

# ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE (AS) REQUIREMENTS

1. Satisfy all degree seeking admission requirements.
2. Complete the following general education requirements. See General Education & Diversity Matrix.

<b>Written Communications</b>		<b>6 semester hours</b>
ENGL 110	College Composition I	
ENGL 120 or ENGL 125	College Composition II Introduction to Professional Writing	
<b>Oral Communications</b>		<b>3 semester hours</b>
COMM 110	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	
<b>Arts and Humanities <sup>1</sup></b>		<b>6 semester hours</b>
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences</b>		<b>6 semester hours</b>
<b>Math, Science, and Technology <sup>2</sup></b>		<b>15 semester hours</b>

3. Complete digital literacy requirement (select one of the following).
  - ENGL 110 College Composition I
  - North Dakota University System (NDUS) Institution approved training course
  - North Dakota University System (NDUS) Institution designated digital literacy course

Note: Courses transferred in from another NDUS Institution that are listed as both general education and digital literacy may satisfy both requirements upon successful completion.
4. Complete enrichment requirement
  - 2 semester hours – Some enrichment courses may be used to satisfy both an enrichment and a general education requirement.
5. Complete diversity requirement
  - 3 semester hours – A course used to meet a diversity requirement may also be used to meet general education requirements.
6. Meet all of the following:
  - Minimum of 60 credits<sup>3</sup>
  - Minimum 2.00 institutional GPA (BSC only)
  - Minimum 2.00 cumulative GPA (BSC + Transfer)
7. Earn at least 15 semester hours of institutional credit from BSC.
8. Specific programs may require additional degree/program requirements; refer to your program.
9. Clear all college obligations.
10. File an Application for Degree in the Academic Records office immediately following enrollment in final semester.

## Footnotes

1

No more than 3 hours of Fine Arts may be used.

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Laboratory science pair – 8 credit minimum  
Math (excluding MATH 137) – 3 credit minimum

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Academic Skills Courses (ASC) will not fulfill general education requirements, institutional credit requirements and cannot be included in the semester hours required for an Associate in Science degree.