

Associate of Arts (AA) Degree/Graduation Requirements:

1. Complete a total of **60** semester credits **numbered 1000 and above** (college level) as described below
 - ✓ Complete the MNTC (40 semester credits)
 - ✓ Complete Health & Exercise Science
 - ✓ Complete electives to meet 60 semester credits
 - ✓ Earn a minimum of 20 college-level credits at Normandale
2. Earn a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or above in all college level coursework completed at Normandale for AA degree or MNTC certification.
3. File a graduation application during the first month of the semester you plan to complete your coursework.

The AA degree, which includes the MNTC, meets the general education requirements for graduation from MN State Universities, and the University of Minnesota. The following schools also accept the AA degree as satisfying their general education requirements.

MN Schools: Argosy University, Augsburg University, Bethany Lutheran College, Capella University, College of St Scholastica, Concordia University in St Paul, St Catherine University, and St Mary's University

WI Schools: Northland College, UW River Falls, UW Stout, and UW Superior

ND Schools: Mayville State University, North Dakota State University and University of North Dakota

MN Transfer Curriculum (MNTC) Requirements:

- ✓ Complete the requirements of each of the 10 MNTC goals
- ✓ Earn a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher in all college level course work completed at Normandale and in all courses counting towards the MNTC
- ✓ Earn a minimum of 14 college-level credits at Normandale
- ✓ Successfully complete a total of **40** credits of coursework in all MNTC goal areas

NOTE: credits are counted only once toward the 40 credit MNTC minimum

The MNTC is designed to meet the general education requirements for graduation from any public university or college in Minnesota.

Apply for your AA degree or MNTC certification during your final semester.

****For a list of classes for each goal areas, visit <http://www.normandale.edu/current-students/advising-and-counseling/aa-degree.html>****

Goals	Courses	Semester Credits	Term
GOAL 1: COMMUNICATION - 2 courses -One course must be College Writing, one course from Communication			
GOAL 2: CRITICAL THINKING (met by completion of all 40 credits of the MNTC)	XXXXX	XXXX	XXX
GOAL 3: NATURAL SCIENCES - 2 courses - Select two courses from a minimum of two departments; one must include a laboratory experience			
GOAL 4: MATHEMATICAL/LOGICAL REASONING - 1 course			
GOAL 5: HISTORY AND SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES - 2 courses - courses from a minimum of two departments			
GOAL 6: THE HUMANITIES AND THE FINE ARTS - 2 courses - two courses from a minimum of two departments.			
GOAL 7: HUMAN DIVERSITY - 1 course			
GOAL 8: GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE - 1 course			
GOAL 9: ETHICAL AND CIVIC RESPONSIBILITY - 1 course			
GOAL 10: PEOPLE AND THE ENVIRONMENT - 1 course			
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HEALTH - 1 course

HLTH: _____

EXERCISE SCIENCE - 1 course

EXSC: _____

ELECTIVE courses numbered 1000 and above:

<u>Course</u> _____	<u>Cr</u> _____	<u>Course</u> _____	<u>Cr</u> _____	<u>Course</u> _____	<u>Cr</u> _____	<u>Course</u> _____	<u>Cr</u> _____
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**AA DEGREE TOTAL:
60 semester credits**