

# General Education

## At a Glance

In addition to the A.A. and A.S. degrees, WSCC offers a short-term General Education Certificate. This certificate is designed to assist students in developing an academic foundation to work toward the Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree and plan on transferring to a four-year college or university, those that plan to transfer to a four-year college or university before earning a degree, and individuals interested in entering the workforce immediately and seek to improve their communication skills (both written and oral), analytical reasoning, cultural and social understanding, and overall personal knowledge in order to be more competitive and valuable in the workforce. The short-term certificate refers to the official notification that the student has completed 22-29 hours of general education requirements and check his/her DegreeWorks.

**Area I:** Written Composition I and II 6 hours

**Area II:** Humanities and Fine Arts 3-9 hours

**Area III:** Natural Science and Mathematics 6-8 hours

**Area IV:** History, Social, and Behavioral Sciences 6-9 hours

**Area V:** Electives (ORI 110 is required) 1-3 hours

Total required credits for the Award of a General Education short-term certificate = 29 hours

**Program:** [General Studies](#)

## GENERAL EDUCATION SHORT-TERM CERTIFICATE – Guided Pathway/Map

### 1st Semester

Item #	Title	Credits
ORI 110	Freshman Seminar	1
ENG 101	English Composition I	3
HIS 201	United States History I	3
MUS 101	Music Appreciation	3
GLY 101	Introduction to Geology I	4
	Sub-Total Credits	14

## 2nd Semester

<b>Item #</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Credits</b>
HIS 202	United States History II	3
ENG 102	English Composition II	3
PHL 206	Ethics and Society	3
MTH 112	Precalculus Algebra	3
PSY 200	General Psychology	3
	Sub-Total Credits	15
	<b>Total credits:</b>	<b>29</b>