## Associate of Arts Global Studies: Pre-Major

PROGRAM CODE: 20-800-1





Location: All Campuses

Start Dates: August and January

**Admission Requirement:** High school diploma or GED **Transfer:** Will transfer to one or more four-year institutions

Financial Aid Eligible: Yes.

Apply at fafsa.gov. Use School Code 003866.

## Liberal Arts and Sciences Four-Year College Transfer Program

This Associate of Arts program prepares you for effective intercultural interaction in a globalized society. The curriculum explores contemporary global issues with an emphasis on foreign language study, multicultural perspectives and service learning. Students will develop effective communication skills and learn strategies to support cultural exploration in a global context. Students earn the first two years of bachelor's degree credit courses that will transfer (consult with the destination institution regarding specific requirements for a major and credit transfer details). Courses may be taken online or face-to-face.

## **Program Learning Outcomes**

- Effective Communication
- Information Literacy
- Global Awareness
- · Analytical/Critical Thinking
- Professionalism
- · Scientific Method



**Complete Program Details** 

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COURSE CREDITS
English – 6 credits required6
ENG-201 English 1 ‡ ENG-202 English 2 ‡
Speech – 3 credits required3
SPEECH-206 Intercultural Communication
World/Foreign Language - 4 credits required4
Any 200-level FLANG
Most four-year universities require at least four consecutive semesters of the same language. Students with prior experience can place into a higher level with the potential of earning 2-14 free retroactive credits. Students who completed four high school semesters of the same language with a grade of C or better can waive this requirement; the four waived credits must be made up with other 200-level credits.
Humanities – 15 credits required15
Recommended – Any additional 200-level FLANG courses
Social Sciences – 15 credits required 15
SOCSCI-208 Global Cultures and Politics
(or) GLOBAL-115 International Field Studies
SOCSCI-217 Valuing Diversity
SOCSCI-224 Peoples and Cultures of the World
HIST-229 World History Since 1500 ECON-223 Ecological Economics
(or) ECON-202 Principles of Macroeconomics
Mathematics – 4 credits required
Natural Sciences – 7 credits required
GEOSCI-232 Earth Science (3 credits), take concurrently with GEOSCI-234 Earth Sciences Laboratory (1 credit)
Any 200-level natural science technology or environmental sciences-related course; choose one of the following:
GEOSCI-233 Environmental Science GEOSCI-246 Climate Change Fundamentals BIOSCI-260 Plagues, People and Power ‡
Physical Education – 3 credits required3
Select any 200-level PHYED course(s).
Additional Electives – 3 credits required3
Choose any 200-level courses.

## **CREDITS**

Total credits needed to complete this degree

60

‡ Prerequisite required.

Program curriculum requirements are subject to change.

Current MATC students should consult their Academic Program Plan for specific curriculum requirements.

Note: It is important to consult the four-year college/university regarding transferability of your selected courses. Successful completion of this degree requires a grade-point average of 2.0 (C) or higher, with 25% of the credits taken at MATC. Students in their final semester should choose a course incorporating service learning. See an MATC advisor for information.



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