

Bridge Valley Community & Technical College & West Virginia University



Associate of Arts in General Studies A.A. leading to
Bachelor of Arts in International Studies B.A.
Suggested Plan of Study



Bridge Valley CTC	Hours	WVU Equivalents	Hours
Year One, 1 st Semester			
GNST 110	3	WVUE 191	3
ENGL 101	3	ENGL 101 or ENGL 101 + ENGL 1TC or ENGL 101 + ENGL 1TC	3
MATH 113 or MATH 130	3-	MATH 121 or MATH 126	3
ATEC 111	3	CS 1TC	3
PSYC 101	3	PSYC 101	3
TOTAL	15-		15-17
Year One, 2 nd Semester			
ENGL 102	3	ENGL 102	3
BIOL 101 & BIOL 102 or CHEM 110 & CHEM 111 or ENVI 101 & ENVI 101L	4	BIOL 101 & BIOL 101L or CHEM 111 & CHEM 111L or ESWS 155 + ESWS 1TC	4
HIST 112 (History Elective)	3	HIST 180 (Required)	3
COMM 100	3	COMM 270 & COMM 270S	3
Restricted Elective	3	Elective	3
TOTAL	16		16
Year Two, 1 st Semester			
BIOL 101 & BIOL 102 or CHEM 110 & CHEM 111 or ENVI 101 & ENVI 101L	4	BIOL 101 & BIOL 101L or CHEM 111 & CHEM 111L or ESWS 155 + ESWS 1TC	4
HUMN 101	3	HUM 101	3
SOCI 101	3	SOC 101	3
ECON 201 or ECON 202 (Restricted Elective)	3	ECON 201 or ECON 202 (Required; Pick one)	3
ARTS 110 or ARTS 120 (Arts Elective)	3	MUSC 111 or ART 101	3
TOTAL	16		16
Year Two, 2 nd Semester			
ECON 201 or ECON 202 or HUMN 110	3	ECON 201 (Required) or ECON 202 (Required) or WVUE 1TC	3
Any GEOG, HIST, PSYC, SOCI Course	3	Elective	3
ENGL 215	3	ENGL 200	3
Restricted Elective	3	Elective	3
BUSN 298	1	BTEC 2TC	1
TOTAL	13		13

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Year Three, 1 st Semester		Year Three, 2 nd Semester	
INTS 288	1	SUST 302 or POLS 300 or INTS 300 (EDG 1)**	3
POLS 260 (EDG 4)	3	INST 388	1
Area of Emphasis ⁽¹⁾	3	Area of Emphasis ⁽²⁾	3
Regional and Language Concentration ⁽¹⁾	3	Area of Emphasis ⁽³⁾	3
EDG 2: Effective and Civil Communication	3	Regional and Language Concentration ⁽²⁾	3
Required Minor Course ⁽¹⁾	3	EDG 3: Ethics and Civil Responsibility	3
Required Minor Course ⁽²⁾	3		
TOTAL	19	TOTAL	16
Year Four, 1 st Semester		Year Four, 2 nd Semester	
Area of Emphasis ⁽⁴⁾	3	INST 488 (Capstone)	3
Area of Emphasis ⁽⁵⁾	3	Regional and Language Concentration ⁽⁴⁾	3
Regional and Language Concentration ⁽³⁾	3	Regional and Language Concentration ⁽⁵⁾	3
ARSC 380 (EDG 5)	3	EDG 6: High Impact Experience	3
Required Minor Course ⁽³⁾	3	Required Minor Course ⁽⁵⁾	3
Required Minor Course ⁽⁴⁾	3		
TOTAL	18	TOTAL	15

International Studies students must select a regional and language concentration (15 hours) from Arabic, Chinese, French, or Spanish.

International Studies majors who complete INTS 300 satisfactorily may use the course to fulfill EDG 1.

Students must earn a minimum GPA of 2.0 in all courses applied to the International Studies Major Requirements.

Students must declare an Area of Emphasis of 15-credit hours.

- Global Connections
- Security and Diplomacy

Students completing a degree in International Studies can work with their advisors to integrate the completion of an academic minor into their program of study. WVU offers over 100 minors that complement major fields of study, build on students' unique interests, expand perspectives, and broaden skills.


Students transferring to West Virginia University with an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree will have satisfied the General Education Foundation requirements at WVU.

Students who have questions about admission into their intended program, GEF requirements, GEF Focus courses, minors, or any other issue relating to academics at West Virginia University should contact the Office of Undergraduate Education at WVU.

The above transfer articulation of credit between West Virginia University and Bridge Valley Community and Technical College, is approved by the Dean, or the Dean's designee, and effective the date of the signature.

Valérie Lastinger

Print Name



Signature

8/5/25

Date

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