OCCUPATIONAL STUDIES (AAS)

Catalog Effective Term: Fall 2024
Program Code: APOST
Credential: Associate in Applied Science
Program is also available online
High Demand Occupation, High Skill Occupation, High Wage Occupation

This program allows students to earn an Associate in Applied Science degree by building on occupational/technical courses and certificates. This option can be selected if an associate degree is required or preferred as a condition for employment or advancement in a field. The program also allows students to combine coursework from several occupational areas to prepare for a job that requires multidisciplinary skills. Meet with a divisional counselor or faculty advisor for assistance in developing a program of study. A counselor can help determine career interests and educational goals, as well as provide transfer and career information.

Articulation

- Eastern Michigan University, several BS degrees
- Ferris State University, BS degree

Copies can be obtained from the Counseling Office, a program advisor, or from the Curriculum and Assessment Office Web site: http://www.wccnet.edu/learn/transfer-wcc-credits/articulation-agreements.php.

Minimum Credits Required for the Program: 60

Code	Title	Credits
General Studies Program Requirements		
Complete a minimum of 20 credits in an occupational/technical area.		20
Complete the General Education Requirements for the Associate in Applied Science Degree:		18
Arts and Humanities (https://coursecatalog.wccnet.edu/academics/general-education/#arthuma)		
Math (https://coursecatalog.wccnet.edu/academics/general-education/#math)		
Natural Sciences (https://coursecatalog.wccnet.edu/academics/general-education/#naturalsci)		
Second Writing/Composition or Communication (https://coursecatalog.wccnet.edu/academics/general-education/#writing)		
Social and Behavioral Science (https://coursecatalog.wccnet.edu/academics/general-education/#socbehavsci)		
Writing/Composition (https://coursecatalog.wccnet.edu/academics/general-education/#writing)		
Open Elective(s) to reach a minimum of 60 total credits.		22
Total Credits		**60**