



## Associate of Arts (A.A.) in General Studies

Upon completion of the Associate of Arts degree in General Studies, the graduate should be able to:

1. Demonstrate skills in critical thinking;
2. Identify and understand basic biblical doctrines and history;
3. Exhibit proficiency and competency in GE/AA courses and coursework;
4. Utilize personal and academic feedback;
5. Demonstrate basic communication skills and readiness for upper division courses;
6. Demonstrate involvement in local ministries, spiritual disciplines, and devotional practices; and
7. Demonstrate the importance of the Biblical worldview in general studies.

The Associate of Arts degree is awarded to students who have completed a minimum of sixty credit hours of study or its equivalent in the area of general studies. This degree usually marks the halfway point to the baccalaureate degree. To complete the degree program, the student must fulfill the core requirements listed below.

### Breakdown of Core Curriculum

#### **Bible Requirements:**

|          |                            |           |
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| BBL 1101 | Old Testament Survey       | 3 Credits |
| BBL 1151 | New Testament Survey       | 3 Credits |
| BBL 2201 | Bible Doctrines Survey     | 3 Credits |
| MIN 1101 | Introduction to Evangelism | 3 Credits |

#### **General Education Requirements:**

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| ENC 1101         | English Composition I                   | 3 Credits        |
| ENC 1102         | English Composition II                  | 3 Credits        |
| ENL 2012         | English Literature                      | 3 Credits        |
| ESC 1000         | Introduction to Earth Science           | 3 Credits        |
| HUM 1020         | Introduction to Humanities              | 3 Credits        |
| <i>*GEB 1011</i> | <i>Introduction to Business or</i>      | <i>3 Credits</i> |
|                  | <i>-OR-</i>                             |                  |
| <i>*MAN 2021</i> | <i>Principles of Management</i>         | <i>3 Credits</i> |
| MAC 1105         | College Algebra                         | 3 Credits        |
| PHH 2063         | Classics in Philosophy: An Introduction |                  |

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|          | to the History of Philosophy         | 3 Credits        |
| PHI 2010 | Introduction to Philosophy           | 3 Credits        |
| PHI 2100 | Introduction to Logic                | 3 Credits        |
| PSY 2012 | Introduction to Psychology           | 3 Credits        |
| REL 2300 | World Religions                      | 3 Credits        |
| SPC 1024 | Introduction to Speech Communication | 3 Credits        |
| STA 2023 | Statistics                           | 3 Credits        |
| WOH 1012 | History of Civilization I            | 3 Credits        |
| WOH 1022 | History of Civilization II           | <u>3 Credits</u> |
|          | (A.A. Degree) Total Credits          | 60 Credits       |

\* Students need to take only one of these classes

