



2011-2012

GENERAL EDUCATION PATTERN FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE

The Associate in Arts or the Associate in Science degree will be granted upon the completion of 60 degree-applicable units of work and fulfillment of the following specific requirements listed below. These graduation requirements shall apply to first time and returning students enrolling fall semester 2011 and thereafter. Students who have maintained continuous enrollment (completed a course with an academic record symbol, excluding W, each semester) have the option of meeting these requirements or those in effect at the time continuous attendance began.

The Associate in Arts or the Associate in Science Degree will be granted upon the completion of 60 degree applicable units of work and fulfillment of the following specific requirements:

1.) Scholarship Requirement:

A cumulative grade-point average of 2.00 or C must be earned in all lower division coursework attempted at Citrus College and at any regionally accredited post-secondary education institution. **Please note: Only Citrus College courses numbered 100–299 and Cooperative Work Experience Education may apply toward the Associate Degree.**

2.) Residence Requirement:

A.) Completion of a minimum of 12 units in residence at Citrus College including attendance during the last semester; or
B.) 30 units in residence at Citrus College if the last semester is not in residence.

3.) Major Requirement:

A student must complete 18 units and achieve a grade of C or better in each course attempted that is counted for the major.

4.) General Education Requirements:

A.) Option I: 22 units as stipulated by the Citrus College graduation requirements; or
B.) Option II: 39 units as stipulated by the CSU general education certification requirements; or
C.) Option III: 34-39 units as stipulated by the completion of the IGETC pattern.

5.) Physical Education Requirement: (No varsity sports courses may be used)

A.) Three units of either activity or dance activity courses or
B.) Completion of KIN 170, 171, or 173.

6.) Competency Requirements:

A.) Writing: Completion of an English Composition General Education Requirement with a grade of "C" or better.

B.) Mathematics Requirement:

Proficiency in Mathematics may be satisfied by one of the following:

I.) Completion of two years of high school algebra AND placement at the level of College Algebra or higher on the Math assessment test or

II.) Completion of any mathematics class listed in the mathematics section of the General Education Requirements with a grade of "C" or better.

* Transcript needed to verify the 2 years of high school algebra.

C.) Reading Requirement:

Proficiency in reading may be satisfied by one of the following:

I.) A satisfactory score on the reading component of the placement test. at the ENGL 101 level or

II.) A passing grade in READ 099 or English 099

Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) and Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T)

Degree requirements for Associate in Arts for Transfer and Associate in Science for Transfer differ from those previously listed as follows:

- 1.) All 60 units must be CSU-transferable.
- 2.) While the minimum grade point average (GPA) is at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable course work for admission to the CSU system, some majors may require a higher GPA. Please consult with a counselor for more information.
3. All courses in the major must be completed with a grade of C or better or a P if the course is taken on a "pass-no pass" basis.
4. Completion of one of the following General Education Requirements:
 - A.) Option II: 39 units as stipulated by the CSU general education certification requirements, or
 - B.) Option III: 34 units as stipulated by the completion of the IGETC pattern,* Note that option I available for A.A. and A.S. degrees is not available for AA-T and AA-S degrees.
5. No additional competency and local area requirements.

OPTION I
Citrus College General Education Pattern for the Associate Degree
 2011-2012 (effective fall 2010)

Completion of 22 units of general education distributed according to the following pattern (a maximum of 6 units or two classes from the major requirement may be applied to the general education requirements).

Language, Critical Thinking and Mathematics

Students satisfying the mathematics competency requirement through the Mathematics Assessment are required to complete 2 courses, 6 units minimum, including one course from English Composition and one course from either Mathematics or Communication and Analytical Thinking.

Students who do not satisfy the mathematics competency through the Mathematics Assessment are required to complete 3 courses, 9 units minimum, including one course from English Composition, one course from Communication and Analytical Thinking and one course from Mathematics (with a C grade or better).

