

Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) Degree Requirements

Semester Credits in General Education Courses: ~~33~~ 18-22

Semester Credits in additional coursework: ~~63~~ 46-54

Minimum total semester credits: ~~96~~ 64-72

IAI numbers given when available. For other courses, new numbers needed.

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSE REQUIREMENTS: ~~33~~ 18-22 semester credits

All courses used to fulfill General Education Core Curriculum Requirements need not be IAI-approved.

Communication: ~~44~~ 6 semester credits

Written (~~6~~ 3 semester credits): IAI C1 900 or English 105

Oral (~~5~~ 3 semester credits): Speech IAI C2 900, 120, or 150.

Physical/Life Sciences: ~~5~~ 3-5 semester credits

Select at least one course with a laboratory component.

Anatomy and Physiology, Biology, Botany, Chemistry, Earth Science, Microbiology, Physics, Zoology.

Mathematics: 4 3-5 semester credits

Select a minimum of 4 3-5 semester credits 100 level or above. Select Mathematics 102 and 104 only where required in the degree program. Only one from the following three courses may count toward overall degree requirement credit: Mathematics 135, Psychology 280 or Sociology 205-- all listed as IAI M1 902. Only one of the following courses may count toward overall degree credit: Mathematics 128 or Mathematics 131.

Humanities: ~~5~~ 3 semester credits

Art; Chinese; English (except IAI C1 900); French; German; History (except 163 --IAI S2 907N, 213--IAI S2 916N, 256--IAI S2 900, 257--IAI S2 901); Humanities; Italian; Japanese; Korean; Music; Philosophy; Religious Studies; Russian; Spanish; Speech 110, 210; Theater

Social and Behavioral Sciences: ~~5~~ 3 semester credits

Anthropology; Economics (except 110); Education 100, 101; Geography; History 163 --IAI S2 907N, 213--IAI S2 916N, 256--IAI S2 900, 257--IAI S2 901; Political Science; Psychology (except 140); Social Science (except 110); Sociology (except 290)

International/Intercultural-Global/Multicultural Studies OR Contemporary Life Skills ~~3~~ 2 semester credits

Anthropology IAI S1 901N, IAI S1 902, IAI S1 904D; Art IAI F2 903N; Business 150; Chinese 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Economics 220; English IAI H3 910D, IAI H3 907, 160; French 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900, 290; Geography IAI S4 901, IAI S4 902N, IAI S4 903N, 222, 235; German 100, 101, 102, 103, IAI H3 909, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; History IAI H2 903N, IAI S2 907N, 212, 213, 222, 232; Human Services 121 (O); Humanities IAI HF 904N; Italian 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Japanese 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Korean 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Philosophy IAI H5 904N; Political Science IAI S5 904N, IAI S5 905, 221; Religious Studies IAI H5 900, IAI H4 903N, IAI H5 904N; Russian 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900; Sociology IAI S7 901, IAI S7 902, 260; Spanish 100, 101, 102, 103, 201, 202, IAI H1 900, 290.

Contemporary Life Skills:

Accounting 111 (O); Advertising, Design and Illustration 115 (O), 141 (O), 151 (O); Air Conditioning 100 (O); Allied Health 110 (O), 230 (O), 240 (O); Architectural Technology 105 (O), 121 (O); Architecture 100 (O); Art 101 (T), 151 (T), 221 (T), 231 (T), 266 (T); Automotive Service Technology 100 (O); Aviation Maintenance Technology 141 (O); Business 100 (T); Child Care 110 (O); CIT 121 (O), 131 (O); Computer Information Systems 100 (T), 101 (O), 105 (O), 106 (O), 110 (T); Cooperative Education 271 (T), 272 (T), 273 (T); Criminal Justice 112 (O); Economics 110 (T); Education 100 (T), 105 (T), 110 (T), 115 (T); English 251 (T), 252 (T), 253 (T), 261 (T); Electro-Mechanical Technology 100 (O), 101 (O), 112 (O), 130 (O); Engineering 110 (O); Foodservice Administration 110 (O); Graphic Arts Technology 101 (O), 180 (O); Human Services 113 (O), 115 (O); Journalism 100 (T), 110 (T), 210 (T); Interior Design 131 (O), 234 (O); Library Technology 101 (O); Manufacturing 105 (O), 171 (O), 180 (O), 190 (O), 280 (O); Multimedia Arts 100 (O); Office Technology Information 100 (O); Photography 100 (O); Physical Education 150 to 159 (T), 236 (T), 238 (T), 244 (T), 250 (T), 254 (T); Psychology 140 (T), 150 (T); Social Science 110 (T); Sociology 290 (T); Speech 120 (T).
(O) Occupational/Vocational credit
(T) General Elective credit

ADDITIONAL A.A.S. DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Select courses to complete the required **minimum 96 of 64-72** semester hours from general education courses, elective courses, and occupational/vocational courses to a maximum of ~~63~~ **54 semester** hours (**some programs may require more**).

Select a specific occupational/vocational program and complete the required courses and the minimum number of occupational/vocational credit hours as specified by College of DuPage. The minimum number of occupational/vocational credits required for an AAS degree varies with each program, but at least ~~30~~ **20 semester** credits are required.

Satisfy graduation requirements for all associate's degrees.

Earn no more than ~~6~~ **4 semester** credits from Physical Education activity courses.

~~Earn no more than 45 credits in courses numbers 188 and 288 (successor numbers needed).~~

~~Earn no more than 8 credits in courses numbered 198 (successor numbers needed).~~

Earn no more than **16 semester credits in courses numbered 188/288, 198/298, 190/290** (successor numbers needed).

Note: this addition clarifies this degree's compliance with ICCB rules that no more than _ of the credit applied toward a degree may come from independent study or selected topics courses.

Earn no more than ~~20~~ **12 semester** credits in courses graded satisfactory/fail.

Earn no more than ~~65~~ **42 semester** credits by demonstrated competence **through the Advanced Placement Program (AP), the subject examinations of the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) and the College of DuPage Proficiency Through an Instructor Program. (Note: Brings this wording in line with specific wording in other degrees.)**