

## Associate in Arts and Sciences Direct Transfer Agreement (AAS DTA) 2023-24

90 credits min.

Major:

Student:

Advisor:

### About the Degree

The AAS DTA is intended for students that plan to transfer to a four-year institution after graduating from Whatcom and is a great fit for lots of social science, education, and humanities majors. If you're interested in studying business, science, music, or engineering, talk with an advisor about other transfer degree options that will offer better preparation for those majors.

The AAS DTA degree is accepted by nearly every university in Washington state but does not guarantee admission. Once admitted to one of these institutions, you'll usually be granted junior class standing and have most or even all your general education requirements fulfilled.

**The final responsibility for understanding and fulfilling all graduation requirements rests with each student.**

### Starting Your Degree

- Start your degree with math and English. No degree plans can be done without math and English placement
- Specific majors at each university may have different/additional prerequisites/GPA requirements. Check with your intended university for details and to see if additional classes, like foreign language, are required.

### Additional Graduation Requirements

- Minimum 15 WCC College Level Credits
- Minimum 2.0 Overall GPA in AAS DTA Courses
- Completion of w/d/g/s attribute courses
  - You cannot use Core Requirements to satisfy w/d/g/s
  - w/d/g/s are Whatcom defined course attributes. See course description or catalog for w/d/g/s codes.
    - Writing Intensive (w)
    - Diversity (d)
    - Global Studies (g)
    - Sustainability Studies (s)
- Transcripts from other colleges submitted for evaluation with evaluation form (if applicable)
- Graduation Application submitted (two quarters prior to completion of degree)
  - (optional) Reserve your seat and RSVP to Commencement after submitting Graduation Application

### Advisor Notes

- Developmental courses completed (if applicable):

## Degree Requirements

### Core Requirements: 15-18 credits

Communication Skills (CC/OC): 10-13 credits

- Min. 6 credits of English Composition

Quarter	Course	Credits Completed
	ENGL& 101	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> English Comp	
	Communication Studies	

Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning (Q/SR): 5 credits

Quarter	Course	Credits Completed

### Distribution: 45 credits

- At least 2 disciplines per distribution area
- Max 10 credits in any one discipline; Max 5 credits courses numbered 189/289/299

Humanities (H): 15 credits

- Max 5 credits in 100-level language courses; Max 5 credits performance (p)

Quarter	Course	Credits Completed

Social Sciences (SS): 15 credits

Quarter	Course	Credits Completed

Math and Sciences (MS/MSL): 15 credits

- At least 1 lab; Min. 10 credits physical/biological sciences

Quarter	Course	Credits Completed
	Lab Science	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Phys/Biological Science	

### Electives: 27-30 credits

- Elective courses are typically in your intended major

Listed Electives (LE): At least 12 credits must come from Listed Electives (LE) or extra Core or Distribution courses

- Max 3 credits of activity PE

Quarter	Course	Credits Completed

Unlisted Electives (UE): No Unlisted Elective required, but if chosen, max 15 credits allowed

Quarter	Course	Credits Completed

## Course Designators for Core and Distribution Requirements

w= writing intensive, d= diversity, g= global, s= sustainability, p= performance, L= lab, \*= physical/biological science

### Notes

- Courses numbered 295 are Honors seminars. Admission to the Honors Program is required.
- Some courses appear in more than one Distribution category. You must choose one category in which you will use the course.
- A course with a HUM or IDS prefix and 6 or more credits = two disciplines.

### Core Requirements

*Communication Studies (CC/OC)*

**CC: English Composition & 101**

**CC: English 201, 202, &230, &235, 295**

**OC: Communication Studies &101, &102, &210, &220, &230, 245, 295**

*Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning Skills (Q/SR)*

**Q: Math &107, &141, &142, 145, &146, &148, &151, &152, &163, 204, 208, 238, 246, &264, 295**

**SR: Philosophy &117**

### Distribution

*Humanities (H)*

**American Sign Language &121d, &122d, &123d**

**Art &100w, 106d, 107wdg, 112p, 114wg, 115p, 116p, 118p, 130p, 131p, 134p, 150wg, 160p, 175p, 176p, 179p, 185p, 186p, 187p, 203wg, 204wg, 205wg, 206g, 215wg, 221p, 276p, 295**

**Chinese &121g, &122g, &123g**

**Communication Studies 225wgs, 250wd, 295**

**Dance 121g, 130p**

**Drama &101dg, 125p, 295**

**English Literature &111wg, &113wdg, 124wdgs, 136w, 141wg, 142wg, 150wg, 161wd, 169wd, 194w, 225wd, 226wd, &236w, &237w, 238wd, 258wg, 267wd, 268w, 282wg, 286wg, 295**

