## Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences

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Individuals who begin careers in technical fields often seek to further their education for advancement and promotion by completing a four-year bachelor's degree. The BAAS program is designed to transition students from an Associate of Applied Arts or an Associate of Applied Science degree to a bachelor's degree using courses that provide knowledge and skills designed to enhance marketability and leadership potential.

The Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences degree consists of

- General Education 30 credit hours
- Career Field/Occupation 30-39 credit hours
- Professional Development 34 credit hours
- Electives 12-21 credit hours
- UNIV 111 2 credit hours

#### **General Education**

COMM111, ENGL 121, and General Education Math are prerequisites.

| ltem #   | Title                       | credits |
|----------|-----------------------------|---------|
| BIOL 345 | Environment and Mankind     | 4       |
| COMM 111 | Speech                      | 3       |
| ENGL 121 | Freshman Composition        | 3       |
| ENGL 220 | Research Writing            | 3       |
|          | History for BAAS            | 3       |
|          | Humanities for BAAS         | 3       |
|          | KINA Electives              | 2       |
|          | Mathematics GE Requirement  | 3       |
|          | Religion Electives for BAAS | 6       |
|          |                             |         |

#### Career Field/Occupation

Transferred from associate's degree. The number of credits may vary depending on the number of credits transferring in.

#### **Professional Development**

| ltem #   | Title                                     | credits |
|----------|---|---------|
| BUAD 301 | Principles of Management                  | 3       |
| BUAD 372 | Human Resources Management                | 3       |
| BUAD 460 | Ethics and Business Social Responsibility | 3       |
| COMM 241 | Public Relations                          | 3       |
| COMM 335 | Persuasion                                | 3       |
| POLS 425 | Executive Leadership                      | 3       |
| PSYC 212 | General Psychology                        | 3       |
| PSYC 338 | Conflict Resolution                       | 3       |
| SOCI 111 | Introduction to Sociology                 | 3       |
| UNIV 420 | Capstone Seminar                          | 1       |
|          | Professional Development Electives        | 6       |

### **University Electives**

Electives to reach 120 total hours and 36 upper-division hours. The number of credits may vary depending on the number of credits transferring in.

#### UNIV 111

| ltem #   | Title             | credits |
|----------|-------------------|---------|
| UNIV 111 | Wellness for Life | 2       |
|          | Total credits:    | 117     |

# **Category Descriptions**

## History for BAAS

| Credits: 3 |                                 |         |  |
|------------|---------------------------------|---------|--|
| ltem #     | Title                           | credits |  |
| HIST 111   | United States History to 1865   | 3       |  |
| HIST 112   | United States History from 1865 | 3       |  |
| HIST 225   | World Civilizations I           | 3       |  |
| HIST 226   | World Civilizations II          | 3       |  |

## Humanities for BAAS

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| Title                                    | credits  |
|--|--|
| Introductory Studio Ceramics             | 1-3  |
| Art Appreciation                         | 3  |
| ENGL 221 or ENGL 222                     | 3  |
| ENGL 231 or ENGL 232                     | 3  |
| Literary Perspectives (Rotating Content) | 3  |
| History of Western Art                   | 3  |
| Survey of Music                          | 3  |
|  | Introductory Studio Ceramics<br>Art Appreciation<br>ENGL 221 or ENGL 222<br>ENGL 231 or ENGL 232<br>Literary Perspectives (Rotating Content)<br>History of Western Art |

### **KINA Electives**

Credits: 2

| ltem #   | Title                        | credits |
|----------|------------------------------|---------|
| KINA 111 | Physical Fitness             | 1       |
| KINA 112 | Aerobics                     | 1       |
| KINA 115 | Resistance Training          | 1       |
| KINA 116 | Fitness Walking              | 1       |
| KINA 122 | Futsal (Indoor Soccer)       | 1       |
| KINA 124 | Basketball                   | 1       |
| KINA 125 | Volleyball                   | 1       |
| KINA 131 | Swimming                     | 1       |
| KINA 141 | Badminton                    | 1       |
| KINA 142 | Tennis                       | 1       |
| KINA 145 | Racquetball                  | 1       |
| KINA 212 | Advanced Aerobics            | 1       |
| KINA 213 | Pilates                      | 1       |
| KINA 215 | Advanced Resistance Training | 1       |
| KINA 222 | Soccer Team                  | 1       |
| KINA 224 | Basketball Team              | 1       |
| KINA 225 | Volleyball Team              | 1       |
| KINA 229 | Gymnastics Team              | 1       |
| KINA 231 | Advanced Swimming            | 1       |
| KINA 233 | Water Aerobics               | 1       |
| KINA 234 | Lifeguard Training           | 1       |
| KINA 236 | Disc Golf                    | 1       |
| KINA 242 | Advanced Tennis              | 1       |
| KINA 246 | Inline Hockey                | 1       |
| KINA 247 | Golf                         | 1       |
| KINA 248 | Advanced Racquetball         | 1       |
| KINA 255 | Floorball                    | 1       |
| KINA 256 | Advanced Floorball           | 1       |

## Mathematics GE Requirement

| Credits: 3 |                                 |         |  |
|------------|---------------------------------|---------|--|
| ltem #     | Title                           | credits |  |
| HIST 111   | United States History to 1865   | 3       |  |
| HIST 112   | United States History from 1865 | 3       |  |
| HIST 225   | World Civilizations I           | 3       |  |
| HIST 226   | World Civilizations II          | 3       |  |

## **Religion Electives for BAAS**

Credits: 6

Must include 3 credits of upper-division.

| ltem #   | Title                                       | credits |
|----------|---|---------|
| RELB 211 | Life and Teachings of Jesus                 | 3       |
| RELB 322 | Daniel                                      | 3       |
| RELB 323 | Revelation                                  | 3       |
| RELB 328 | Survey of the Old Testament                 | 3       |
| RELB 335 | Introduction to the New Testament           | 3       |
| RELH 230 | History of the Seventh-day Adventist Church | 3       |
| RELH 233 | Biblical Archaeology                        | 3       |
| RELH 314 | Origin & Development of the Bible           | 3       |
| RELH 320 | Ellen White Writings                        | 3       |
|          | RELH 331 or RELH 332                        | 3       |
| RELT 101 | Christian Beliefs                           | 3       |
| RELT 212 | Introduction to Christian Ethics            | 3       |
| RELT 325 | World Religions                             | 3       |
| RELT 327 | Integrated Wellness Connections             | 3       |
| RELT 360 | Philosophy and the Christian Worldview      | 3       |
| RELT 410 | Biblical Conflict Resolution                | 3       |
| RELT 419 | Philosophy of Science                       | 3       |

# Professional Development Electives

Credits: 6

Chosen in consultation with academic advisor.