

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

Appendix B: General Studies, A.S. (699) 2024 - 2025 SY (61 credits)

The following articulates a pathway¹ for a qualifying student² within the Salem City Public School Division to complete the Virginia Western Community College Associate of Science General Studies Degree³ concurrent with high school graduation. This pathway is a sample. Please refer to the VWCC on-line catalog for the current degree requirements, course description, course outline and additional information about this program of study.

Course	Term Scheduled	Location	Delivery method	Credits	H.S. Requirement	H.S. Course Name
SDV 101 Student Development (Orientation to Liberal Arts and Social Sciences recommended)	ALL		VWCC campus or on-line course	2	None	None
CST 100 Principles of Public Speaking	ALL		VWCC campus or on-line course	3	None	None
ENG 111P/112* English Composition I and II (both classes required)	FALL/SPRING		DE at the high school or VWCC campus or on-line course	6	English 11	
ENG Literature* See List Below	FALL/SPRING		DE at the high school or VWCC campus or on-line course	3	English 12	
HIS 121P /122P (both classes required)	FALL/SPRING		DE at the high school or VWCC campus or on-line course	6	US/VA History	
Social Science Elective: PLS 135p plus one other from list below	FALL/SPRING		DE at the high school or VWCC campus or on-line course	6	US Government	
ITE 152 Introduction to Digital Literacy and Computer Applications	FALL/SPRING		In-class or E-learning	3	None	None
MATHEMATICS See List Below (Note a transfer elective could be substituted for one of the math classes)	FALL/SPRING		DE at the high school or VWCC campus or on-line course	6	Math	
Science Elective: 2 sequential classes from list below	FALL/SPRING		DE at the high school or VWCC campus or on-line course	8	Science	
Transfer Electives:	FALL/SPRING ALL			12	Varies	

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Refer to the list below and/or the VWCC on-line catalog. One class from each set of transfer electives

DE at the high school
or VWCC campus or
on-line course

**Humanities/
Fine Arts Elective:**

FALL/SPRING

DE at the high school
or VWCC campus or
on-line course

6

Varies

SEE LIST BELOW

Notes:

Humanities/Fine Arts Electives	Transfer Electives				ENG LIT (1 class from 2 genres)	SOC SCI ELE	SCI ELEC	Math
ART 101p or 102p CST 130p HUM 201p or 202p MUS 121p PHI 101 or 220p REL 200 or 230p SPA 201	Transfer Electives I	Transfer Electives II	Transfer Electives III	Transfer Elective IV	ENG 225 ENG 245 ENG 246 ENG 250 ENG 255 ENG 258 ENG 275	ECO 201p GEO 210p PLS 135p PLS 241 PSY 200 SOC 200p SOC 268p	BIO 101P/102 CHM 101P/102 CHM 111P /112 GOL 105P /106P NAS 131/132 PHY 201/202	<i>MTH 154P (Quantitative Reasoning)</i> <i>MTH 155P (Stat Reasoning)</i> <i>MTH 167P (Pre-Calc w/Trig)</i> <i>MTH 245P (Statistics I)</i> <i>MTH 263P (Calc I (AB))</i> <i>MTH 264 (Calc II (BC))</i>
	CHM 111p ECO 150p ENG 225 HIS 121p MTH 161p PHI 101 PSY 225 REL 230p SPA 201 HIS 111p	ART 131 BIO 270 CST 130p ENG 255 HIS 122p HUM 201p PSY 230 SOC 200p HIS 112p	BIO 141 ENG 275 GEO 210p MUS 121p PLS 135p PSY 215 SOC 215 SPA 202	ART 101p ART 132 CHM 112 ENG 258 MTH 261p PHI 220 PSY 235 SOC 266 ECO 150p				

- Students seeking this degree through the HB1184 pathway, must submit the *Dual Enrollment HB1184 Declaration of Intent* form and adhere to the academic calendar for graduation application and fees. Degree requirements are determined by the date of the receipt of the HB1184 form, the first class enrollment date after acceptance into HB1184 and the VWCC catalog year requirements in effect at that time.
- At least 25% of course work for this degree must be completed through VWCC campus classes or dual enrollment course work at the high schools
- Students seeking to use AP, CLEP or IB exams to satisfy a requirement, should verify the exam, required score and VWCC corresponding course for compliance
- Foreign Language classes must be at the 200+ level to satisfy the Humanities degree requirement in this program of study
- Course Substitution requests must be approved for the VWCC division dean.
- Passport Courses: Courses with a “p” have been identified by SHEV as an Approved Passport Course
- Helpful links:
 - Dual Enrollment Website: <https://www.virginiawestern.edu/dualenrollment/index.php>
 - Forms: <https://www.virginiawestern.edu/get-started/dual-enrollment/forms/>
 - Resources & Services for Students: <https://www.virginiawestern.edu/advising/>
 - Credit for Prior Learning: <https://www.virginiawestern.edu/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/CreditforPriorLearningBooklet.pdf>

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