Associate of Arts Degree to BA in Mathematics

St. Charles Community College students who plan to transfer to Truman State University with the Associate of Arts degree are strongly encouraged to prepare for transfer by completing the courses listed below. By following this plan for degree completion, students are assured that they will be able to transfer without loss of credit or duplication of courses, that they will complete prerequisites for later course work, and that they will be prepared to make a smooth transition from St. Charles to Truman.

Students who complete the Associate of Arts degree will fulfill the Essential Skills, Modes of Inquiry, Truman Week, and Intercultural requirements of Truman’s Liberal Studies Program. Transfer students must fulfill all other degree requirements that are required of native Truman students.

Students who do not complete the courses as listed on this plan or who transfer without the Associate of Arts degree will have their coursework evaluated and applied to degree requirements on a course-by-course basis.

Students are recommended to complete the following courses to fulfill requirements for their Associate of Arts degree at St. Charles Community College:

Communication – 9 credit hours

- ENG 101 English Composition I
- ENG 102 English Composition II
- SPE 101 Oral Communication

Social Science – 9 credit hours

Complete one course from Group I, and one course from Group II. Select the third course from Group I, II, or III. Students must fulfill the state statute requirements for the United States and Missouri Constitutions.

Group I
- HIS 101 U.S. History to 1877
- HIS 102 U.S. History Since 1877
- HIS 115 U.S. History Since 1945 (elective at Truman but does fulfill MO Statute)
- HIS 270 History of Missouri
- POL 101 American Government
- POL 102 State and Local Government

Group II
- ANT xxx Any ANT course
- CRJ 140 Introduction to Criminal Justice System
- ECO 100 Survey Economics
- ECO 110 Principles of Macroeconomics
- ECO 120 Principles of Microeconomics
- GEO xxx Any GEO course
- PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology
- SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology
SOC 102  Introduction to Sociological Theory

**Group III**
One additional course from Group I or II

**OR**

HIS xxx  Any HIS course
POL xxx  Any POL course

**Humanities – 9 credit hours**

**Complete one course from Group I, one course from Group II, and one additional course from Group I or Group II.**

**Group I**

ART 101  Art Appreciation
ART 150  Survey of Western Art History I: Prehistory to End of the Middle Ages
ART 151  Survey of Western Art History II: Renaissance to the Twentieth Century
ART 160  Art History II (formerly called Modern and Contemporary Art History)
ART 170  Design I
MUS 110  American Music Appreciation (elective but Fine Art Mode at Truman)
MUS 111  Music Appreciation
MUS 112  Jazz Appreciation
MUS 234  Jazz History
THE 122  Introduction to the Theater

**Group II**

Taking two courses in the same foreign language will apply toward the foreign language requirement for the Mathematics major.

FL xxx  Any FL course
LIT xxx  Any LIT course
PHL xxx  Any PHL course

**Multicultural/Valuing – 3 credit hours**

**Complete one course from the following:**
Taking the third course in the same foreign language as above will apply toward the intermediate foreign language requirement for the Mathematics major.

FL 101  Foreign Language and Culture I
FL 102  Foreign Language and Culture II
FL 201  Foreign Language and Culture III
FL 202  Foreign Language and Culture IV

**OR**

ANT 102  Intro to Cultural Anthropology
ANT 151  World Archaeology
ANT 202  Current Debates in Anthropology
ESL 102  ESL: Intermediate Composition for Non-Native Speakers
GEO 100  Principles of Geography
HIS 145  Western Civilization, Ancient and Medieval Heritage
HIS 146 Western Civilizations, Modern European Heritage
LIT 200 World Mythology
LIT 271 Contemporary Voices of Global Literature
LIT 272 World Literature: Ancient World Through the Renaissance
LIT 273 World Literature: Enlightenment to the 20th Century
MUS 111 Music Appreciation
PHL 201 World Religion
POL 201 International Relations
POL 210 Comparative Politics
POL 255 European Politics and Culture

Mathematics – 5 credit hours
MAT 180 Calculus and Analytic Geometry I

Natural Science – 8 credit hours

Complete one course from Group I and one course from Group II including at least one lab
**Although only one lab is required for the AA degree, taking CHM 110/113, CHM 115, or PHY 240/243 will meet a Math major requirement at Truman and is the recommended choice.

Group I
BIO 101/103 General Biology I and Lab
OR
BIO 150 General Biology I and Lab
BIO 105/106 Essentials of Biology and Lab
BIO 125/127 General Botany and Lab
BIO 160 General Botany and Lab

Group II
CHM 110/113 General Chemistry I and Lab
OR
CHM 115 General Chemistry I
PHY 240/243 College Physics I and Lab

Computer Literacy Requirement – 3 credit hours

Complete one course from the following:
BAS 103 Microcomputer Applications
CPT 103 Microcomputer Applications
CPT 115 Introduction to Data Processing
EDU 220 Educational Technology

Capstone – 1 credit hour
COL 299 Sophomore Portfolio Assessment

Transferable Major Field Requirements – 19+ credit hours
From the following courses, choose courses to total 64 credits for the degree.
MAT 230 Calculus and Analytic Geometry II
MAT 240 Calculus and Analytic Geometry III
MAT 250 Differential Equations
MAT 260 A Transition to Theoretical Mathematics
CPT 185 Programming in C# (C Sharp)
CPT 271 Programming in Perl

Satisfactorily complete the second year of a single foreign language (FL 202), or demonstrate intermediate proficiency as determined by a CLEP examination.
FL 102 Foreign Language and Culture II
FL 201 Foreign Language and Culture III
FL 202 Foreign Language and Culture IV

Total credits required for the Associate of Arts degree: 64

After completing the Associate of Arts degree at St Charles Community College, students will then complete the following courses at Truman State University to earn a Bachelor of Arts degree in Mathematics. Students may transfer any of the following 100-200 level equivalent coursework from SCC provided the 28 hours residency requirement, the 45 hours of Truman coursework, and the major hour requirements for Truman are met.

