

GENERAL STUDIES (AA)

Associate of Arts

Transfer Program

Interest Areas:

Arts, Comm. and Humanities
Business Admin. and Management
Healthcare
Science, Tech., Engr. and Math
Soc. Sciences and Human Svcs.

This program provides students with a highly adaptable framework for completion of a transfer degree to serve their diverse educational and career interests, including the general core requirements at all Idaho public universities. Course selection made with the support of advisors can be tailored to prepare students for successful transfer to a wide variety of bachelor degree programs and institutions, as well as prepare for further study or various career pursuits. This program is also well-suited for students interested in a degree that explores multiple fields of learning.

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Program Website (<https://www.nic.edu/programs/general-studies/>)

Program Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
General Education Requirements		
GEM 1 - Written Communication		6
GEM 2 - Oral Communication		3
GEM 3 - Mathematical Ways of Knowing		3-5
GEM 4 - Scientific Ways of Knowing		7-8
GEM 5 - Humanistic and Artistic Ways of Knowing		6
GEM 6 - Social and Behavioral Ways of Knowing		6
GEM 7W - Wellness		1-3
Select one of the following:		3
GEM 7F - First Year Experience		
GEM 7I - Institutionally Designated		
Electives Requirements		
Courses 100-level or higher		22-24
Total Credits		60-64

Course Key



GEM



AAS
Institutionally
Designated



Gateway



Milestone

Program Outcomes

Upon completion of the program, students will be able to:

1. Express themselves effectively, in both written and oral forms, to varied audiences to serve diverse purposes.
2. Use appropriate mathematical principles and practices to interpret mathematical concepts, execute and explain appropriate strategies, and draw conclusions.
3. Apply scientific reasoning to various discipline-related questions and use laboratory practices appropriately for study, analysis, and replication of key principles.
4. Use social science reasoning to inquire, collect relevant information, and develop insights on individual, social, community, regional, national, and/or global issues.
5. Describe and interpret how a variety of humanistic and artistic forms, reflect, shape, and influence the human condition.
6. Demonstrate self-awareness, apply integrative learning, and develop commitment toward educational and life goals.
7. Design program coursework to achieve their intended future educational or career goal.

In addition to the program outcomes, students will meet the North Idaho College General Education (GEM) Requirements.