

Associate in Arts

The Associate in Arts (A.A.) degree program is designed for students who plan to pursue the Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) and other liberal arts and pre-professional degrees at four-year colleges and universities. The A.A. degree prepares students for the following baccalaureate programs:

Anthropology	Management
Art	Music
Business Administration	Nursing
Business Education	Parks and Recreation
Computer Science	Philosophy
Communication	Physical Education
Criminal Justice	Political Science
Economics	Pre-Law
Elementary Education	Psychology
English	Religion
Foreign Languages	Secondary Education
Geography	Social Work
Health Education	Sociology
History	Spanish
International Studies	Special Education
Journalism	Speech
Law Enforcement	Theatre

Associate in Science

The Associate in Science (A.S.) degree program is designed for students who plan to pursue the Bachelor of Science (B.S.) and other scientific, technological, health care, and pre-professional degrees at four-year colleges and universities. The A.S. degree is an excellent preparation to pursue the following baccalaureate programs:

Agriculture	Pre-Dentistry
Biology	Pre-Medicine
Chemistry	Pre-Optometry
Engineering	Pre-Pharmacy
Environmental Studies	Pre-Physical Therapy
Forestry	Pre-Veterinary Medicine
Geology	Public Health
Marine Biology	Textiles
Mathematics	Wildlife Biology
Medical Technology	Wood Science
Physics	

Associate in Fine Arts

The Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) degree program is designed for students who plan to pursue a Bachelor of Fine Arts at four-year colleges and universities. The A.F.A. degree is an excellent preparation to pursue the following baccalaureate programs:

Art	Drama	Music
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Is this program for you?

The Associate in Arts (A.A.), Associate in Science (A.S.), and Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) degree programs are designed to prepare students to transfer to four-year colleges and universities. Students are able to complete the course-work equivalent of the first two years of four-year bachelor's degree programs and, when they graduate, to transfer to four-year institutions with junior status. The Associate in Arts and Associate in Science degrees are recognized and accepted by American colleges and universities as the standard college transfer degrees.

What will your life be like as a College Transfer student?

The **A.A. and A.S. degree programs** require students to complete a 65 semester-hour credit (SHC) program of courses. Each program includes 44 SHC of General Education Core transfer courses, 20 SHC of other required and elective transfer courses, and a 1 SHC orientation /study skills course. All college transfer courses submitted for graduation require a minimum grade of "C."

Both 65 SHC curriculums include a planned program of about 20 courses in English composition, humanities and fine arts, natural sciences, mathematics, and social and behavioral sciences. This course work provides a foundation for further study in student's major fields when they transfer. Full-time students, who normally take five or six courses each semester, can graduate in four semesters or two years.



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The **Associate in Fine Arts (A.F.A.) degree** is designed primarily for students who plan to transfer to complete a bachelor's degree in fine arts. The A.F.A. degree shall be granted for planned programs of study consisting of 65 semester hours of approved college transfer courses. Community college graduates who have earned 64 semester hours of academic credit in approved transfer courses with a grade of "C" or better in each course and an overall GPA of at least 2.0 on a 4.0 scale will receive at least 64 semester hours of academic credit upon admission to a university. The receiving institution will determine whether the course will count as general education, major, or elective credit. Because the AFA curriculum standard includes only 28 SHC for general education, AFA students who transfer must meet the general education requirements of the receiving institution.

How do you get started?

Brunswick Community College adheres to the "open door" policy as established by the North Carolina State Board of Community Colleges; admission standards do apply. Brunswick Community College will operate under such an "open door" admission policy in order to meet the broad range of educational needs in service to the people of Brunswick County and the surrounding area. All students enrolling in an associate degree, diploma, or certificate curriculum at Brunswick Community College must be high school graduates or possess a GED or Adult High School Diploma. Application forms may be obtained in person or by contacting:

Student Development Office
910-755-7320 or 1-800-754-1050, Ext. 320

Each applicant receives an application packet, which contains the placement-testing schedule, information on financial aid, registration, and transcript request forms. Applications for admission should generally be submitted at least two weeks prior to registration.

**To learn more about the Arts & Sciences, contact:
Jennifer Woodhead, Dean
(910) 755-7359
woodheadj@brunswickcc.edu.**

Services for students with disabilities are available upon request. Please contact the Office of Student Development.

What are your potential opportunities with College Transfer?

Transferring to one of the 16 universities of the University of North Carolina system has been simplified under the 1997 Comprehensive Articulation Agreement between the UNC system and the N.C. Community College System. The agreement does not guarantee admission to a UNC institution or to a particular degree program.

The following pre-majors are available at BCC: Business Administration, Accounting, Economics, Finance and Marketing, Elementary Education, Nursing, Biology, Criminal Justice, and Biology Education.

AN OUTLINE OF GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Associate in Arts (AA) Total = 65 SHC

- General Education Core (44 SHC)
 - English Composition (6 SHC)
 - Humanities/Fine Arts (12 SHC)
 - Social/Behavioral Sciences (12 SHC)
 - Natural Sciences/Mathematics (14 SHC)

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- Other Required Hours (21 SHC)
 - Orientation (1 SHC)
 - General education, pre-major, and elective courses (20 SHC)

Associate in Science (AS) Total = 65 SHC

- General Education Core (44 SHC)
 - English Composition (6 SHC)
 - Humanities/Fine Arts (9 SHC)
 - Social/Behavioral Sciences (9 SHC)
 - Natural Sciences/Mathematics (20 SHC)

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- Other Required Hours (21 SHC)
 - Orientation (1 SHC)
 - General education, pre-major, and elective courses (20 SHC)

Associate in Fine Arts (AFA) Total = 65 SHC

- General Education Core (28 SHC)
 - English Composition (6 SHC)
 - Humanities/Fine Arts (6 SHC)
 - Social/Behavioral Sciences (9 SHC)
 - Natural Sciences/Mathematics (7 SHC)

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- Other Required Hours (37 SHC)
 - Orientation (1 SHC)
 - General education, pre-major, and elective courses (36 SHC)