

**SEATTLE COLLEGES**  
**ASSOCIATE OF ARTS (AA-DTA) Direct Transfer Degree Worksheet**  
**FOR PLANNING PURPOSES ONLY – UNOFFICIAL**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Prepared By: \_\_\_\_\_

Transferring To: \_\_\_\_\_ Intended Area of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

**BASIC REQUIREMENTS – 15 CREDITS**

<i>Courses</i>	<i>Quarter</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Credits Earned</i>	<i>Credits Needed</i>	<i>Notes</i>
ENGL&101					
ENGL&102					
Q/SR					
TOTAL:					

**VISUAL, LITERARY & PERFORMING ARTS (VLPA) – 15 Credits** (see Areas of Knowledge course list)

<i>Courses:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Minimum 2 different subjects	<i>Quarter</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Credits Earned</i>	<i>Credits Needed</i>	<i>Notes</i>
TOTAL:					

**INDIVIDUALS, CULTURES & SOCIETIES (ICS) – 15 Credits** (see Areas of Knowledge course list)

<i>Courses:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Minimum 2 different subjects	<i>Quarter</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Credits Earned</i>	<i>Credits Needed</i>	<i>Notes</i>
TOTAL:					

**NATURAL WORLD (NW) – 15 Credits** (see Areas of Knowledge course list)

<i>Courses:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Minimum 2 different subjects	<i>Quarter</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Credits Earned</i>	<i>Credits Needed</i>	<i>Notes</i>
Lab Course (5 credits)					
TOTAL:					

**ELECTIVES – 30 CREDITS** (see restrictions on 2<sup>nd</sup> page)

<i>Courses</i>	<i>Quarter</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Credits Earned</i>	<i>Credits Needed</i>	<i>Notes</i>
HDC 101 (see note on 2 <sup>nd</sup> page)					
TOTAL:					

**DEGREE TOTAL – 90 CREDITS**

CREDITS COMPLETED		CREDITS REMAINING	
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**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS** – to be completed within the 90 credits required for the AA degree

**Integrated Studies (IS)\***  \_\_\_\_\_     
**Communications (C)**  \_\_\_\_\_  
**Global Studies (GS)**  \_\_\_\_\_     
**US Cultures (US)**  \_\_\_\_\_

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#### BASIC REQUIREMENTS – 15 Credits

- **Q/SR courses:** MATH &107<sup>^</sup>, 116, &131\*, &132\*, 136, &141, &142, &146, &148, &151, &152, &163, 211, 220, 224, 238 PHIL &120.
  - ^MATH& 107 requires min. GPA of 2.0
  - \*MATH &131, &132 do not meet Q/SR requirements at UW
- All Q/SR courses have a MATH prerequisite.
- Students who took **PHIL** &106 or **PHIL**&120 before Fall 2013 must complete **MATH** 098 (or higher-level Math) with a minimum GPA of 2.0.

#### VISUAL, LITERARY & PERFORMING ARTS (VLPA) – 15 Credits

- Choices must include a minimum of two different course prefixes.
- No more than 5 credits of a world language at the 100 level may be used in this category.
- No more than 5 credits of a studio/performance class (\*asterisked on Areas of Knowledge list) may be used in this category.
- Maximum 10 credits per prefix.

#### INDIVIDUALS, CULTURES & SOCIETIES (ICS) – 15 Credits

- Choices must include a minimum of two different course prefixes.
- Maximum 10 credits per prefix.

#### NATURAL WORLD (NW) – 15 Credits (Natural and Physical Sciences, Mathematics)

- Choices must include a minimum of two different course prefixes
- 5 credits must be in a lab science (\*asterisked on Areas of Knowledge list)
- Maximum 10 credits per prefix
- Up to 5 credits total are allowed from the following group:
  - **Anthropology:** ANTH &204, &205, 275 **Computer Science:** CSC 110, 111, 142, 143 **Engineering:** ENGR 110, &204 &214, &215, &224, &225, 240 **Math:** All MATH college transfer courses number 102 and above. Technical math courses NOT usable for transfer purposes. **Philosophy:** PHIL &120 **Psychology:** PSYC 222

