

## Associate in Arts Degree Online

**PROGRAM START DATE:** Any Term

**MINIMUM PROGRAM LENGTH:** 4 terms day, 6 terms evening

### Program Description

The associate in arts (AA) is designed for students whose goal is a four-year degree. The AA program provides students the freshman and sophomore years of a bachelor's degree. Course requirements include mathematics, English, social sciences, humanities, fine arts and natural sciences to parallel the courses taken during the freshman and sophomore years at a four-year college or university.

### Professional Opportunities

The associate in arts degree requirements parallel the courses completed during the first two years of degrees in education, history, journalism, business administration, psychology, fine arts and social work.

### Unique Aspects

Most University Transfer courses are accepted at all South Carolina public colleges and universities and many private institutions. Course requirements for specific majors vary among institutions; therefore, students should verify acceptance of credits with the intended transfer college or university. Students should meet with an academic advisor regularly to plan an academic schedule for their four-year degree goal. Students may earn an associate in arts degree completely online.

### ONLINE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The following online courses will meet the degree requirements. Other courses may be substituted if they fit into the necessary categories and are transferable. Check with your academic advisor. (See SCC catalog for full course descriptions and prerequisites.)

#### A. General Education Courses (38 hours)

##### **\*\*BIO 101 BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE I (3-3-4.0)**

A study of the scientific method, basic biochemistry, cell structure and function, cell physiology, cell reproduction and development, Mendelian genetics, population genetics, natural selection, evolution, and ecology. Prerequisite(s): ENG 100\*, MAT 101\* or MAT 152\*, RDG 100\*, high school biology (or BIO 100) or high school chemistry (or CHM 100 or CHM 105) with a minimum grade of "C" in all courses.

##### **CHM 110 COLLEGE CHEMISTRY I (3-3-4.0)\***

First course in a sequence which includes atomic and molecular structure, nomenclature and equations, properties, gas laws, solutions.

**\*Requires five Saturday on-campus lab sessions.**

##### **CHM 111 COLLEGE CHEMISTRY II (3-3-4.0)\***

A continuation of the study of atomic and molecular structure.

**\*Requires five Saturday on-campus lab sessions.**

##### **ENG 101 ENGLISH COMPOSITION I (3-0-3.0)**

This college transfer course covers a study of composition and research.

##### **ENG 102 ENGLISH COMPOSITION II (3-0-3.0)**

This college transfer course covers composition and an introduction to literature.

## Course Requirements for Online Associate in Arts Degree

##### **HIS 102 WESTERN CIVILIZATION POST 1689 (3-0-3.0)**

Survey of Western Civilization from 1689 to the present.

##### **MAT 110 or MAT 120:**

##### **MAT 110 COLLEGE ALGEBRA (3-0-3.0)**

This course includes polynomial, rational, logarithmic, and exponential functions.

##### **MAT 120 PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS (3-0-3.0)**

The introductory of probability and statistics, data, sample and space concepts, etc.

##### **PSY 201 GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY (3-0-3.0)**

Includes topics and concepts in the science of behavior.

##### **SPC 205 or SPC 209:**

##### **SPC 205 PUBLIC SPEAKING (3-0-3.0)**

This course is an introduction to principles of public speaking with application of speaking skills.

##### **SPC 209 INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION (3-0-3.0)**

This course is an introduction to the principles of interpersonal communication.

##### **ECO 210, ECO 211, PSY 203, or SOC 101 (Choose two)**

##### **ECO 210 MACROECONOMICS (3-0-3.0)**

The study of fundamental principles and policies of a modern economy to include markets and prices.

##### **ECO 211 MICROECONOMICS (3-0-3.0)**

The study of the behavior of households and firms, including supply and demand.

##### **MUS 105 MUSIC APPRECIATION (3-0-3.0)**

An introduction to the study of music.

##### **PSY 203 HUMAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT (3-0-3.0)**

Physical, cognitive & social factors affecting human growth.

##### **SOC 101 INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY (3-0-3.0)**

Emphasizes the fundamental concepts and principles of sociology.

##### **ENG 201, ENG 209, ENG 228, or ENG 236 (Choose one):**

##### **ENG 201 AMERICAN LITERATURE I (3-0-3.0)**

A study of American Literature from Colonial Period to the Civil War.

##### **ENG 209 WORLD LITERATURE II (3-0-3.0)**

Study of masterpieces of world literature in translation from enlightenment to the present.

##### **ENG 228 STUDIES IN FILM GENRE (3-0-3.0)**

A study of masterpieces of world literature.

