## **Academic Programs of Study**

- General Education at Broward College
- Associate in Arts Degree
   Sample Course Selection, The Gordon Rule, Transfer Guarantees
- Associate in Science Degree
- Associate in Applied Science Degree
- Certificate Programs
- Baccalaureate Degrees
- College Preparatory Program
- English as a Second Language Program

## **Academic Programs of Study**

- 1. Architecture & Construction
- 2. Business, Management, & Administration
- 3. Criminal Justice, Law and Public Safety
- 4. Education
- 5. Engineering & Engineering Technology
- 6. Health Sciences
- 7. Hospitality & Tourism Management
- 8. Humanities
- 9. Information Technology
- 10. Liberal Arts
- 11. Mass Communication, Graphic Design & Multimedia
- 12. Math and Science
- 13. Social and Behavioral Sciences
- 14. Transportation
- 15. Visual and Performing Arts

## Baccalaureate Programs



1. Architecture & Construction	
AA to Baccalaureate Programs	Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs
BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University System with the complete 36 credit-hour Baccalaureate General Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees in fields such as:	While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students for immediate employment, AS degree programs prepare students for employment as well as transfer to specific baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this cluster:
Architecture Interior Design  See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.	Building Construction Technology AS

## Automotive & Aviation Programs – See 14. Transportation

#### 2. Business, Management, & Administration Career and Technical Education Programs AA to Baccalaureate Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General for immediate employment, AS degree programs prepare Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to students for employment as well as transfer to specific baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this in fields such as: cluster: Accounting Administration (e.g. Business, Health Service, Hospitality, Accounting Technology AS Accounting Applications, TC Public, etc.) Advertising Business Administration AS Business Business Management TC Economics & Policy Business Specialist-International Business TC Business Specialist-Small Business Management TC Management (Human Resource, Insurance & Risk, Sports Management TC International Business, Leisure Service, Marketing etc) Entrepreneurship TC Real Estate Urban & Regional Planning Culinary Arts Management AS Food and Beverage Management TC See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections. Hospitality and Tourism Management AS International Business Management AAS Industrial Management Technology AS Global Trade and Logistics AS Business Specialist: Logistics Specialist TC Legal Assisting (Paralegal Studies) AS Marketing Management AS Customer Service TC Marketing Operations TC Legal Office Specialization Medical Office Specialization Office Management Specialization Office Software Applications Specialization Medical Office Management TC Office Management TC Office Specialist TC Office Support TC

Business, Management, & Administration (contin	Business, Management, & Administration (continued)	
AA to Baccalaureate Programs	Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs	
	Office Administration AAS	
	Sports, Fitness and Recreation Management AS Sports Management TC	
	Restaurant Management AAS	
	Travel and Tourism Industry Management AS Rooms Division Management TC	

Baccalaureate Programs (Requires an Associate's Degree or Dean's Approval for Admission – see Program Sheets for details)

Supervision and Management BAS Technology Management BAS

AA to Baccalaureate Programs	Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs
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Criminal Justice Fire and Emergency Services Pre-Law  See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.	Criminal Justice Technology AS Crime Scene Emphasis Criminal Justice Emphasis Polygraph Emphasis
	Broward County Correctional Probation Officer Academy PSAV Correctional Probation Officer Crossover to FL CMS Law Enforcement PSAV Corrections Officer Academy PSAV Crossover From Corrections To Law Enforcement PSAV Broward County Police Academy PSAV Police Service Aide Academy PSAV
	Emergency Management AS, TC  Fire Science Technology AS  For some of the program listed above, student must be hired by a municipality and be approved for training.

#### 4. Education AA to Baccalaureate Programs Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students for immediate employment, AS degree programs prepare System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to students for employment as well as transfer to specific meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State in fields such as: University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this Art Teacher Education Biology Teacher Education Early Childhood Education AS Blind and Visually Handicapped Education This program provides graduates with the ability to design an effective Chemistry Teacher Education educational curriculum, manage children in a classroom setting, Early Childhood Teacher Education supervise early childhood personnel, and efficiently administer Elementary Teacher Education childcare business operations. Emotionally Handicapped Education English Teacher Education Foreign Languages Teacher Education Health Teacher Education Mathematics Teacher Education Mentally Handicapped Education Middle Grades Science Teacher Education Music Teacher Education Physics Teacher Education Social Science Teacher Education Special Teacher Education (Exceptional Student Education) Specific Learning Disabilities Education

## Baccalaureate Programs (Requires an Associates in Arts Degree for Admission – see Program Sheets for details)

Exceptional Student Education Middle Grades General Science Middle Grades Mathematics Secondary Biology Secondary Mathematics

the appropriate course selections.

See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make

AA to Baccalaureate Programs	Career and Technical Education Programs
	including AS to Baccalaureate Programs
BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University	While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students
System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General	for immediate employment, AS degree programs prepare
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meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees	baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State
in fields such as:	University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this
	cluster:
Aerospace Engineering	
Chemical Engineering	Biomedical Engineering Technology AAS
Civil Engineering	Biomedical Engineering Technology ATC
Coastal and Ocean Engineering	
Computer and Information Engineering	Computer Engineering Technology AAS
Electrical – Electronics Engineering	
Manufacturing/Industrial Engineering	Electronics Engineering Technology AAS
Mechanical Engineering	Basic Solar Technician TC
Nuclear Engineering	Electronic Solar Technician TC
See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make	Telecommunications Engineering Technology AAS
the appropriate course selections.	

Baccalaureate Programs (Requires an Associates in Arts Degree for Admission – see Program Sheets for details)

Technology Management BAS

AA to Baccalaureate Programs	Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs
BC offers the State of Florida AA degree that transfers to the State's University System with the complete baccalaureate General Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degree such as:	While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students for immediate employment, AS degree programs prepare students for employment as well as transfer to specific baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this cluster:
Dietetics Food Science/Nutrition Health Service Administration Medical Technology Nutritional Science Pharmacy Pre-Chiropractic Pre-Medical/Dental	Basic Perioperative Nursing ATC  Dental Hygiene AS Dental Assisting PSAV  Emergency Medical Services AS Emergency Medical Technician ATD
Pre-Nursing Pre-Occupational Therapy Pre-Optometry Pre-Physical Therapy Pre-Veterinary Medicine Radiologic (Medical) Technology	Paramedic TC Health Information Management AS Massage Therapy PSAV Medical Assisting PSAV
Therapeutic Recreation  See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.	Nuclear Medicine Technology AS Nuclear Medicine Technology Specialist TC Nursing (R.N.) AS LPN-RN Nursing Transition AS
	Physical Therapist Assistant AS Physical Therapist Assistant (Manual Techniques) ATC

6. Health Sciences (continued)	
AA to Baccalaureate Programs	Career and Technical Education Programs
	including AS to Baccalaureate Programs
	Radiation Therapy AS
	Radiation Therapy Specialist TC
	Hospital Based Radiography AS
	Radiography AS
	Respiratory Care AS
	Diagnostic Medical Sonography Technology (Ultrasound) AS
	Vision Care (Opticianry) AS
	Upon successful completion of a BC Health Science program, students may sit for appropriate State Licensure and/or Certification exams.

