Associate in Arts Degree

Online Delivery Option Available

Division of Social Sciences

Murray State College

Tishomingo and Ardmore

History

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Credit Hours

GENERAL EDUCATION.....38

EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION (6 hours)
- ENG 1113 English Composition I.....3
- ENG 1213 English Composition II.....3

HISTORY & POLITICAL AWARENESS (6 hours)
- HST 1483 US History to 1877 (or)..... 3
  - HST 1493 US History since 1877
- GVT 1113 American Federal Government 3

MATH & QUANTITATIVE REASONING (3 hours)
- MTH 1513 College Algebra (or)..... 3
  - MTH 1413 Survey of Math

SCIENTIFIC REASONING (8 hours)
- PHS 1114 General Physical Science..... 4
- BIO 1114 General Biology 4

(Must include an Area 3 lab course from college catalog.)

HUMANITIES (6 hours)
- Any course with a HUM prefix 3
- Any Area 4 course from college catalog ……. 3

LIBERAL ARTS & GLOBAL AWARENESS (3 hours)
- SOC 1113 Intro to Sociology (or)..... 3
  - Any Area 6 course from college catalog

ARTS & SCIENCES (3 hours)
- Any Area 7 course from college catalog 3

COMPUTER PROFICIENCY (3 hours)
- CIS 1113 Computer Applications (or) 3
  - Demonstrated Proficiency

ACADEMIC SUCCESS (1 hour, if applicable)
- COL1211/1211L Success Strategies……. (1)

*All first-time, full-time freshmen students seeking a degree or certificate are required to enroll in Success Strategies and the New Student Symposium.

PROGRAM CORE REQUIREMENTS 9
- HST 1423 World Civilization to 1500 3
- HST 1433 World Civilization since 1500..... 3
- HST 1483 U.S. History to 1877 (or) 3
  - HST 1493 U.S. History since 1877

*Substitutions may be made with prior division approval.

RECOMMENDED PROGRAM ELECTIVES.....15
- ECO 2113 Principles of Macroeconomics 3
- ECO 2123 Principles of Microeconomics 3
- HST 2323 Oklahoma History 3
- GEO 1113 Introduction to Geography 3
- GEO 2513 World Regional Geography 3
- GEO 2343 Intro. to State and Local Gov't 3
- PSY 1113 Introductory Psychology 3
- PSY 2533 Social Psychology 3
- SOC 2143 Cultural Diversities 3
- SPC 1113 Fundamentals of Speech 3

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS 62

HEALTH, WELLNESS, & HUMAN PERFORMANCE
- HWP Personal Health, First Aid, or Activity 2
  - Courses (i.e., Swimming, Bowling, Golf, Tennis, Dance, Weight Training, Walking/Jogging, Women's Fitness, etc.).

MSC TOTAL CREDIT HOURS REQUIRED 64

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

Credit Hours

FIRST SEMESTER 17
- COL 1211/1211L Success Strategies*..... 1
- ENG 1113 English Comp I 3
- Science w/Lab Elective 4
- CIS 1113 Computer Applications..... 3
- HST 1483 U.S. History to 1877..... 3
- Recommended Program Elective 3

SECOND SEMESTER 15
- ENG 1213 English Composition II..... 3
- HST 1493 U.S. History since 1877 3
- MTH 1413 Survey of Math (or)..... 3
  - MTH 1513 College Algebra
- HWP 1112 Personal Health (or)..... 2
  - Any approved physical education course
- Science Elective..... 4

THIRD SEMESTER 15
- HST 1423 World Civilization to 1500 3
- Humanities Elective 3
- Liberal Arts Elective 3
- Recommended Program Electives 6

FOURTH SEMESTER 18
- GVT 1113 American Federal Government..... 3
- HST 1433 World Civilization since 1500..... 3
- Arts and Sciences Elective 3
- Humanities Elective 3
- Recommended Program Elective 6

This is a suggested course sequence only. Students may, with guidance from an Academic Advisor as well as a Faculty Advisor, make changes to their specific course sequence. The student should be aware that changes may result in more than four semesters to complete their desired Associates Degree.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

History is the study of the written human past and helps in understanding how individuals and societies behave. The study of history encourages students to acquire critical skills, such as the ability to reason, analyze, investigate problems and synthesize diverse information and express ideas or data clearly and precisely. Students receive a broad introduction to the history of the great civilizations of the world and specific areas of historical inquiry. A bachelor's or graduate level degree is necessary for most history-related careers. The curriculum listed is designed for transfer to four-year institutions.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Educator
- Archivist
- Researcher
- Government Service
- Law

GENERAL COLLEGE PREPARATORY REQUIREMENTS

Students may be required to complete transitional courses in English and/or math prior to being admitted into college level courses.

Academic placement is determined either by ACT results or placement exams.