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:

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
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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
EN 102 | English Composition I | 3
Literature Elective | 3/4
Math Elective | 3
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
Humanities Elective | 3
Humanities Elective | 3
Program Elective | 3
Program Elective | 3
credits: 15
**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 [www.mass.edu/masstransfer](http://www.mass.edu/masstransfer).