# Liberal Arts: Psychology/Sociology

Associate in Arts

## **DIVISION OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES**

This program is for students who want to specialize in the social and behavioral sciences. Students gain a solid foundation in the fields of psychology and sociology to be used in the workforce or to further their education.

Upon successful completion, the Associate of Arts Degree in Liberal Arts with a concentration in Psychology and Sociology is awarded

#### **PROGRAM FOOTNOTES:**

## **History Elective:**

HS 101 Western Civilization I, HS 102 Western Civilization II, HS 103 World Civilization I, HS 104 World Civilization II, HS 105 United States History to 1877, HS 106 United States History Since 1877, HS 115 America through Media, HS 201 Modern Latin America, HS 210 African-American History, HS 220 Nazi Germany and the Holocaust, HS 230 Immigration and Citizenship

# **Laboratory Science Elective:**

BI 101 General Biology I, BI 102 General Biology II,
BI 110 Principles of Biology I. BI 120 Principles of Biology II,
BI 215 Anatomy and Physiology I, BI 217 Anatomy and Physiology
II, CH 101 College Chemistry I, CH 102 College Chemistry II, CH
110 Principles of Chemistry I, CH 120 Principles of Chemistry II, EV
103 Environmental Studies I & EV 104 Environmental Studies II, or
PY 101 College Physics I, PY 102 College Physics II, PY 103
Engineering Physics I, PY 104 Engineering Physics II, SC 102
Integrated Science I, SC 103 Integrated Science II

#### **Literature Elective:**

Any Literature course at the College

## **Humanities Electives:**

Art, Communication, English (EN 103 or higher), ESL (ES 100 or higher; up to 6 credits), Film, Foreign Language, Humanities, Literature, Music, Oral Communication, Philosophy, Photography, Sign Language, Theater Arts

#### **Math Electives:**

Math elective must be 100-level or higher and does not include courses with a MAC prefix

#### **Science Electives:**

Any 3 or 4 credit Science course at the College

# **Social Science Electives:**

Anthropology, Economics, Geography, Government, History, Law, Psychology, Sociology

# **Program Electives:**

Any Anthropology, Psychology, Sociology courses

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS
First Year	Semester 1	
CS 100	Computers and Technology	3
PS 101	Introduction to Psychology	3
EN 101	English Composition I	3
	History Elective	3
	Laboratory Science Elective	4
	credits:	16
First Year	Semester 2	
EN 102	English Composition II	3
SO 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
CT 100	Critical Thinking	3
	History Elective	3
	Science Elective	3/4
	credits:	15/16
Second Year	Semester 1	
	Literature Elective	3
	Math Elective	3/4
	Social Science Elective	3
	Social Science Elective	3
	Humanities Elective	3
	credits:	15/16
Second Year	Semester 2	
PS 250	Research Methods in the Social Sciences	3
$\mathbf{V}$	Humanities Elective	3
1	Humanities Elective	3
	Program Elective	3
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	credits:	15
	Total Credits:	61/63

<sup>\*</sup>MA 105 Introduction to Statistics is recommended

Quantitative skills are a MassBay graduation competency for associate degree programs. Prior to graduation, students must demonstrate this competency by completing a 100-level math course (not MAC); or placing into a 200-level mathematics course.

The program qualifies for MassTransfer with select public Institutions in Massachusetts. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.mass.edu/masstransfer">www.mass.edu/masstransfer</a>.