

# Student Planning Worksheet 2025-2026

## Associate in Arts (AA) Degree

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**Companion to the 2025-2025 College of DuPage  
Catalog.**

This worksheet is only a planning tool.

**Official evaluation is done by the Records Office.**

### Requirements for Associate in Arts Degree

1. Complete at least 60 semester hours of credit in courses numbered 1000 or above (or equivalent) for the degree.
2. Possess a minimum 2.0 (C) average in the combined grade point average of all College of DuPage courses numbered 1000 and above and all courses accepted for transfer from other institutions.
3. Complete a minimum of 20 semester hours of applicable degree credit at College of DuPage.
4. Students who break enrollment for more than three consecutive semesters are subject to the degree requirements as stated in the College of DuPage Catalog that is current at the time of re-entry. Students who are covered under a catalog prior to 2015 should consult with a counselor or adviser.
5. Earn no more than 4 semester credits from Physical Education activity courses.
6. Please note that overall degree requirement credits will be increased if you take more than one course from each group. Group 1: Math 1428, MATH 1431, or Group 2: Math 1635, Psychology 2280, and Sociology 2205.
7. Earn no more than 42 semester credits by demonstrated competence through the Advanced Placement Program (AP), the subject examinations of the College Level Examination Program (CLEP), and the College of DuPage Proficiency Through an Instructor.
8. Submit an Application for a Degree or Certificate no sooner than one term before expected completion of requirements.
9. Be in good standing at the time final credits for the degree are earned.
10. To officially check your up-to-date degree status, go to Student Planning and select degree evaluation, listed under academics, and select your appropriate degree.
11. A maximum of 10 semester credits in courses from the Career & Technical Education section can be applied toward this degree.
12. All General Education Core Curriculum courses must be taken with a letter grade, not satisfactory/fail grades.
13. No more than 6 semester hours of History in the Humanities and Social/Behavioral Sciences categories combined may apply toward General Education requirements. Additional credits in History may be earned as General Elective credit.
14. Earn no more than 16 semester credits in courses numbered 1800 or 2800, 1840 or 2840, 1820 to 1829, and 2820 to 2829, or labeled as independent study, experimental/pilot, selected topics, or field/experiential.
15. Earn no more than 12 semester hours of Additional Coursework credit on a satisfactory/fail basis.
16. Earn an additional 10 credits for each additional degree.

### Associate in Arts (AA) Degree Requirements

This degree is designed for students who plan to transfer to a baccalaureate-granting school to pursue a bachelor's degree in a liberal arts, business area, or education. **General Education requirements shown below are minimums. Any credit earned above the minimum will be applied toward credit hour total.**

<b>Gen Ed Core Curriculum</b>	<b>37</b>
Communications	9
Science	7
Mathematics	3
Humanities/Fine Arts	9
Social/Behavioral Sciences	9
<b>Additional Coursework</b>	<b>23</b>
Electives	23
<b>Total Minimum Hours Required</b>	<b>60</b>

## GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

(For Course Descriptions, see [Course Catalog](#))

### TOTAL CREDITS: 60 MINIMUM

General Education Core: 37

Electives: 23

### Communications (9 credits)

Grade of "C" or higher required.

#### Written (6 Credits)

☐ ENGLI 1101 (3) Check when met

☐ ENGLI 1102 (3) Check when met

#### Oral (3 credits)

☐ SPEEC 1100 (3) Check when met

### Physical and Life Sciences (7 to 10 credits)

- Select one course from **Life Sciences** and one course from **Physical Sciences**.
- At least one course must have a laboratory component.

