



**SOUTHERN  
MAINE  
COMMUNITY  
COLLEGE**

## Liberal Studies - Online

### Associate of Arts

#### Four Semester Pathway Academic Year 2025-2026

Semester 1	Requirement	*Recommended	Prerequisites	Corequisites	Credits	My Plan
FIGS 100	Student Success Elective				1	
ENGL 100	English Composition		ENGL 080		3	
	Mathematics Elective		MATH 040		3	
	Ethical Reasoning Elective	PHIL 105 Ethical Dilemmas	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	Psychology or Sociology Elective	PSYC 100 Intro to Psychology or SOCL 100 Intro to Sociology	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
<b>Semester 2</b>						
ENGL 115	Introduction to Literature		ENGL 100 or ENGL 101		3	
	Science with Lab Elective	BIOL 100 Biology for Non Majors	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	4	
	Economics or Political Science Elective	ECON 120 Microeconomics or ECON 125 Macroeconomics or POLS 105 American Government	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	Art or Music Elective	ARTS 170 Photography or MUSI 125 World Music	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	Humanities Elective	ENGL 285 The Short Story or PHIL 100 Intro to Philosophy or PHIL 105 Ethical Dilemmas	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
<b>Semester 3</b>						
	English Communications Elective	ENGL 200 Creative Writing	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	History Elective	HIST 120 World History to 1500 or HIST 130 U.S. History to 1877	See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	Diversity Elective		See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	Fine Arts or Humanities Elective		See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	Free Elective		See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
<b>Semester 4</b>						
	Liberal Studies Elective		See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
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	Liberal Studies Elective		See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
	Free Elective		See course prerequisites	See course corequisites	3	
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				<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>62</b>	

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\*Recommended courses are typically offered online each semester - please refer to the course search for a complete list of online offerings and availability.

[Advice on Choosing Electives](#)

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<b>General Education Requirements</b>					
<b>COURSE CODE</b>	<b>COURSE TITLE</b>	<b>PREREQUISITES</b>	<b>COREQUISITES</b>	<b>CREDITS</b>	<b>MET</b>
ENGL 100	English Composition	ENGL 080		3	
ENGL 115	Introduction to Literature	ENGL 100 or ENGL 101		3	
FIGS 100	Student Success Elective			1	
	Mathematics Elective	MATH 040		3	
	Science Elective with Lab			4	
	Art or Music Elective			3	
	Psychology or Sociology Elective			3	
	Economics or Political Science Elective			3	
	Humanities Elective			3	
	English Communications Elective			3	
	Diversity Elective			3	
	Ethical Reasoning Elective			3	
<b>Major Required Courses</b>					
	Fine Arts or Humanities Elective			3	
	History Elective			3	
	Liberal Studies Electives			12	
	Free Electives			9	