUTER APPLICATIONS				
ITD122	Computer Applications for Professionals^	3	ITD100 or Proficiency	
ENGLISH COMPOSITION AND ORA	L COMMUNICATION: 6 credit hours mini	imum		
ENG124	College Composition^ (required)	3	Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011 or Proficiency	
ENG221	Technical Report Writing	3	ENG124	
ENG230	Business Communication	3	ENG124	
ENG231	College Composition II	3	ENG124	
COM121	Effective Speaking	3		
COM122	Interpersonal Communication	3		
SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE	CES: 12 credit hours minimum (across two di	isciplines)		
BUS122	Basic Economics^	3	IDS102 or Proficiency	
BUS221	Microeconomics^	3	IDS102 or Proficiency	
BUS222	Macroeconomics^	3	IDS102 or Proficiency	
PSC121	U.S. Government and Politics	3		
PSY121	General Psychology^	3	3 IDS102 or Proficiency	
PSY123	Human Growth and Development	3 PSY121		
PSY124	Industrial/Organizational Psychology	3		
PSY220	Social Psychology	3		
PSY221	Abnormal Psychology	3	3 PSY121	
SOC121	Sociology^		IDS102 or Proficiency	
SOC122	Society and Technology	3		
SOC123	Dynamics of the Family	3		
SOC225	Diversity in American Society	3	IDS102 or Proficiency	

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ARTS AND HUMANITI	(ES: 9 credit hours minimum (across two disciplines)				
ENG233	British Literature: Medieval to 1785	3	ENG124		
ENG234	British Literature: 1785 to Present	3	ENG124		
ENG235	Introduction to Shakespeare ▲+	3	ENG124		
ENG236	American Literature: Colonial to 1865	3	ENG124		
ENG237	American Literature: 1865 to Present	3	ENG124		
ENG239	Film Appreciation ▲+	3	ENG124		
ENG240	Women's Literature ▲-	3	ENG124		
ENG241	Major Modern Writers ▲+	3	ENG124		
HIS121	U.S. History I to 1877	3			
HIS122	U.S. History II from 1877	3			
HIS221	World Civilization to 17th Century	3			
HIS222	World Civilization from 17th Century	3			
PHL122	Ethics	3			
NATURAL SCIENCES:	6 credit hours minimum (1 lab course required)	•			
BIO101	Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology^▲	3	IDS102 or Proficiency		
BIO121	Anatomy and Physiology I (lab)^▲	4	HS Biology – 3 or BIO101 grade of C		
BIO122	Anatomy and Physiology II (lab)	4	BIO121 or BIO123		
BIO126	Science, Energy, and the Environment (lab)	4			
BIO127	Human Biology (lab)	4			
BIO128	Climate Studies (lab) ▲+	3			
BIO129	Meteorology (lab)	3			
BIO130	Ocean Studies (lab) A-	3			
BIO141	General Biology I (lab)	4			
BIO142	General Biology II (lab)	4			
BIO221	Principles of Microbiology (lab)	4	BIO122 or BIO123 or BIO127 or BIO141		
BIO241	General Genetics (lab)	4	BIO141		
BIO242	Cell & Molecular Biology (lab) ▲+	4	BIO141		
CHM100	Exploring Science and Technology (lab)	4			
CHM101	Introduction to Chemistry^*	4	(MTH022 or MTH023 or Proficiency) or MTH105 or MTH107 or Proficiency		
CHM105	Introduction to Forensic Science (lab)	3	MITITIOS OF MITITIO/ OF PROTECTIONS		
CHM123	General, Organic, and Biological Chemistry (lab)	4	MTH024 or MTH025 or MTH105 or MTH107 or CHM101 Minimum Grade C		
CHM141	General Chemistry I (lab)^▲	5	MTH024 or MTH025 or CHM101 Minimum Grade of C or HS Chemistry 3		
CHM142	General Chemistry II (lab)	5	CHM141		
CHM205	Forensic Chemistry (lab)	4	CHM123 or CHM141 or CHM105		
CHM241	Organic Chemistry I (lab) ▲-	5	CHM142		
CHM242	Organic Chemistry II (lab) 🛕+	5	CHM241		
PHY101	Principles of Physics (lab)^	4	(MTH024 or MTH025 or Proficiency) or MTH105 or MTH107 and (IDS102 or Proficiency)		