##### **ENG 236 AFRICAN AMERICAN LITERATURE (3-0-3.0)**

Critical study of African American literature.

#### **B. Required Major Courses (15 hours).**

**Choose from the following courses; see course descriptions above:**

ENG 201 ENG 209 ENG 228 ENG 236 MUS 105 PSY 203  
SOC 101 SPC 205 SPC 209

#### **C. Electives (nine hours)**

**Choose from the courses listed in B. Required Major Courses, options not chosen in A. General Education Courses, and the following:**

##### **ACC 101 ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES I (3-0-3.0)**

This course introduces basic accounting procedures for analyzing, recording, and summarizing financial transactions.

##### **ACC 102 ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES II (3-0-3.0)**

This course emphasizes managerial accounting theory and practice in basic accounting.

##### **BUS 121 BUSINESS LAW I (3-0-3.0)**

This course is a study of legal procedures, law and society, etc.

##### **BUS 175 INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS (3-0-3.0)**

An introductory course in international business and trade.

##### **BUS 220 BUSINESS ETHICS (3-0-3.0)**

An exploration of ethical issues arising in the context of doing business.

##### **CPT 101 INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTERS (3-0-3.0)**

This course covers basic computer history, theory and applications, including word processing, spreadsheets, databases, etc.

##### **CPT 170 MICROCOMPUTER APPLICATIONS (3-0-3.0)**

Introduces microcomputer applications software.

##### **HRT 144 PLANT PESTS (3-3-4.0)**

Identification and control of insects, diseases, weeds.

##### **ITP 201 DEAF HISTORY AND CULTURE (3-0-3.0)**

The history and culture of Deaf people.

##### **MGT 101 PRINCIPLES OF MANAGEMENT (3-0-3.0)**

This course is a study of management theories.

##### **MGT 120 SMALL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT (3-0-3.0)**

This course is a study of small business management and organization, forms of ownership and the process of starting a new business.

##### **MGT 201 HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (3-0-3.0)**

A study of personnel administration functions within a business.

## What is an online course?

SCC's online courses, also called Internet courses, allow students to learn and obtain course credit via the Internet, learning from the location of their choice. Students have unlimited access to course information, a calendar, learning modules and other course materials, and can interact with the instructor and classmates in chats and discussions.

*"Without the opportunities that online classes provide, many working people would not have a way to complete their education."*

Online Student

## Who should take an online

Students who are organized, motivated, independent learners and who manage time well should consider these courses. Students need good reading comprehension and good computer skills and convenient access to a computer with an Internet connection. Please remember online courses require more time and in-depth work than on-campus courses. They require you to work from

## How do I sign up?

- ◆ Apply for admission to the College if you are not already a current student.
- ◆ Complete the advisement process.
- ◆ Register and pay for your courses.

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A variety of online courses are offered for students each semester. Our online courses are included in the college course schedule. The registration process is the same as for a regular course.

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*Our online programs meet the same accreditation standards as all our academic programs.*

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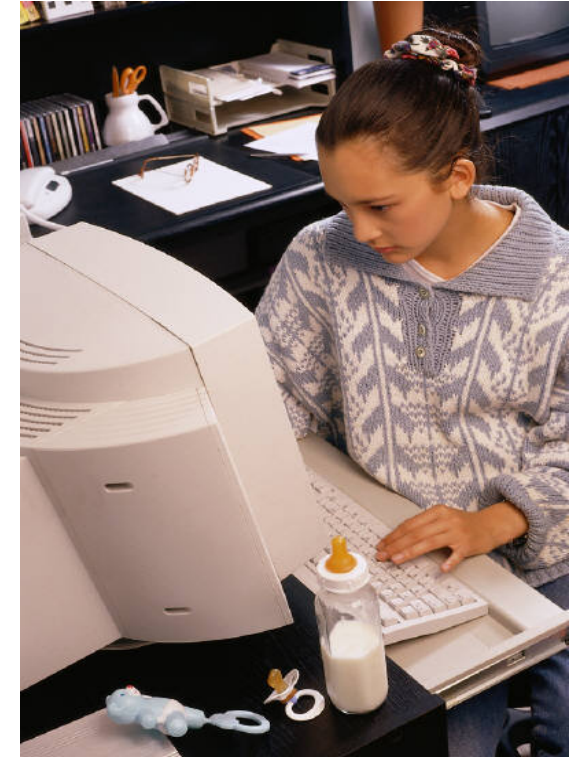
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