



Religious Studies A.A.

Career Community: History, Humanities, and English

Curriculum Code: 0751

Effective: Fall 2023 – Summer 2028

Description

This degree is designed for students who intend to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a baccalaureate degree in this subject area. Students completing this curriculum will also satisfy the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) between two-year and four-year institutions in Michigan and qualify for an LCC Transfer Studies Certificate of Achievement (1482).

Milestone

In addition to the required General Education courses in Math and English, completion of RELG 230 or RELG 232 with a 2.0 or higher is a key component for success in completing this program. Knowledge obtained in these courses is the foundation for learning in other required courses. Students are encouraged to contact their faculty if they need additional assistance with learning the concepts presented in these courses.

Additional Information

A student must earn a minimum grade of 2.0 in all courses.

Contact Information

For further information, including career options, course substitutions and waivers, etc., contact the Social Science and Humanities Department, Arts and Sciences Building, Room 2203, telephone number 517-483-1061, or the Academic Advising Department, Gannon Building – StarZone, telephone number 517-483-1904.

General Education – Transfer Degrees (MTA), Recommended Courses

(For the full list of options, see [General Education](#))

- English Composition – *Select one*
ENGL 121, Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
ENGL 131, Honors Composition I, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- English Composition (second course)/Communication – *Select one*
ENGL 122, Composition II, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
ENGL 132, Honors Composition II, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Humanities and Fine Arts
Program of Study Required courses will meet this requirement

- Mathematics – *Select one*
 MATH 119, Math Applications for Living, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 MATH 120, College Algebra, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 STAT 170, Introduction to Statistics, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 STAT 215, Intro to Probability and Stats, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
- Natural Sciences – *Select two, each from a different discipline, one must be a lab course*
 ASTR 201, Introductory Astronomy, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
 BIOL 120, Environmental Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
 BIOL 125, Introductory Biology, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
 CHEM 135, Chemistry in Society, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
 GEOG 221, Physical Geography, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 GEOL 221, Physical Geology, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
 GEOL 230, Environmental Geology, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
 ISCI 131, Integrated Physical Science, 4 credits / 6 billing hours
 PHYS 120, The Art of Physics, 4 credits / 5 billing hours
- Social Sciences – *Select two, each from a different discipline*
 EDUC 204, Educational Psychology, 3 credits / 3 billing hours
 GEOG 200, World Regional Geography, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 PSYC 200, Introduction to Psychology, 4 credits / 4 billing hours
 SOCL 120, Introduction to Sociology, 4 credits / 4 billing hours

Program of Study Required Courses, Limited Choice – Select one

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit / Billing Hours |
|-------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| RELG 150 | Intro to World Religions | 4 / 4 |
| RELG 210 | Comparative Religions | 3 / 3 |

Program of Study Required Courses, Limited Choice – Select one

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit / Billing Hours |
|-------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| RELG 230 | Introduction to Christianity | 3 / 3 |
| RELG 232 | Introduction to Islam | 3 / 3 |

Program of Study Required Courses, Limited Choice - Humanities – Select three

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit / Billing Hours |
|-------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| HUMS 160 | Mythology | 4 / 4 |
| PHIL 152 | Introduction to Ethics | 4 / 4 |
| PHIL 215 | Philosophy of Religion | 3 / 3 |
| RELG 211 | Asian Religions and Traditions | 4 / 4 |
| RELG 241 | Old Testament Literature | 4 / 4 |

Elective Courses, Recommended Choices – *Select courses to reach the minimum 60 total credits required for this degree. (For the full list of options, see [AA and AS Degree Electives](#))*

| Course Code | Course Title | Credit / Billing Hours |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| ARTH 211 | Art History to the Renaissance | 4 / 4 |
| HUMS 140 | Art of Being Human | 4 / 4 |
| HUMS 215 | American Cultural Experience | 4 / 4 |
| HUMS 223 | The Western World to 1500 | 4 / 4 |
| HUMS 224 | The Western World since 1500 | 4 / 4 |
| HUMS 260 | Ancient Egypt | 4 / 4 |
| PHIL 101 | Introduction to Philosophy | 3 / 3 |
| PHIL 151 | Intro to Logic and Critical Think | 4 / 4 |
| PHIL 211 | Philosophy: Ancient & Medieval | 4 / 4 |

Minimum Total Credit Hours

60 credits / 61 billing hours

Recommended Course Sequence

| Semester I |
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| MTA English Composition |
| MTA Mathematics |
| MTA Social Sciences |
| RELG 150 or 210 |

| Semester II |
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| MTA English Comp (second course)/Communication |
| MTA Natural Science |
| MTA Social Science |
| RELG 230 or 232 – Milestone course |

| Semester III |
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| MTA Natural Science |
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| Limited Choice |
| Electives as needed for total credits |

| Semester IV |
|---------------------------------------|
| Limited Choice |
| Limited Choice |
| Electives as needed for total credits |

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