



Academic & Career PATHWAYS

Associate in Arts (A.A.)

Physics Emphasis: Advising Guide

Taking courses outlined through this sequence will aid students in preparing for majors in mathematics.

Semester 1		
Course	Credits	Action Steps
BIOL 101 (Natural Sciences)	5	Meet with Academic Advisor to build degree plan in Starfish
^PHYS 130 (Natural Sciences)	4 – 5*	
^ENGL 101 (Written Communications)	3	
^MATH 115, ^MATH 119, ^MATH 120 or ^MATH 150 (Mathematical Sciences)	3 – 5*	
Total Credits	15-19	
Semester 2		
^COMM 100 or ^COMM 102 (Oral Communications)	3	Research/contact
ANTH 100, ANTH 110, COMM 112, COMM 233, CRJU 101, ECON 110, ECON	3 - 4*	transfer institutions
210, ECON 211, GEOG 105, GEOG 113, HIST 120, HIST 121, POLS 136, POLS		
234, PSYC 140, ^PSYC 243, SOCI 160, SOCI 161, or SOCI 163 (Social &		
Behavioral Sciences)		
^ENGL 102 (Written Communications)	3	
PHYS 131 (Elective)	5	
ENGL 214, ENGL 216, ENGL 218, ENGL 220, ENGL 221, ENGL 222, ENGL 223,		
ENGL 240, ENGL 254, ENGL 255, ENGL 260, ENGL 262, ENGL 264, ENGL 267,		
ENGL 268, PHIL 100, PHIL 101, PHIL 148, PHIL 200, or PHIL 203 (Humanities &	3	
Fine Arts)		
Total Credits	17 – 18	





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Credits Required	62*	
Total Credits	16-18	
THEA 120 (Humanities & Fine Arts)		
MUSI 105, MUSI 107, MUSI 108, MUSI 116, MUSI 134, MUSI 160, PHIL 100, PHIL 101, PHIL 148, PHIL 200, PHIL 203, ^SPAN 102, ^THEA 106, THEA 116 or		
^FREN 102, HIST 133, HIST 134, GERM 101, ^GERM 102, MUSI 101, MUSI 103,		
255, ENGL 260, ENGL 262, ENGL 264, ENGL 267, ENGL 268, FREN 101,		
218, ENGL 220, ENGL 221, ENGL 222, ENGL 223, ENGL 240, ENGL 254, ENGL		
^CHIN 102, ^COMM 128, ^ENGL 201, ^ENGL 209, ENGL 214, ENGL 216, ENGL	3-5	
ARAB 101, ^ARAB 102, ART 110, ART 108, ART 150, ART 151, CHIN 101,	3 – 5*	
AMATH 210 or AMATH 230 (Elective)	5 5	
HIST 133 or HIST 134 (Humanities & Fine Arts)	5	
ANTH 110, ^COMM 233, GEOG 105, GEOG 113, or POLS 234 (Social & Behavioral Sciences/Diversity requirement)	3	Apply for Graduation
Semester 4		
Total Credits	14-16	
^CSIS 123	3	
HIST 120, HIST 121 or POLS 136(Social & Behavioral Sciences – Civics)	3	
MATH 190 (Elective)	5	
THEA 120 (Humanities & Fine Arts)		with 70% or higher
PHIL 101, PHIL 148, PHIL 200, PHIL 203, ^SPAN 102, ^THEA 106, THEA 116 or		Complete Civics exam
MUSI 105, MUSI 107, MUSI 108, MUSI 116, MUSI 134, MUSI 160, PHIL 100,		
^FREN 102, HIST 133, HIST 134, GERM 101, ^GERM 102, MUSI 101, MUSI 103,		transfer institution
255, ENGL 260, ENGL 262, ENGL 264, ENGL 267, ENGL 268, FREN 101,		 Apply for scholarships at
218, ENGL 220, ENGL 221, ENGL 222, ENGL 223, ENGL 240, ENGL 254, ENGL		transier institution
^CHIN 102, ^COMM 128, ^ENGL 201, ^ENGL 209, ENGL 214, ENGL 216, ENGL	3-5"	 Apply for admission at transfer institution
ARAB 101, ^ARAB 102, ART 110, ART 108, ART 150, ART 151, CHIN 101,	3-5*	Annly for admission at

*The A.A. degree requires a minimum of 62 total credits to graduate. When selecting a course from multiple options, please consider the number of credits for each course to ensure meeting the minimum requirements for graduation.

This Pathway Map is an advising tool designed for full-time students on this A.A. degree and identifies the course taking recommendation for timely degree completion. Please be aware that all pathway maps can be modified to fit the individual needs of students. Degree requirements and prerequisite information can be found here: https://www.mcckc.edu/programs/aa/. All students are encouraged to meet with their academic advisor to develop an individualized completion plan that best meets their goals, interests, and objectives.

^Course requires a prerequisite or appropriate placement, see catalog for additional information.