

Instructional Programs

Associate in Science

60 Credit Hours

Students planning to earn a baccalaureate degree at a four-year institution may complete the first two years at Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College by earning the Associate in Science degree.

A student may attend full-time (12 hours or more per academic term) or part-time (less than 12 hours per academic term) to complete the Associate in Arts degree. A full-time student can complete the degree in four or five academic terms. A student may earn this degree in conjunction with another degree offered by the institution. Day and evening classes are available. Many classes are available in a variety of formats, including traditional, online, and hybrid formats.

Students are encouraged to consult with an academic advisor at Southern in developing their educational plans. Students are encouraged to choose courses fulfilling the requirements for the Associate in Arts which meet their future baccalaureate degree requirements. Toward this goal, Southern encourages each student to consult the catalog of the institution to which the student plans to transfer.

Goal	Dept/No.	Credit Hours
Communication, Critical Thinking, Intercultural Competence	OR 110	1
	CS 102 (E), CS 103 (E), IT 190, IT 192 or BU 120	1-3
	~EN 101	3
	~EN 102 or BU 205	3
	~SP 103	3
Quantitative Literacy and Fluency, Critical Thinking	^MT 125 and ^MT 130 or ~MT 137 or higher	3-6
Communication, Critical Thinking	Any combination of: ^BS 101, ~BS 102, ^BS 124, ^BS 125, ~CH 203, ~CH 204, ^CH 213, ^CH 214, ~PH 200, ~PH 210, ~PH 212, ~SC 109, ~SC 110	8
Intercultural Competence, Critical Thinking	~AR 112, ~MU 175, ~TH 112 or TH 239	3
Communication, Critical Thinking, Intercultural Competence	Any three courses from: ~EC 241, ~EC 242, HS 115, HS 120, HS 203, ~HS 230, ~HS 231, PL 201, ~PS 201, ~PS 202, ~PY 201, ~PY 218, Any RL, ~SO 200, ~SO 201 or ~SO 202	9
Electives	Any courses that focus on an area of interest. For transfer students, contact potential transfer university for courses that meet program needs.	21-26

~ Designates courses on the statewide Core Coursework Transfer Agreement.

^ Denotes course equivalency.

This degree program provides students the opportunity to receive credit for their high school EDGE courses (<http://careertech.k12.wv.us/edge/edgeCollege.html>) as designated by the (E) within the program sequence.

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