



Humanities and Arts Studies

Program Goals Statement

This program provides students an opportunity to explore the Humanities and Arts programs available at the College, including Art Transfer, Communication Transfer, Deaf Studies and the Humanities Transfer concentration of the Liberal Arts Program. These programs provide a comprehensive and rigorous foundation for transfer to a Bachelor of Arts or Science degree in these disciplines. Humanities and arts students will explore the fundamentals of human communication in theory and practice, and analyze historic and contemporary role of these disciplines in an increasingly diverse society. These programs can also prepare students for careers in design, the performing and visual arts or working with the Deaf or hard of hearing.

Program Information

- Humanities programs vary greatly from one another here and at four-year institutions. Students whose exploration uncovers a new, unforeseen passion or interest in one of our humanities areas should contact the specific program coordinator associated with that area as soon as possible to discuss their options and best course of action. Specific program coordinators can also assist you with choosing free electives that are available to you.
- Students interested in Art Transfer programs should meet with the program director to discuss the process of building a strong portfolio for use in transferring or towards the job market and be aware that some studio art courses are offered only one semester.
- Students interested in Communication Transfer programs should meet with the program director to discuss field-based learning opportunities in areas related to mass communication, organizational communication, or public communication.
- Bristol offers several Deaf Studies concentrations to meet a student's career and academic goals. Students interested in these programs who have taken non-credit "sign language classes" in the past, or, are heritage signers (Deaf/signing family) or have taken two or more ASL classes in high school, with a B or better, should meet with the program director to discuss placement options.
- Students interested in the Humanities Transfer concentration of the Liberal Arts program should meet with the program director to discuss humanities transfer opportunities and agreements.

After Bristol

- Bristol participates in the statewide MassTransfer program and has developed many program-to-program transfer articulation agreements that guarantee admission and credit transfer.
- For a complete listing of eligible MassTransfer programs and current Bristol articulation agreements, visit the Transfer Affairs website at www.BristolCC.edu/transfer.

Program: General Studies
Humanities



Type: Associate in Science

Campus

Campus:
Fall River

General Courses

Course #	Title	Credits
COM 101	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
HUM 101	Human Expression Across Time and Space	3
ENG 101	Composition I: College Writing	3
ENG 102	Composition II: Writing about Literature	3
MTH 125	Modern College Mathematics	3

Choose One Social Phenomenon Course

Course #	Title	Credits
PSY 101	General Psychology	3
SOC 101	Principles of Sociology	3

Choose one History Course

Course #	Title	Credits
HST 113	United States History to 1877	3
HST 114	United States History from 1877	3

Choose two Humanities and Arts Courses

Course #	Title	Credits
ART 111	Drawing I	3
ART 121	Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART 131	Three-Dimensional Design	3
COM 106	Introduction to Communication and College Success	3
COM 111	Mass Communication	3
DST 101	Introduction to Deaf Studies	4
DST 110	Deaf Culture	3
THE 101	Introduction to Theatre	3
THE 112	Introduction to Acting	3
	Modern Language Elective	3



Choose one Scientific Reasoning and Discovery Course

Course #	Title	Credits
	Lab Science Elective	4

Choose one Technical Literacy Course

Waived for students who have successfully completed two online courses.

Course #	Title	Credits
ART 260	Computer Graphics	3
COM 157	Television Production	3
COM 159	Video Field Production and Editing	3
THE 135	Stagecraft (Fall)	2
THE 136	Stagecraft (Spring)	3

Additional Program Electives

Consult with your advisor to select college-level courses to achieve a total of at least 60 credits. Students should complete the required General Courses as soon as possible.

Recommended Electives include: ARC, ART, ASL, COM, CVC, DAN, DSC, DST, ENG, FRN, HUM, MUS, PHL, POR, SUS.

NOTE TO STUDENTS: When you meet with your advisor, discuss choosing electives to satisfy the MassTransfer General Education (Gen Ed) Foundation. The Gen Ed Foundation are a set of courses (34 credits) that is accepted at all Massachusetts Community Colleges, State Universities and University of Massachusetts campuses. (For more information see: <http://www.mass.edu/masstransfer/gened/home.asp>)

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	Lab Science Elective	4

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 1

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HUM 101	Human Expression Across Time and Space	3
MTH 125	Modern College Mathematics	3
ENG 101	Composition I: College Writing	3
PSY 101	General Psychology	3
SOC 101	Principles of Sociology	3
	Humanities Elective	3



Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 2

Course #	Title	Credits
	Humanities Elective	3
ENG 102	Composition II: Writing about Literature	3
	Technical Literacy Elective	3
COM 101	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
	Scientific Reasoning and Discovery - Lab	4

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 3

Course #	Title	Credits
HST 113	United States History to 1877	3
HST 114	United States History from 1877	3
	Program Elective	3-4

Recommended Course Sequence - Semester 4

Course #	Title	Credits
	Program Elective	3-4
Total credits:		60