

ARABIC STUDIES

The Associate in Arts in Arabic Studies is designed to provide a greater understanding of Arabic language, history, culture and heritage, with particular emphasis on reading, writing and speaking the Arabic language. The Arabic Studies degree prepares students for career opportunities that require competency in the Arabic language. Through specific coursework for this degree, students will have a deeper appreciation and understanding of Arabic heritage and civilization.

Program Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Communicate in the Arabic language at the intermediate level in a variety of settings.
- Acquire an understanding of Arabic civilization and heritage.
- Gain sensitivity, globalism and cultural competence.

Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:

<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Units</i>
ARBC 120	Arabic I	5
ARBC 121	Arabic II	5
ARBC 145	Arabic Civilizations	3
ARBC 122	Arabic for the Native Speaker I	5
or		
ARBC 220	Arabic III	5
ARBC 123	Arabic for the Native Speaker II	5
or		
ARBC 221	Arabic IV	5
ARBC 250	Conversational Arabic I	3
or		
ARBC 254	Conversational Iraqi Dialect	3
ARBC 251	Conversational Arabic II	3
	Total Required	29
Plus General Education Requirements		

Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Arabic Studies. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.