# LIBERAL ARTS - ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

#### **Overview**

Associate of Arts, 61 credits

Program Code: 20-800-1

Work with an advisor to design a customized set of courses from a variety of academic areas. Gain a strong foundation of liberal arts credits in disciplines like Social Sciences and Humanities. Prepare for seamless transfer to four-year bachelor's degree programs and gain a credential to take into the workforce.

The minimum required course grades and program grade point average (GPA) for students under this catalog are:

Core Courses = C General Studies Courses = C Program GPA = 2.0

## **Learning Outcomes**

#### **Program Outcomes:**

- 1. Knowledge of Human Cultures
- 2. Knowledge of the Natural World
- 3. Critical and Creative Thinking Skills
- 4. Effective Communication Skills
- 5. Intercultural Knowledge and Competence
- 6. Individual, Social and Environmental Responsibility

#### **Critical Life Skills**

To help our students prepare for success in a workplace and society that is **increasingly global, multicultural and collaborative**, we provide curricular and co-curricular opportunities to develop critical life skills. WCTC is committed to teaching all students the following skills:

- · Communication: Demonstrate appropriate communication.
- Critical Thinking/Problem Solving: Demonstrate critical thinking skills to analyze situations and solve problems.
- · Relationships: Demonstrate effective interpersonal skills.
- · Self-management: Demonstrate responsible and respectful behavior.

### **Course Options**

View additional courses offered at UWM at Waukesha (https://www.wctc.edu/\_site-pdfs/liberal-arts-uwm-waukesha.pdf)

#### **Communication (9 credits)**

| Code                                     | Title                 | Credits |  |  |
|--|-----------------------|---------|--|--|
| Required courses:                        | Required courses:     |         |  |  |
| 801-198                                  | Speech                | 3       |  |  |
| 801-223                                  | English Composition 2 | 3       |  |  |
| Choose 1 course from the following list: |                       |         |  |  |
| 801-197                                  | Technical Reporting   | 3       |  |  |
| 801-243                                  | Business Writing      | 3       |  |  |
|  |                       |         |  |  |

#### Social Science (12 credits)

| Code               | Title                          | Credits |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|---------|
| Required Course:   |                                |         |
| 809-172            | Intro to Diversity Studies     | 3       |
| Choose 3 WCTC cour | ses from the following list:   |         |
| 803-212            | American History - 1877 to Pre | 3       |
| 803-215            | African American History - 186 | 3       |
| 809-159            | Abnormal Psychology            | 3       |
| 809-143            | Microeconomics                 | 3       |
| 809-188            | Developmental Psychology       | 3       |
| 809-195            | Economics                      | 3       |
| 809-196            | Intro to Sociology             | 3       |
| 809-197            | Contemporary Amer Society      | 3       |
| 809-198            | Intro to Psychology            | 3       |
| 809-209            | Personal Finance               | 1       |
| 809-211            | Money, Crypto and Debt         | 1       |
| 809-221            | The Good Life                  | 1       |
| 809-227            | American Government            | 3       |
| 809-229            | Claim Your Power: Voting and P | 1       |
| 809-235            | Multicultural America          | 3       |
| 809-245            | Blood, Sex, Money, and Power   | 3       |
| 809-287            | Principles of Macroeconomics   | 3       |

# Arts and Humanities (3 Arts credits and 9 Humanities credits)

| Code                    | Title                                     | Credits |
|-------------------------|---|---------|
| Choose 1 Arts course    | from UWM at Waukesha. Choose 2            |         |
| Humanities courses f    | rom the following list or UWM at Waukesha |         |
| View the link at the to | op of this page for offerings at UWM at   |         |
| Waukesha.               |   |         |
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| 801-196 | Oral/Interpersonal Comm        | 3 |
|---------|--------------------------------|---|
| 801-204 | Introduction to Literature     | 3 |
| 801-214 | Cross Cultural Communication   | 1 |
| 801-236 | 20th Century American Literatu | 3 |
| 801-247 | Contemporary World Literature  | 3 |
| 809-166 | Intro to Ethics: Theory & App  | 3 |
| 809-223 | Introduction to World Religion | 3 |

#### Math and Science (6 math credits and 7 Science credits)

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| Code         | Title                              | Credits |
| Choose 2 WCT | C courses from the following list: |         |
| 804-118      | Interm Algebra w Apps              | 4       |
| 804-133      | Math & Logic                       | 3       |
| 804-189      | Introductory Statistics            | 3       |
| 804-195      | College Algebra w Apps             | 3       |
| 804-196      | Trigonometry w Apps                | 3       |
| 804-198      | Calculus 1                         | 4       |
| 804-211      | Quantitative Reasoning             | 3       |
| 806-139      | Survey of Physics                  | 3       |
| 806-144      | College Physics 2                  | 3       |
| 806-187      | Calculus Based Physics 1           | 3       |
| 806-188      | Calculus Based Physics 2           | 3       |

Choose 2 courses (including 1 Lab Science) from this WCTC list or UWM at Waukesha. View the link at the top of this page for offerings at UWM at Waukesha.

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| 806-114 | General Biology (Discipline: Biology) Lab             | 4 |
| 806-134 | General Chemistry (Discipline: Chemistry) Lab         | 4 |
| 806-186 | Intro to Biochemistry (Discipline: Chemistry) Lab     | 4 |
| 806-143 | College Physics 1 (Discipline: Physics) Lab           | 3 |
| 806-197 | Microbiology (Discipline: Biology) Lab                | 4 |
| 806-177 | Gen Anatomy & Physiology (Discipline: Biology)<br>Lab | 4 |
| 806-179 | Adv Anatomy & Physiology (Discipline: Biology)<br>Lab | 4 |
| 806-207 | Anatomy & Physiology 1 (Discipline: Biology)<br>Lab   | 4 |
| 806-208 | Anatomy & Physiology 2 (Discipline: Biology)<br>Lab   | 4 |

<sup>\*</sup>The combination of General A&P (806-177) and Adv. A&P (806-179) substitutes for both A&P 1 (806-207) and A&P 2 (806-208)

#### Health (1 credit)

Code Title Credits

Choose 1 course from WCTC or UWM at Waukesha. View the link at the top of this page for offerings at UWM at Waukesha.

| 809-213 | Walking the Tightrope of Life | 1 |
|---------|-------------------------------|---|
| 809-214 | Mindfulness - Doing, Thinking | 1 |

#### **World Languages (4 credits)**

Code Title Credits

Choose 1 course from UWM at Waukesha. View the link at the top of this page for offerings at UWM at Waukesha.

#### **Liberal Arts Seminar (1 credit)**

| Code    | Title                | Credits |
|---------|----------------------|---------|
| 890-201 | Liberal Arts Seminar | 1       |

#### **Electives**

Code Title Credits

Choose 9-13 Credits

Any associate degree level courses at WCTC.