Liberal Arts & Transfer

Associate of Arts

Course Set	Course	Credits			
	Communications	9			
ENG105	Composition I	3			
ENG106	Composition II	3			
SPC 112	Public Speaking	3			
Humanities					
Literature Elective	LIT101 Intro to Literature OR LIT134 Multicultural Literature	3			
Diversity Elective	HIS214 Russian History and Culture OR HUM108 Cultural Diversity and Identity OR LIT134 Multicultural Literature	3			
History Elective	ART or HIS	3			
Humanities Elective	ART, ASL, CLS, DRA, FLS, HIS, HUM, LIT, MUA, MUS, PHI, REL	3			
Social Science					
Social Science Elective	Choose from at least two disciplines ECN, GEO, POL, PSY, SOC	9			
Math & Science					
Math Elective	MAT	3-6			
Science Elective	One science course must include a lab component BIO, CHM, ENV, PHS, PHY	4-7			
Electives					
SDV179	The College Experience	3			
Elective Courses	Select courses towards your desired discipline	17			

Transfer Majors

- + Business
- + Criminal Justice
- + Digital Media
- + Elementary Education
- + English
- + Exercise Science & Kinesiology
- + History
- + Human & Family Services
- + Journalism
- + Psychology
- + Secondary Education
- + Social Work
- + Sociology

Associate of Science

Course Set	Course	Credits			
Communications					
ENG105	Composition I	3			
ENG106	Composition II	3			
SPC 112	Public Speaking	3			
Humanities & Social Science					
Diversity Elective	HIS214 Russian History and Culture OR HUM108 Cultural Diversity and Identity OR LIT134 Multicultural Literature	3			
History Elective	ART or HIS	3			
Humanities & Social Science Elective	ART, ASL, CLS, DRA, ECN, FLS, GEO, HIS, HUM, LIT, MUS, PHI, POL, PSY, REL, SOC	6			
Math & Science					
Math Elective	MAT	3-16			
Science Elective	One science course must include a lab component BIO, CHM, ENV, PHS, PHY	4-17			
Electives					
SDV179	The College Experience	3			
Elective Courses	Select courses towards your desired discipline	16			

Transfer Majors

- + Agriculture Business
- + Agriculture Education
- + Agronomy
- + Animal Science
- + Biology

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State of Iowa Grant Eligible	°Length	Program	Award	Location
	2 Years	Agriculture Business Transfer Major	AS	С, О
	2 Years	Agriculture Education Transfer Major	AS	С, О
	2 Years	Agronomy Transfer Major	AS	С, О
	2 Years	Animal Science Transfer Major	AS	С, О
	2 Years	Associate of Arts	AA	C, P, O
	2 Years	Associate of Science	AS	C, P, O
	2 Years	Biology Transfer Major	AS	P, O
	2 Years	Business Transfer Major	AA	C, P, O
	2 Years	Criminal Justice Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	Digital Media Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	Elementary Education Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	English Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	Exercise Science & Kinesiology Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	History Transfer Major	AA	C, P, O
	2 Years	Human & Family Services Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	Journalism Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	Psychology Transfer Major	AA	P, O
	2 Years	Secondary Education Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	Social Work Transfer Major	AA	0
	2 Years	Sociology Transfer Major	AA	0

LEGEND

- **Award:** AA Associate of Arts AS Associate of Science
- Location: C Calmar P Peosta O Online D Dubuque

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Transfer Majors

Enrolling in an Associate of Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS) program at NICC is a great way to start earning your bachelor's degree. In addition to taking general education courses, choose courses that prepare you for transfer and meet requirements within your intended major.

While at NICC, you will work closely with an enrollment advisor and your transfer institution to ensure courses are appropriate and will benefit you the most when transferring.