#### ELECTIVES – 30 CREDITS

- Choose electives with your advisor or retention specialist to prepare you for your intended major or program of study
- 15 to 30 credits of academic or college transfer courses numbered 100 or above, specifically:
  - Additional courses that would otherwise count toward Basic, VLPA, ICS, or NW requirements, i.e. additional Math, VLPA, ICS, or NW courses
  - Academic Electives at North: **ACCT** &201, &202, &203 **BUS** &101, &201, 210 **ENGL** &235
  - Physical Education Activity Courses (PEC) – (3 credits max)
  - Transfer courses in Seminar, Directed Readings, Special Projects/Topics (E.G. 198, 296, 298, 299)
- 0 to 15 of “Restricted” electives are allowed: Any college-level courses numbered 100 or above not listed in the Basic, VLPA, ISC, or NW Requirements.
- HDC 101 Required (2 credits) – It is recommended to HDC 101 take within first two quarters at North Seattle College
  - Some students may qualify for an exemption. To see if you qualify, contact your advisor or retention specialist.
  - If not taking HDC 101, substitute with two credits of electives.

For courses that satisfy VLPA, ICS, & NW Requirements, consult the Areas of Knowledge list, contact your advisor or retention specialist, or [consult the class schedule](#).

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**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:**

**Within the 90 credits required for the AA degree, students must complete special requirements.** If a course fulfills more than one special requirement, it is listed in parentheses next to the course (ex. **CMST 205** fulfills Communications and US Cultures).

**This list is accurate for the 2025-26 academic year.** [Check class schedule for the current list.](#) Courses taken previously at North or at other Seattle Colleges which satisfy requirements there will fulfill requirements at North.

**Integrated Studies (IS)**

\*IS requirement is waived if transferring in 65+ credits from another institution

A minimum of 8 credits of integrated studies (IS) in linked courses, or the coordinated studies programs. Specific IS offerings are taught each quarter. [View this year's integrated studies course schedule.](#)

**Communications (C) Choose one course**

(VLPA): **CMST** &101, 205(US), &210, &220, &230 **ENGL** 151, 152, 153 **HUM** 105(US), 200(US)

(ICS): **ECON** 100

**Global Studies (GS) Choose one course**

(VLPA): **ART** 191, 255, 258 **MUSC** 110

(ICS): **ANTH** 130, &204, &206, 275 **ECON** &202 **ENVS** &100, 101\* **HIST** &126, &127, &128 **ISP** 205 **POLS** &203 **WMN** 205, 213

**US Cultures (US) Choose one course**

(VLPA): **ART** 190 **CMST** 205(C) **ENGL** 231, 258, 291 **HUM** 105(C), 200(C), **MUSC** 113, 204

(ICS): **AME** 151 **HIST** &146, &147, &148, 150, &214 **PSYC** 245 **SOC** 245 **WMN** 200

**TO EARN THIS DEGREE, STUDENTS MUST**

- Complete at least 90 college-level credits (courses numbered 100 or above), including credits transferred in, with a minimum cumulative college-level GPA of 2.0
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 in courses at the degree-granting college.
- Earn at least 15 credits at the degree-granting college.
- Have a minimum passing grade of 1.0 in all courses.

**OTHER NOTES**

- Courses may only be used once in Basic, VLPA, ICS NW, & Elective requirements.
- Sequences should be completed at the same institution.
- Students should apply for degree/graduation one quarter prior to anticipated graduation date, and after registering for that graduating quarter.
- Completion of degree does not guarantee admission to a university/major program nor that all university/major admission and general education requirements are met.
- Check with the college where you plan to transfer to ensure you meet all admission requirements, including but not limited to world language, English, lab science, math and social science.
- Statistics courses do not fulfill UW math admission requirements (CADRs, College Academic Distribution Requirements).

**\*\*MAKE AN APPOINTMENT WITH AN ADVISOR OR RETENTION SPECIALIST TO DISCUSS YOUR DEGREE REQUIREMENTS.**