

**ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE (AAS)**

This degree enables students to enter management training positions within the travel industry and also prepares those presently employed to assume managerial responsibility. Tourism career opportunities include convention and exposition management, meeting and trade show management, the hotel/accommodations industry, recreational activities, special events management, airline and transportation industries, retailing and tour directing at all levels. There are numerous paid and unpaid work experiences available to students in this program. These cooperative education and coordinated internship positions provide an excellent entry in the field, as well as networking and referral opportunities.

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

- Demonstrate awareness of travel and tourism components and their interrelationships.
- Demonstrate a knowledge of Travel and Tourism operations.
- Identify major domestic and international destinations.
- Demonstrate awareness of human relations and customer service skills in the tourism industry.

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (25 Credits):**

	<b>CR</b>	<b>SEMESTER</b>
<b>COMMUNICATIONS:</b> BUS 108, COM 101, 102, 215, ENG 100, 101, 102, 107, 113, 114, 205, JOUR 102, THTR 105	3-5	_____
<b>ENGLISH:</b> ENG 100, 101, 107, 113	3-5	_____
<b>HUMAN RELATIONS:</b> ALS 101, ANTH 101, 112, 201, 205, HIST 105, 106, 107, 150, 151, 210, 247, 260, HMS 130, 135B, 265B, MGT 100B, 283, PHIL 135, PSC 201, PSY 101, 102, 207, 208, 261, SOC	3	_____
<b>MATHEMATICS:</b> MATH 115B, 124	3	_____
<b>SCIENCE:</b> AST, BIOL, CHEM, EGG 131, 132, ENV, GEOG 103, 104, 117, GEOL, HHP 123B, 124B, PHYS	6	_____
<b>FINE ARTS/HUMANITIES/ SOCIAL SCIENCES:</b> AM, ANTH, ART, COM, ECON, ENG 223 or above, GEOG 106 or above, HIST, International Languages, Music, PHIL, PSC, PSY, SOC, THTR, WMST 113	3	_____
<b>U.S. AND NEVADA CONSTITUTIONS:</b> PSC 101 or HIST 101 and HIST 102 or HIST 101 and HIST 217	4-6	_____

**SPECIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (36 Credits):**

	<b>CR</b>	<b>SEMESTER</b>
<b>ACC 201</b> Financial Accounting	3	_____
<b>HMD 101</b> Introduction to the Hospitality Industry	3	_____
<b>HMD 235</b> Hotel, Restaurant and Gaming Law	3	_____
<b>HMD 259</b> Human Resources Management, in the Hospitality Industry	3	_____
<b>TCA 141</b> Travel and Tourism I	3	_____
<b>TCA 180</b> Hotel, Restaurant and Casino Marketing	3	_____
<b>TCA 225</b> Introduction to International Tourism	3	_____
<b>TCA 241</b> Travel and Tourism II	3	_____
<b>TCA 242</b> Travel Industry Operations	3	_____
<b>TCA 251</b> Tourism and Convention Externship	3	_____
<b>Plus 6 credits from the following:</b>		
<b>FAB 112</b> Restaurant Management I	3	_____
<b>GAM 225</b> Introduction to Gaming Management	3	_____
<b>HMD 203</b> Front-Office Operations	3	_____
<b>TCA 110</b> Introduction to Convention Industry	3	_____
<b>TCA 190</b> Introduction to Destination Marketing	3	_____
<b>TCA 200</b> Airline Reservations	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.