

2+2 Degree Plan Checklist

Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences Bachelor of Science in Physics (Applied Physics)



Northwest Arkansas Community College¹ Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences²

Possible Pre	Possible Prerequisites		Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	0063	Intermediate Writing		N/C	
MATH	0053	Beginning Algebra		N/C	
MATH	0103	Intermediate Algebra		N/C	
READ	0033	College Reading		N/C	

General Education Requirements (36 credit hours)

English Con	nposition (6 cı	redit hours)	UCA ³	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	1013	Composition I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENGL	1023	Composition II	WRTG 1320		3	

Mathematic	Mathematics (4 credit hours)		UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1204	College Algebra	MATH 1390		4	

Lab Sciences	ab Sciences (8 credit hours)		UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1544	Principles of Biology I	BIOL 1440		4	
PHYS	2054	Advanced College Physics I	PHYS 1441		4	

Fine Arts/H	umanities (6	credit hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ARHS	1003	Art Appreciation or	ART 2300			
COMM	1303	Public Speaking or	COMM 1300		2	
MUSI	1003	Music Appreciation	MUS 2300		3	
		(or other ASLAS Fine Arts)				
ENG	2213	Survey of World Literature to 1650 or	ENGL 2305			
ENG	2223	Survey of World Literature from 1650	ENGL 2306		3	
		(or other ASLAS Humanities)				

U.S. History/	Governmen [®]	t (3 credit hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2003	History of American People to 1877 or	HIST 2301			
HIST	2013	History of American People 1877 to Present or	HIST 2302		3	
PLSC	2003	American National Government	PSCI 1330			

ocial Sciences (9 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ANTH	1023	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology or	ANTH 1302			
HIST	1033	World Civilizations to 1500 or	HIST 1310			
HIST	1043	World Civilizations from 1500 or	HIST 1320			
PHIL	2003	Introduction to Philosophy or	PHIL 1301		9	
PHIL	2033	World Religions or	RELG 1320		5	
PSYC	2003	General Psychology or	PSYC 1300			
SOCI	2013	General Sociology	SOC 1300			
		(or other ASLAS Social Science)				

Physics Foundation (24 credit hours)

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
CHEM	1104	College Chemistry I	CHEM 1450		4	
CHEM	1124	College Chemistry II	CHEM 1451		4	
MATH	1213	Plane Trigonometry	MATH 1392		3	
MATH	2554	Calculus I	MATH 1496		4	
MATH	2564	Calculus II	MATH 1497		4	
PHYS	2074	Advanced College Physics II	PHYS 1442		4	
		ASLAS Approved Elective			1	

Total Hours: 60⁴



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UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁵

			Semester	Hours	Grade
CSCI	1340	Introduction to Programming		3	
ECON	1310	Modern Political Economy		3	
MATH	2471	Calculus III		4	
MATH	3331	Ordinary Differential Equations		3	
MATH	4371	Introduction to Probability		3	
PHIL	3320	Ethics (I, R) or		3	
PHIL	3325	Political Philosophy (I, R)		3	
PHYS	2443	University Physics 3		4	
PHYS	3210	Experiments in Physics 1		2	
PHYS	3220	Experiments in Physics 2 ⁶		2	
PHYS	3341	Mathematical Methods in Physics		3	
PHYS	3342	Mechanics		3	
PHYS	3343	Thermal Physics		3	
PHYS	3360	Electromagnetism 1		3	
PHYS	4303	Special Problems in Physics ⁷ or		2	
PHYS	4380	Internship in Applied Physics		3	
PHYS	4303	Special Problems in Physics ⁷ or		2	
PHYS	4380	Internship in Applied Physics		3	
PHYS	4111	Senior Capstone 1		1	
PHYS	4211	Senior Capstone 2 (Z)		2	
WRTG	3310	Technical Writing (C)		3	
		Upper Division Core Elective (D)		3	
		General Elective		3	
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Total Hours: 1208

¹ Please see your NWACC advisor for degree and graduation information.

² Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at NWACC, not to precede the academic year during which the agreement first took effect. A period of non-enrollment of 12 months or more requires that the student adhere to the agreement revision corresponding with the year of re-enrollment.

³ UCA course is either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or by UCA Department Chair approval (if blank, elective credit will be awarded).

⁴ Students completing the AS in Liberal Arts and Sciences degree, as shown above, with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA, will have satisfied the UCA Lower-Division Core and will be admitted to the BS in Physics (Applied Physics) degree program as a junior.

⁵ In order to receive important communications about transferring to UCA, students are encouraged to create a UCA student account at gopurple.uca.edu. For more information about the 2+2 program, students may also send email inquiries to ucatransfer@uca.edu.

⁶ PHYS 2443, 3210, 3220, 4111 and 4211 is a 5-semester sequence of courses which will require PHYS 3220 to be taken over a summer term.

⁷ PHYS 4303 or PHYS 4380 can be repeated for up to 6 credit hours.

⁸ This agreement requires 120 credit hours: maximum 60 at NWACC and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).