



2016-2017 PETITION/PROGRAM SHEET

Degree: Associate of Arts

Major: Liberal Arts

Emphasis: Humanities

About This Emphasis . . .

The Associate of Arts degree (AA) works in two ways: 1) it can function as a terminal degree; 2) it can function as a pathway into a baccalaureate degree in the humanities. The degree program meets the requirements of the Colorado Statewide Essential Learning Core. A student who is granted this degree can transfer to any institution in Colorado and graduate in a baccalaureate degree program by taking no more than 60 hours from that institution. The same applies for students who decide to move from the AA program into any Colorado Mesa BA program. A number of emphases are available within the AA degree. Students can build a course of study that focuses on their area of interest in the following disciplines: Creative Writing Fine and Performing Arts, Foreign Languages, Literature, Mass Communications, Philosophy and/or Speech.

For more information on what you can do with this major, go to <http://www.coloradomesa.edu/career/whatmajor.html>.

All CMU Associate of Arts graduates are expected to demonstrate proficiency in critical thinking, communication fluency, quantitative fluency, and specialized knowledge/applied learning.

NAME: _____ STUDENT ID #: _____

LOCAL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER: _____
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I, (Signature) _____, hereby certify that I have completed (or will complete) all the courses listed on the Program Sheet. I have read and understand the policies listed on the last page of this program sheet. I further certify that the grade listed for those courses is the final course grade received except for the courses in which I am currently enrolled and the courses which I complete next semester. I have indicated the semester in which I will complete these courses.

Signature of Advisor Date 20__

Signature of Department Head Date 20__

Signature of Registrar Date 20__

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCING FOR THE ASSOCIATE OF ARTS WITH A MAJOR IN LIBERAL ARTS - EMPHASIS IN HUMANITIES

This is a recommended sequence of course work. Certain courses may have prerequisites or are only offered during the Fall or Spring semesters. It is the student's responsibility to meet with the assigned advisor and check the 2 year course matrix on the Colorado Mesa website for course availability.

FRESHMAN YEAR

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
ENGL 111 English Composition	3	ENGL 112 English Composition	3
Essential Learning History	3	Essential Learning Fine Arts	3
Essential Learning Humanities	3	MATH 110	3
Essential Learning Natural Science with Lab	4	Essential Learning Humanities Emphasis Requirement	3
Humanities Emphasis Requirement	3	Humanities Emphasis Requirement	3
KINE 100 Health and Wellness	<u>1</u>	KINA Activity	<u>1</u>
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SOPHOMORE YEAR

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
Essential Learning Social/Behavioral Science	3	Essential Learning Social/Behavioral Science	3
Essential Learning Natural Science	3	Humanities Emphasis Requirement	3
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Humanities Emphasis Requirement	<u>3</u>		12
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POLICIES:

1. Please see the catalog for a complete list of graduation requirements.
2. This program sheet must be submitted with your graduation planning sheet to your advisor during the **semester prior to the semester of graduation, no later than October 1 for spring graduates, no later than March 1 for fall graduates.** You must turn in your "Intent to Graduate" form to the Registrar's Office **by September 15 if you plan to graduate the following May, and by February 15 if you plan to graduate the following December.**
3. Your advisor will sign and forward the Program Sheet and Graduation Planning Sheet to the Department Head for signature. Finally, the Department Head will submit the signed forms to the Registrar's Office. (Students cannot handle the forms once the advisor signs.)
4. If your petition for graduation is denied, it will be your responsibility to reapply for graduation in a subsequent semester. Your "Intent to Graduate" does not automatically move to a later graduation date.
5. NOTE: The semester before graduation, you may be required to take a capstone exit assessment/project.