



# Academic & Career PATHWAYS

## Associate in Arts (A.A.) History Emphasis – Advising Guide

Knowing history is the mark of a well-educated person. Amazing people have lived before us. Momentous times have shaped us. The power of history is inescapable. It lives today in how we think, act, dress, and live. It is the force that has created countries, conflicts, and cultures. It can also be the foundations of a rewarding career. Teaching is not the only career for history graduates. Many seek careers in law school, public history, historic preservation, communication, government work, business and industry. Our history courses include: U.S., African American, English history, Western Civilization, Women’s, and American Frontiers. Our history program is built around the Associate in Arts (AA) degree. This degree gives you a solid two-year background in general education courses that can transfer to a four-year institution

| Semester 1   |                |  |
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| Course   | Credits        | Action Steps   |
| ^ENGL 101 (Written Communications)   | 3              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meet with Academic Advisor to build degree plan in Starfish</li> <li>Complete Civics exam with 70% or higher</li> </ul> |
| ARAB 101, ^ARAB 102, ART 110, ART 108, ART 150, ART 151, CHIN 101, ^CHIN 102, ^COMM 128, ^ENGL 201, ^ENGL 209, ENGL 214, ENGL 216, ENGL 218, ENGL 220, ENGL 221, ENGL 222, ENGL 223, ENGL 240, ENGL 254, ENGL 255, ENGL 260, ENGL 262, ENGL 264, ENGL 267, ENGL 268, FREN 101, ^FREN 102, HIST 133, HIST 134, GERM 101, ^GERM 102, MUSI 101, MUSI 103, MUSI 105, MUSI 107, MUSI 108, MUSI 116, MUSI 134, MUSI 160, PHIL 100, PHIL 101, PHIL 148, PHIL 200, PHIL 203, ^SPAN 102, ^THEA 106, THEA 116 or THEA 120 (Humanities & Fine Arts) | 3 – 5*         |  |
| HIST 120 or HIST 121 (Social & Behavioral Sciences/Civics)   | 3              |  |
| MATH 115 or higher (Mathematical Sciences)   | 3 – 5*         |  |
| <i>*if a 3 credit hour Humanities &amp; Fine Arts course was selected, add any elective course 100 or higher here</i>  | 3*             |  |
| <b>Total Credits</b>   | <b>15 - 19</b> |  |



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| <b>Semester 2</b>  |                |  |
|--|----------------|--|
| ^COMM 100 (Oral Communications)  | 3              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Research/contact transfer institutions</li> </ul>         |
| BIOL 101, BIOL 102, BIOL 104, BIOL 106, BIOL 110, ^BIOL 210, CHEM 101, CHEM 105, ^CHEM 107, ^CHEM 111, GEOG 104, GEOG 110, GEOL 101, GEOL 103, GEOL 110, GEOL 180, ^PHYS 101L, ^PHYS 104L, ^PHYS 106L, ^PHYS 130, or ^PHYS 220 (Natural Sciences with lab)   | 4- 5*          |  |
| ^ENGL 102 (Written Communication)  | 3              |  |
| ARAB 101, ^ARAB 102, ART 110, ART 108, ART 150, ART 151, CHIN 101, ^CHIN 102, ^COMM 128, ^ENGL 201, ^ENGL 209, ENGL 214, ENGL 216, ENGL 218, ENGL 220, ENGL 221, ENGL 222, ENGL 223, ENGL 240, ENGL 254, ENGL 255, ENGL 260, ENGL 262, ENGL 264, ENGL 267, ENGL 268, FREN 101, ^FREN 102, HIST 133, HIST 134, GERM 101, ^GERM 102, MUSI 101, MUSI 103, MUSI 105, MUSI 107, MUSI 108, MUSI 116, MUSI 134, MUSI 160, PHIL 100, PHIL 101, PHIL 148, PHIL 200, PHIL 203, ^SPAN 102, ^THEA 106, THEA 116 or THEA 120 (Humanities & Fine Arts) | 3 – 5*         |  |
| *will need another 100 or higher elective here if units are less than 15   | 3              |  |
| <b>Total Credits</b>   | <b>15 - 19</b> |  |
| <b>Semester 3</b>  |                |  |
| HIST 130, HIST 140, or HIST 145 (Global Diversity)   | 3              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply for admission at transfer institution</li> </ul>    |
| Any elective 100 or higher (Elective)  | 3              |  |
| HIST 120 or HIST 121 (Social & Behavioral Sciences)  | 3              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply for scholarships at transfer institution</li> </ul> |
| HIST 133 or HIST 134 (Humanities & Fine Arts)  | 3              |  |
| ENGL 214, ENGL 216, ENGL 218, ENGL 220, ENGL 221, ENGL 222, ENGL 223, ENGL 240, ENGL 254, ENGL 255, ENGL 260, ENGL 262, ENGL 264, ENGL 267, ENGL 268, PHIL 100, PHIL 101, PHIL 148, PHIL 200, or PHIL 203 (Humanities & Fine Arts)   | 3              |  |
| <b>Total Credits</b>   | <b>15</b>      |  |
| <b>Semester 4</b>  |                |  |
| HIST 130, HIST 140, HIST 145, or HIST 199 (Elective)   | 3              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply for Graduation</li> </ul>                           |
| BIOL 132, PHYS 101, PHYS 104, or PHYS 106 (Natural Sciences without lab) or BIOL 101, BIOL 102, BIOL 104, BIOL 106, BIOL 110, ^BIOL 210, CHEM 101, CHEM 105, ^CHEM 107, ^CHEM 111, GEOG 104, GEOG 110, GEOL 101, GEOL 103, GEOL 110, GEOL 180, ^PHYS 101L, ^PHYS 104L, ^PHYS 106L, ^PHYS 130, or ^PHYS 220 (Natural Sciences with lab)   | 3 - 5 *        |  |
| ART 108 (Humanities & Fine Arts/Global Diversity)  | 3              |  |
| ANTH 100, ANTH 110, COMM 112, COMM 233, CRJU 101, ECON 110, GEOG 105, GEOG 113, HIST 120, HIST 121, POLS 136, POLS 234, PSYC 140, ^PSYC 243, SOCI 160, SOCI 161, or SOCI 163 (Social & Behavioral Sciences)  | 3-4*           |  |
| ANTH 110 (Elective)  | 3              |  |
| <b>Total Credits</b>   | <b>15 - 18</b> |  |
| <b>Credits Required</b>  | <b>60*</b>     |  |
| <p>*The A.A. degree requires a minimum of 60 total credits to graduate. When selecting a course from multiple options, please consider the number of credits for each course to ensure meeting the minimum requirements for graduation</p>   |                |  |



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students. Degree requirements and prerequisite information can be found here: <https://www.mcckc.edu/programs/aa/> All students are encouraged to meet with their academic advisor to develop an individualized completion plan that best meets their goals, interests, and objectives.

^Course requires a prerequisite or appropriate placement, see catalog for additional information.