**Film 101w, 130g, 210w, 220w, 240w, 260wd, 265wd, 280wg, 294w, 295**

**French &121g, &122g, &123g, &221g, &222g, &223g, 295**

**German 104g, &121g, &122g, &123g, 295**

**Humanities &101wdg, 106wdg, 130g, 131g, 132g, 133g, 134g, 135g, 170wg, 220wg, 260wd, 270wg, 295**

**Interdisciplinary Studies 123, 140gp, 152wdg, 161wd, 180wg, 295**

**Japanese 104g, &121g, &122g &123g, 295**

**Music &105g, 110g, 115d, 120d, 125g, &141, &142, &143, 205wdg, &241, &242, &243, 295**

**Philosophy &101g, &115, 118, 119, 130, 132dgs, 140wdg, 200, 214, 215, 216 295**

**Spanish &121g, &122g, &123g, &221g, &222g, &223g, 295**

*Social and Behavioral Sciences (SS)*

**Anthropology &100gs, &104g, 140g, 150d, &200w, &204s, &206wdgs, &210ds, &216ds, 225wdg, &235g, 250wd, 295**

**Business &101, &201, 295**

**Communication Studies 205wd, 225wgs, 250wd**

**Criminal Justice &101w, 295**

**Early Childhood Education &105**

**Economics 100, 110gs, &201, &202g, 203, 205wg, 210w, 225, 260gs, 295**

**Education &202**

**Geography &100gs, &102gs, 110gs, &200gs, 243g, &250wds, 295**

**History &116g, &117g, &118g, 120wg, 124ws, &126g, &127g, &128g, &146d, &147d, &148d, 158g, 204g, 205g, 208g, 210, 212g, 213g, &214d, &215wd, &219d, 220g, 225g, 230g, 233g, 240wg, 250d, 295, 299**

**Interdisciplinary Studies 112wdg, 113, 152wdg, 161wd, 170wgs, 180wg, 210wgs, 295**

**Political Science &101, &201g, &202, &203g, &204g, 295**

**Psychology &100, 114, 115, 116, 165g, &180wd, &200w, 209, 210, 211w, 214, 215, &220d, 225w, 240gs, 250, 265g, 270, 295**

**Salish Sea Studies 201dgs**

**Sociology &101d, 120d, &201d, 210g, 220d, 250d, 295**

*Math and Sciences (MS/MSL)*

**\*Anthropology &205s, &215Ls, 295**

**\*Astronomy &100, 295**

**\*Biology &100wL, 104L, 133g, 159sL, &160wL, &175L, &221wL, &222wL, &223wL, &241L, &242L, &260L, 295**

**\*Chemistry 104L, &110L, &121L, &131L, &161L, &162L, &163L, &261L, &262L, &263L, 295**

**Computer Science &141, 145, 240, 295**

**Engineering 101L\*, &114, 151L\*, 201L\*, 202, &204L\*, &214, &215, &224s\*, &225, 240**

**\*Environmental Science &100ws, &101sL, 295**

**\*Geology 100L, &101L, 104L, 110gs, 140gsL, 150L, 211L, 212wL, 295**

**\*Interdisciplinary Studies 161wd, 210wgs**

**Math &107, 121s, &141, &142, 145, &146, &148, &151, &152, &163, 175, 204, 208, 238, 246, &264, 295**

**\*Nutrition &101, 114, 115, 116, 117, 214**

**\*Oceanography &101L**

**\*Physical Science 104L, 295**

**\*Physics 109sL, &110L, 112gsL, &114L, &115L, &116L, &221L, &222L, &223L, 295**

## Electives

### *Listed Electives (LE)*

**Accounting** &201, &202, &203  
**Art** 123, 155, 200, 201, 202, 212, 222, 223, 230, 231  
**Criminal Justice** &110, &240  
**Computer Science** 101  
**Dance** 101, 102, 103, 111, 112  
**Drama** 110, 120, 126, 127d, 140  
**Education** &115d, 190, &204  
**Engineering** 251  
**Health** 131, 240  
**Humanities** 137g  
**Interdisciplinary Studies** 150g  
**Journalism** 210w, 211w  
**Languages: French** 105; **Japanese** 151g  
**Library** 201  
**Math** 207  
**Music** 150p, 156p, 160, 161, 162, 163, 165, 171, 172, 174, 175, 184, 186, 250p, 265  
**Physical Education (activity)** 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 108, 109, 123, 126, 135, 136, 138, 139, 141, 146, 153, 157, 158, 161, 170, 202, 203, 206, 223, 241, 246, 261, 269, 270, 271  
**Physical Education (non-activity)** 133, 181

### *Unlisted Electives (UE)*

**Accounting** 100, 110, 130, 190, 250, 260, 270  
**Business** 100, 102, 108, 109, 110, 111, 113, 125, 140w, 170, 190, 212, 222, 223, 230d, 231d, 250  
**Business Technology** all courses  
**Compass 2 Campus** 201d  
**Computer Information Systems** all 100- and 200-level courses. w/d/g/s courses: 100s  
**Computer Science** 120  
**Coop Education/Internship** 180, 190, 290  
**Criminal Justice** 109, 115, 120, 190, 245, 250, 275  
**Early Childhood Ed** &100, &107, &120, &132, &134, &138, &139, &160, &170, &180, &190, 220, 236, 290  
**Education** &130, &136, &150d, 250  
**Educational Planning** 100, 104  
**English** 174wd, 188  
**Engineering** 120  
**Environmental Science** 190  
**ESL-Academic** 116, 140, 160  
**Finance** all courses  
**Health** all courses. w/d/g/s courses: 118d, 119d, 140d  
**Hospitality & Tourism** all courses  
**Human Development** all courses  
**Journalism** 120, 212  
**Library** 194  
**Massage Therapist** all courses  
**Medical Assisting** all courses  
**Nursing** all courses  
**Office Administration** all courses. w/d/g/s courses: 154s, 280s, 281s, 282s  
**Paralegal Studies** all courses  
**Parenting Education** all courses  
**Physical Therapist Assistant** all courses  
**Psychology** 105, 106  
**Science** 189  
**Social Work** 217  
**Software Design** all courses  
**Visual Communications** all courses