Baccalaureate Programs (Requires an Associate's Degree or Dean's Approval for Admission – see Program Sheets for details)

RN to BSN Nursing BSN - Requires a Florida RN License for Admission - see Program Sheets for details

Supervision and Management BAS

## 7. Hospitality & Tourism Management

Baccalaureate Programs (Requires an Associate's Degree or Dean's Approval for Admission – see Program Sheets for details)

Supervision and Management BAS

## AA to Baccalaureate Programs

BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees in fields such as:

Hospitality Administration Leisure Service Management

See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.

## Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs

While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students for immediate employment, AS degree programs prepare students for employment as well as transfer to specific baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this cluster:

Culinary Arts Management AS Food and Beverage Management TC Guest Services Specialist TC

Hospitality and Tourism Management A.S

Restaurant Management AAS Rooms Division Management TC

Travel and Tourism Industry Management AS

#### 8. Humanities

#### AA to Baccalaureate Programs

BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees in fields such as:

African American Studies
English
Foreign Languages (French, German,
Italian, Spanish, etc.)
Humanities
Jewish Studies
Philosophy
Religious Studies
Women's Studies

See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.

## 9. Information Technology

## AA to Baccalaureate Programs

BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees in fields such as:

Computer and Information Engineering Computer and Information Science Computer Engineering Computer Science Information Sciences Information Sciences and Systems Management-Information Systems

See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.

# Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs

While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students for immediate employment, AS degree programs prepare students for employment as well as transfer to specific baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this cluster:

Computer Engineering Technology AAS

Computer Systems Specialist AS
Help Desk Specialist TC
Support Technician TC
Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) TC

Technical Support Specialist AS

Application Programmer AS Sun Certified Java Programmer TC

Microsoft Professional Database Administrator (MCDBA) AS

Oracle Professional Database Administrator AS
Oracle Systems Administrator (Database Administrator
Option) TC

Oracle Professional Database Developer AS Oracle Software Engineering TC

Internet Services Technology AS Website Designer Option TC

Networking Services Technology AS Cisco CCNA TC Microsoft MCITP – TC Network Support Technician TC

Baccalaureate Programs (Requires an Associate's Degree or Dean's Approval for Admission - see Program Sheet for details)

Information Technology BAS Supervision and Management BAS Technology Management BAS

## 10. Liberal Arts & Sciences

#### AA to Baccalaureate Programs

BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees in fields such as:

Liberal Arts & Sciences

See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.

#### 11. Mass Communication, Graphic Design & Multimedia AA to Baccalaureate Programs Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General for immediate employment, AS degree programs prepare Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to students for employment as well as transfer to specific meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this in fields such as: Graphic Design Digital Media/Multimedia Technology AAS Digital Media/Multimedia Production TC Journalism Mass communications Digital Media Web Production TC Public Relations Multimedia Web Development ATC Public Relations & Organizational Graphic Design Technology AS Communications Graphic Design Production TC Radio & Television Broadcasting Speech Pathology Audiology Graphic Design Support TC See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make Internet Services Technology AS the appropriate course selections. Website Designer Option TC

### Baccalaureate Programs (Requires an Associates in Arts Degree for Admission - see Program Sheets for details)

Middle Grades General Science BSED Middle Grades Mathematics BSED Secondary Biology BSED Secondary Mathematics BSED

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Actuarial Science Applied Math/Math Science	Biomedical Engineering Technology AAS Biomedical Engineering Technology ATC
Astronomy	E
Biochemistry Biological Sciences (Biology, Botany, Ecology, Entomology, Marine/Aquatic Biology, Zoology, etc.) Chemistry	Environmental Science Technology AS Geographic Information Systems ATC
Environmental Science	
Exercise Science	
Forensic Science	
Forest Resources and Conservation Geology	
Horticulture Science	
Mathematics P. L. C.	
Natural Resources Parks & Recreation  Math Teacher Education	
Physics	
Science Teacher Education	
Statistics	

## Science - See 12. Math and Science and/or 5. Engineering & Engineering Technology

## 13. Social and Behavioral Sciences

## AA to Baccalaureate Programs

BC offers the AA degree that transfers to the State University System with the complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate General Education requirement. Elective courses can be selected to meet the lower division requirements of baccalaureate degrees in fields such as:

Anthropology

Economics

Geography

International Relations

Latin American Studies

Political Science

Psychology

Social Psychology

Social Sciences

Social Work Sociology

Women's Studies

History

See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.

AA to Baccalaureate Programs	Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to Baccalaureate Programs
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Aerospace Engineering Transportation Management Urban & Regional Planning	Automotive Technology, Dealer Specific (AS, AAS) Automotive Service Management Technology (AS, AAS)
See an Advisor and use BC's Educational Planning tool to make the appropriate course selections.	Airport Operations Management, AS Airport Management TC Air Traffic Control AAS Aviation Operations AS Aviation Maintenance Management, AS, AAS Aircraft Airframe Mechanics, PSAV Aircraft Powerplant Mechanics, PSAV Avionics PSAV Professional Pilot Technology, AS  Global Trade and Logistics AS Business Specialist: Logistics Specialist TC  Marine Engineering Management, AS Marine Technology Certificate

15. Visual and Performing Arts	
AA to Baccalaureate Programs	Career and Technical Education Programs including AS to
	Baccalaureate Programs
BC offers the AA degree that transfers to	While Certificate and AAS degree programs prepare students for immediate
the State University System with the	employment, AS degree programs prepare students for employment as well as
complete 36 credit-hour baccalaureate	transfer to specific baccalaureate programs in the Florida College and the State
General Education requirement. Elective	University Systems. BC offers the following programs in this cluster:
courses can be selected to meet the lower	
division requirements of baccalaureate	Digital Media/Multimedia Technology AAS
degrees in fields such as:	Digital Media/Multimedia Production TC
	Digital Media Web Production TC
Art (Graphic Design, History &	Multimedia Web Development ATC
Appreciation, Teacher Education,	
Studio/Fine Arts, etc.)	Graphic Design Technology AS
Dance (Education, Performance, etc.)	Graphic Design Production TC
Dramatic Arts/Theatre	Graphic Design Support TC
Music (Composition, History &	
Appreciation, Performance,	Internet Services Technology AS
Management & Merchandising, etc.)	Website Designer Option TC
See an Advisor and use BC's Educational	
Planning tool to make the appropriate	
course selections.	