#### Life Science

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

**BIOLO** 1100(4), 1110(4), 1120(3)-No Lab, 1130(4), 1151(5)

#### Physical Science

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

**CHEMI** 1105(4), 1205(4), 1211(5), 1551(5)

**EARTH** 1101(4), 1102(4), 1105(4), 1110(4), 1111(3)-No Lab, 1115(4), 1119(3)-No Lab, 1120(3)-No Lab, 1122(4), 1124(4), 1126(3), 1130(4) OR 1131(3)-No Lab not both, 1135(4), 1140(4) OR 1141(3)-No Lab not both

**PHYSI** 1100(4), 1150(3)-No Lab, 1180(3)-No Lab, 1201(5), 2111(5)

### Mathematics (3 to 5 credits)

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

**MATH** 1218(3), 1220(3), 1322(3), 1533(4), 2000 (3), 2115(3), 2134(4), 2231(5), 2232(5), 2233(4)

Statistics: **MATH** 1635(4) OR **PSYCH** 2280(3) OR **SOCIO** 2205(3) – Only one of these three courses may be used to satisfy the General Education Math requirements; and **PSYCH**-2280 or **SOCIO**-2205 may count toward degree credits.

### Humanities and Fine Arts (9 credits)

Select at least one course from **Humanities** and at least one course from **Fine Arts**. The third course can be from **either area (Humanities or Fine Arts)**.

#### Humanities

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

**ENGLI** 1130(3), 1150(3), 1151(3), 1152(3), 1153(3), 1154(3), 1157(3), 1158(3), 1159(3), 1160(3), 1161(3), 1165(3), 2220(3), 2221(3), 2223(3), 2224(3), 2226(3), 2227(3), 2228(3), 2262(3)

**HISTO** 1110(3), 1120(3), 1160(3), 2205(3), 2220(3), 2225(3), 2230(3), 2235(3), 2245(3)

**HUMNT** 1102(3), 1103(3), 1104(3), 1105(3), 1110(3), 1120(3), 1150(3)

**MPTV** 1154(3)

**PHILO** 1100(3), 1110(3), 1116(3), 1120(3), 1125(3), 1150(3), 2010(3), 2011(3), 2150(3), 2155(3)

**RELIG** 1100(3), 1110(3), 1120(3), 1150(3), 1155/2155(3), 2160(3)

**CHINE** 2202(4)

**FRENC** 2202(4), 2251(3), 2252(3)

**GERMA** 2202(4), 2251(3), 2252(3)

**ITALI** 2202(4)

**JAPAN** 2202(4)

**KOREA** 2202(4)

**RUSSI** 2202(4)

**SPANI** 2202(4), 2206(4), 2208(4), 2251(3), 2252(3)

#### Fine Arts

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

**ART** 1100(3), 2211(3), 2212(3), 2213(3), 2214(3)

**ENGLI** 1135(3), 1145 (3), 1154(3)

**HUMNT** 1101(3), 1104(3), 1105(3), 1110(3)

**MPTV** 1135(3), 1145(3), 1154(3)

**MUSIC** 1100(3), 1104(3), 1115(3)

**THEAT** 1100(3)

#### Humanities OR Fine Arts

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

♦ Earn no more than 6 History credits in Gen Ed categories. Additional credits in History may be earned as Elective credit.

### Social & Behavioral Sciences (9 credits)

Select three courses from at least two disciplines.

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Course: \_\_\_\_\_

**ANTHR** 1000(3), 1100(3), 1105(3), 1130(3), 1200(3), 1400(3)

**ECONO** 2200(3), 2201(3), 2202(3)

**GEOGR** 1100(3), 1105(3), 1120(3), 1130(3), 1140(3)

**HISTO** 1130(3), 1140(3), 2210(3), 2215(3), 2242(3), 2260(3)

**POLS** 1100(3), 1101(3), 1105(3), 2203(3), 2220(3)

**PSYCH** 1100(3), 2230(3), 2233(3), 2235(3), 2237(3), 2240(3)

**SOCIO** 1100(3), 1120(3), 2210(3), 2215(3), 2220(3)

♦ Earn no more than 6 History credits in Gen Ed categories. Additional credits in History may be earned as Elective credit.