USE THE BOXES ON THE RIGHT TO RECORD YOUR PROGRESS:
 N = NEED IP = IN PROGRESS C = COMPLETED

N IP C

A. LANGUAGE, CRITICAL THINKING & MATHEMATICS

9 UNITS MINIMUM

I. English Composition

ENGL	101/H	Reading and Composition	ESL	101	Reading and Composition
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II. Communication & Analytical Thinking

CSIS	105	Intro to Windows and Personal Comp.	PHIL	110	Logic
CSIS	107	Comp. Info Tech Concepts	PSY	103	Elementary Statistics
CSIS	130	Microcomputer Applications	SPCH	100	Interpersonal Communications
ENGL	103/H	Composition and Critical Thinking	SPCH	101/H	Public Address
ENGL	104	Advanced Rhetoric: Classical Essay	SPCH	103	Argumentation and Debate
OFF	101	Intro to Microsoft Office Applications	SPCH	106	Small Group Communications

III. Mathematics

MATH	148&149	Intermediate Algebra	MATH	168	Math for Elementary Teachers I
MATH	150	Intermediate Algebra	MATH	169	Math for Elementary Teachers II
MATH	151	Plane Trigonometry	MATH	170	College Algebra
MATH	160	Survey of Mathematics	MATH	175	Pre-Calculus
MATH	162	Math Analysis	MATH	190	Calculus w/Analytical Geometry I
MATH	165/H	Introductory Statistics	MATH	191	Calculus w/ Analytical Geometry II

B. NATURAL SCIENCES (1 lecture/lab [in bold] or 2 lecture courses, one from each area)

4 UNITS MINIMUM

B1. Biological Sciences

ANTH	212	Introduction to Physical Anthropology	BIOL	124	Principles of Biology I
ANTH	212L	Introduction Physical Anthropology Lab	BIOL	125	Principles of Biology II
BIOL	104	Biology: Contemporary Topics	BIOL	145	Environmental Science
BIOL	102	Human Genetics	BIOL	200	Human Anatomy
BIOL	105	General Biology	BIOL	201	Physiology
BIOL	109	Biology for Educators	BIOL	220	Microbiology
BIOL	116	AIDS: Insights & Implications	PSY	102	Psychobiology

B2. Physical Sciences

ASTR	115/H	Planetary Astronomy	ESCI	120	Physical Geology
ASTR	116	Stellar Astronomy	ESCI	121	Historical Geology
ASTR	117	Life and the Universe	ESCI	122	Geology: Earth History
CHEM	103	College Chemistry	ESCI	124	Environmental Geology
CHEM	104	College Chemistry	ESCI	125	California Geology
CHEM	106	Chemistry and Physics for Educators	ESCI	130	Physical Oceanography
CHEM	110	Beginning General Chemistry	PHYS	106	Chemistry and Physics for Educators
CHEM	111	General Chemistry	PHYS	110	Introduction to College Physics
CHEM	112	General Chemistry	PHYS	111	General Physics
ESCI	106	Earth and Space Science for Educators	PHYS	201	Physics
ESCI	118	Physical Geography			

