



Undergraduate Degree Map for Completion in Four Years

College:	College of Arts and Humanities <input type="button" value="v"/>
Department:	Arts and Humanities Dean's Office <input type="button" value="v"/>
Name of Program:	LIBERAL STUDIES <input type="button" value="v"/>
Degree Designation:	AA <input type="button" value="v"/>
Emphasis/Concentration:	<input type="text"/> <input type="button" value="v"/>
Option:	<input type="text"/>
Version:	<input type="text"/> <input type="button" value="v"/>
Version Explanation:	<input type="text"/>
Type of Program:	Standard Major <input type="button" value="v"/>
Minor Required:	No <input type="button" value="v"/>
Specific Minor (if required):	<input type="text"/>

Program Description:

The Associate of Arts (AA) degree consists of 60 credits of coursework, 44 of which are made up of general education courses and 16 of which are made up of lower division (100 and 200 level) electives. No more than 16 credits of coursework applied to the AA degree can be taken P/N. In order to graduate with an AA degree, a student must maintain a GPA of 2.0. MSU policy dictates that at least 20 credits of this degree must be taken from MSU. AA degree students must adhere to the university general education program and must meet the cultural diversity requirement that has been determined for the AA degree.

Admission Requirements:

Advising:

You are expected to meet with your advisor on a regular basis to ensure courses are taken in an order that will lead to successful completion of the degree.

The AA degree program provides each student with a multitude of choices when it comes to selecting coursework and because of this it is very important for students to work closely with an advisor. The Student Relations Coordinator for the College of Arts and Humanities, is the primary advisor for the AA degree. If the student plans to pursue a Bachelor's Degree after completing the AA degree, the student should also keep in contact with an advisor in that department as well.

A complete listing of program faculty, policies, and course descriptions is available in the undergraduate bulletin.

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
				Overall GPA \geq 2.0 Course Completion Rate \geq 67% Completion of \geq 15 credit hours
ENG	101	English Composition (Goal Area 1A)	4	Must receive a grade of a C or better
		Goal Area 3 (1 course LAB)	3-4	Must have TWO Courses for Different Disciplines to complete this goal area.
		Goal Area 4	3-4	Must receive a grade of a C or better
		Goal Area 6	3-4	Must have TWO Courses from TWO Different Disciplines to complete this goal area.
		Lower Division Elective Course	3-4	For the AA Degree students must complete 16 credits of 100-200 electives.

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Term 1 Notes:

1. Declare AA Degree
2. In completion of the AA Degree students must take ONE WRITING INTENSIVE (W) course

TERM 2 - SPRING

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
				Overall GPA \geq 2.0 Course Completion Rate \geq 67% Completion of \geq 30 credit hours Advance to Sophomore status
		Goal Area 5	3-4	Must have TWO Courses from TWO Different Disciplines to complete this goal area.
		Second Goal Area 6 course	3-4	Must have TWO Courses from TWO Different Disciplines to complete this goal area.
		Goal Area 9	3-4	
		Goal Area 11	1	Minimum of two credits, maximum required for this goal area
		Lower Division Elective Course	3-4	For the AA Degree students must complete 16 credits of 100-200 electives.

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Term 2 Notes:

1. Submit graduation application for the AA Degree
2. In completion of the AA Degree students must take ONE WRITING INTENSIVE (W) course
3. In completion of the AA Degree students must take ONE Diverse Cultures (P or G) Course

TERM 3 - FALL

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
				Overall GPA \geq 2.0 Course Completion Rate \geq 67%
		Goal Area 1B	3-4	

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
		Second Goal Area 5 Course	3-4	Overall GPA \geq 2.0 Course Completion Rate \geq 67%
		Goal Area 8	3-4	Must have TWO Courses from TWO Different Disciplines to complete this goal area.
		Goal Area 3 (NON-Lab)	3-4	Must have TWO Courses from TWO Different Disciplines to complete this goal area.
		Lower Division Elective Course	3-4	For the AA Degree students must complete 16 credits of 100-200 electives.

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Term 3 Notes:

1. In completion of the AA Degree students must take ONE WRITING INTENSIVE (W) course
2. In completion of the AA Degree students must take ONE Diverse Cultures (P or G) Course

TERM 4 - SPRING

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
		Goal Area 10	3-4	Overall GPA \geq 2.0 Course Completion Rate \geq 67% Completion of \geq 60 credit hours Advance to Junior status
		Goal Area 9	3-4	
		Second Goal Area 11	1	Minimum of two credits, maximum required for this goal area
		Goal Area 7	3-4	
		Lower Division Elective Course	3-4	For the AA Degree students must complete 16 credits of 100-200 electives.

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Term 4 Notes:

1. In completion of the AA Degree students must take ONE WRITING INTENSIVE (W) course
2. In completion of the AA Degree students must take ONE Diverse Cultures (P or G) Course

TERM 5 - FALL

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
				Overall GPA \geq 2.0 Course Completion Rate \geq 67% Apply for Graduation

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Term 5 Notes:

TERM 6 - SPRING

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
				Overall GPA ≥ 2.0 Course Completion Rate ≥ 67% Completion of ≥ 90 credit hours Advance to Senior status
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Term 6 Notes:

TERM 7 - FALL

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
				Overall GPA ≥ 2.0 Course Completion Rate ≥ 67%
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Term 7 Notes:

TERM 8 - SPRING

<i>Designator:</i>	<i>Course:</i>	<i>Course Name:</i>	<i>Credits:</i>	<i>Milestones:</i>
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Term 8 Notes:

PROGRAM NOTES

DEGREE MAP CHECKLIST: GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1. Minimum of 15 credits per semester
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2. General Education = 44 credits
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3. Diverse Cultures = 2 course (6 credits minimum) from two disciplines
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4. Writing Intensive = 2 courses (6 credits minimum)
<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Major = <input type="text"/> credits
<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Upper-Division Requirements = 40 credits minimum
<input type="checkbox"/>	7. Professional Education (if required) = 30 credits

<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Language Requirements (if BA) = 8 credits minimum
<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Minor = <input type="text"/> credits
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	10. Total credits required for degree <input type="text" value="60"/>

DEGREE MAP COMPLETE

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DEAN APPROVAL

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Map reviewed and approved by Dean
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