Human Relations	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><b>One course</b> (<i>check when met</i>)</p> <p><b>ANTHR</b> 1000**, 1100**, 1105**, 1130**, 1410</p> <p><b>ART</b> 1100**</p> <p><b>COLLG</b> 1105, 1110</p> <p><b>CRIMJ</b> 2150</p> <p><b>DANCE</b> 1100</p> <p><b>EDUCA</b> 1101, 1105, 1110</p> <p><b>ENGLI</b> 1160**, 1161**, 1165**</p> <p><b>GEOGR</b> 1130**</p> <p><b>HISTO</b> 2200, 2237, 2242, 2255, 2267</p> <p><b>HUMAN</b> 11130, 1121, 2240</p> <p><b>HUMNT</b> 1110**</p> <p><b>MANAG</b> 2220</p> <p><b>OFTI</b> 26000</p> <p><b>PHILO</b> 1110**, 1112, 1114, 2010**, 2011**</p> <p><b>POLS</b> 2230</p> <p><b>PSYCH</b> 1150, 2235**, 2240**</p> <p><b>SOCIO</b> 1100**, 1120**, 2215**, 2225, 2290</p> <p><b>SPANI</b> 1100, 1110</p> <p><b>SPEEC</b> 1200, 2200</p>
Global/Multicultural Studies (3 credits)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<p><i>Course: _____</i></p> <p><b>ANTHR</b> 1000**, 1100**, 1105**, 1110, 1130**, 1400**</p> <p><b>ARABI</b> 1100, 1101, 1102</p> <p><b>ART</b> 1100**, 2211**, 2212**, 2213**, 2214**</p> <p><b>BUSIN</b> 2255</p> <p><b>CHINE</b> 1100, 1101, 1102, 2201, 2202**</p> <p><b>CRIMJ</b> 2150</p> <p><b>ECONO</b> 2220</p> <p><b>ENGLI</b> 1160**, 1161**, 2221**, 2226**, 2227**, 2262**</p> <p><b>FRENC</b> 1100, 1101, 1102, 2201, 2202**, 2251**, 2252**</p> <p><b>GEOGR</b> 1100**, 1105**, 1120**, 2204, 2235</p> <p><b>GERMA</b> 1100, 1101, 1102, 2201, 2202**, 2251**, 2252**</p> <p><b>HISTO</b> 2200, 2205**, 2210**, 2215**, 2220**, 2225**, 2230**, 2235**, 2237, 2240, 2242, 2250, 2267</p> <p><b>HUMAN</b> 11210, 22400</p> <p><b>HUMNT</b> 1105**</p> <p><b>ITALI</b> 1100, 1101, 1102, 2201, 2202**, 2251, 2252</p> <p><b>JAPAN</b> 1100, 1101, 1102, 2201, 2202**, 2251, 2252</p> <p><b>KOREA</b> 1101, 1102, 2201, 2202**</p> <p><b>MCOMM</b> 1120**</p> <p><b>MUSIC</b> 1104**, 1115**</p> <p><b>PHILO</b> 1110**, 1116**, 1150**</p> <p><b>POLS</b> 2203**, 2220**, 2221</p> <p><b>RELIG</b> 1100**, 1150**, 1155/2155**, 2160**</p> <p><b>RUSSI</b> 1101, 1102, 2201, 2202**</p> <p><b>SOCIA</b> 1110</p> <p><b>SOCIO</b> 2210**, 2220**</p>

\*\* Course conforms to the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) general education standards.

◇ Credits apply to the Career and Technical Education (CTE) category.

