

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS



COLLEGE OF
ARTS & SCIENCES



PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

- ▶ The Associate of Arts (A.A.) degree prepares individuals with introductory knowledge of the Arts and Sciences, critical thinking and communication skills, biblical and ethical foundations, and habits and skills for lifelong learning.
- ▶ Many Students will choose to seamlessly transition to one of HIU's entirely online bachelor's degree programs upon completion of their Associate of Arts.
- ▶ HIU online programs are designed to provide optimal flexibility, allowing students to maintain their demanding responsibilities both vocationally and personally.
- ▶ Students will receive top-level career skills with coursework grounded in Christian values and ethical principles.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students in the Associate of Arts degree are able to work in a variety of settings. Various career opportunities include:

General Manager

Administration

Communications

Educator

FAST TRACK TO GRAD SCHOOL

Interested in earning a graduate degree in the future? Transition courses give HIU students the opportunity to take classes that can earn credit towards both their Bachelor's degree and a future Master's degree. Visit hiu.edu/fasttrack to learn more.



Total Units: 60



Courses: On Campus



Student / Teacher Ratio: 13:1

PLAY SPORTS?



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PROGRAM CURRICULUM

COMMUNICATION & LEADERSHIP

Public Speaking	3
English Composition	3
Introduction to Literature	3
Foundations: Strengths & Leadership Development	1
TOTAL UNITS: 10	

BIBLICAL STUDIES

Jesus & the Gospels	3
History & Literature of Early Christians	3
History & Literature of Ancient Israel	3
TOTAL UNITS: 9	

HUMANITIES *Choose two courses:*

Art Appreciation	3
Literature Elective	3
Writing Elective	3
Foreign Language Elective	3
Music Appreciation	3
Philosophy Elective	3
TOTAL UNITS: 6	

SOCIAL SCIENCE

World History to 1500	3
World History since 1500	3
American Government	3
<i>Choose two courses:</i>	
U.S. History to 1865	3
U.S. History since 1865	3
Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3
Introduction to Psychology	3
Introduction to Sociology	3
World Geography	3
Social Problems	3
TOTAL UNITS: 12	

MATH *Choose one course:*

College Algebra	3
Liberal Arts Math I	3
TOTAL UNITS: 3	

NATURAL SCIENCE W/LAB *Choose one course:*

Physical Science w/Lab	4
Biological Science w/Lab	4
Earth Science w/Lab	4
Environmental Science w/Lab	4
TOTAL UNITS: 4	

GENERAL ELECTIVES

Select from a widespread list of courses to fulfill elective requirements. Electives must be outside of your major.

TOTAL GENERAL EDUCATION: 44

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TOTAL UNITS FOR THE DEGREE: 60