UMKC COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES  
AA-BA IN LIBERAL ARTS

MCC-ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE
American Institutions (6 credits)—two courses: one must be HIST)
HIST 120 American History I
HIST 121 American History II
POLS 135 Introduction to Political Science
POLS 136 Introduction to American National Politics

Communications (9 credits)—choose all of the following:
ENGL 101 Composition and Reading I
ENGL 102 Composition and Reading II
SPDR 100 Fundamentals of Speech

Humanities (9 credits)—choose three courses (including one Lit or Phil), each from a different area:
Art History or ART 108
Foreign Language 101 or higher; or SIGN 101 or 102*
ENGL 214 or 216 or 254 or 255 or 220 or 221 or 222 or 223
HUMN
MUSI 108, 116, or 160
PHL
SPDR 103, 104, 110, 112, 114, 128, or 133; or MSCM 112
HIST/HUMN 133 or 134

Mathematics (3 credits)—choose one course:
MATH 119 College Mathematics
MATH 120 College Algebra

Natural Science (9-10 credits)—choose one course from each area:
Any BIOL laboratory course
CHEM, GEOG, GEOL (excluding GEOL 225) or PHYS
Must include laboratory

Social Science (6 credits)—choose two courses, each from a different area:
Any course from ANTH, ECON, GEOG (excluding 104, 100 and GIS courses) HIST, POLS, PSYC, SOCI, SOSC

Computer (3 credits)—choose one course:
CSIS 110 or 115

Electives (14-17 credits)

TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED: 62 CREDITS

The student must complete a Writing Intensive course AND either a Human Diversity course or Learning Community as part of the degree requirements.

UMKC BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE – LIBERAL ARTS

Students completing a Bachelor of Liberal Arts degree must successfully complete a minimum of 120 credit hours, including 36 hours at the 300/400 level in the College of Arts and Sciences. At least 90 credit hours must be earned in the College of Arts and Sciences. At least 30 credit hours of coursework must be earned after declaration of intent to pursue a BLA degree. A 2.0 overall GPA is required for graduation. The credit/non-credit option is not available for students pursuing this degree. The BLA degree is separated into three divisions: Humanities, Natural Sciences/Math, and Social Sciences. At least 21 credit hours must be earned from each division; however, no more
than 60 credit hours from any one division may be applied toward the BLA degree. Additionally, no more than 21 credit hours may be taken from any one department. For those students that have completed the Associate in Arts degree, the remaining general education course requirements are: passage of the Written English Proficiency Test, and a 300/400 level Writing Intensive course.” A Writing Intensive course from MCC will not fulfill the upper-level Writing Intensive requirement at UMKC. The BA degree in LIBERAL ARTS requires 120 minimum credit hours, including 36 hours at the 300/400 level.

MCC Associate of Arts degree courses will fulfill the specific requirements of the BLA:

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To fulfill the elective courses for the BLA, students must successfully complete the minimum hourly requirement of 21 credit hours in the three divisions (Humanities, Natural Sciences/Math, and Social Sciences) without taking over 60 credit hours in any division. Additionally, students may not take more than 21 credit hours in one single department within a division. Students are not required to take any non-Arts and Sciences courses, but may take as many as 30 credit hours towards the BLA degree. Similarly, there is no minimum or maximum hourly requirement for general Arts and Sciences courses (A&S, A&S-IN). Beyond the minimum 21 credit hours required in the three divisions, students will choose the remaining electives from any area to reach 120 total hours (and 36 upper level hours), but may not go in excess of the maximum hours in a given area. Please consult the General Catalog for UMKC or an academic advisor to determine in which area individual courses will count.

**MINIMUM CREDITS REQUIRED:** 120 CREDITS