

Associate of Applied Science

The associate of applied science degree from JCCC

- is designed with an emphasis in a specific career program.
- requires completion of a minimum of 63 college-level credit hours within specified course distribution areas, including emphasis of study, with a 2.0 GPA.

The credit hours necessary to complete the associate of applied science degree include 15 credits of general education requirements plus the courses listed for the specific career program. At a minimum, the distribution must include:

General Education Area		Credit Hours
Communications Associate of Applied Science		3
These courses fulfill the communications requirements for the Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree. Please refer to your specific degree for a list of all requirements.		
Communications		
ENGL 121	Composition I*	3
If your specific degree program requires a communications elective, choose three hours from the following:		
ENGL 122	Composition II*	3
ENGL 123	Technical Writing I*	3
ENGL 140	Writing for Interactive Media*	3
BUS 150	Business Communications*	3
SPD 120	Interpersonal Communication	3
SPD 121	Public Speaking	3
SPD 125	Personal Communication	3
SPD 180	Intercultural Communication	3
Total Program Hours:		3
Humanities Associate of Applied Science		3
These courses fulfill the humanities requirements for the Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree. Please refer to your specific degree for a list of all requirements.		
One course from any of the following categories may count toward the three required hours.		
A. Literature/Theater		
ENGL 130	Introduction to Literature*	3
ENGL 215	U.S. Latino and Latina Literature*	3
ENGL 217	Literature by Women*	3
ENGL 227	Introduction to Poetry*	3
ENGL 230	Introduction to Fiction*	3
ENGL 235	Drama as Literature*	3
ENGL 246	American Literature I*	3
ENGL 247	American Literature II*	3
ENGL 250	World Masterpieces*	3
ENGL 254	Masterpieces of the Cinema*	3
THEA 120	Introduction to Theater	3
B. Foreign Language		
FL 178	Intermediate Russian I*	3
FL 179	Intermediate Russian II*	3
FL 182	Intermediate Japanese I*	5
FL 192	Intermediate Chinese I*	3
FL 193	Intermediate Chinese II*	3
FL 195	Intermediate Arabic I*	3
FL 220	Intermediate German I*	3
FL 221	Intermediate German II*	3
FL 230	Intermediate Spanish I*	3

FL 231	Intermediate Spanish II*	3
FL 240	Intermediate French I*	3
FL 241	Intermediate French II*	3
C. History		
HIST 125	Western Civilization: Ancient World to the Renaissance	3
HIST 126	Western Civilization: Scientific Revolution to the Modern Age	3
HIST 128	Medieval History	3
HIST 129	Early Modern Europe 1500-1789	3
HIST 130	European History Since 1789	3
HIST 135	Eastern Civilization	3
HIST 137	African American Studies	3
HIST 140	U.S. History to 1877	3
HIST 141	U.S. History Since 1877	3
HIST 151	World History I: Traditional World	3
HIST 152	World History II: Modern World	3
HIST 160	Modern Russian History	3
HIST 162	Modern Latin America	3
D. Humanities		
ARTH 180	Art History: Ancient to Renaissance	3
ARTH 182	Art History: Renaissance to Modern	3
ARTH 184	Art History: Twentieth Century	3
ARTH 188	History of Photography	3
HUM 122	Introduction to Humanities	3
HUM 145	Introduction to World Humanities I	3
HUM 146	Introduction to World Humanities II	3
HUM 155	Classical Mythology	3
HUM 156	Contemporary Approaches to World Mythology	3
HUM 165	Introduction to Chinese Culture	3
HUM 167	Introduction to Japanese Culture	3
JOUR 120	Mass Media and Society	3
MUS 121	Introduction to Music Listening	3
MUS 125	Introduction to Jazz Listening	3
MUS 126	Introduction to World Music	3
MUS 128	History of Rock and Roll Music	3
REL 120	Exploring World Religions	3
REL 125	Religions of the East	3
REL 126	Religions of the West	3
E. Philosophy		
PHIL 121	Introduction to Philosophy	3
PHIL 124	Logic and Critical Thinking	3
PHIL 128	Environmental Ethics	3
PHIL 143	Ethics	3
PHIL 154	History of Ancient Philosophy	3
PHIL 176	Philosophy of Religion	3
Total Program Hours		3
Social Science/Economics Associate of Applied Science		3

These courses fulfill the social science/economics requirements for the Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree. Please refer to your specific degree for a list of all requirements.

