



Associate of Arts, Philosophy

Bachelor's Degree Transfer Major

2018–2019

DESCRIPTION:

The Associate of Arts degree is designed to satisfy the first two years of a bachelor's degree in majors that don't require advanced math or science. Formal agreements have been made with colleges and universities which allow for coursework taken in the Associate of Arts degree program at Columbus State to transfer and apply to a bachelor's degree.

The Associate of Arts degree Philosophy transfer major includes the reflective study of core texts and ideas developed over 2,500 years of philosophical tradition, linking philosophical thinking and human excellence to a better society.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

Students may begin this degree during any semester upon admission to the college. Eligibility for specific courses will be determined by evaluation of ACT or SAT scores, previous college credits, and Columbus State placement testing results (if required). Course descriptions and prerequisites are outlined in the Columbus State catalog at <http://www.csc.edu/academics/catalog/>.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:

All students must satisfactorily complete at least 61 credit hours of approved courses (a minimum of 20 credit hours must be completed at Columbus State) with an overall grade point average of 2.0 or better for all college-level courses completed at Columbus State. Consult with an Arts and Sciences Academic Advisor for Columbus State degree and graduation planning, assistance with developing and achieving academic goals, and information about transfer resources. Students should research program and admission requirements for their specific intended four-year institution and major early in their college career.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR GRADUATES:

Transfer:

The Associate of Arts degree Philosophy transfer major is designed for students who are planning to transfer to a four-year college or university with the goal of completing a bachelor's degree in Philosophy or a related major. Graduating with the Associate of Arts degree includes completion of the Ohio Transfer Module. As a result, Associate of Arts graduates have fulfilled most of their general education requirements and once admitted to the four-year program, will be focused on upper-level major courses.

Career:

Research educational requirements, expected earnings, and job market predictions using the online Career Coach tool at <https://csc.edu/careercoach/>.

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (A.A., PHILOSOPHY):**FIRST SEMESTER**

Course	Term	Credits	Milestones/Progress Check
PHIL 1150 Introduction to Logic	AU/SP/SU	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consult an Arts and Sciences Academic Advisor early on to help you select courses required by your transfer institution of choice.
COLS 1100 First Year Experience Seminar	AU/SP/SU	1	
ENGL 1100 or ENGL 1101 Composition I	AU/SP/SU	3	
Social and Behavioral Science course *	AU/SP/SU	3	
Historical Study *	AU/SP/SU	3	
Accumulated Credits Earned		13	

SECOND SEMESTER

Course	Term	Credits	Milestones/Progress Check
PHIL 1101 Introduction to Philosophy	AU/SP/SU	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Connect with appropriate University advisor at the Columbus State Transfer Center; visit transfer campus. Apply for eligible major scholarships for next AU term.
Historical Study *	AU/SP/SU	3	
Intermediate Composition *	AU/SP/SU	3	
Foreign Language course series * or A.A. elective *	AU/SP/SU	4	
Semester hours/Credits		13	
Accumulated Credits Earned		26	

SUMMER SEMESTER

Course	Term	Credits	Milestones/Progress Check
Social and Behavioral Science course *	AU/SP/SU	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Consult an Arts and Sciences Academic Advisor early on to help you select courses required by your transfer institution of choice.
Natural Science, no lab *	AU/SP/SU	3	
Foreign Language course series * or A.A. elective *	AU/SP/SU	4	
Semester hours/Credits		10	
Accumulated Credits Earned		36	Beyond the halfway point to A.A. degree!

FOURTH SEMESTER

Course	Term	Credits	Milestones/Progress Check
PHIL 1130 Introduction to Ethics	AU/SP/SU	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Re-connect with appropriate advisor at the Columbus State Transfer Center; visit transfer campus. Submit petition to graduate
A.A. Elective *	AU/SP/SU	3	
Visual/Performing Arts course *	AU/SP/SU	3	
Foreign Language course series * or A.A. elective *	AU/SP/SU	4	
Semester hours/Credits		13	
Accumulated Credits Earned		49	

FIFTH SEMESTER

Course	Term	Credits	Milestones/Progress Check
PHIL 2270 Philosophy of Religion	AU/SP/SU	3	Ready for Graduation!
Natural Science, with lab *	AU/SP/SU	4	
Social and Behavioral Science course *	AU/SP/SU	3	
PHIL 2250 Symbolic Logic	AU/SP/SU	3	
Semester hours/Credits		13	
Accumulated Credits Earned		62	

*Full list of course options: <https://www.csc.edu/academics/transfer/degrees.shtml>

AU: Autumn Semester/SP: Spring Semester/SU: Summer Semester

Requirements subject to change.