Courses you may choose within Transfer Majors:

AG BUSINESS

ACC:152 Financial Accounting
AGB:235 Introduction to Agriculture Markets
AGB:330 Farm Business Management
AGB:336 Agriculture Selling
CHM:110 Introduction to Chemistry
CHM:111 Introduction to Chemistry Lab

CHM:160 Chemistry I CHM:161 Chemistry I Lab

ECN:130 Principles of Microeconomics

AG EDUCATION

ACC:152 Financial Accounting
AGA:114 Principles of Agronomy
AGA:154 Fundamentals of Soil Science
AGS:101 Working with Animals
AGS:114 Survey of Animal Industry
BI0:112 General Biology I
BI0:113 General Biology II
CHM:110 Introduction to Chemistry
CHM:111 Introduction to Chemistry Lab
CHM:160 Chemistry I
CHM:161 Chemistry I Lab

ECN:130 Principles of Microeconomics

MAT: 156 Statistics

AGRONOMY

AGA:114 Principles of Agronomy
AGA:154 Fundamentals of Soil Science
CHM:110 Introduction to Chemistry
CHM:111 Introduction to Chemistry Lab
CHM:160 Chemistry I
CHM:161 Chemistry I Lab
ECN:130 Principles of Microeconomics
MAT: 120 College Algebra
MAT: 156 Statistics

ANIMAL SCIENCE

AGS:101 Working with Animals
AGS:114 Survey of Animal Industry
AGS:226 Beef Cattle Science
BI0:112 General Biology I
BI0:113 General Biology II
ECN:130 Principles of Microeconomics
MAT: 120 College Algebra
MAT: 156 Statistics

BIOLOGY

BIO:112 General Biology I
BIO:113 General Biology II
CHM:160 Chemistry I
CHM:170 Chemistry II
CHM:171 Chemistry II Lab
MAT:210 Calculus I

BUSINESS

MAT:210 Calculus I

ACC:152 Financial Accounting
ACC:156 Managerial Accounting
BUS:185 Business Law I
CSC:116 Information Computing
ECN:120 Principles of Macroeconomics
ECN:130 Principles of Microeconomics
MAT:140 Finite Math
MAT:156 Statistics

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

CRJ:100 Introduction to Criminal Justice
CRJ:200 Criminology
CRJ:201 Juvenile Delinquency
MAT:156 Statistics
POL:111 American National Government
SOC:110 Introduction to Sociology
SOC:115 Social Problems

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

EDU:210 Foundations of Education
EDU:235 Children's Literature
EDU:245 Exceptional Learner
EDU:255 Technology in the Classroom
EDU:282 Field Experience
HIS:151 US History to 1877
MAT:117 Math for Elementary Teachers
PSY:121 Developmental Psychology
PSY:281 Educational Psychology

ENGLISH

LIT:101 Introduction to Literature
LIT:110 American Literature to Mid-1800's
LIT:111 American Literature since Mid-1800's
LIT:134 Multicultural Literature

EXERCISE SCIENCE & KINESIOLOGY

BIO:112 General Biology I
BIO:151 Nutrition
BIO:157 Human Biology
BIO:168 Human Anatomy and Physiology I
BIO:173 Human Anatomy and Physiology II
MAT:156 Statistics
PHY:162 College Physics I

HISTORY

HIS:131 World Civilization I
HIS:132 World Civilization II
HIS:151 U.S. History to 1877
HIS:152 U.S. History since 1877

HUMAN & FAMILY SERVICES

MAT:156 Statistics

PSY:111 Introduction to Psychology
PSY:121 Developmental Psychology
PSY:261 Human Sexuality

SOC:110 Introduction to Sociology
SOC:120 Marriage and Family

SOC:160 Introduction to Social Work

PSYCHOLOGY

HSV:804 Internship

BIO:112 General Biology I
BIO:113 General Biology II
BIO:157 Human Biology
BIO:168 Human Anatomy & Physiology I
MAT:156 Statistics
PHI:101 Introduction to Philosophy
PHI:105 Introduction to Ethics
PSY:111 Introduction to Psychology

PSY:251 Social Psychology

Developmental Psychology

SECONDARY EDUCATION

EDU:210 Foundations of Education
EDU:245 Exceptional Learner
EDU:255 Technology in the Classroom
EDU:282 Field Experience
HIS:151 US History to 1877
PSY: 121 Developmental Psychology
PSY: 281 Educational Psychology

SOCIAL WORK

BIO:157 Human Biology

MAT:156 Statistics

POL:111 American National Government

PSY:111 Introduction to Psychology

SOC:110 Introduction to Sociology

SOC:160 Introduction to Social Work

SOCIOLOGY

MAT:156 Statistics
POL:111 American National Government
PSY:251 Social Psychology
SOC:110 Introduction to Sociology
SOC:115 Social Problems
SOC:120 Marriage and Family

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