

Degree Requirements for the Associate in Arts and Associate in Science Degree

The Associate Degree (A.A. or A.S.) is awarded to a student completing a planned university parallel program designed to meet the requirements of the first two years of a Bachelor of Arts Degree or a Bachelor of Science Degree. The requirements vary with individual four-year institutions; therefore, students should consult the catalog of the four-year college to which they plan to transfer, discuss plans with their advisor, and/or consult the Advising Center. ORI107 (Student Success) is a college requirement, not a requirement of a specific program. All associate degrees contain the following core requirements:

Entering students are required to complete ORI 107. Transfer students are exempt from this requirement.

Area I: Written Composition

*Keyboarding skills are essential for the successful completion of ENG 101.

Item #	Title	Credits
ENG 101	English Composition I	3
ENG 102	English Composition II	3

Area II: Humanities and Fine Arts

Students must complete a six-hour sequence in Literature or History.

Item #	Title	Credits
	Literature Elective (6 credits)	6
	Humanities and Fine Arts Elective	3
SPH 107	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3

Area III: Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Item #	Title	Credits
	Core Science Elective	8
	Core Math Elective	3

Area IV: History, Social and Behavioral Science

Item #	Title	Credits
	History Elective	6
	Social and Behavioral Sciences Elective	6

Area V: Pre-Professional, Pre-Major and Elective Courses

19-23 Hours:

- ORI 107 is required for graduation.
- Choose remaining 15-19 hours from degree requirements and major from elective courses appropriate to individual student and transfer institution.
- NOTE: Students transferring to Engineering Program require Area II (9 hrs), Area IV (9 hrs), and Area V (25-29 hrs).

Item #	Title	Credits
ORI 107	Student Success	1
Minimum Credit Hours for Graduation:		60-64