Are you interested in transferring to a university after two years of study at a community college?

Are you interested in one of these disciplines?

- Atmospheric Sciences
- Biological Sciences
- Chemistry
- Earth Science
- Engineering
- Geoscience (Geology)
- Physics

If so, this degree may be a very good option for you.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Associate of Science (AS) degree is designed to allow science students to prepare for their university major by completing many or all of the first- and second-year math and science courses at the community college. During the first two years at the community college, students follow a specific outline of courses for their major, and also take general education courses in the humanities and social sciences. Then, when at the university, qualified students pursue their major, as well as complete the remaining general education courses required for a bachelor's degree.

Students who earn this degree and meet the minimum grade point average required for admission by the transfer institution will receive the same priority admission as students earning the AAS – DTA degree1, and will transfer with junior standing to the following universities: Central Washington University, Eastern Washington University, The Evergreen State College, Washington State University, Western Washington University, University of Washington, Gonzaga University, Seattle Pacific University, Seattle University, Pacific Lutheran University, and Whitworth College.

These are not the only schools, however, which may regard your Associate of Science degree as appropriate preparation. The schools listed above are the schools with which EvCC has entered into a transfer agreement for the purpose of helping Associate of Science students gain priority admission status. The courses you are taking as part of the degree are generally applicable to the requirements of many schools. You should discuss your university options with an advisor from that institution.

SELECTING YOUR MAJOR

EvCC provides “curriculum guides” in a variety of science majors that describe the major and career options, and include a checklist of specific requirements. Each curriculum guide lists the advisor(s) associated with that major. You should acquire a copy of the guide in the major of your choice and contact an advisor.

You should also contact one or more universities to review their offerings and admission criteria. Each university may have some unique requirements in addition to the general preparation.

Central Washington University: www.cwu.edu
Eastern Washington University: www.ewu.edu
The Evergreen State College: www.evergreen.edu
University of Washington: www.washington.edu
Washington State University: www.wsu.edu
Western Washington University: www.wwu.edu

DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements for an Associate of Science degree are listed in separate curriculum guides for each program, such as Biological Sciences, Physics, etc. In addition to the required science, math and English courses, at least 15 credits are required in the Humanities and Social Sciences. A diversity course must also be completed, and may be used to satisfy one of the other requirements; diversity courses are denoted with a “D” in the course number, such as ANTH&115D. The list of Humanities and Social Science courses allowed for the Associate of Science degree is on the reverse side of this guide.

To earn an EvCC degree, students must complete a diversity course, and at least 90 credits with a minimum 2.0 GPA. A full description of eligibility requirements to earn an EvCC degree can be found in the Catalog.

GETTING STARTED AT EVCC

Our Enrollment Services Office provides information about application, advising, orientation and registration for new and continuing students. New degree-seeking students must complete entry advising with the Counseling, Advising & Career Center before registering for first quarter classes.

Contact:
- Enrollment Services, Parks Room 201, 425-388-9219
  admissions@everettcc.edu
- Advising Center, Rainier Hall, Room 108. 435-388-9339

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1 In addition to the transferable AS degree, EvCC also offers the Associate in Arts and Sciences – DTA, which enables students to qualify for priority admission to most regional universities, and enables them to prepare for a variety of majors, including the sciences. However, the DTA degree requires a large number of general education courses which may preclude completing some key science prerequisites for some science majors.
HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES FOR THE ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE DEGREE
15 credits in three different disciplines, selected from both (1) and (2) below.

**Common Course Numbers** are represented with an ampersand (&) next to the number.

1. **HUMANITIES DISTRIBUTION**
   15 credits minimum from at least 3 different disciplines; 
   **no more than 5 credits from foreign language, and no more than 5 credits from Performance Skills (HP) in the next section.**

   *Note: University of Washington foreign language exception: First year foreign language (&121, &122, &123) may not be allowed for distribution credit if used to satisfy foreign language proficiency requirement. Contact a UW advisor.*

   **Humanities unrestricted list:**
   - Arabic: 121, 122, 123
   - Art: &100, 124D, 220, 221, 222, 224, 228D
   - American Sign Language: &121*, &122*, &123*, &221, &222, &223
   - Chicano Studies: 105D Chinese: &121*, &122*, &123*
   - Communication Studies: &102, 104, 204D, &210, &220, 223, &230
   - Drama: &101, 107D
   - Film: 100, 102
   - French: &121*, &122*, &123*, &221, &222, &223
   - German: &121*, &122*, &123*, &221, &222, &223
   - Global Studies: 102, 103, 105D, 185D, 187D, 188D, 281D
   - History: 100, 103D, 111, 112, &146, &147, &148, 170D, 210, &214, &215D
   - Humanities: 110D, 178D, 180D, 248
   - Linguistics: 200
   - Philosophy: &101, 110, &115, 118, 125D, 215, 267
   - Political Science: &101, &200, &202, &203, &204, 205, 210D
   - Psychology: &100, 125, 180, &200, 205, 209, 210D, &220, 225, 230, 235, 240

2. **SOCIAL SCIENCES DISTRIBUTION** 15 credits minimum from at least 3 different disciplines
   - Business: &101, &201
   - Communication Studies: &102
   - Criminal Justice: &112
   - Early Childhood Education: &105
   - Economics: 101D, &201, &202
   - Education: &115D (effective Fall 2013), &202
   - Geography: 101, 102, 102D, 200, 201, 201D, 220, 230, 240
   - Global Studies: 101D, 102, 103, 186D, 187D, 188D, 281D
   - History: 100, 103D, 111, 112, &146, &147, &148, 170D, 210, &214, &215D
   - Humanities: 110D, 178D, 180D, 248
   - Linguistics: 200
   - Philosophy: &101, 110, &115, 118, 125D, 215, 267
   - Political Science: &101, &200, &202, &203, &204, 205, 210D
   - Psychology: &100, 125, 180, &200, 205, 209, 210D, &220, 225, 230, 235, 240

3. **TRANSFER ELECTIVES (List A)**
   Any course listed under Distribution credits above may be used as a transfer elective. Additional courses which are fully transferable as electives toward the 90 credits required for this degree are:
   - Accounting: &201, &202, &203 Art: 275, 276, 277, 297
   - Business: 150, 200, 230, 250
   - Criminal Justice: &101, &110#, &115#, &240
   - Education: &115D#, &203#, 250-252#, 256
   - English: 150, 151, 152
   - German: 190
   - Graphic Arts: 120#
   - Human Services: 101
   - Humanities: 115
   - Journalism: 170
   - Oceanography: 294
   - PEHW Pre-Professional courses: 201, 203, 235.
   - PEHW Activity courses 100 and above: Only 3 credits maximum may be applied toward the degree.
   - Photography: 116,118
   - Psychology: 150, 256
   - NOTE: Courses noted with a # are acceptable for students transferring AFTER Spring, 2007

**APPLIED ELECTIVES (List B) 15 credits maximum.** Any course numbered 100 or above and not listed under Distribution or Transfer Electives (List A), except Art 130, Fire 254 and Physics 130.