Junior Interdisciplinary Writing-Enhanced Seminar (JINS) – 3 credit hours

Bachelor of Arts Requirements– 0-6 credit hours

Bachelor of Arts Requirements
Complete the second year of a single foreign language, or demonstrate proficiency as determined by a proficiency examination, or successfully complete a higher-level foreign language course. Students who completed Language and Culture IV at SCC have fulfilled this requirement.

Required Support – 10-11 credit hours (CS 170, CHEM 130, or PHYS 195 equivalents may have been taken at SCC as part of transfer work)

CS 170 Introduction to Computer Science I
OR
CS 180 Foundations of Computer Science I
STAT 290 Statistics
CHEM 130 Chemical Principles I
OR
PHYS 195 Physics with Calculus I

Major Requirements – 23-29 credit hours

MATH 200 Foundations of Mathematics (if not completed at SCC)
MATH 357 Linear Algebra
MATH 451 Algebraic Structures I
MATH 461 Advanced Calculus I
MATH 498 Senior Seminar
Mathematics Electives:
Chose courses totaling 15 credit hours from the following lists, with at least one course from List A:

**List A:**
- MATH 363  College Geometry
- MATH 440  Topology
- MATH 447  Combinatorial Analysis
- MATH 452  Algebraic Structures II
- MATH 454  Theory of Numbers
- MATH 462  Advanced Calculus II
- MATH 465  Differential Geometry
- MATH 467  Logic and Set Theory
- MATH 515  Complex Variables I
- STAT 570  Mathematical Probability and Statistics I

**List B:**
- MATH 300  Introduction to Numerical Analysis
- MATH 325  Introduction to Operations Research
- MATH 330  Mathematics of Finance
- MATH 335  Game Theory
- MATH 345  Introduction to Mathematical Biology
- MATH 347  Discrete Mathematics
- MATH 364  Vector Analysis
- MATH 365  Ordinary Differential Equations (may have been completed at SCC)
- MATH 400  Methods of Optimization
- MATH 455  History of Mathematics I
- MATH 456  History of Mathematics II
- MATH 464  Higher Geometry
- MATH 511  Numerical Analysis
- MATH 521  Partial Differential Equations
- MATH 530  Topics in Mathematical Modeling
- MATH 564  Advanced Linear Algebra
- STAT 571  Mathematical Probability and Statistics II

**Capstone Experience**
Each student pursuing a bachelor’s degree in mathematics is required to complete a project demonstrating his/her ability to study independently some area of mathematics. The project will include a written report and an accompanying public presentation. Each project should be of such a nature that all three of the following criteria are satisfied:

The student should learn some mathematics outside the classroom setting.  
The student should synthesize material obtained from different sources.  
The student should clearly communicate, orally and in writing, what he or she has learned.

Students are responsible for choosing a project and a supervisor. The project must be approved by the supervisor and by the Mathematics Undergraduate Committee. By the start of Midterm
Break in the semester the student is planning to graduate, the student’s written report, approved by his/her supervisor must be submitted to the Mathematics Undergraduate Committee. Upon committee approval, the supervisor will arrange the public presentation. Information about acceptable types of projects will be available in the Department Office.

NOTE: Students who double-major in mathematics and another discipline are allowed to meet the Capstone Integrating Experience requirement in the other discipline provided it requires a Capstone Integrating Experience. Students must submit the Verification of Capstone Experience form, signed by their capstone advisor, to the Department Office in VH 2100.

**Writing-Enhanced Requirement**

Complete at least two additional courses at Truman, in addition to the JINS course, that are listed as Writing-Enhanced. These courses may be used to fulfill other requirements.

**Total credits required for the Baccalaureate of Arts degree: 120**

**Additional Information:**
Note: Most mathematics courses having a prerequisite mathematics course require a grade of “C” or higher in that course. Students should check prerequisites in the course descriptions.

Students seeking Missouri teacher certification as secondary mathematics teachers should select MATH 363 College Geometry in order to meet Missouri certification requirements and MATH 455 History of Mathematics I or MATH 456 History of Mathematics II for entry into the MAE program.

Courses offered under the numbers MATH 473, MATH 488, MATH 489, MATH 503, STAT 380, STAT 486, and STAT 487 may substitute for List B with the approval of the mathematics faculty. At most, six hours total credit from MATH 473 and MATH 489 may be counted as List B elective.

Mathematics majors may substitute at most one course from another discipline for a course in List B. Such a course must be at the 300 level or above, contain a strong mathematical component, and be approved by the mathematics faculty. A list of approved courses may be obtained in the Mathematics and Computer Science Department Office.

**Transfer students majoring in mathematics must complete 18 semester hours in the major at Truman. This coursework must include 15 semester hours at the 300 level or higher.**

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