

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT TRI-C

First Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
ENG 1010/101H College Composition I	3	ENG 1020/102H College Composition II	3
OT36 Math & Data Analysis Requirement	3	OT36 Natural Science Elective	3
General Elective	3	MUS 1020 Survey of Jazz**	3
Foreign Language if needed (or Communication requirement course)*	3 or 4	Foreign Language if needed *	3 or 4
		OT36 Social & Behavioral Science Elective****	3
Semester Total	12 or 13	Semester Total	15-16

Second Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
OT36 Natural Science Elective w/ a Lab	4	OT36 Social & Behavioral Science Elective****	3
REL 2060 African-American Religious Exp***	3	OT36 Arts & Humanities Elective^^	3
OT36 Social & Behavioral Science Elective****	3	General Elective	3
COMM 1010/101H Fundamentals of Speech Communication	3	General Elective (2000 Level)^	3
General Elective (2000 Level)^	3	General Elective (2000 Level)	3
Semester Total	16	Semester Total	15
Total minimum credits earned at Tri-C			60
Associate of Art Awarded			

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT CSU**

Third Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
BST 200 Introduction to Black Studies	3	African-American History and Culture 300/400 Level (B3)	3
BST 300 Black Psychology	3	BST Elective 300/400 Level (C2-3)	3
General Elective	3	General Elective 300/400 Level (WAC/SPAC)	3
BST 350 Black Family (WAC)	3	The African Diaspora 300/400 Level (B2)	3
History & Cultures of African 300/400 Level (B1)	3	General Elective	3
Semester Total	15	Semester Total	15

Fourth Year

Fall Semester	Credits	Spring Semester	Credits
BST 402 Capstone	3	General Elective 300/400 Level	3
General Elective 300/400 Level	3	General Elective 300/400 Level	3
General Elective 300/400 Level	3	General Elective 300/400 Level	3
General Elective 300/400 Level	3	General Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
Semester Total	15	Semester Total	15
Bachelor of Arts Awarded			120

*Communication requirement: please note that one more credit hour must be taken to reach the 60 hour credit minimum if Foreign Language is not selected.

**Course meets Arts and Humanities Requirement for Tri-C AND Arts & English Requirement for Section C1 in Black Studies Major at CSU.

***Course meets Arts & Humanities Requirement for Tri-C AND African Diaspora Religions Requirement for Section A2 in Black Studies Major at CSU.

****Social and Behavioral Science Elective course Suggestions: GEOG 1050, SOC 2310, SOC 2550.

^Tri-C strongly suggests POL 2060 Politics of Africa and POL 2817 Black Political and Social Thought

^^Arts and Humanities Elective course suggestions: ENG 2510, ENG 2520; HIST 2150, HIST 2160, HIST 2070; MUS 1040; REL 2060.

This Transfer Pathway completes the Associate of Arts degree, which must total at least 60 semester credits and includes 36 credits of the Ohio Transfer 36 courses (OT36, formally OTM), which are approved Tri-C general education requirements. OT36 details can be found at <https://www.ohiohighered.org/Ohio-Transfer-36>

Additional Information:

Assumptions: college-level readiness in MATH and ENG; no Foreign Language Deficiency (FLD). NOTE-this is different from the Foreign Language Requirement (FLR) which is a requirement in the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences at CSU.

CSU requires a minimum of 120 total credit hours for graduation. At least 30 credits must be completed in-residence at CSU. At least 24 of the in-residence credits must be completed at the upper division (300/400) level. An overall total of 42 upper division (300/400) level credits are required. Students deficient in total credits or in-residence must take additional elective credits to meet the minimum requirements. Depending upon other elective choices made, students may not need as many general electives as indicated above, or may need additional electives. Students who do not complete the Associate of Arts degree are responsible for the completion of the entire General Education Requirements at Cleveland State University.

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This map represents one example of how to complete the AA and BA degrees. Students should work closely with counselors/advisors at both institutions to discuss options.