

Transfer Program Associate of Arts Degree



Many students planning to transfer to four-year colleges and universities obtain an Associate of Arts degree that assists them in completing the traditional courses of study for freshmen and sophomore years. Additionally, these students can also concentrate their studies while pursuing the A.A. degree around the discipline in which they plan to major once they have transferred. The Arts and Humanities Division allows students to concentrate their A.A. degree studies in English, fine arts (drawing, painting, ceramics, sculpture, jewelry design), humanities, journalism, modern languages (French, German, Italian, Spanish, Slovenian, Chinese), music, philosophy, photography, speech, or theater. These courses can transfer to four-year colleges and universities for completion of bachelor's degrees in the particular fields.

Students interested in obtaining an Associate of Arts degree with a concentration area should meet with a counselor in the Counseling Office. Counselors can help students map out a plan for their education and choose the appropriate courses to meet the requirements of their chosen four-year institution. An Associate of Arts planning guide can also be found in Lakeland's Catalog. This guide can assist students in choosing the courses they need to successfully complete an associate degree at the college.



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Quality Education

- Over 130 degree and certificate programs
- Small classes taught by dedicated faculty with real world experience
- 96% of graduates find employment or continue their education

Credits Transfer

- Credits transfer easily to four-year colleges and universities
- The Holden University Center of Lakeland Community College gives you convenient access to complete a bachelor's or graduate degree from a variety of leading colleges and universities - right here in Lake County!

Affordable Tuition

- Save thousands on your college education
- Lakeland's tuition is about one-third the cost of most four-year schools
- Financial aid is available to those who qualify

Flexible Scheduling

- Convenient locations in Kirtland, Madison and Willowick
- Day, evening, weekend, online, and accelerated classes
- Adult Accelerated Degree Program - earn an associate degree in two years by taking classes in the evening and on Saturdays

Lakeland Community College is accredited through the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) and participates in the Academic Quality Improvement Program (AQIP). The Higher Learning Commission | 230 South LaSalle Street, Suite 7-500 | Chicago, IL 60604-1413 | 800.621.7440 | www.ncahlc.org

Arts and Humanities Division

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ARTS and HUMANITIES

Degrees:

- Associate of Applied Business Degree - Graphic Design
- Associate of Applied Science Degree - Applied American Sign Language Studies

Transfer Program:

- Associate of Arts Degree

Certificates:

- Personal Trainer
- Technical Communications



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Arts and Humanities Division

Accreditation

The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools

The Arts and Humanities Division supports Lakeland's transfer mission to assist students who plan to go on to complete their bachelor's degree at a college or university. The division offers quality instruction in the liberal arts disciplines of dance, English composition and literature, fine arts, humanities, foreign languages, music, philosophy, physical education, speech, sign language, and theater. The division supports the college's technical training mission by providing quality instruction and practice for careers in graphic design and American Sign Language.

The Arts and Humanities Division also provides talented community members and students many opportunities for expressing their artistic abilities in the fine and performing arts. The division's civic performance program offers community members and students a theater program and music groups through which they can express and advance their talents. The college's four music groups include a civic orchestra, civic band, civic chorus, and civic jazz orchestra. Additionally, the division offers talented high school students Jazz Impact, an all-star high school music group. The college's civic theater program offers community members and students the opportunity to perform in or work backstage on several theatrical productions each year. Counting performers, students and audience, the civic performance program serves over 7,500 members of our community each year.

The Lakeland art gallery, located in the Performing Arts Center, stages on average nine exhibitions a year. These exhibitions support Lakeland's fine arts academic programs and employees, diversity efforts at the college, community arts groups, and local high schools' all-star artists. The gallery serves over 10,000 visitors each year.

Students and community members who are interested in auditioning to join one of the civic music groups should contact the Arts and Humanities Division office at 440.525.7261.



Applied Degree and Certificate Programs

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Degree & Certificate Programs

Students obtaining an Associate of Arts degree from Lakeland satisfy many of the general education and liberal arts courses required by bachelor's degree programs at four-year colleges and universities. Those who have determined the area of study they wish to pursue upon transfer, have the option to focus their coursework in the following concentration areas:

- English
- Fine Arts (drawing, painting, ceramics, sculpture, jewelry design)
- Humanities
- Journalism
- Modern Languages (French, German, Italian, Spanish, Slovenian, Chinese)
- Music
- Philosophy
- Photography
- Speech
- Theater

Associate of Applied Business Degree

- Graphic Design

Associate of Applied Science Degree

- American Sign Language

Certificates

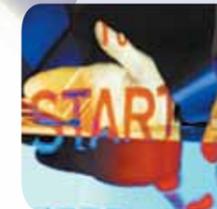
- Personal Trainer
- Technical Communications Professional

American Sign Language



The Associate of Applied Science degree in American Sign Language is designed to provide students with the basic skills to understand conversational sign language and to acquaint them with basic issues of concern to the deaf community. This program will give students sufficient training to allow for effective communication with deaf persons in informal settings in teaching, human services or healthcare. The program will give students the skills to earn the academic qualifications for entry into advanced studies at universities offering sign language programs. Graduates of this program will have the necessary foundation to enter an interpreter training program, upon completion of which they would be eligible to take certification examinations offered by the National Association for the Deaf and the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf. Students successfully completing courses in American Sign Language may meet foreign language requirements at Ohio colleges and universities.

Graphic Design



The Associate of Applied Business degree in graphic design teaches students to use a variety of print, film and electronic media in creating design. The user-oriented courses allow students to experience firsthand the process needed to create visual designs. Career opportunities are available as graphic designers, arts directors, pre-press artists, typographers, and graphic arts sales representatives. Various working environments include design studios, advertising agencies, corporate art departments, publishing houses, print shops, display houses, television stations, and newspapers. Lakeland's graphic design program uses current software and hardware in classrooms. Applications that are presently used out in the field are used in the graphic design labs. As a graduate of the program, students may gain immediate employment or transfer credits to a four-year degree program.

