INFO-2330	Data Structures	3
PHYS-1225	Science of Sports	4

Recommended Plan of Study

1st Semester		Credits
ENGL-1010	English Composition I	3
PRVD-1010	Achieving College Success	3
	Math GE/Core elective	4
	Math or Science Core elective	4
	Technical elective	3
	Total Credits	**17**

2nd Semester		Credits
ENGL-1020	English Composition II	3
	Lab Science GE/Core elective	4
	Technical electives	8
	Total Credits	**15**

3rd Semester		Credits
	Humanities GE elective	3
	Oral Communication GE elective	3
	Math or Science Core elective	4
	Technical elective	4
	Total Credits	**14**

4th Semester		Credits
	Social Science GE elective	3
	Technical electives	12
	Total Credits	**15**
	Total AS Credits	**61**

General Studies (Social Sciences)

AA.4501 (61 Credits)
Associate of Arts
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The Division of Social Sciences at WNCC offers students the opportunity to earn an Associate of Arts (AA) in social sciences, a multidisciplinary program with an intellectually rich and diverse combination of courses. The AA in social sciences permits students to select courses from their choice of four (4) of the program's six (6) areas of study: anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, or sociology. Ultimately, this program is specifically designed to introduce the social sciences that will successfully prepare students for a variety of interesting and meaningful professions.

Objectives

- Identify the multidisciplinary knowledge requisite to understanding personal and social responsibility in modern, complex, and interdependent societies;
- Assess the knowledge required to understand and value human cultures and diversity;
- Synthesize, integrate, and apply knowledge in the areas of local and global civic awareness, intercultural competence, and ethical reasoning and action;
- Develop and demonstrate applied skills across students' chosen areas of study, consistent with students' plans to transfer to a four-year college or university and/or their career path;
- Develop and utilize a set of intellectual and life skills in the areas of communication, critical thinking, problem solving, information literacy, humanities and/or fine arts awareness, cultural awareness, personal development, and life-long learning.

Notes

- Students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university should consult with their WNCC faculty advisor, the WNCC transfer advisor, and/or transfer advisor at their intended transfer institution early in their enrollment to determine the most appropriate curriculum for their proposed program of study at transfer institution.

Requirements

AA General Education Core	**31 credits**
Required Social Science Core	**18 credits**

See below. The specific social science courses to be selected are at the discretion of the student and in consultation with her/his academic advisor.

Open electives	**11 credits**

See below. Selected at the discretion of the student and in consultation with her/his academic advisor.

Total Credits	**60 credits**
Required Social Science Core (selected from below)	**18 credits**

Select a total of six (6) courses or 18 credit credits from any four (4) of the following six (6) social science disciplines.

The choice of social science courses and disciplines is at the student's discretion, in consultation with her or his academic advisor.

Class		Credit
Anthropology		
ANTH-2130	Mexican-American and Native/American Cultures	3
Economics		
ECON-1230	General Economics	3
ECON-2120	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON-2110	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
Geography		
GEOG-1120	Physical Geography	3
GEOG-2260	Cultural Geography	3
History		
HIST-2010	American History I	3
HIST-2020	American History II	3
HIST-2050	Special Topics in History	3
HIST-2060	History of Nebraska	3
HIST-2100	World Civilizations (4000 B.C. – 1500 A.D.)	3
HIST-2110	World Civilizations (1500 A.D. – Present)	3
HIST-2580	History of the American West	3
Political Science		
POLS-1000	American Government	3
POLS-1600	International Relations	3
Sociology		
SOCI-1010	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOCI-2050	Special Topics in Sociology	3
SOCI-2250	Marriage and Family	3
SOCI-2150	Issues of Unity and Diversity	3

Recommended Elective Courses 11 credits (selected from below)

Class		Credit
	Any ANTH course	3
	Any ECON course	3
	Any GEOG course	3
	Any HIST course	3
	Any PHIL course	3
	Any POLS course	3
	Any PSYC course	3
	Any SOCI course	3
	Leadership Development course	3
	Case Studies in Leadership course	3
CRIM-1010	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
CRIM-1030	Courts & the Judicial Process	3
CRIM-2150	Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice	3
INFO-1100	Microcomputer Applications	3

Recommended Plan of Study

1st Semester		**Credits**
ENGL-1010	English Composition I	3
MATH-2170	Applied Statistics	3
PRDV-1010	Achieving College Success	3
	Course from core areas of study	3
	Elective	3
	Total Credits	**15**

2nd Semester		**Credits**
	Courses from core areas of study	6
	Humanities GE elective	3
	Oral Communication GE elective	3
	Social Sciences GE elective	3
	Total Credits	**15**

3rd Semester		**Credits**
ENGL-1020	English Composition II	3
	Courses from core areas of study	6
	Lab Science GE elective	4
	Elective	3
	Total Credits	**16**

4th Semester		**Credits**
	Course from core area of study	3
	Humanities GE elective	3
	Social Science GE elective	3
	Electives	6
	Total Credits	**15**
	Total AA Credits	**61**

Health Information Technology

Associate of Applied Science
Diploma
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The Health Information Technology (HIT) Program is designed to prepare students to enter the health information field with either a diploma in coding or an Associate of Applied Science degree. Students receiving a diploma are prepared to work in entry-level positions as a coding technician in a variety of healthcare settings. Those receiving an Associate of Applied Science degree