

# ASSOCIATE IN ARTS - ONLINE

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## Overview ASSOCIATE IN ARTS - ONLINE

Piedmont Community College offers three transfer degrees, the Associate in Arts (AA), the Associate in Fine Arts (AFA) and the Associate in Science (AS). All degrees provide students with a general education core, the foundation for a four-year baccalaureate degree. Courses are offered in the areas of English, literature, fine arts, foreign language, social and behavioral sciences, natural science, mathematics and physical education.

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The North Carolina Comprehensive Articulation Agreement (CAA) is a statewide agreement governing the transfer of credits between NC community colleges and NC public universities and has as its objective the smooth transfer of students. A number of private 4-year colleges and universities in North Carolina also subscribed to the CAA. The CAA provides certain assurances to the transferring student; for example:

- Assures admission to one of the 16 UNC institutions (Transfer Assured Admissions Policy)
- Enables NC community college graduates of two-year Associate in Arts and Associate in Science degree programs who are admitted to constituent institutions of the University of NC to transfer with junior status.
- Students are able to meet general education requirements at the 4-year institutions by completing selected pre-approved Universal General Education Transfer Core courses (UGETC)

## COURSES

### Required Courses for Program

ACA 122*	College Transfer Success
ART 111	Art Appreciation
BIO 111	General Biology I
BIO 112**	General Biology II
CHM 131/131A**	Introduction to Chemistry
CIS 110**	Introduction to Computers
COM 231	Public Speaking
ECO 251	Prin of Microeconomics
ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry
ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disc
ENG 231	American Literature I
HIS 112**	World Civilizations II
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy
MAT 152**	Statistical Methods I
MAT 171**	PreCalculus Algebra
PED 110*	Fit and Well for Life
PSY 150	General Psychology
SOC 210	Introduction to Sociology

### General Electives (Must take 4)

BUS 110	Introduction to Business
BUS 115	Business Law I
BUS 137	Principles of Management
CSC 151	Java Programming
ECO 252	Prin of Macroeconomics
HIS 111	World Civilizations I
HUM 160	Introduction to Film
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy
PSY 241	Developmental Psych
SOC 220	Social Problems

Total Semester Hours Required for Degree - 65

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## Procedures for ADMISSIONS

- Submit a complete Application for Admission to the Office of Admissions.
- Submit official transcript(s) of high school education and all post-high school course work to the Office of Admissions if requested. Official GED scores or transcript of courses for the Adult High School Diploma may be submitted in lieu of the high school transcript.
- Complete the Admission Placement Test.
- Diploma and certificate admission requirements may vary. Contact the Admissions Office for details.

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## ASSOCIATE IN ARTS - ONLINE Suggested Course Sequence Full-time Student

Course#	Course Name	CL.	LB.	CLIN.	CR.
<b>FALL SEMESTER</b>					
ENG 111	Writing and Inquiry	3	0	0	3
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	0	2	0	1
ART 111	Art Appreciation	3	0	0	3
BIO 111	General Biology I	3	3	0	4
PED 110	Fit and Well for Life	1	2	0	2
PSY 150	General Psychology	3	0	0	3
		<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>SPRING SEMESTER</b>					
ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	0	0	3
COM 231	Public Speaking	3	0	0	3
CIS 110	Introduction to Computers	2	2	0	3
MAT 143	Quantitative Literacy	2	2	0	3
CHM 131/131A**	Introduction to Chemistry <b>OR</b>	3	3	0	4
BIO 112**	General Biology II	3	3	0	4
		<b>13</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>SUMMER SEMESTER</b>					
MAT 152**	Statistical Methods I <b>OR</b>	3	2	0	4
MAT 171**	PreCalculus Algebra	3	2	0	4
		<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>FALL SEMESTER</b>					
ENG 231	American Literature I	3	0	0	3
SOC 210	Introduction to Sociology	3	0	0	3
ECO 251	Prin of Microeconomics	3	0	0	3
XXX	General Elective*	3	0	0	3
		<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>SPRING SEMESTER</b>					
HIS 112**	World Civilizations II	3	0	0	3
XXX	General Elective*	3	0	0	3
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XXX	General Elective*	3	0	0	3
		<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
		<b>53</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>60</b>

**TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED FOR ASSOCIATES: 60**



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