Supervision and Management BAS

## **Baccalaureate Programs**

Bachelors of Applied Science (Requires an Associate's Degree or Dean's Approval for Admission – see Program Sheet for details)

Information Technology Supervision and Management Technology Management

## Bachelors in Science, Education (Requires an Associates in Arts Degree for Admission – see Program Sheets for details)

Exceptional Student Education Middle Grades General Science Middle Grades Mathematics Secondary Biology Secondary Mathematics

Bachelors in Science, Nursing (Requires a Florida RN License for Admission – see Program Sheets for details)

RN to BSN Nursing

## General Education at Broward College

## Philosophy of General Education

General Education at Broward College is a core of common learning experiences that enables students to acquire and apply a broad foundation of integrated knowledge, skills, and behaviors. The core curriculum assures breadth that cannot be found in any specific discipline. In particular, literacy and communication skills, in all their forms, are reinforced throughout the students' program of study. Further, the program provides opportunities for students to apply their acquired knowledge and skills in solving increasingly complex problems. This prepares students to be independent, lifelong learners, assuming roles of responsibility in the global community

## **Expected Educational Results**

The College believes that a well-educated person is one who possesses the intellectual capabilities, skills and behaviors to:

- Read with critical comprehension
- Write clearly and coherently
- Demonstrate literacy as appropriate within a given discipline
- Apply problem solving skills or methods to make informed decisions in a variety of contexts\*\*
- Differentiate between ethical and unethical behavior
- Demonstrate an understanding of the physical, biological, and social environments and how individual behaviors impact this complex system.
- Demonstrate an understanding of and appreciation for human diversities and commonalities
- Speak and listen effectively

## **Selection of General Education Courses**

The College offers four different types of degrees, the Associate in Arts (AA), numerous Associate in Science (AS), the Associate in Applied Science (AAS) and several baccalaureate degrees (BAS, BSED, and BSN). Different degrees have different General Education requirements based upon:

- o Florida Statutes (1001.02, 1007.23, 1007.25),
- O State Board of Education Rules (6A-14.030 and 6A-10.024),
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) Core Requirement 2.7.3 & Comprehensive Standard 3.5.1, and
- Broward College's Policy (6Hx2-4.22).

Broward College requires a total of 36 credits of General Education coursework in communication, mathematics, social/behavioral sciences, humanities, natural sciences and wellness for the AA and baccalaureate degree programs. For the AS and AAS degrees, Broward College requires 15 credits within the subject areas of communication, humanities, social/behavioral sciences and mathematics/natural sciences These requirements are listed in following sections.

## General Education Block Transfer Guarantee for AA Degree Students

Per State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.024, once a student has been certified by an institution on the official transcript as having completed satisfactorily its prescribed general education core curriculum, regardless of whether the associate degree is conferred, no other Florida public postsecondary institution to which he or she may transfer shall require any further such general education courses.

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Biological and Physical Science, Science Labs and Wellness  Math	Social & Behavioral Sciences		nd Fine Arts	Humanities and Fine Arts			cations	Communications	General Education

## General Education Courses by Area

Area 1A Written Communications I	Area 2C Humanities – Art Appreciation
ENC 1101 Composition <sup>C, W</sup> 3	ARH 2000 Art Appreciation <sup>1</sup>
Area 1B Written Communications II	ARH 2050 World Art: Prehistoric to Gothic I, W 3
ENC 1102 Composition <sup>C, W</sup> 3	ARH 2051 World Art: Renaissance to
ENC 2210 Professional and Technical Writing W3	Modern I, W
Area 1C Oral Communications	Area 2D Humanities – Theatre Appreciation
SPC 1024 Introduction to Speech	THE 2000 Theatre Appreciation
Communication 3	Area 2E Humanities – Music Appreciation
SPC 1608 Introduction to Public Speaking 3	MUH 2111 Music History and Literature I, W
	MUL 2010 Music Appreciation <sup>1</sup>
Area 2A Humanities – Literature	Area 2E Humanities - Philosophy
AML 2010 American Literature Colonial	PHI 1100 Introduction to Logic <sup>W</sup>
to 1900 c, w 3	PHI 2010 Introduction to Philosophy W 3
AML 2020 American Literature Since 1900 <sup>C, W</sup> 3	PHI 2600 Introduction to Ethics W
AML 2600 African American Literature I, W 3	Area 2E Humanities - Religion
AML 2631 Hispanic American Literature <sup>I, W</sup> 3	REL 2000 Introduction to the Study of
CRW 1001 Creative Writing W 3	Religion W
CRW 1100 Fiction Writing W 3	REL 2300 World Religions I, W
ENG 2101 Film as Literature W 3	A 2A III
ENL 2012 British Literature I C,I,W 3	Area 3A Historical, Political and Global
ENL 2022 British Literature II C, I, W 3	Perspectives
ENL 2330 Introduction to Shakespeare W 3	AMH 2010 History of the United States to 1865 <sup>C</sup> , W
LIT 2020 Introduction to the Short Story <sup>I, W</sup> 3 LIT 2030 Great Ideas Poetry <sup>W</sup> 3	AMH 2020 History of the United States
,	since 1865 <sup>C, W</sup>
LIT 2110 World Literature through the Renaissance I, W 3	AMH 2035 United States 1945 to Present W
LIT 2120 World Literature Renaissance to	AMH 2091 History of the African American <sup>I, W</sup> 3
the Present I, W 3	EUH 1000 Western Civilization I <sup>C, I, W</sup>
LIT 2310 Literature of the Supernatural and	EUH 1000 Western Civilization II <sup>G, I, W</sup>
Science Fiction W 3	GEA 2000 World Geography <sup>1</sup> 3
Area 2B Humanities – Foreign Languages	GEA 2030 Geography of the Eastern World <sup>1</sup> 3
ASL 1140 American Sign Language I 4	GEA 2040 Geography of the Western World 3
ASL 1150 American Sign Language II 4	GEO 1000 Introduction to Geography I 3
FRE 1120 Beginning French I C, I 4	GEO 2370 Conservation of Natural
FRE 1121 Beginning French II C, I 4	Resources I, W 3
FRE 2220 Intermediate French I <sup>1</sup> 4	GEO 2420 Introduction to Human and
GER 1120 Beginning German I <sup>C, I</sup>	Cultural Geography I, W 3
GER 1121 Beginning German II C, I	INR 2002 Introduction to International
GER 2220 Intermediate German I <sup>1</sup> 4	Relations <sup>I, W</sup> 3
HBR 1121 Beginning Hebrew II <sup>1</sup> 4	LAH 1004 History of the Two Americas I <sup>1</sup> 3
HBR 2220 Intermediate Hebrew I <sup>1</sup> 4	LAH 1005 History of the Two Americas II <sup>1</sup> 3
ITA 1120 Beginning Italian I <sup> I</sup> 4	POS 2041 National Government <sup>C, W</sup> 3
ITA 1121 Beginning Italian II <sup>1</sup> 4	POS 2112 State and Local Government W 3
SPN 1120 Beginning Spanish I <sup>C, I</sup> 4	WOH 2040 World in the Twentieth Century I, W 3
SPN 1121 Beginning Spanish II <sup>C, I</sup> 4	,
SPN 2220 Intermediate Spanish I <sup>1</sup> 4	
SPN 2201 Intermediate Spanish II <sup>1</sup> 3	

