

# College of Arts and Sciences

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## **Associate in Arts (A.A.)**

This program is designed to serve the educational needs of high school graduates who seek professional or personal advancement through either full- or part-time study. Some students do not or cannot remain in college for four years, yet desire to complete a degree program. The Associate in Arts degree may be awarded after successful completion of two years' study or the equivalent.

### **Admission to the Program**

Any student admitted to degree status at American University is eligible for admission to this program.

### **University Requirements**

- A total of 60 credit hours
- 6 credit hours of college writing
- 3 credit hours of college mathematics or the equivalent by examination

### **General Education Requirements**

- A total of eight courses including one foundation course in each of the five curricular areas and one second-level course in three of the five curricular areas, in an approved sequence.
- No more than 6 credit hours may be taken in the same discipline