Cleveland State University

College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

Associate of Arts emphasis in Black Studies to Bachelor of Arts Black Studies Pathway (Effective Fall 2018)

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE AT TRI-C First Year **Fall Semester** Spring Semester ENG 1020/102H College Composition II ENG 1010/101H College Composition I 3 Math & Data Analysis Requirement 3 **Natural Science Elective** 3 **General Elective** 3 MUS 1020 Survey of Jazz** 3 Foreign Language if needed (or Communication 3 or 4 3 or 4 Foreign Language if needed * requirement course)* Social & Behavioral Science Elective**** 3 Semester Total 12 or 13 Semester Total 15-16 Second Year **Fall Semester Spring Semester** Credits Credits Natural Science Elective w/ a Lab Social & Behavioral Science Elective**** 4 3 REL 2060 African-American Religious Exp*** 3 Arts & Humanities Elective^^ 3 Social & Behavioral Science Elective**** 3 General Elective 3 3 General Elective (2000 Level)^ General Elective 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** BST 200 Introduction to Black Studies African-American History and Culture 300/400 Level (3 3 BST Elective 300/400 Level (C2-3) 3 BST 300 Black Psychology General Elective General Elective 300/400 Level (WAC/SPAC) 3 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 15 **Semester Total Semester Total** 15 Fourth Year Fall Semester Credits **Spring Semester** Credits General Elective 300/400 Level BST 402 Capstone 3 3 General Elective 300/400 Level 3 General Elective 300/400 Level 3

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General Elective 300/400 Level

Bachelor of Arts Awarded

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Additional Information:

General Elective

General Elective 300/400 Level

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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.

^{*}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.

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