

# Associate of Arts Degree General Concentration

**Program Provider:** Pima Community College

**Total Program Credits:** 60-64

**Program Major Codes:** AOAALA/ALA1/ALAG

[www.pima.edu/general-aa](http://www.pima.edu/general-aa)

## Program Details

Complete the first two years of a Bachelor's Degree for many majors. For most of the concentrations below, Pima requirements are aligned most closely with those at the University of Arizona. Substitutions are available for students planning to transfer to other schools.

## Program Concentrations

English, History and Hotel and Restaurant Management

## Skills Gained

- Effectively communicate information, ideas and/or arguments appropriate to the audience and purpose.
- Identify and investigate problems and develop creative, practical, and ethical solutions by evaluating information and using appropriate methods of reasoning.
- Use mathematical and scientific processes, procedures, data, or evidence to solve problems.
- Locate, evaluate, and use information from diverse sources in an effective and ethical manner.
- Demonstrate understanding of the values and influence of diverse cultural, historical, and global perspectives.

## Pre-requisites/Placement

**Placement tests needed:** Reading, writing and math.

## Academic Options

Transfer to a university and major in subjects other than science, business or technology.

**Important Information:** To receive your Company Tuition Benefits and Pearson Academic Support Services, please make sure to create an inquiry through your company's specific benefits page. Please do not apply directly to Pima Community College.

## Career Options/Outcomes

- A degree in general studies is a great way to build a broad knowledge base and can be used as a foundation for many careers and bachelor or graduate school programs.
- Students can use the wide variety of skills and knowledge acquired throughout their course of study to market their experience to fit a variety of needs in today's economy.
- With varied courses in many disciplines, the general studies program provides a unique opportunity to address many needs of organizations across industries, including government, healthcare, business, finance, and many more.

## Program Pathway Requirements

Choose transferable courses as electives in the specific disciplines that interest you. A grade of C or better is required for graduation.

Arizona General Education Curriculum Requirements (AGEC-A) that are not fulfilled by core or support courses.

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|----------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-----------|
| English Composition              | 6 Credits | Mathematics                    | 3 Credits |
| Humanities and Fine Arts         | 6 Credits | Social and Behavioral Sciences | 6 Credits |
| Biological and Physical Sciences | 8 Credits |                                |           |
|                                  |           | Subtotal: 29 Credits           |           |

### Required Support Courses

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| STU 100 or STU 107: | College Success and Career Planning University Transfer Preparation  | 1 Credits            |
| STU 210:            | University Transfer Strategies                                       | 2 Credits            |
| Second Language***: | Completion of a language course numbered 202, fourth semester level. | 16 Credits           |
|                     |                                                                      | Subtotal: 19 Credits |

### Required Core Courses

Select 12-16 credits of transferrable electives o the total credits for this degree are 60-64.

12-16 Credits

Subtotal: 12-16 Credits

Total: 60-64 Credits