

Bismarck State College 2023-2024

This list includes only the requirements that are commonly seen in transfer at a lower-division level and is not a comprehensive list of all the course requirements within the Associate of Arts in General Education. However, your official admission evaluation will be based on all transfer coursework received at the lower division and upper division level. For a complete list of program requirements, please refer to the University of Massachusetts Global catalog.

Further information regarding the courses below can be found in the University of Massachusetts Global Course Articulation Database (CAD).

Courses may be approved for more than one area but can only be applied towards one requirement

University of Massachusetts Global General Education Requirements		Equivalent Courses			
Basic Skills					
Writing and Critical Thinking (1 Course from each)					
ENGU 103	Freshman Rhetoric	ENGL 110			
ENGU 104	Writing About Literature	ENGL 120			
Quantitative Reasoning (1 of the equivalent courses)					
MATU 103	Applied Mathematics	No Comparable Course(s)			
Oral Communication (1 of the equivalent courses)					
COMU 101	Public Speaking I	COMM 110			
COMU 110	Interpersonal Communication	COMM 212			
COMU 315	Intercultural Communication	No Comparable Course(s)			
COMU 410	Organizational Communication	No Comparable Course(s)			
Breadth Requirements					

Humanities (3 courses from 3 different areas totaling 9 credits)

Communications Subject Codes: COMU	COMM 110, 112, 120, 200, 206, 211, 212, 214, 218, 222, 233, 240 *courses used toward the B4 requirement may not be used here for duplicate credit
English Subject Codes: ENGU	ENGL 125, 208, 211, 222, 233, 236, 238, 251, 252, 261, 262, 271, 278
Fine Arts Subject Codes: ARTU, MUSU, THDU, FAUU, FTVU Must be 2 semester units or greater	ART 110, 122, 124, 130, 210, 211, 270 ENGL 221 MUSC 100, 122, 124, 207, 222, 224 THEA 110, 167, 180, 181, 226, 247
Foreign Language Subject Codes: FLUU, SPNU, GERU, FRNU	SPAN 101, 102, 201, 202
Humanities Subject Codes: HUMU	HUMS 210
Liberal Studies Subject Codes: LBSU Excludes LBSU 300	No Comparable Course(s)
Philosophy Subject Codes: PHLU	PHIL 101, 210, 220, 230, 250, 253
Religious Studies Subject Codes: RELU	RELS 120, 201, 203, 220, 230

Natural Sciences (2 courses, totaling 6 credits)

	ASTR 150, 150L
	BIOL 109,111, 111L, 115, 115L, 124, 125, 125L, 126,
	126L, 150, 150L, 151, 151L, 170, 170L, 220, 220L, 221,
	221L, 250, 250L
	BOT 170, 170L
	CHEM 110, 110L, 112, 112L, 114, 114L, 115, 115L, 116,
Natural Science	116L, 121, 121L, 122, 122L, 241, 241L, 242, 242L
Lab credit is not required.	GEOG 121, 121L
Subject Codes: BIOU, CHMU, ESCU, FSNU, LPSU,	GEOL 102, 102L, 105, 105L
LSCU, NSCU, PSCU, PHYU	MICR 202, 202L
	MLS 100, 201, 225, 235, 236 240, 245, 246
	NUTR 240
	PHYS 100, 100L, 110, 110L, 211, 211L, 212, 212L, 251,
	251L, 252, 252L
	PLSC 225
	SCNC 101, 101L, 102, 102, 103, 103L

Social Sciences (3 courses from 3 different areas totaling 9 credits)

Criminal Justice Subject Code: CJCU	CJ 170, 201, 210, 220, 223, 226, 231, 243, 254, 270, 271
Early Childhood Education Subject Code: ECEU	No Comparable Course(s)
Economics Subject Code: ECNU	ECON 105, 201, 202
History Subject Code: HISU	HIST 101, 102, 103, 104, 208, 211, 212, 220, 222, 224, 225, 239
Legal Studies Subject Code: LEST	No Comparable Course(s)
Marketing Subject Code: MKTU	BADM 201
Organizational Leadership Subject Code: OLCU	BADM 281
Political Science Subject Code: POSU	POLS 115, 116, 220, 240
Psychology Subject Code: PSYU	PSYC 111, 112, 211, 230, 242, 250, 252, 253, 261, 270, 276, 280
Social Science Subject Code: SSCU	GEOG 161
Social Work Subject Code: SOWK	SWK 250, 256
Sociology Subject Code: SOCU	ANTH 170, 171 SOC 110, 115, 220, 221, 235, 251, 252, 253, 275

Liberal Education Foundations (6 Credits)

These must be taken within the first two sessions after matriculation if ENGU 103 and ENGU 104 are satisfied, or within the first two sessions after those requirements are completed.

LBSU 100	Student Success Strategies	Cannot be satisfied in transfer.
LBSU 105	Academic Foundations	Cannot be satisfied in transfer.

Degree Requirements

The Associates of Arts in General Education consists of the Basic Skills, Breadth Requirements, Liberal Education Foundation and Electives.

- A minimum of 60 credits is required.
- Completion of degree program requirements.
- 15 lower division credits in residence.
- 2.0 minimum cumulative grade point average.
- Degree requirements cannot be waived by the CSU or IGETC certification.

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 LBSU 100 Student Success Strategies and LBSU 105 Academic Foundations cannot be satisfied in transfer.

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