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>I</sup> indicates courses that also count for the International/Intercultural Requirement in the AA and baccalaureate degrees.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>C</sup> indicates this course requirement can be satisfied through appropriate test scores on the CLEP exam.

Area 3B Social/Behavioral Sciences		Area 4C Science Labs	
ANT 2000 Introduction to Anthropology I, W	3	Biological Science Labs	
ANT2140 Introduction to Archaeology W	3	BOT 2010L General Botany Lab	1
ANT 2211 Introduction to World Ethnology <sup>I, V</sup>	V 3	BSC 1005L General Biology Lab	1
DEP 2004 Developmental Psychology C, W	3	BSC 1010L Introduction to Biology I Lab*	1
ECO 2013 Principles of Economics I C, W	3	BSC 1085L Anatomy & Physiology I Lab*	1
PSY 2012 General Psychology <sup>C</sup>	3	ZOO 2010L General Zoology Lab	1
SYG 2000 Principles of General Sociology C, I, W	3	Physical Sciences Labs	
SYG 2010 Social Problems W	3	AST 1022L Astronomy Laboratory	1
SYG 2340 Sociology of Human Sexuality W	3	CHM 1025L Introduction to Chemistry Lab	1
Area 4A Biological Sciences		CHM 1032L Chemistry for Health Sciences	
BOT 2010 General Botany	3	Lab*	1
BOT 2800 Ethnobotany	3	CHM 1045L General Chemistry I Lab*	1
BSC 1005 General Biology <sup>C</sup>	3	ESC 1000L Earth Science Lab	1
BSC 1010 Introduction to Biology I*	3	GLY 1010L Physical Geology Lab	1
BSC 1085 Anatomy & Physiology I*	3	GLY 1100L Historical Geology Lab	1
ENY 1001 Insects, Man and Environment	3	OCE 1001L Introductory Oceanography Lab	1
EVR 1009 Environmental Science+	3	PHY 1001L Applied Physics Lab	1
ZOO 2010 General Zoology	3	PHY 2048L General Physics w/Calculus I Lab	<b>*</b> 1
Area 4B Physical Sciences		PHY 2053L General Physics I Lab*	1
AST 1002 Horizons in Astronomy	3	PSC 1121L Physical Sciences Lab	1
AST 1003 Astronomy of the Solar System	3	Area 4D Wellness	
AST 1004 Astronomy of Stars and Galaxies	3	HLP 1081 Total Wellness	2
CHM 1025 Introduction to Chemistry <sup>C</sup>	3	PEM 1116 Functional Wellness	2
CHM 1032 Chemistry for Health Sciences*	3	PEM 1131 Weight Training	2
CHM 1040 General Chemistry A*	3	PEM 1141 Aerobic Wellness	2
CHM 1045 General Chemistry I*	3	PEN 1171 Aquatic Wellness	2
CHM 1046 General Chemistry II*	3	Area 5 Mathematics	
ESC 1000 Earth Science	3	MAC 1105 College Algebra <sup>C</sup>	3
EVR 1009 Environmental Science+	3	MAC 1114 Trigonometry	3
GLY 1010 Physical Geology	3	MAC 1140 Pre-Calculus Algebra <sup>C</sup>	3
GLY 1100 Historical Geology	3	MAC 1147 Pre-Calculus Algebra &	
OCE 1001 Introductory Oceanography	3	Trigonometry <sup>C</sup>	5
PHY 1001 Applied Physics	3	MAC 2233 Business Calculus <sup>C</sup>	3
PHY 2048 General Physics with Calculus I*	4	MGF 1106 Liberal Arts Mathematics I	3
PHY 2049 General Physics with Calculus II*	4	MGF 1107 Liberal Arts Mathematics II <sup>C</sup>	3
PHY 2053 General Physics I*	3	STA 2023 Statistics	3
PHY 2054 General Physics II*	3		
PSC 1121 Physical Sciences Survey	3		

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- <sup>I</sup> indicates courses that also count for the International/Intercultural Requirement in the AA and baccalaureate degrees.
- $^{\mathrm{C}}$  indicates this course requirement can be satisfied through appropriate test scores on the CLEP exam.
- <sup>+</sup> EVR1009 can be used as either a biological or a physical science (but not both).
- \* These courses are designated for students majoring in science, science-related or health-related fields.

## Academic Programs and Graduation Requirements

## Associate in Arts (AA) Degree

Broward College offers the Associate in Arts degree with a wide variety of course options to enable students to seamlessly transfer to the state university system. More information regarding AA options may be obtained from the web site online at <a href="https://www.broward.edu/programs">www.broward.edu/programs</a> or from any Academic Advisor.

