PROGRAM GOALS
To provide a general foundation of an associate of arts studies as the precursor for a declared four-year degree.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES
To successfully complete the Associate of Arts program with a “C” average or higher as a foundation to transfer to a four-year baccalaureate institution.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM
The District offers a two-year course of study leading to the Associate of Arts degree. This degree is designed for students who plan to complete their first two years of college at Wayne County Community College District and transfer to a baccalaureate degree granting institution. Programs leading to the A.A. degree are designed for students who plan to major in such areas as performing arts, English, humanities or the social sciences. It is also for students who are preparing for professional programs in areas such as law, journalism, business administration, teaching and computer information systems.
Degree Requirements

- The Associate of Arts degree consists of a minimum of sixty (60) semester hours of credit, of which fifteen (15) must be earned at WCCCD
- Thirty-five (35) credit hours are used to satisfy the general education and academic group requirements
- Twenty-five (25) credit hours are needed to satisfy the elective requirements.
- Consult a transfer coordinator at the campus for course requirement advising

Students are required to complete:
A total of twenty-five (25) elective credit hours, including a minimum of three (3) courses in one of the following areas of concentration:
- Humanities
- English
- Speech
- Social Science
- African-American Studies
- Anthropology
- Economics
- Sociology
- Life and Physical Science
- Mathematics
- Human and Community Development
- Philosophy
- Psychology

Associate of Arts (A.A.) Degree:
General Education Course Requirements:

AMERICAN GOVERNMENT ............ 3
PS 101 American Government ....... 3

ENGLISH ......................... 6
ENG 119 English I ................. 3
ENG 120 English II ............... 3

HUMANITIES ....................... 9
- Consult a counselor for other course options
- Courses must be taken in more than one of the following academic disciplines:
  - Dance
  - English [200 level courses only]
  - French
  - Humanities courses
  - Music
  - Philosophy
  - Languages
  - Speech
  - HIS 151, HIS 152, HIS 249, HIS 250
  - MWS 102 Muslim World Civilization

NATURAL SCIENCE ................ 8
- Courses must be taken in more than one of the following academic disciplines:
  - ANT 153 Introduction to Physical Anthropology
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Mathematics courses numbered 155 or above
  - Physics
- Consult a counselor for other course options

SOCIAL SCIENCE .................. 9
- Courses must be taken in more than one academic discipline.
- At least two (2) courses or six (6) credit hours must be from the following academic disciplines:
  - Anthropology
  - Political Science
  - Economics
  - Psychology
  - History
  - Sociology
  - Geography
  - One course may be taken from the following academic disciplines:
    - African-American Studies
    - Muslim World Studies

GENERAL EDUCATION TOTAL ..... 35
ELECTIVES .......................... 25
A.A. PROGRAM TOTAL ................ 60

Note: Total hours may not include prerequisites