General Studies
Associate in Arts

DIVISION OF HUMANITIES

If you are undecided about your educational goals and career choices, this program allows you to explore a variety of interests and choices from all subject areas, including business, science, health sciences, and liberal arts. You'll also complete a course in career/life planning to help you assess your options and develop a degree plan to meet your individual needs.

Upon completion, the Associate in Arts Degree in General Studies is awarded.

PROGRAM FOOTNOTES

Program Electives: Any college-level courses offered by any division at the college

History Sequence: HS 101 Western Civilization I & HS 102 Western Civilization II or HS 103 World Civilization I & HS 104 World Civilization II or HS 203 American History to 1877 & HS 204 American History Since 1870

Literature Sequence: LI 201 World Literature I & LI 202 World Literature II or LI 203 American Literature I & LI 204 American Literature II or LI 205 British Literature I & LI 206 British Literature II

Laboratory Science Sequence: BI 101 General Biology I & BI 102 General Biology II or BI 110 Principles of Biology I & BI 120 Principles of Biology II or BI 115 Anatomy and Physiology I & BI 116 Anatomy and Physiology II or CH 101 College Chemistry I & CH 102 College Chemistry II or CH 110 Principles of Chemistry I & CH 120 Principles of Chemistry II or EV 103 Environmental Studies I & EV 104 Environmental Studies II or SC 102 Integrated Science I & SC 103 Integrated Science II or PY 101 College Physics I & PY 102 College Physics II, PY 103 Engineering Physics I & PY 104 Engineering Physics II

Humanities Electives: Art, Communications, Film, Foreign Language, Humanities, Literature, Oral Communication, Philosophy, Photography, Sign Language, Theater Arts

Social Science Electives: Anthropology, Economics, Geography, Government, History, Law & Society, Psychology, Sociology

Math/Science Electives: Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Mathematics (not MAC), Physics, Integrated Science, Contemporary Nutrition (NS 101)

This program qualifies for MassTransfer with select Massachusetts state colleges and universities with the completion of a 100-level mathematics course (not MAC).

Competency in mathematics is a MassBay graduation requirement. Prior to graduation, students must demonstrate competency at 100-level math. This may be accomplished by an appropriate placement test score or completion of a 100-level math course (not MAC).