MATHEMATICS

The mathematics curriculum is designed to provide students with a sound working base in mathematics, develop the student's ability to apply mathematical symbolism, enhance the student's problem solving and critical thinking skills, increase the student's ability to think abstractly, increase the student's ability to work independently on mathematics, and create a positive outlook toward mathematics.

The various mathematics courses provide the necessary foundation for vocational programs, as well as the requirements for the two-year liberal arts programs and preprofessional programs. They also provide preparation for mathematics majors who plan to transfer to a four-year institution.

Suggested Program of Study for Associate of Science Degree (2 years)

FRESHMAN YEAR SOPHOMORE YEAR First Semester First Semester Course Credits Course Credits ENGL 1010 English Composition I* 3 MATH 2100 Ordinary Differential Equations 3 MATH 1600 Analytic Geometry and Calculus I* 5 Behavioral & Social Sciences* 3 CHEM 1090 General Chemistry I* OR Oral Communication* 3 CHEM 1140 General Chemistry I for Majors* 4-5 PHYS 2120 General Physics II with Calculus 5 15-16 Second Semester Second Semester Course **Credits** English/Literature,* Course Credits English/Literature* 3 Fine Arts and Language,* OR Behavioral or Social Science* 3-4 CHEM 1100 General Chemistry II* OR CHEM 1160 General Chemistry II for Majors* ... 4-5 MATH 2020 Analytic Geometry and Calculus III 5 MATH 2010 Analytic Geometry and Calculus II* 5 MATH 2170 Applied Statistics 3 PHYS 2110 General Physics I with Calculus 5 17-18

To earn an associate of science degree, a student must satisfactorily complete a minimum of 60 semester hours that include the general education requirements.

Total Credit Hours

60-66

^{*} See general education requirements.

^{**}Recommended electives depend on desired professional goal and/or requirements at institution of transfer.