



PROGRAMS OF **study**



LIBERAL STUDIES

AMERICAN STUDIES CONCENTRATION

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Program Description

The American Studies Concentration invites students to explore American society, culture, and identity from multiple disciplinary perspectives. Through history, literature, art, politics, music, religion, and other fields of study, students will analyze American life, trace its evolution, and seek to understand its influences.

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, graduates will be able to:

- Use fundamental concepts of mathematics to solve problems and interpret quantitative data.
- Apply the scientific method by observing phenomena, developing hypotheses, implementing experiments, and evaluating results.
- Analyze and use information resources in an ethical manner.
- Interpret and evaluate meaning from aesthetic, philosophical, ethical, literary and/or multidisciplinary perspectives.
- Demonstrate global awareness and knowledge of diverse ethnic, racial and religious backgrounds, cultures, and orientations.
- Analyze factors, including culture, that shape behavior and social structures.
- Use ethical concepts to evaluate issues and make ethical decisions.
- Analyze and evaluate artistic and creative forms of expression.
- Demonstrate competence in using technology as a tool in communication, research, and quantitative analysis.



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The sequencing of courses in this program begins in the fall semester.

Curriculum Requirements: 61 Credits	Credits	Grade	Semester
First Year, Fall Semester (15 credits)			
ENG 101 College Composition	3		
General Education Core IV, Mathematics*	3		
HIS 110 U.S. History I or HIS 120 U.S. History II	3		
General Education Core III Social Sciences (SOC 101 recommended)	3		
Computer Literacy (CIS 115 Software Applications recommended)	3		
First Year, Spring Semester (15 credits)			
HUM 105 Introduction to American Studies	3		
Humanities, General Education Core II	3		
ENG 112 Literature and Writing	3		
PHI 102 Ethics and Contemporary Society	3		
SPE 101 Oral Communications	3		
Second Year, Fall Semester (16 credits)			
Lab science course, General Education Core IV	4		
Creative Arts (CA) course	3		
HUM 111 Arts in America	3		
General Education Core III Social Sciences (POS101 recommended)	3		
Humanities, General Education Core II	3		
Second Year, Spring Semester (15 credits)			
Choose from American Studies Program electives	3		
HUM 201 Multicultural America	3		
Diversity/Cultural Knowledge (D) course (HIS125 recommended)	3		
General Education Core I-IV or Open Electives**	6		

**Please note: A student is only eligible to receive one Associate in Arts in Liberal Studies degree.
Students may not receive a second or subsequent degree in Liberal Studies with or without a different concentration.**

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