

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS ECONOMICS

Course Selection Guide

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Degrees

- NC A&T: [BS in Economics](#)
- NC State: [BS in Economics](#) (NC State also offers a BA)
- UNC Chapel Hill: [BS in Economics](#) (UNC also offers a BA)
- UNC Greensboro: [BS in Economics](#) (UNCG also offers a BA)

Jobs Associated with These Degrees

Financial risk analyst, auditor, economic consultant, financial manager, actuarial analyst, compensation and benefits manager, credit analyst, policy analyst, business reporter, financial advisor, and, with further graduate education, economist, attorney, professor.

General Education – 45 SHC (“Semester Hours of Credit”)

Universal General Education Transfer Component (UGETC) Courses (31-32 SHC):

English Composition (6 SHC)

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
ENG 111 Writing & Inquiry	ENG 111	ENG 111	ENG 111	ENG 111
ENG 112 Writing/Research in the Disciplines	ENG 112	ENG 112	ENG 112	ENG 112

Humanities/Fine Arts (H/FA) (9 SHC)—Select three courses from at least two disciplines

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One course selected from ART 111, ART 114, ART115, COM 120, COM 231, DRA 111, MUS 110, MUS 112	COM 231	COM 120 or 231	Any	COM 129 or 231
PHI 215 or PHI 240	Any	PHI 240	Any	Any
One course selected from ENG 231, ENG 232, ENG 241, ENG 242	Any	Any	Any	Any

At NCSU, Art 115 is recommended for the BA.

Social and Behavioral Sciences (S/BS) (9 SHC)—Select three courses from at least two disciplines

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One history course selected from HIS 111, HIS 112, HIS 131, HIS 132	HIS 111 or 112	HIS 131	Any	Any
One course from ECO 251, ECO 252, POL 120, PSY 150, SOC 210	ECO 251	ECO 251	ECO 251	ECO 251
One additional course from above	ECO 252	ECO 252	ECO 252	ECO 252

At UNC-CH, students must take both ECO 251 and 252 to transfer the classes as ECON 101.

Mathematics (3-4 SHC)

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One Math course selected from MAT 143, MAT 152, MAT 171	MAT 171	MAT 171	MAT 171	MAT 171

Natural Science (4 SHC)

Durham Tech / UGETC Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One Science course selected from AST 151/A, BIO 110, BIO 111, CHM 151, GEL 111, PHY 110/A	Any	BIO 111	Any	Any

At NC State, the two-course science sequence (BIO, CHM, or PHY) is required only for the BS.

Additional General Education Transfer Hours (13-14 SHC)

Foreign Language (3 SHC)

Durham Tech Gen Ed Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
Foreign Language: Choose from American Sign Language, Arabic, French, German, or Spanish. FL 112 Must be taken with accompanying lab.	FL 112	FL 211	FL 211	FL 112

2nd Mathematics Course (3-4 SHC)

Durham Tech Gen Ed Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
Choose from MAT 143, MAT 152, MAT 171, MAT 172, or MAT 263.	MAT 263	MAT 172	MAT 172	MAT 263

For NC State and UNCCH, students pursuing the BS may take MAT 263 instead of MAT 172.

2nd Natural Science Course (4 SHC)

Durham Tech Gen Ed Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
Choose from AST 151/151A, AST 152/152A, BIO 110, BIO 111, BIO 112, BIO 140/140A, CHM 131/A, CHM 132, CHM 151, CHM 152, GEL 111, GEL 230, PHY 110/110A.	Any	BIO 112	Any	Any

One Additional Course (3-4 SHC)

Durham Tech Gen Ed Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
One additional course	Any	MAT 152	MAT 271	MAT 152

Other Required Hours (15 SHC)

Students should consult with their advisor. The listings here vary, based on the requirements of the selected university and the student's intended major.

College Transfer Success Course (1 SHC)

Durham Tech Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
ACA 122 (This course should be taken in the student's first semester.)	ACA 122	ACA 122	ACA 122	ACA 122

Foreign Language (0-8 SHC)

Durham Tech Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
FL 111/181, 112/182 if needed to meet FL prerequisites.	As Needed	As Needed	As Needed	As Needed

Additional Major Course(s)

Durham Tech Requirement	NCA&T	NCSU	UNC-CH	UNCG
Additional college level course(s) to complete the 15 SHC requirement.	BUS 110	GEL 111 MAT 271 MAT 272 PSY 150	CSC 151 MAT 272 MAT 273	ACC 120 ACC 121 CIS 110

At NCSU, MAT 271 and 272, BIO 112, and GEL 111 are required for the BS only, and ACC 120 and BUS 110 are required for the BA only.

At UNCCH, CSC 151, MAT 271, 272, and 273 are required for the BS only.

At UNC Greensboro, ACC 120 and 121 are required for the Bachelor of Science only.