

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE (AA)

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES - *Graduates of this program will have the opportunity to:*

- Demonstrate familiarity with empirical scientific methods and theory utilized in social science research.
- Demonstrate ability to distinguish among psychologists, psychiatrists, psychoanalysts, including theoretical orientations, methods of inquiry and techniques of intervention.
- Demonstrate ability to apply three of the six major psychological perspectives including cognitive, behaviorism, biological psychology, humanistic psychology, socio-cultural psychology and evolutionary psychology to the analysis of human behavior.
- Apply at least three psychology tools/concepts/principles towards improvement of life for themselves and/or others.

ALL CSN COURSES TRANSFER; HOWEVER, THOSE WITH “B” SUFFIXES SPECIFICALLY DO NOT TRANSFER TO NSC, UNLV, AND UNR. IN SUBJECT AREA LISTED BELOW WHERE SPECIFIC COURSE NUMBERS ARE NOT LISTED, CONSULT A COUNSELOR/ADVISOR TO ENSURE TRANSFERABILITY OF ALL COURSES.

Courses with “G” suffixes are designated Honors level courses and can be used to fulfill equivalent general education requirements.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (35 Credits):

	CR	SEMESTER
ENGLISH: ENG 100 or 101 or 113 and 102 or 114	6-8	_____
LITERATURE: ENG 223 or above	3	_____
FINE ARTS: ART, DAN 101, Music, THTR	3	_____
HUMANITIES: COM 101 and ENG 223 or above, HIST, International Languages 111 or above, PHIL	6	_____
ANALYTICAL THINKING: PHIL 102	3	_____
MATHEMATICS: MATH 120, 124 or above	3	_____
LIFE AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES: (Two courses from the following, one must include a lab): AST, BIOL, CHEM 105 or above, ENV, GEOG 103, 104, 117, GEOL, PHYS	7	_____
U.S. AND NEVADA CONSTITUTIONS: PSC 101 or HIST 101 and HIST 102 or HIST 101 and HIST 217	4-6	_____

SPECIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (26 Credits):

	CR	SEMESTER
SOCIAL SCIENCES: (Nine credits must be from three different disciplines) ANTH, CRJ 104, ECON, PSC, SOC, WMST 113	9	_____
FOR GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY:		
FINE ARTS: ART, DAN 101, Music, THTR	3	_____
PSY 101 General Psychology	3	_____
PSY 210 Introduction to Statistical Methods	4	_____
PSY 240 Introduction to Research Methods	3	_____
PSY 298 Capstone Course	1	_____
Plus 3 credits from the following:		
PSY	3	_____
FOR MENTAL HEALTH:		
MHDD 103 Psychopathology and Developmental Disabilities	1	_____
MHDD 107 Medication Fundamentals	2	_____
MHDD 109 Introduction to Therapeutic Interventions	2	_____
MHDD 127 Positive Behavior Supports	2	_____
OR		
MHDD 154 Advanced Therapeutic Intervention		
PSY 101 General Psychology	3	_____
PSY 210 Introduction to Statistical Methods	4	_____
PSY 241 Introduction to Abnormal Psychology	3	_____

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Total Credits

Students may elect to graduate using the degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation, or when they declared or changed major or the current catalog. If a program is official after a student has matriculated, the student may choose the degree requirements of the new program. In no case may a student use a catalog which is more than six years old at the time of graduation.