



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences
BA in Writing, Rhetoric, and Information Design (Writing Studies)



Arkansas State University - Beebe¹
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences²

Possible Prerequisites			Semester	Hours	Grade
UNIV	1003	Principles of Academic Success III (required if registering for a remedial course)		(3)	
ENG	0023	College Literacy (taken with ENG 1003 – Freshman English I)		N/C	
MATH	0042	Review for Quantitative Literacy (taken with MATH 1043 – Quantitative Literacy)		N/C	

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)

English/Communication (12 credit hours)			UCA ³	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENG	1003	Freshman English I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENG	1013	Freshman English II	WRTG 1320		3	
SPCH	1203	Oral Communications	COMM 1300		3	
ENG	2003	Choose one: World Literature to 1660	ENGL 2305		3	
ENG	2013	World Literature since 1660	ENGL 2306			
PHIL	1103	Introduction to Philosophy	PHIL 1301			

Mathematics (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1043	Quantitative Literacy or higher	MATH 1360		3	

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1004	Biology for General Education (or other ASLAS Life Science with Lab)	BIOL 1400		4	
PHSC	1204	Physical Science (or other ASLAS Physical Science with Lab)	PHYS 1400		4	

Fine Arts (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ART	2503	Choose one: Fine Arts - Visual	ART 2300		3	
MUS	2503	Fine Arts - Musical	MUS 2300			
THEA	2503	Fine Arts – Theatre (or other ASLAS Fine Arts)	THEA 2300			

Social Sciences (6 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2763	Choose one: The United States to 1876	HIST 2301		3	
HIST	2773	The United States since 1876	HIST 2302			
POSC	2103	Introduction to United States Government	PSCI 1330			
HIST	1013	Choose one: World Civilization to 1660	HIST 1310		3	
HIST	1023	World Civilization since 1660	HIST 1320			

Social or Behavioral Science Elective (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
PSY	2013	Choose one: Introduction to Psychology	PSYC 1300		3	
SOC	2213	Principles of Sociology (or other ASLAS Social Science)	SOC 1300			

Writing Foundation & Foreign Language Requirement (25 credit hours)

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENG	2023	Creative Writing	CRWR 2310		3	
SPAN	1013	Spanish I	SPAN 1310		3	
SPAN	1023	Spanish II	SPAN 1320		3	
SPAN	2013	Spanish III	SPAN 2300		3	
		ASLAS Approved Electives			13	

Total Hours: 60⁴



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UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁵

Major Requirements (12 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
WRID	2325	Introduction to Rhetoric		3	
WRID	3390	Discourse Analysis (UD UCA Core: I, R)		3	
WRID	4308	Writing for Change: Advocacy Writing (UD UCA Core: Z)		3	
WRID	4381	Special Topics in Writing, Rhetoric, and Information Design		3	

Track Requirements (12 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
LING	2320	Introduction to Language & Linguistics		3	
WRID	2330	Introduction to Writing Studies		3	
WRID	4360	Research Methods in Writing Studies		3	
		Upper Division WRID course		3	

Writing Studies Electives (9 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		Upper Division Major Electives (UD UCA Core: Z)		3	
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Minor Field (24 credit hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		Upper Division Minor Field Course (UD UCA Core: C)		3	
		Upper Division Minor Field Course (UD UCA Core: D)		3	
		Upper Division Minor Field Course		3	
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General Electives (3 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		General Elective		3	

Total Hours: 120⁶

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

² Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at ASUB, 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 academic 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 requirements, as shown above, with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA, will have satisfied the UCA Lower-Division Core and be admitted to the BA in WRID (Writing Studies) 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 admissions.uca.edu/apply/. For more information about the 2+2 program, students may also send email inquiries to ucatransfer@uca.edu.

⁶ This agreement requires 120 credit hours as follows: maximum 60 at ASUB and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).