#### **AA Mission Statement**

The Associate in Arts degree provides courses of study equivalent to those offered to freshman and sophomore students in the lower division of Florida's state universities. Students are encouraged to meet with an academic advisor to construct their educational plans to include university prerequisite requirements for their major area of study. Students should also consult with an advisor at the university of their choice prior to making course selections to avoid taking excess credits and to determine additional university requirements. If students follow the State's Common Prerequisite manual when selecting their coursework, the AA degree they receive from BC should meet the lower division requirements of the designated State university and allow them to be admitted at the junior-level. The AA degree includes 36 semester hours of General Education courses in addition to courses appropriate for the upper-division major selected by the student. The General Education requirements are within the subject areas of communications, mathematics, social sciences, humanities, and natural sciences. Apart from its transfer function, the degree provides students with the opportunity to gain competencies necessary to be participating and productive members of a democratic society.

Students are encouraged to contact the specific institution they wish to transfer regarding that institution's unique requirements. Specific information concerning transfer to the following Florida state universities is available in any campus Counseling and Advisement Office.

FAMÜ	Florida A and M University
FAU	Florida Atlantic University
FGCU	Florida Gulf Coast University
FIU	Florida International University
FSU	Florida State University

NCF	New College of Florida
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UCF	University of Central Florida
UF	University of Florida
UNF	University of North Florida
USF	University of South Florida
UWF	University of West Florida

## **AA Degree Graduation Requirements**

- Complete 60 semester hours of college credit from the applicable catalog including:
  - a) thirty-six college-level semester credit hours of general education courses in five subject areas: Communications, Mathematics, Social Science, Humanities, and Natural Sciences; and
  - b) twenty-four college-level semester credit hours of electives, which should include required pre-requisites for the university major ("common prerequisites").
- Complete prescribed College Preparatory and ESL Program courses, if required, with a grade of "C" or higher.
- Students must fulfill the computer literacy requirement within the first 15 credit hours of enrollment at BC by successfully completing the CGS1060C course or passing the basic student technology test.
- Complete Gordon Rule writing and mathematics requirements (State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.030).
- Complete BC's International/Intercultural requirement.
- Complete 25% of the prescribed college-level semester credit hours at Broward College.
- Earn a cumulative degree grade point average of 2.0 or higher at BC including transfer credits in courses that comprise the AA degree.
- Fulfill all financial and other obligations to the College.



#### Total AA Degree College Credits: Other Electives **General Education AA Graduation Requirement Areas** տ Demonstrate Computer literacy by passing the Student Technology Literacy Exam within the first 15 credits of enrollment or successfully completing CGS1060C. Complete prescribed College Preparatory and ESL Program courses, if required, with a grade of "C" or higher. Other AA Graduation Requirements: met through eligible General Education courses, or courses count toward Elective credits Mathematics International/Intercultural Select one course from Area 1A, one Writing Requirement Select two courses, one course from each **Humanities and Fine Arts** Communications Select one course. Select courses based on baccalaureate major 2 Program Electives<sup>2</sup> unless majoring in science or health-related Select four courses, one from each category Biological and Physical Science, Social & Behavioral Sciences Select two courses. Choose only one course Select three courses, one from each category course from Area 1B and two other Select two college-level mathematics courses. Science Labs and Wellness 1 from each category. courses designated as priting courses. College Credits Category Categories Categories College Credits Category Course ID College Credits Categories College Credits Categories College Credits Course ID College Credits Sample Course Selection for AA Degree-Seeking Students International, Intercultural Mathematics **ENC1101** Political & Biological Historical ENC1101 Sciences Literature Course Global vary 24 ယ 6 **ENC1102** ENC2210 Behavioral Languages ENC2210 ENC1102 Sciences Social & Physical Ö, Or. ယ Categories (number of categories available vary per Area) Writing College SPC1608 Course SPC1024 Sciences Lab Art Oť. Writing College Wellness Course Theatre 2 Total General Education College Credits: Music Philosophy Religion G **Total Credits** 24 9 36 0 6 6 9 60

- Students majoring in science, science-related or health related fields may take any combination of 7 credits from A, B and C that includes a laboratory course and 2 credits from D (Wellness).
- Elective courses should be selected based upon the baccalaureate degree major the student is pursuing at the upper division level; see an academic advisor/counselor to make appropriate course selections

## **AA General Education Requirements**

See the approved list of General Education courses offered at Broward College in this catalog.

## Communications 9 Credits

Select three courses, one from each category Area 1A, Area 1B, and Area 1C.

#### Note:

 A grade of "C" or higher in courses from 1A and 1B must be achieved to satisfy this requirement (Gordon Rule).

#### Humanities/Fine Arts 6 Credits

Select two courses. Choose only one course from each category Area 2A, Area 2B, Area 2C, Area 2D, Area 2E, Area 2F, or Area 2G.

**Social/Behavioral Sciences** 6 Credits Select one course from each category Area 3A and Area 3B.

## Science/Wellness 9 Credits

Select four courses from each category Area 4A, Area 4B, Area 4C, and Area 4D.

#### Notes

- Students must satisfy college prep reading requirements through coursework or placement test scores prior to enrolling in credit level science courses.
- Students not majoring in science or healthrelated fields must take at least one course from each subcategory, one of which must be a laboratory course.
- Students majoring in science, sciencerelated or health related fields may take any combination of seven credits as designated by the State Common Prerequisite Manual for their major, including one laboratory course (i.e. two physical or two biological science courses plus one lab course) to be counted towards their AA degree's science General Education requirement. These students must see an Advisor to update their educational plan in order to graduate.
- No exemptions shall be permitted from the Wellness requirement (Area 4D) because of age, veteran status or medical reasons. Students with medical restrictions or physical limitations must provide appropriate documentation and shall participate on a modified basis.

## Mathematics 6 Credits

Select two courses from Area 5.

#### Note:

 A grade of "C" or higher in these courses must be achieved to satisfy this requirement (Gordon Rule).

Total General Education (Areas 1-5) 36 Credits

## Programmatic Electives 24 Credits

When choosing electives, students should give careful attention to their major field of study and to the requirements of the institution to which they plan to transfer. Certain technical/occupational courses can be used to satisfy this area requirement. Electives may include any combination of collegelevel courses that are identified for the AA degree. These include courses identified as "common prerequisites" as well as General Education courses. Excluded are college preparatory courses and courses designed especially for technical education curricula. Please consult with an Academic Advisor regarding your course selections.

