Liberal Arts (Physical Science Transfer)

Degree Type Associate in Science

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Delivery Methods

Face-to-Face: Wahpeton Online: Some Classes Combination

The Physical Science transfer curriculum plan is not generally a college major in itself, but is a springboard into a variety of college majors. Possible university majors for the physical science student to consider include astronomy, chemistry, consumer food science, geology, meteorology, physics, and mathematics.

Students should consult with their academic advisor in selecting free electives, as their future area of study may have additional requirements. For example, some students may need to take organic chemistry during their second year.

Students entering the Physical Science transfer curriculum plan who do not have the proper prerequisites may need additional preparatory classes.

This plan provides preparation for the professional curriculum and meets the Liberal Arts Program Purposes listed in the NDSCS Catalog.

In addition to the Physical Science transfer curriculum plan, other programs a student may transfer into are chemistry, physics, engineering, geology, and environmental science.

Admission Requirements

The applicants must be high school graduates or equivalent. Helpful courses to prepare for this program are chemistry, mathematics, physics, English, and computer science. Courses that develop reading and communications skills and two years of a foreign language, if available, also are recommended. Applicants may be required to complete a basic skills evaluation during the admissions process.

Award

Upon successful completion of the required courses, students will be awarded an Associate in Science degree in Liberal Arts.

Required Courses

Course Code	Title	Credits
CHEM 121	General Chemistry I	4
CHEM 121L	General Chemistry I Laboratory	1
CHEM 122	General Chemistry II	4
CHEM 122L	General Chemistry II Laboratory	1
COMM 110	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
ENGL 110	College Composition I	3
	ENGL 125 or ENGL 120	3
FYE 101	Science of Success	1
MATH 165	Calculus I	4
MATH 166	Calculus II	4
MATH 265	Calculus III	4
PHYS 251	University Physics I	4
PHYS 251L	University Physics I Lab	1
PHYS 252	University Physics II	4
PHYS 252L	University Physics II Lab	1
	Electives (5 credits)	5
	Computer Information System Elective (2 credits)	2
	Humanities/History Electives (6 credits)	6
	Social and Behavioral Science Electives (8 credits)	8
	Wellness Elective(s) (2 credits)	2

**MATH 266 Introduction to Differential Equations is recommended.

This curriculum meets the North Dakota University System general education requirements as indicated in the NDSCS Catalog under the heading: NDUS General Education Transfer Agreement.

Total Required Credits

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