

Public Administration (PA), Associate of Arts Degree

This program is designed for students planning to pursue a higher-level degree in public administration, as well as to equip students with skills needed in entry level clerical/ support positions in the Public Administration field. It offers key introductory courses in public administration business management, as well as a thirty-nine credit-hour component of general education/liberal arts courses required for an Associate of Arts degree. FNU awards an Associate of Arts Degree in Public Administration upon graduation from this program.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (A MINIMUM OF 60 CREDITS)

REQUIRED COURSES

General Education Requirements (39 Credits)

COMMUNICATIONS (9 CREDITS)

	Credit Hours
ENC 1101 English Composition I **	3
ENC 1102 English Composition II **	3
SPC 1017 Fundamentals of Oral Communication	3

HUMANITIES (6 CREDITS)

Credit Hours
6

BEHAVIORAL/ SOCIAL SCIENCE (6 CREDITS)

Credit Hours

ECO 2013 Principles of Macroeconomics	3
SYG 2000 Principles of Sociology	3

NATURAL SCIENCE (7 CREDITS includes 1 Lab. hour)

Credit Hours

BSC 1010 General Biology	3
BSC 1010 L General Biology Lab	1
ESC 1000 General Education Earth Science	3

MATHEMATICS (7 CREDITS)

Credit Hours

MAC 1105 College Algebra I **	3
STA 2014 Introduction to Statistics**	4

COMPUTERS (4 CREDITS)

Credit Hours

CGS 1030 Introduction to Information Technology	4
SLS 1501 College Study Skills	0

CORE REQUIREMENTS (21 CREDITS)

CGS 1510C Spreadsheet Applications	3
ECO 2023 Principles of Microeconomics	3
GEB 2430 Ethics & Social Responsibility	3
MAN 2021 Principles of Business Management	3
PAD 2002 Introduction to Public Administration	3
POS 2041 American Government and Politics	3
POS 2112 State and Local Government	3
BUS 2505 End of Program Assessment	0

*General Education Component (see page 219)

**This course has prerequisites; check course descriptions.

An Associate of Arts (A.A.) program is a two-year course of study that covers the core materials needed to complete the first two years of a four-year bachelor's degree.