## Writing Requirement

In keeping with the Gordon Rule (State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.030), all students must take one course from General Education Area 1A and one course from Area 1B, which satisfies one component of the requirement. The remaining component can be satisfied by taking two (2) other courses designated as writing courses in the term schedule. In each of these courses, a variety of assignments relevant to the content of the course may be made. Students must achieve a grade of "C" or higher in the courses to satisfy the writing requirement. Students must be eligible for ENC1101 to enroll in designated writing-credit A complete list of courses that count towards the Writing Requirement are listed under the heading of the Gordon Rule.

Some students who were enrolled in an accredited college or university prior to January 1, 1983, may be exempt from the Writing Requirement. Please see an Academic Advisor for assistance.

## International/Intercultural Requirement

#### 3 Credits

Of the 36-credit General Education requirement, three credits must be earned in an approved International/Intercultural course. Only the following approved courses from the General Education offerings may be used to satisfy this requirement.

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requirement.				
Foreign Language Courses				
AMH 2091 History of the African American G, W				
AML 2600 African American Literature G, W				
AML 2631 Hispanic American Literature G, W				
ANT 2000 Introduction to Anthropology G, W				
ANT 2211 Introduction to World Ethnology				
Peoples of the World G, W	3			
ARH 2000 Art Appreciation <sup>G</sup>				
ARH 2050 Art History I G, W				
ARH 2051 Art History II G, W				
ENL 2012 British Literature, C, G, W				
ENL 2022 British Literature C, G, W				
EUH 1000 Western Civilization I C, G, W				
EUH 1001 Western Civilization II C, G, W				
GEA 2000 World Geography <sup>G</sup>				
GEA 2030 Geography of the Eastern World <sup>G</sup>	3			
GEA 2040 Geography of the Western World <sup>G</sup>	3			

GEO 2420 Introduction to Human and Cultural Geography <sup>G, W</sup> INR 2002 Introduction to International Relations <sup>G, W</sup>

GEO 1000 Introduction to Geography G

GEO 2370 Conservation of Natural Resources <sup>G, W</sup>

LAH 1004 History of the Two Americas I <sup>G</sup>
LAH 1005 History of the Two Americas II <sup>G</sup>
LIT 2020 Introduction to the Short Story <sup>G, W</sup>
LIT 2110 World Literature Through
Renaissance <sup>G, W</sup>

LIT 2120 World Literature Renaissance to Present <sup>G</sup>, <sup>W</sup> MUH 2111 Music History and Literature <sup>G</sup>, <sup>W</sup>

MUL 2010 Music Appreciation <sup>G</sup> REL 2300 World Religions <sup>G, W</sup> SYG 2000 Principles of Sociology <sup>C, G, W</sup> WOH 2040 World in the 20th Century <sup>G, W</sup>

The Gordon Rule

State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.030, known as the Gordon Rule, requires that students graduating with an Associate in Arts Degree meet the following provisions in the areas of Writing and Mathematics. All students seeking an AA or B.A. degree must meet these requirements by the end of the sophomore year.

## Writing

In order to comply with the Gordon Rule, all students are required to demonstrate college-level writing skills in their two (2) required composition courses (one from Area 1A and one from Area 1B) and any other two (2) courses designated (listed below) as carrying writing credit. In all writing-credit courses, students should expect essay tests, in-class writing, and/or formal written presentation of material relevant to the content.

AMH2010 C, G	ENL2022 C,G,I	PHI2010 G
AMH2020 C, G	ENL2330 G,	PHI2600 G
AMH2035 <sup>G</sup>	EUH1000 C,G,I	PHI2930
AMH2091 <sup>G, I</sup>	EUH1001 C,G,I	PLA1201
AML2010 C, G	EUH2032 G, I	PLA1303
AML2020 C, G	EUH2052	PLA1435
$AML2600^{G,I}$	FIN1100	PLA1600
AML2631 G, I	GEO2200	PLA1610
ANT2000 G, I	$GEO2370^{G,I}$	PLA1800
ANT2140 <sup>G</sup>	GEO2420 G,I	PLA2114
ANT2211 G, I	$INR2002^{G,I}$	PLA2466
ANT2381	JST1500	PLA2940
ANT2905	JST1700	POS2041 <sup>C, G</sup>
ARC1701 <sup>1</sup>	JST2400	POS2112G
ARH2050	JST2815	POS2601
ARH2051 <sup>G,I</sup>	LIT1171	PSY2043
CRW1001 <sup>G</sup>	LIT1172	PSY2905
CRW1100 G	LIT1370	PSY2930
CRW1300	$LIT2020^{G,I}$	REL1210
CRW2002	LIT2030 <sup>G</sup>	REL1240
CRW2003	LIT2110 G, I	REL2000G
CRW2005	LIT2120 G, I	REL2300 G, I
DEP2002	LIT2310 <sup>G</sup>	SYG2000 C,G,I
DEP2004 c, G	LIT2341 <sup>G</sup>	SYG2010 G
ECO2013 <sup>C, G</sup>	LIT2935 <sup>G</sup>	SYG2340 G
ECO2023	LIT2953 <sup>G</sup>	SYG2421
ECO2220	MMC1000	SYG2441
EDF1005	MUH2019	THE2300
EDF2085	MUH2111 <sup>G, I</sup>	TPP2300C
EME2040	MUH2112	TPP2701C
ENG2101 <sup>G</sup>	OST2949	WOH2040 G,I
ENL2012 <sup>C,G,I</sup>	PHI1100 G	

Note: Gindicates courses that also count for the General Education Requirement in the AA and baccalaureate degrees.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> indicates courses that also count for the International/Intercultural Requirement in the AA and baccalaureate degrees.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>C</sup> indicates this course requirement can be satisfied through appropriate test scores on the CLEP exam.

#### **Mathematics**

All students must complete six credit hours at the college algebra level or higher. For most students, the requirement is met by taking any two of the following courses: MAC1105, MGF1106, MGF1107, STA2023. In all Mathematics courses, a grade of "C" or higher is required to meet the AA Degree graduation requirements.

#### Florida Transfer Articulation

The Florida University System Associate in Arts graduates are afforded the following rights when transferring to a State university under the statewide transfer articulation (State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.024).