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PHY121	College Physics I with Algebra (lab)	4	MTH135 or (MTH125 and MTH130)	
PHY122	College Physics II with Algebra (lab)	4	PHY121	
PHY105	Astronomy (lab)	4		
PHY221	General Physics I with Calculus (lab) ▲-	5	MTH223 and Co-MTH224	
PHY222	General Physics II with Calculus (lab) ▲+	5	PHY221 and MTH224 and Co-MTH225	
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year
MATHEMATICS, STA	TISTICS, AND LOGIC: 3 credit hours minimum			
MTH118	Quantitative Reasoning	3	Pre/Co-MTH018 or MTH022 or MTH023 or Proficiency	
MTH124	Statistics^	3	MTH022 or Pre-Co-MTH024 or Proficiency	
MTH125	College Algebra^	4	MTH023 or Pre-Co-MTH025 or Proficiency	
MTH130	Trigonometry	3	MTH125	
MTH135	Precalculus^ – A student may take MTH125 (College Algebra) and MTH130 (Trigonometry) over two semesters to satisfy this requirement.	5	MTH025 or Proficiency	
MTH223	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I^	4	MTH 135 or (MTH125 and MTH130) or Proficiency	
MTH224	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4	MTH223	
MTH225	Analytic Geometry and Calculus III	3	MTH224	
MTH226	Linear Algebra ▲-	3	MTH224	
MTH227	Ordinary Differential Equations ▲+	3	MTH224	
ADDITIONAL ELECTIVES TO COMPLETE DEGREE		14-22	Check for prerequisites	
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS (60 hour minimum)		60-65		

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ASSOCIATE OF ARTS GENERAL ELECTIVES

The Associate of Arts Degree requires a **minimum of 60 credit hours**. Students should select a minimum of 40 credit hours from the previous pages. They must further choose 20-25 elective credit hours from the previous pages or the list below to reach a minimum of 60 credit hours. Please note, courses on the previous pages are OT36 and/or TAG with the exception of SSC101 and IDS122; the listing on this page may contain OT36 or TAG courses. Please see your academic advisor for assistance with course selection.

TRANSFERRED ASSURANCE GUARANTEED (TAG) COURSES					
Course Number	Course Title	Credits	Pre- and Co-Requisites	Completed Sem./Year	
ASL122	American Sign Language I	4			
ASL124	American Sign Language II	4	ASL122 or Proficiency		
ASL221	American Sign Language III	4	ASL124		
BIO124	Human Diseases	3	BIO122 or BIO123		
BIO125	Medical Terminology	3			
CJS121	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3			
CJS129	Corrections	3			
CJS221	Criminology	3	CJS121		
COM123	Small Group Communication	3	IDS102 or Proficiency		
COM125	Introduction to Communication Theory^▲-	3	IDS102 or Proficiency		
COM126	Introduction to Mass Communication ▲+	3			
FIN110	Personal Finance	2			
PSC221	State and Local Government	3	IDS102 or Proficiency		
PSY131	Psychology of Personality	3	PSY121		
SOC221	Social Problems	3	SOC121		
SPN100	Elementary Spanish I	4			
SPN200	Elementary Spanish II 4+	4	SPN100 or Proficiency		

ADDITIONAL COURSES				
Arts and Humanities	English			
ASL121 Introduction to the Deaf Culture and Community (3)	ENG125 Technical Editing and Layout (3)▲+			
	ENG126 Technical Grammar and Style (3) ▲+			
	ENG238 Introduction to Creative Writing (3)▲+			
English Composition and Oral Communication				
COM223 Interviewing (3)▲-				
Social and Behavioral Sciences				
GER121 Introduction to Gerontology (3)				
GER122 Psychosocial Aspects of Aging (3)				
PSC122 Introduction to Law and the Legal System (3)				
PSC222 Public Policy (3)				
PSY222 Psychological Aspects of Therapy (3)	Biology			
SOC222 Juvenile Delinquency (3)	BIO123 Principles of Human Structure & Function (5)#			
Experiential Learning	BIO222 Pharmacology (3)			
SSC201 Study Away: Experiential Learning (1)				

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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.