**No more than 4 credits of Physical Education Activity Coursework may apply toward an associates degree.**

### Transfer Oriented Electives

**Accountancy** 2140, 2150, 2205, 2206, 2241, 2242, 2251, 2870\*\*\*  
**Anatomy and Physiology**  
**Anthropology**  
**Art**  
**Biology** (except 2871)  
**Botany**  
**Business** (except 1111, 1120, 1155, 1161, 1170, 2200, 2220, 2860, 2865)  
**Business Law** (except 2860, 2865)  
**Chemistry**  
**College Skills**  
**Criminal and Justice Studies** 1100, 1151, 1152, 1510, 2030, 2150, 2231, 2240, 2510\*\*\*  
**Dance** 1100\*\*\*  
**Early Childhood Education & Care** 1101, 2870\*\*\*  
**Earth Science**  
**Economics**  
**Education**  
**Engineering**  
**English** (except 2863)  
**Fashion** 1116  
**Foreign Language:**  
    **Arabic, Chinese** (except 1800),  
    **French, German, Italian,**  
    **Japanese, Korean, Russian,**  
    **Spanish**  
**Geography**  
**History**  
**Humanities**  
**Interior Design** 2870\*\*\*  
**Management** 2210\*\*\*  
**Marketing** 2210\*\*\*  
**Mass Communication**  
**Mathematics** (except 1100, 1102, 1104, 1115, 1116)  
**Microbiology**  
**Motion Picture/Television** 1111, 2022\*\*\*  
**Music**  
**Philosophy**  
**Photography** 1105\*\*\*  
**Physical Education** (except 2863)  
**Physics** (except 1800, 1953, 1963, 2800)  
**Political Science**  
**Psychology**  
**Religious Studies**  
**Social Science**  
**Sociology**  
**Speech** (except 1140)  
**Theater**  
**Zoology**

\*\*\* All other courses in these subject areas are assigned to the Career & Technical Education Category.

### Career and Technical Education Electives

**A maximum of 10 semester hours of**  
*Career & Technical education coursework may apply toward the AS Degree. This is not required. Students should verify the transferability of their courses with their transfer institution prior to enrollment.*

**Accountancy** (except 2140, 2150, 2205, 2206, 2241, 2242, 2251, 2870)  
**Anesthesia Technology**  
**Architecture**  
**Automotive Service Technology**  
**Aviation Technology**  
**Biology** 1871  
**Business** 1111, 1120, 1155, 1161, 1170, 2200, 2220, 2860, 2865  
**Business Law** 2860, 2865  
**Central Sterile Processing**  
**Distribution**  
**Computer & Information Science**  
**Computer & Information Technology**  
**Cosmetology**  
**Criminal and Justice Studies** (except 1100, 1151, 1152, 1510, 2030, 2150, 2231, 2240, 2510)  
**Culinary Arts**  
**Dance** (except 1100)  
**Dental Hygiene**  
**Diagnostic Medical Imaging – Nuclear Medicine**  
**Diagnostic Medical Imaging – Radiography**  
**Diagnostic Medical Imaging – Sonography**  
**Early Childhood Education and Care** (except 1101, 2870)  
**Electro-Mechanical Technology**  
**Electronics Technology**  
**English** 2863  
**Eye Care Assistant**  
**Fashion Studies** (except 1116)  
**Fire Science**  
**Graphic Design**  
**Health Information Technology**  
**Health Sciences**  
**Hearing Instrument Dispensary Program**  
**Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration (HVACR)**  
**Horticulture**  
**Hospitality and Tourism**  
**Human Services**  
**Interior Design** (except 2870)  
**Interpreting**  
**Library and Information Technology**  
**Long-Term Care Administration**  
**Magnetic Resonance Imaging Technology**  
**Management** (except 2210)  
**Manufacturing Technology**

### (Career and Technical Education Electives continued)

**Marketing** (except 2210)  
**Mathematics** 1100, 1102, 1104, 1115, 1116  
**Medical Assistant**  
**Motion Picture/Television** (except 1111, 2022)  
**Nursing**  
**Office Technology Information**  
**Paralegal Studies**  
**Patient Care Technician**  
**Photography** (except 1105)  
**Physical Education, Fitness, & Sports Studies** 2863  
**Physical Therapist Assistant**  
**Physics** 1800, 1953, 1963, 2800  
**Radiation Therapy**  
**Real Estate**  
**Respiratory Care**  
**Sign Language**  
**Speech-Language Pathology Assistant**  
**Surgical First Assistant**  
**Surgical Technology**  
**Welding**

### Student and College Services

Campus Central  
(630) 942-3000

Center for Access and Accommodations  
(630) 942-2154

Student Financial Assistance  
(630) 942-2251

Office of Student Records  
(630) 942-3838

Student Registration Services  
(630) 942-2377

Testing Services  
(630) 942-2400

Veterans Services  
(630) 942-3814