

CHILDREN'S STUDIES - ONLINE

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS
PROGRAM (60 CREDITS)

PURPOSE

The Associate of Arts in Children's Studies is designed to prepare the student with foundational knowledge in administration, Bible, Christian education, church music and worship, church polity, missions, preaching, theology and other essentials designed to develop skill in ministry and related areas.

PROGRAM STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOME

1. The student will be able to articulate and model essential spiritual disciplines for personal growth
2. The student will be able to serve on a pastoral team in the development and administration of ministry to infant through elementary children in the local church and community.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

CRE	153	Introduction to Children's Ministries	3 cr
CRL	233	Evangelizing Children	3 cr
PST	363	Pastoring Children	3 cr
PSY	321	Perspectives on Parenting	3 cr
PSY	414	Marriage and Family Therapy	3 cr

Total

15 CREDITS

CORE REQUIREMENTS

BIB	103	Introduction to Biblical Interpretation	3 cr
		CMS/DIG/MTN Courses	2 cr
COM	123	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3 cr
ENG	123	College Writing and Research	3 cr
FNA	113	Fine Arts Appreciation	3 cr

Choose one:

HIS	213	Ancient and Medieval World History	
HIS	223	Modern and Contemporary World History	
HIS	233	U.S. History – Colonization to Reconstruction	
HIS	243	U.S. History – Reconstruction to the Present	

LIT	303	Theology of C.S. Lewis	3 cr
MTH		Math Course	3 cr
NWT	113	New Testament Survey	3 cr
OLT	123	Old Testament Survey	3 cr
PHE	281	Health and Nutrition	1 cr
PHL	113	Worldviews	3 cr
PSY	223	Introduction to Psychology	3 cr
SCI		Science Course	3 cr
SOC	103	Life Formation	3 cr
THE	233	Introduction to the History and Theology of the AG	3 cr

TOTAL

45 CREDITS