- 1. Admission to one of the State Universities, except to limited access programs that have additional admission requirements.
- 2. Acceptance of at least 60 credit hours by the State universities toward the baccalaureate degree.
- 3. Adherence to university requirements and policies based on the catalog in effect at the time the student first entered a community college, provided the student maintains continuous enrollment.
- 4. Transfer of equivalent courses under the Statewide Course Numbering System.
- 5. Acceptance by the State Universities of credit earned in accelerated programs:
  - Advanced International Certificate of Education Program (AICE A-Levels/AS-Levels),
  - Advanced Placement (AP),
  - College-Level Examination Program (CLEP),
  - DANTES Subject Standardized Tests (DSST),
  - Dual Enrollment/Early Admission,
  - Excelsior (formerly known as Regents College Exams or PEP), and
  - International Baccalaureate (IB).
- 6. Once a student has been certified by an institution on the official transcript as having completed satisfactorily its prescribed general education core curriculum, regardless of whether the associate degree is conferred, no other public postsecondary institution to which he or she may transfer in Florida shall require any further such general education courses.

7. Equal opportunity with native university students to enter limited access programs.

## Associate in Science Degree

## Associate in Science Degree Programs

Broward College offers a wide variety of concentrations within the AS degree. Visit the web site online at <a href="https://www.broward.edu/">www.broward.edu/</a> or see an Academic Advisor for assistance.

## **AS Degree Mission Statement**

The Associate in Science degree is a career education and transfer degree for specific programs. It is a 60+ credit hour degree intended to prepare students for immediate employment in a specific occupational area and/or for transfer into the State University System. The degree requires completion of at least 15 semester hours of transferable General Education courses that meet the criteria of the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, along with technical courses, which may or may not transfer. The General Education courses will transfer and may apply toward the state university's General Education requirement. In some areas of study, statewide program-specific articulation agreements have been developed ensuring the transfer of the The student is advised to see an Academic Advisor for a list of these programs.

## **AS Degree Graduation Requirements**

- Complete the minimum number of required college-level semester credit hours as established for your specific program in Florida State Board of Education Rules.
- Complete the program of study as set forth in the applicable College catalog.
- Complete a minimum of fifteen college-level semester credit hours of the prescribed program's transferable General Education courses that include the following: ENC 1101, three credits in Social/Behavioral Sciences, three credits in Humanities/Fine Arts, three credits in Natural Sciences/Mathematics, and three credits designated by the program.
- Complete the oral communication requirement as specified in the prescribed program.
- Students must fulfill the computer literacy requirement within the first 15 credit hours of

- enrollment at BC by successfully completing the CGS1060C course or passing the basic student technology test.
- Complete the prescribed college preparatory and English as a Second Language Program courses, if required, with a grade of "C" or higher.
- Complete 25% of the prescribed college-level semester credit hours at Broward College.
- Health science programs require that 75% of health science coursework is completed at Broward College. Refer to Health Science programs for more information.
- Earn a cumulative degree grade point average of 2.0 or higher at BC, including transfer credits, in courses that comprise the AS degree.
- Fulfill all financial and other obligations to the College.

## **AS General Education Requirements**

For AS programs that provide students with an elective option in Humanities/Fine Arts, Social/Behavioral Science, or Math/Natural Science, student should select a course from the approved list of General Education courses offered at Broward College in this catalog.

#### Communications

3 Credits

ENC 1101 Composition I

#### Humanities/Fine Arts 3 Credits

For programs that require the "Humanities/Fine Arts Elective" option, a course must be selected from the approved list for Humanities/Fine Arts General Education Areas 2A, 2C, 2D, 2E, 2F or 2G. Note that foreign language courses cannot be used for the Humanities/Fine Arts General Education AS degree requirement.

## Social/Behavioral Sciences 3 Credits

For programs that require the "Social/Behavioral Sciences Elective" option, a course must be selected from the approved list for Social/Behavioral Sciences General Education Areas 3A or 3B.

## Mathematics/Natural Science 3 Credits

For programs that require the "Mathematics and/or Natural Science" option, a course must be

selected from the approved list for Mathematics or Natural Science General Education Areas 4A, 4B or 5. Note that wellness courses or science labs not taken in conjunction with science lecture courses do not count toward the AS program's general education requirements.

# Program-Designated Courses 3 Credits AS degree programs include a General Education

AS degree programs include a General Education course from Areas 1C, 2 (A-G), 3 (A-B), 4(A-B), or 5.

TOTAL (Areas 1-5)

15 Credits

## Associate in Applied Science Degree

## Associate in Applied Science Degree Programs

Broward College offers a variety of concentrations within the AAS degree. Please visit our web site at <a href="https://www.broward.edu/programs">www.broward.edu/programs</a> or see an Academic Advisor for assistance.

#### **AAS Mission Statement**

The Associate in Applied Science degree is a college-level career-technical degree. The AAS is a 60+ college credit hour degree consisting of both Education and technical Graduates are prepared for immediate entry into the workforce and have the communications, problem solving, and academic skills necessary to successfully compete in the job market and advance The AAS provides the same in the workforce. career preparation as the AS but is not designed as a college transfer program. The degree may transfer to some universities under special articulation agreements between the College and those universities.

## **AAS Degree Graduation Requirements**

- Complete the minimum number of required college-level semester credit hours as established for the specific program in Florida State Board of Education Rules.
- Complete the program of study as set forth in the applicable College catalog.
- Complete a minimum of fifteen college-level semester credit hours of the prescribed program's General Education courses that include the following: ENC 1101, three credits in Social/Behavioral Sciences, three credits in Humanities/Fine Arts, three credits in Natural

- Sciences/Mathematics, and three credits designated by the program.
- Complete the oral communication competency requirement as specified in the prescribed program.
- Students must fulfill the computer literacy requirement within the first 15 credit hours of enrollment at BC by successfully completing the CGS1060C course or passing the basic student technology test.
- Complete the prescribed College Preparatory and English as A Second Language Program courses, if required, with a grade of "C" or higher.
- Complete 25% of the prescribed college-level semester credit hours at Broward College.
- Earn a cumulative degree grade point average of 2.0 or higher at BC, including transfer credits, in courses that comprise the AAS degree.
- Fulfill all financial and other obligations to the College.

## **AAS General Education Requirements**

For AAS programs that provide students with an elective option in Humanities/Fine Arts, Social/Behavioral Science, or Math/Natural Science, student should select a course from the approved list of General Education courses offered at Broward College in this catalog.

