



JUMPSTART YOUR FUTURE

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS (A.A.)

PSEO students can earn an Associate's Degree from Crown College for FREE!* Crown has developed a list of recommended courses that will help you earn an Associate of Arts degree during the two years you are enrolled in the PSEO program.

To earn an Associate's Degree through the School of Arts and Sciences, students must take a Bible course (Understanding the Old Testament or Understanding the New Testament). The State of Minnesota will not pay for these Bible courses. Because of this, Crown offers both the Old and New Testament courses as free Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) which are competency courses. MOOCs are self-guided courses students take on their own. At the end of the course, students can take a proficiency exam. Students who pass with a score of 80% or higher can earn articulated credit for the Old Testament and New Testament courses.

Crown also offers a free College Success Strategies and Skills MOOC, which also applies to the Associate's Degree.

**Tuition is free, but students do have to pay for proctoring fees and books for the MOOCs as well as all graduation fees.*

START EARLY

Declare your interest in an AA degree early. Students must take 12-15 credits per semester to complete all the required courses.

Start the summer before your first semester with the College Success Strategies and Skills course.

To lighten the credit load each semester, students may also want to consider Advanced Placement, CLEP, or DSST credits.

An advisor will create an Advising Worksheet, similar to the back page, to help map out your coursework each semester to ensure you complete the 60 credit requirement.

View more specifics on the webpage here:



MORE INFORMATION:

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Semester 1 (Fall)		Semester 2 (Spring)	
ENG 1510 College Writing & Research/ ENG 131 English Composition	3	ENG 1512 Intro to Literary Analysis/ ENG 132 Writing & Literature	3
Communication, Humanities, Math, Science or Social Science Elective	3	Communication Elective (COM 133, 1515, 140, or 252)	3
Communication, Humanities, Math, Science or Social Science Elective	3	Math or Science Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
		Communication, Humanities, Math, Science or Social Science Elective	3
Summer Course			
BIB 136X New Testament History (NT MOOC) or BIB 135X Old Testament History (OT MOOC)*			3
Semester 3 (Fall)		Semester 4 (Spring)	
Communication, Humanities, Math, Science or Social Science Elective	3	Communication, Humanities, Math, Science or Social Science Elective	3
Communication, Humanities, Math, Science or Social Science Elective	3	Fine Arts Elective	3
History Elective	3	Humanities Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
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*Students only need 1 Bible class, but the other MOOC can be taken and applied as a general elective or social science elective.

