

Required Classes for the Associate in Arts in General Studies Program (61 hours)

The College Experience

INT 106 Academic Achievement 3 credit hours

Skills for Work and Life

Writing

ENGL 106 Writing for Academic & Professional Success 3 credit hours

PHIL 101 Logic & Problem Solving 3 credit hours

Communication

COM 101 Introduction to Interpersonal Communication & Public Speaking 3 credit hours

COM 224 Intercultural Communication 3 credit hours

Numeracy

MATH 111 Applied Mathematical Skills 3 credit hours

Information Literacy

ISYS 102 Introduction to Computers & Internet Research 3 credit hours

Understanding the Self, Society, and Nature

Arts and Humanities (select 2)

FNAR 248 Music & Culture 3 credit hours

HIS 250 Contemporary World History 3 credit hours

ENGL 210 World Literature 3 credit hours

Social Sciences (select 3)

PSYC 100 Foundations of Psychology 3 credit hours

POLS 102 Politics and Citizenship 3 credit hours

ECON 100 Introduction to Economics 3 credit hours

SOCY 101 Social Issues 3 credit hours

Scientific Understanding

ENVS 102 Discovering Planet Earth 4 credit hours

Religious Studies / Ethics

PHIL 252 Practical Ethics 3 credit hours

RST 289 Comparative Religions 3 credit hours

Area of Emphasis

Selected Classes in Area of Emphasis 12 credit hours

Capstone in selected Area of Emphasis 3 credit hours

Area of Emphasis

Students are to select one (1) Area of Emphasis, either Social & Behavioral Sciences, Arts & Humanities, or Business. An Area of Emphasis consists of an additional 12 credit hours. Students will take 100- and/or 200-level courses in various disciplines.

Social & Behavioral Sciences
4 courses - 12 hours

Arts & Humanities
4 courses - 12 hours

Business
4 courses - 12 hours

Collegiate Bridge Courses

Collegiate Bridge Courses help students develop fundamental skills necessary to succeed in college level courses.

Incoming students will take skills inventories in reading, composition, and mathematics.

Based on their results, students will be placed either in college-level Math and English courses or Collegiate Bridge courses.

All collegiate bridge coursework must be completed within the first 24 credit hours of enrollment.

Collegiate Bridge Math Courses

MATH 030 Pre-Algebra

MATH 060 Elementary Algebra

Collegiate Bridge English Courses

ENGL 030 Fundamental Writing Skills

ENGL 060 Composition Skills

The AA Program is a 61 credit hour program, (not including the Collegiate Bridge courses.)

All credits earned in the AA program can be transferred towards a Bachelor's Degree Program at Trinity.

Students who complete the AA Program will have completed the CORE requirements for a Bachelor's Degree.

They will also earn an additional 18 hours to be used towards either their major, minor, or electives.