C. ARTS AND HUMANITIES (2 courses, one course from ARTS and one course from Humanities) 6 UNITS MINIMUM					
C1. Arts					
ARCH	250	History of Architecture: Prehistory to Mannerism	ARCH	207	History of Asian Art, China, Korea & Japan
ART	100	Art History & Appreciation - Fundamentals	COMM	100	Mass, Media & Society
ART	101	Art History & Appreciation - Ancient	COMM	136	Cultural History of American Films
ART	102	Art History & Appreciation - Medieval	DANC	102	History of Dance
ART	103	Art History & Appreciation - Renaissance to Rococo	MUS	110	History of Music
ART	104	Art History & Appreciation - 19 th Century	MUS	111	History of Music
ART	105	Art History & Appreciation - 20 th Century	MUS	113	History of Rock & Roll
ART	106	Art Hist. & Appreciation - Pre-Columbian	MUS	114	Music Appreciation
ART	199	Motion Picture Appreciation	MUS	218	History of Jazz
ART	200	History of Motion Pictures	MUS	225	Introduction to American Music
ART	201	History of Motion Pictures	THEA	101	Introduction to Theatre Arts
ART	206	History of Latin America Art	THEA	250	Theatre Appreciation
C2. Humanities					
ARCH	251	History of Architecture: Baroque to Present Day	FREN	202	French IV
COMM	200	Visual Communications	GER	101	German I
ENGL	102	Reading and Composition	GER	102	German II
ENGL	213/H	Horror Literature	GER	201	German III
ENGL	216	American Latino Literature	GER	202	German IV
ENGL	251	Introduction to English Literature I	HUM	101/H	Humanities
ENGL	252	Introduction to English Literature II	HUM	102	Humanities
ENGL	261	Introduction to American Literature I	HUM	110	Humanities in the 20 th Century
ENGL	262	Introduction to American Literature II	JPN	101	Japanese I
ENGL	271	Introduction to World Literature I	JPN	102	Japanese II
ENGL	272	Introduction to World Literature II	PHIL	101	Great Religions of the World
ENGL	291/H	Film as Literature	PHIL	106/H	Introduction to Philosophy
ENGL	293/H	Children's Literature	PHIL	108	Philosophy - Ethics
ENGL	294	Introduction to Shakespeare	SPAN	101	Spanish I
ENGL	296	Introduction to Folklore	SPAN	102	Spanish II
ENGL	298	Literature of the Bible	SPAN	201	Spanish III
FREN	101	French I	SPAN	202	Spanish IV
FREN	102	French II	SPAN	210	Intermediate Spanish for Spanish Speakers
FREN	201	French III	SPAN	211	Reading & Comp for Spanish Speakers
D. SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (2 courses, one from each area) 6 UNITS MINIMUM					
D1. History and Political Science					
ECON	100	Survey of Economics	HIST	112	History of African Americans I
ECON	101/H	Principles of Economics - Macro	HIST	120	British Life and Culture
ECON	102	Principles of Economics - Micro	HIST	127	Spanish Civilization
ETHN	101	Introduction to Ethnic Studies	HIST	140	History of American West
ETHN	116	Introduction to Chicano Studies	HIST	145	History of Mexico
GEOG	102	Cultural Geography	HIST	155	History of Vietnam War
HIST	103/H	History of World Civilization up to 1500CE	HIST	222	History of World War II
HIST	104	Hist. of World Civilization - The Middle Period	POLI	103/H	American Government & Politics
HIST	105	History of World Civilization - The Modern	POLI	104	Introduction to Political Science
HIST	107/H	Political & Social History of the U.S.	POLI	105	Comparative Politics
HIST	108/H	Political & Social History of the U.S.	POLI	110	Current American Political Issues
HIST	109	The World in Conflict - The 20 th Century	POLI	116	Contemporary World Politics
HIST	110	A Survey History of Africa	SPAN	127	Spanish Civilization
HIST	111	History of African Americans I			
D2. Behavioral Sciences					
ANTH	210/H	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	PSY	205	Developmental Psychology
ANTH	214	Native North America	PSY	206/H	Child Growth & Development
ANTH	216/H	Sex and Gender in Cross Cultural Perspectives	PSY	213	Survey of Drug and Alcohol Use & Abuse
CHLD	110	Early Childhood Development	PSY	220	Introduction to Social Psychology
CHLD	111	Child Development Youth - Adolescence	PSY	225	Psychology of Human Sexuality
PSY	101	Introduction to Psychology	SOC	226	Psychology of Women
PSY	110	Psychology of Religion I	SOC	114	Marriage, Family and Intimate Relations
PSY	133	Personal and Social Growth	SOC	118	Minorities in America
PSY	152	Psychology of Human Relations	SOC	122	Introduction to Latino Studies
PSY	203	Research Methods in Psychology	SOC	201/H	Introduction to Sociology
E. PHYSICAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT (all students must complete one of following)					
A.) Three units of Kinesiology activity or dance activity courses (no varsity sports courses may be used) or B.) KIN 170, 171 or 173					



