In the arts and sciences division the Associate of Arts degree is the “transfer degree.” The **Associate in General Studies** is primarily intended for students not planning to transfer to another college or university. For this reason the requirements for the General Studies degree are not as stringent as for the Associate of Arts degree. If you transfer with a General Studies degree, all your courses will be evaluated on a course by course basis.

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**TOTAL HOURS**
DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (Associate in General Studies)

Communications & Humanities
ENG133 English Composition I, ENG134 English Composition II

Hrs. Req’d. 6

Humanities:
Three (3) Semester hours from the following:
ART: Art History I, II, III - ART149, ART150, ART151 Intro to Humanities ART153

LITERATURE:
Intro to Literature: Prose and Poetry ENG157 *Literary Masterpieces I or II ENG212, ENG213
American Literature I or II ENG243, ENG244 English Literature I or II ENG233, ENG234
Readings in Short Fiction ENG246
*Multicultural Literature ENG250

THEATRE:
Intro to Theatre THE100
*World Drama THE212
Intro to Literature: Drama THE120

COMMUNICATIONS:
Intro to Cinema COM106

FOREIGN LANGUAGE:
*Any Modern Language Course

MUSIC:
Music theory I, II, III, or IV MUS131, MUS132, MUS133, MUS134
Introduction to Music MUS173
Appreciation of Music MUS163
Appreciation of Jazz MUS165

SOCIAL:
Intro to Philosophy PHI140
Intro to Ethics PHI142
Western Civilization I or II HIS113, HIS114
*Intro to Cultural Anthropology SOC154
*Ethnicity and Cultural Differences in America SOC160
Comparative Religion PHI141
History of Christianity HIS119
*Modern Latin America HIS150
*World Civ I & II HIS110 & HIS152

No studio courses count as a humanity. Ensemble courses (MUS101, MUS102, MUS105, & MUS106) do not count as a humanity but up to six hours of ensemble courses do count toward the A.A. degree as electives.

*Math diversity courses

Mathematics & Natural Sciences
3 semester hours in either Science or MAT113 or above required

Hrs. Req’d. 3

History & Political Science
(A) American History I (HIS123) and American History II (HIS124); (B) American National Government (POS113) and American State & Local Government (POS114); (C) American History I (HIS123) and American National Government (POS113) or American State & Local Government (POS114); or (D) American National Government (POS123) and American History I (HIS123) or American History II (HIS124).

Hrs. Req’d. 6

Physical Education
2 hours Physical Education (activity class) or 2 hours School Health are required

Hrs. Req’d. 2

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE AGS DEGREE
1. Complete sixty (60) semester hours.
2. Last fifteen (15) hours must be earned at MAC.
3. Cumulative G.P.A. of 2.0 (C) or better.

GENERAL POLICIES
1. Application for graduation must be filed during the first two weeks after the fall and spring semester begins and during the first week of the summer term. Applications received after that date will be held until the following semester.
2. Spring graduates must attend Commencement exercises to receive a diploma. Fall and summer graduates have the option of attending commencement exercises in the spring, or may have the diploma mailed to them.
3. Graduates are required to undergo outcome tests as a condition of graduation.
4. A maximum of 15 hours of courses work under the 100 level may count toward this degree.
5. Courses from the Vocational/Technical Division will be accepted as electives for this degree.
6. All courses count in this 60 hour requirement (Elementary Algebra, College Reading, Basic Writing, all Physical Education and Music classes), but some do not meet the specific requirement under each of the main headings. You must have met specific requirements under each main heading, e.g., Communications, Humanities, Mathematics and Natural Sciences, History and Political Science, and Physical Education, in order to be eligible for graduation.