Elective Additional Credit

Self-selection of course and not following the approved degree program could adversely affect graduation, transfer to a 4-year institution, and financial aid. Visit Transferology at http://www.transferology.com to assist in developing a plan for transferring to another college or university. Students should select Ohio Transfer 36 approved and TAG approved courses.

Bachelor's Degree

Bachelor's degree requirements and course transferability are controlled by the institution to which the student plans to transfer.

First Semester SSC101 ITD122	Student Success Seminar^^ Computer Applications for Professionals^	Credit Hours 1 3	Pre- and Co-requisites Take first semester ITD100 or Proficiency
ENG124	College Composition [^] (Required)	3	Co-ENG024 or Co-ENG011 or Proficiency
Arts and Humanit	ies Elective ¹	3	Check for prerequisites
	oral Science Elective^ 5		Check for prerequisites
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Second Semester			
Arts and Humanit	ies Elective ¹	3	Check for prerequisites
Mathematic, Stati	stics, and Logic Elective ²	3-5	Check for prerequisites
Natural Science E		3-5	Check for prerequisites
English Composition and Oral Communication Elective 4		<u>3</u>	Check for prerequisites
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Third Semester			
Natural Science E	lective ^{▲ 3}	4-5	Check for prerequisites
Arts and Humanit	ies Elective ¹	3	Check for prerequisites
Social and Behavi	Social and Behavioral Science Elective ⁵		Check for prerequisites
Social and Behavioral Science Elective ^{^ 5}		3	Check for prerequisites
Social and Behavi	Social and Behavioral Science Elective ⁵		Check for prerequisites
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Fourth Semester			
Elective ⁶ (Take an	additional 14-20 credit hours to reach 60 credit hours)	14-25	Check for prerequisites
	TOTAL CREDITS	60-65	

[^]Based on SSC placement scores

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

A Because of the strong emphasis on science in this major, applicants must have successfully completed chemistry and biology in high school. Students who did not complete the courses in high school, and those who prefer to refresh their knowledge of the material, should complete the listed pre-requisites.

¹ Arts and Humanities Electives: ENG233, ENG234, ENG235, ENG236, ENG237, ENG239, ENG240, ENG241, HIS121, HIS122, HIS221, HIS222, PHL122

² Mathematics, Statistics, and Logic Electives: MTH118, MTH124, MTH125, MTH130, MTH135, MTH223, MTH224, MTH225, MTH226, MTH227

³ Natural Science Electives: BIO101, BIO121, BIO122, BIO124, BIO126, BIO127, BIO128, BIO129, BIO130, BIO141, BIO142, BIO221, BIO241, BIO242, CHM100, CHM101, CHM105, CHM123, CHM141, CHM142,

CHM205, CHM241, CHM242, PHY101, PHY105, PHY121, PHY122, PHY221, PHY222

⁴English Composition and Oral Communication Electives: COM121, COM122, COM123, COM125, COM126, ENG221, ENG230, ENG231

Social and Behavioral Science Electives: BUS122, BUS221, BUS222, PSC121, PSY121, PSY123, PSY124, PSY220, PSY221, SOC121, SOC122, SOC123, SOC225

⁶Electives: ASL121, ASL122, ASL124, ASL221, BIO123, BIO222, CIS121, CIS129, CIS221, COM223, ENG125, ENG126, ENG227, ENG228, ENG229, ENG232, ENG238, GER121, GER122, PSC122, PSC221, PSC222, PSY131, PSY222, SOC222, SPN100, SPN200, , SSC201 or any additional English Composition and Oral Communication, Social and Behavioral Science, Arts and Humanities, or Science courses.

^{▲-}Fall only courses. Please see your academic advisor for availability.