

Associate of Arts in Liberal Studies 60 cr

The Associate of Arts and Bible program is designed to prepare the graduate for transfer to an upper-level degree program at Northwestern or another institution. The degree is granted upon completion of 60 credits as specified here.

Course	Credits
Biblical Thinking and Living	
BIA1007 Christian Thinking and Living (or BIA1826 Honors)	2 cr
BIA1015 Interpreting Scripture (or BIA1827 Honors) or MIN2016 Biblical Interpretation for Study	2 cr
Theological Philosophy	4 cr
Effective Communication	
ENG1105 Composition (or ENG1825 Honors)	4 cr
SPE1075 Public Speaking (or SPE1825 Honors)	3 cr
Critical Thinking and Information Literacy	
ENG2205 Critical Thinking and Writing (or ENG2825 Honors)	2 cr
Cultural & Global Engagement	6 cr
HIS1005 Historical Perspectives on Culture, Belief & Civilization (or HIS1825 Honors) (4)	
Approved Cultural & Global Engagement Course or Modern World Language (2)	
Creative Expression	4 cr
Music, Theater, Film, Literature (select from list on page 43) (A maximum of 2 credits in music	7.0
ensembles or THE1045 may apply)	
Scientific & Quantitative (must include at least one Mathematics and one Natural Science course) Mathematics (2-4)	8 cr
Natural Science (2-4)	
Social Science (0-4)	
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CONCENTRATION (Choose one of the Options Below)	15 cr
General Studies Concentration (15 credits)	
Select a combination of any electives	
Intercultural Studies Concentration (15 credits)	
ANT2045 Cultural Anthropology (4 cr)	
PHI2016 Ethics (4 cr)	
(Note: This is a required course for the concentration but the credits may count in the Theological	
Philosophy category listed above.)	
ICS2015 World Religions (4 cr)	
(NOTE: This concentration requires World Religions. Students may apply 2 of the 4 credits to the	
Cultural and Global Engagement Category listed above)	
Select 4 credits from the following:	
SOC1035 Introduction to Sociology (4 cr)	
ICS3015 Race and Ethnicity in America (4 cr)	
ICS3209 Urban Community Development (2 cr)	
ICS3067 Social Justice (2 cr)	
Select 5 credits of general electives	
General Electives	10 cr
Select an additional combination of any electives.	
Elective credits should be selected in consultation with the academic advisor to be sure they will apply.	
TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS	60 cr
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