Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts English Concentration

Full-time, Fall Start

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Meet university transfer requirements while mastering the communication skills that employers covet. The breadth of courses, including literature, culture and humanities, creative, academic and personal writing, will meet a wide variety of interests.

Title IV Financial Aid eligible: Yes

What can I do with this degree?

Career options: Prepare for a career in professional and technical writing, editing, communications, education, law, advertising, or business management/leadership.

Academic options: Attend a university degree program in English or Creative Writing

CHOOSE YOUR COURSES WITH YOUR COLLEGE ADVISOR

Placement

Students must meet prerequisite standards before taking MAT 142 and WRT 101 required in the pathway below. If you are not prepared for these courses based on placement results you will need to take courses to build your skills prior to taking them. The sequence of courses follows.

Math: ICS 081 > MAT 092 > MAT 142 Reading: ACL 080 > REA 091

Writing: ACL 080 > WRT 090 > WRT 101 (or WRT 101S can replace both WRT 090 and WRT 101)

If MAT 151 or MAT 188 are chosen, additional coursework may be needed.

Semester Pathway

This pathway is a suggested sequence of courses for your program of study. Work with an advisor to develop a unique pathway for you based on your placement recommendations, any prior college courses and your specific situation.

General Education Note: When General Education (Gen. Ed.) credits are listed below, select from the appropriate General Education course list linked from the program website. Some programs recommend specific courses.

For this pathway, ensure that the I, C and G requirement is met.

Semester 1 Fall (Semester Total: 14 credits)

Gen. Ed.: AGEC Mathematics List. (3 credits)

STU 100: College Success and Career Planning (1 credit)

WRT 101: English Composition I (3 credits)

Gen. Ed.: AGEC Social & Behavioral Science List. (3 credits)

Second Language: 101-level language course. Select a language that also has 201-202 level courses (4 credits)

Semester 2 Spring (Semester Total: 14 credits)

WRT 102: English Composition II (3 credits)

Gen. Ed.: AGEC Biological & Physical Sciences List. (4 credits)

Gen. Ed.: AGEC Social & Behavioral Science List. Select a different course prefix than that selected in Semester 1. (3 credits)

Second Language: 102-level language course. Select the same language as the 101-level course. (4 credits)

Semester 3 Fall (Semester Total: 17 credits)

WRT 205: Introduction to Poetry Writing (3 credits)

or WRT 206: Short Story Writing (3 credits)

LIT 231: Introduction to Shakespeare (3 credits)

or LIT 265: Major American Writers (3 credits)

or WRT 207: Creative Nonfiction (3 credits)

or LIT 261/261HC: Modern Literature (3 credits)

or LIT 289/289HC: Literature and Film (3 credits)

or WRT 162: Literary Magazine Workshop (3 credits)

Gen. Ed.: AGEC Humanities List. Select 1 from the following HUM 251: Western Humanities I (3 credits)

or HUM 252: Western Humanities II (3 credits)

or HUM 253: Western Humanities III (3 credits)

or HUM 260: Intercultural Perspectives (3 credits)

or LIT 224: Southwestern Literature (3 credits)

or LIT 225: Science Fiction Literature (3 credits)

or **PHI 101:** Introduction to Philosophy (3 credits)

Second Language: 201-level language course. Select the same language as the 101-102 level courses (4 credits)

Gen. Ed.: AGEC Biological and Physical Science List. (4 credits)

Semester 4 Spring (Semester Total: 15 credits)

WRT 205: Introduction to Poetry Writing (3 credits)

or WRT 206: Short Story Writing (3 credits)

LIT 231: Introduction to Shakespeare (3 credits)

or LIT 265: Major American Writers (3 credits)

or WRT 207: Creative Nonfiction (3 credits)

or LIT 261/261HC: Modern Literature (3 credits)

or LIT 289/289HC: Literature and Film (3 credits)

or **WRT 162:** Literary Magazine Workshop (3 credits)

LIT 280: Introduction to Literature (3 credits)

STU 210: Transfer Strategies (2 credits)

Second Language: 202-level language course. Select the same language as the 101-201 level courses (4 credits)

PROGRAM TOTAL: 60 credits

Program/Major/Concentration Codes: AOAALA/ALA1/ALAN

Find more information about this program at: www.pima.edu/english-aa

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