One course from any of the following categories may count toward the three required hours.

A. Anthropology

ANTH 125	Cultural Anthropology	3
ANTH 126	Physical Anthropology	3

ANTH 130	World Cultures	3
ANTH 142	World Prehistory	3
ANTH 165	Linguistic Anthropology	3
B. Economics		
ECON 132	Survey of Economics	3
ECON 230	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 231	Principles of Microeconomics	3
C. Political Science		
POLS 122	Political Science	3
POLS 124	American National Government	3
POLS 126	State and Local Government	3
POLS 132	Introduction to Comparative Government	3
POLS 135	International Relations	3
POLS 175	Environmental Policy and Law	3
POLS 192	Political Theory	3
D. Psychology		
PSYC 121	Applied Psychology	3
PSYC 130	Introduction to Psychology	3
E. Sociology		
SOC 122	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOC 125	Social Problems	3
SOC 131	Sociology of Families	3
F. Gender and Ethnic Studies		
WGS 201	Global Women's Studies	3
Total Program Hours		3
Science and/or Mathematics Associate of Applied Science		3
These courses fulfill the science and mathematics requirements for the Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree. Please refer to your specific degree for a list of all requirements.		
A. Mathematics		
MATH 116	Intermediate Algebra*	3
MATH 118	Geometry*	3
MATH 120	Business Mathematics*	3
MATH 130	Technical Mathematics I*	3
MATH 131	Technical Mathematics II*	3
MATH 165	Finite Mathematics*	3
MATH 171	College Algebra*	3
MATH 172	Trigonometry*	3
MATH 173	Precalculus*	5
MATH 175	Discrete Mathematics and its Applications*	3
MATH 181	Statistics*	3
MATH 231	Business and Applied Calculus I*	3
MATH 232	Business and Applied Calculus II*	3
MATH 241	Calculus I*	5
MATH 242	Calculus II*	5
MATH 243	Calculus III*	5
MATH 254	Differential Equations*	4
B. Life Science		
BIOL 121	Introductory Biology for Non-Majors	4
BIOL 124	Oceanus: Essentials of Oceanography	3
BIOL 125	General Botany	5
BIOL 127	General Zoology	5
BIOL 130	Environmental Science	3

BIOL 131	Environmental Science Lab*	1
BIOL 134	Principles of Sustainability	3
BIOL 135	Principles of Cell and Molecular Biology	4
BIOL 140	Human Anatomy	4
BIOL 144	Human Anatomy and Physiology*	5
BIOL 150	Biology of Organisms*	5
BIOL 225	Human Physiology*	4
BIOL 230	Microbiology*	3
BIOL 231	Microbiology Lab*	2
C. Physical Science		
ASTR 120	Fundamentals of Astronomy	3
ASTR 122	Astronomy	4
CHEM 120	Chemistry in Society*	4
CHEM 122	Principles of Chemistry*	5
CHEM 124	General Chemistry I Lecture*	4
CHEM 125	General Chemistry I Lab*	1
CHEM 131	General Chemistry II Lecture*	4
CHEM 132	General Chemistry II Lab*	1
CHEM 140	Principles of Organic Biological Chemistry*	5
GEOS 130	General Geology	5
GEOS 140	Physical Geography	3
GEOS 141	Physical Geography Lab*	2
GEOS 145	World Regional Geography	3
PHYS 130	College Physics I*	5
PHYS 131	College Physics II*	5
PHYS 220	Engineering Physics I*	5
PHYS 221	Engineering Physics II*	5
PSCI 120	Physical Science	4
Total Program Hours		3
3 additional credit hours to be selected from one of the above categories		3
Total Hours:		15

*Course has prerequisites