#### Communications

3 Credits

ENC 1101 Composition I

## Humanities/Fine Arts 3 Credits

For programs that require the "Humanities/Fine Arts Elective" option, a course must be selected from the approved list for Humanities/Fine Arts General Education Areas 2A, 2C, 2D, 2E, 2F or 2G. Note that foreign language courses cannot be used for the Humanities/Fine Arts General Education AS degree requirement.

## Social/Behavioral Sciences 3 Credits

For programs that require the "Social/Behavioral Sciences Elective" option, a course must be selected from the approved list for Social/Behavioral Sciences General Education Areas 3A or 3B.

#### Mathematics/Natural Science 3 Credits

For programs that require the "Mathematics and/or Natural Science" option, a course must be selected from the approved list for Mathematics or Natural Science General Education Areas 4A, 4B, 5 or any of the following math courses:

MAT 1033	Intermediate Algebra
MTB 1310	Applied Mathematics
MTB 1321	Technical Mathematics I
MTB 1322	Technical Mathematics II
MTB 1325	Engineering Technology
	Mathematics I
MTB 1326	Engineering Technology
	Mathematics II

Note that wellness courses or science labs not taken in conjunction with science lecture courses do not count toward the AAS program's general education requirements.

## Program-Designated Courses 3 Credits

AS degree programs include a General Education course from Areas 1C, 2 (A-G), 3 (A-B), 4(A-B), or 5.

TOTAL (Areas 1-5)

15 Credits

## **Certificate Programs**

BC offers a variety of concentrations in the several certificate programs. Please visit our web site at <a href="https://www.broward.edu/programs">www.broward.edu/programs</a> or see an Academic Advisor for assistance.

#### **Mission Statement**

A certificate is awarded upon satisfactory completion of a prescribed program of courses designed to prepare students for initial entry into an occupation or for advancement within their current occupations. Certificate programs provide students with the opportunity to develop the technical competencies necessary to participate as-productive members of the business, professional, governmental, or industrial life of the community.

#### **Technical Certificate**

A Technical Certificate is a program of study of less than sixty credits of college-level technical courses that prepares students for immediate employment in a specific occupational field. It generally does not require the completion of General Education courses. The Technical Certificate may be part of an Associate in Science or an Associate in Applied Science degree, thus permitting the student to receive credit for the certificate courses.

## **Technical Certificate Requirements**

- Complete the minimum number of required college-level semester credit hours as established for the specific program in Florida State Board of Education Rules.
- Complete the program of study as set forth in the applicable College catalog.
- Complete the prescribed college preparatory and English as a Second Language Program courses, if required, with a grade of "C" or higher.
- Complete 25% of the prescribed college-level semester credit hours at Broward College.
- Earn a cumulative degree grade point average of 2.0 or higher at BC, including transfer credits, in courses that comprise the Technical Certificate.
- Complete the oral communication competency requirement as specified in the prescribed program.
- Students must fulfill the computer literacy requirement within the first 15 credit hours of enrollment at BC by successfully completing the CGS1060C course or passing the basic student technology test.
- Fulfill all financial and other obligations to the College.

## **Vocational Certificate**

A Vocational Certificate is a program of study, usually one year or less, consisting of a prescribed number of vocational credits (non-college-level credits). One vocational credit is equal to 30 contact hours of classroom instruction. The program focuses on providing students with the specific skills for immediate job entry. Vocational Certificate is awarded upon completion all vocational program of courses demonstration of attainment of predetermined and specified performance requirements in reading and mathematics as defined by Florida State Board of Education Rules.

## **Vocational Certificate Requirements**

 Complete the minimum number of required vocational clock/credit hours as established for

- the specific program in Florida State Board of Education Rules.
- Complete the program of study as set forth in the applicable College catalog.
- Achieve appropriate minimum basic skills grade levels established for the program on the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE) or other tests designated by State Rules 6A-6.014 and 6A-10.040.
  - Students pursuing a vocational certificate shall complete an entry-level basic skills examination within the first six (6) weeks after admission into the program.
  - Students pursuing a vocational certificate
    who have an AA degree or who have met
    the minimum cut scores on any test listed
    in the above-mentioned rules, may be
    exempt from the test requirement.
- Complete 25% of the prescribed vocational clock/credit hours at Broward College.
- Earn a cumulative degree grade point average of 2.0 or higher at BC, including transfer credits, in courses that comprise the Vocational Certificate. (For certificate programs with only satisfactory-unsatisfactory grades, earn a satisfactory grade in all courses.)
- Fulfill all financial and other obligations to the College.

## Applied Technology Diploma

The Applied Technology Diploma (ATD) is a course of study that is part of an Associate in Science or an Associate in Applied Science degree and that leads to employment in a specific occupation. The ATD may consist of either vocational credit or college-level semester credits and is approximately 50% of the technical component of the AS or AAS degree. Per State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.024, transfer of ATD coursework to an associate degree program is guaranteed for a period of three years following the date of the award of the ATD, based upon AS or AAS degree articulation agreements.

## Applied Technology Diploma Requirements

- Complete the minimum number of required college-level semester credit hours as established for the specific program in Florida State Board of Education Rules.
- Complete the program of study as set forth in the applicable College catalog.

- Complete the prescribed college preparatory and English as a Second Language Program courses, if required, with a grade of "C" or higher.
- Complete 25% of the prescribed college-level semester credit hours at Broward College.
- Earn a cumulative degree grade point average of 2.0 or higher at BC, including transfer credits, in courses that comprise the Applied Technical Certificate.
- Fulfill all financial and other obligations to the College.
- Students are required to meet oral and computer competency requirements as specified in their particular certificate program of study.

#### **Advanced Technical Certificate**

The Advanced Technical Certificate (ATC) is a program of study consisting of at least nine credit hours, but less than forty-five credit hours, of

college-level courses. The ATC is awarded to students who have already received an Associate in Science or Associate in Applied Science, or related undergraduate degree, and who are seeking an advanced specialized program of study to supplement their degree.

## **Advanced Technical Certificate Requirements**

- Complete the program of study as set forth in the applicable College catalog.
- Complete 25% of the prescribed college-level semester credit hours at Broward College.
- Earn a cumulative degree grade point average of 2.0 or higher at BC, including transfer credits, in courses that comprise the Advanced Technical Certificate.
- Fulfill all financial and other obligations to the College.



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