

GENERAL EDUCATION

What is General Education and Why is it Important?

General Education courses build a solid foundation of academic, professional, and life skills that prepare students for success in their academic pursuits, professional goals, and personal lives. View general education courses required for an Associate Degree:

- **Behavioral/Social Science Courses** (<https://catalog.morainepark.edu/program-information/general-education/behavioral-social-science/>)
- **Communication Courses** (<https://catalog.morainepark.edu/program-information/general-education/communications/>)
- **Mathematic Courses** (<https://catalog.morainepark.edu/program-information/general-education/mathematics/>)
- **Natural Science Courses** (<https://catalog.morainepark.edu/program-information/general-education/natural-science/>)

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Program Seeking Student

Students pursuing an associate degree at MPTC need to complete a total of 18-30 general education credits in addition to a 2-credit College 101 course and a 1-credit Computer Literacy course. Learn more. (<https://www.morainepark.edu/experience-mptc/future-students/>)

University Transfer Student

Moraine Park now offers University Transfer programs. Students pursuing these programs will complete their general education requirements here and earn an Associate of Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS) degree. They can then apply to transfer directly into their program of choice at many four-year institutions. University Transfer students are eligible for financial aid. Learn More. (<https://www.morainepark.edu/academics/programs/associate-of-science-associate-of-arts/>)

Non-degree Seeking Student

Students planning to transfer credits to another college should contact the receiving college to ask if specific MPTC courses will transfer. Non-degree students taking general education courses are not financial aid eligible. Learn more. (<https://www.morainepark.edu/academics/general-education/non-degree-students/>)