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Programs of Study Leading to an Associate in Arts Degree

Dance
English Literature
Fine and Performing Arts
Language Arts
Liberal Arts with areas of emphasis in:

- Arts, Humanities and Communication
- Business Technology
- Math and Science
- Social and Behavioral Sciences

Music
* Recording Technology
Social and Behavioral Sciences
Theatre Arts
Theatre Arts - Acting Emphasis

Programs of Study Leading to an Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree

* Communication Studies
* Psychology
* Sociology

* Pending Chancellor's Office Approval

Programs of Study Leading to an Associate in Science Degree

Administration of Justice
Automotive Technology
Biological and Physical Science (and Mathematics)
Biological Science
Business
Child Development
Cosmetology
Dental Assisting
Drafting and Design Technology
Emergency Management and Homeland Security
Kinesiology (formerly Physical Education)
Library Technology
Mathematics
Photography
Public Works
Registered Nursing
Vocational Nursing
Water Technology

For further information regarding major courses, please consult a Citrus College educational advisor and/or counselor or the 2011-2012 college catalog.

Transfer Units

A.) From U.S. accredited colleges: Only units from regionally accredited colleges or universities may be transferred.

The accrediting bodies that are accepted here at Citrus

1. MSA – Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools
2. NWCCU – Northwester Commission on Colleges and Universities
3. NCA-HLC – North Central Association of Colleges and Schools
4. NCA-CASI – North Central Association of Colleges and Schools
5. NEASC-CIHE – New England Association of Schools and Colleges
6. SACS – Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
7. WASC-ACCJC – Western Association of Colleges and Schools (Junior)
8. WASC-ACSCU – Western Association of Colleges and Schools (Senior)

B.) From foreign colleges: Transcripts from foreign colleges and universities will be accepted only when evaluated by an evaluating service recognized by Citrus College. Credit will be granted when the academic level of the coursework is deemed to be comparable to that of classes taught in fully accredited United States colleges and universities.

C.) Relevant upper division units may be used toward an AA or AS degree. (*Courses that we offer here at Citrus College at a lower division level*)

Graduation/Certificate Application

Completion of an Application for Graduation/Certificate together with submission of relevant petitions and official transcripts by stipulated deadlines.

A.) Graduation requirements must come from a single catalog.

B.) A student who receives an associates degree may subsequently or simultaneously work on additional degrees, provided they complete 18 additional units for each major.

Outstanding Debt

A diploma and/or certificate may not be released until the student has paid all outstanding debts to the college.

Multiple Majors

Within the graduation requirements for the Associate Degree at Citrus College, it is possible for a student to complete the requirements for more than one major providing that minimum requirements are met for each major and that a minimum of 18 units applies exclusively to each major.

Catalog Rights

Students who maintain continuous enrollment may elect to graduate under the requirements of the Citrus College catalog in effect at the time of admissions to Citrus College or at the intended date of graduation from Citrus College.

Continuous Enrollment

A student is continuously enrolled if he/she receives a grade (A, B, C, D, F, FW, MW, P, NP, or I) in any semester, fall or spring, during each academic year. Continuous enrollment is maintained at Citrus College if a student transfers to another regionally accredited institution, as long as he/she maintains continuous enrollment at that institution. Continuous enrollment is defined as attendance in one semester or two quarters (excluding summer or winter) within an academic calendar year at a regionally accredited institution.

Official Transcripts

In order to apply units completed at another institution toward a degree, official transcripts may be mailed or hand-delivered provided they arrive in an officially stamped and sealed envelope by the issuing institution. Official transcripts have an embossed or water seal.

Transcripts from colleges accredited by one of the regional associations of the Accrediting Commission for Junior Colleges will be evaluated during a student's first semester of attendance at Citrus College.