

This Associate in Arts degree program is designed for students who plan to transfer and earn a degree in Information Studies at Florida State University.

This degree is offered on the Chipola campus through the University Center. Graduates are equipped with the knowledge, skills, and values required to organize, store, retrieve, manage, and facilitate the use of recordable information and knowledge, as well as to manage and design information and knowledge packages from the perspective of user requirements for our information-dependent global society. For additional program information, visit the [FSU website](#).

Possible employment areas for information studies majors include network administrator, end use trainer, information analyst, information broker, information designer, information program support provider, information researcher, information specialist, technical writer, telecommunication specialist, & web site developer or administrator. For more information, please visit [The Occupational Outlook Handbook website](#).

The courses listed on this guide are not to be construed as a contract between the student and Chipola or the University. Course requirements may change each year. You are encouraged to work closely with your advisor.

Associate in Arts Degree



Information Technology

Transfer Institution: Florida State University

Code	Program Length
1047	60 credits

2004-2005

For more information
Contact:

**Student Services
Chipola College
(850) 718-2266**



Entrance Requirements

FSU WILL DENY ADMISSION TO ANY STUDENT WHO HAS NOT SATISFIED THE STATE FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT.

FSU requires competency in oral communications for graduation. If students took a speech course in high school or were members of a debate team, they may exempt this requirement during the FSU admissions process. If not, students should take SPC 2600 at Chipola to satisfy this requirement.

A new major program of studies will be implemented in Fall, 2005. The above concentrations will be replaced by two majors: Information Technology and Information Architecture. We expect the new majors will be Limited Access/Limited Enrollment. Students not formally admitted to the previous major, Information Studies, prior to Fall, 2004, must meet the requirements for admission to Information Technology. For the latest information about the new Information Technology degree and/or options regarding admission to the major, please contact the FSU School of Information Studies at (850) 644-5772, or visit the School's website at <http://www.lis.fsu.edu>. All new main campus undergraduate students who enter the School of Information Studies are required to provide their own laptop computer and appropriate software. Specific information may be found on the school's website.

				Summer II	Sem. Hrs.	
				CIS 1000	Intro to Computing Systems	3
FRESHMAN YEAR						
1st Semester		Sem. Hrs.	2nd Semester		Sem. Hrs.	
ENC 1101	Communication Skills I	4	ENC 1102	Communication Skills II	4	
XXX XXXX	NATURAL SCIENCE	3	XXX XXXX	NATURAL SCIENCE	3	
MAC 1140 ²	Precalculus Algebra	3	XXX XXXX	ELECTIVE	3	
CGS 1060	Intro to Microcomputer Use	3	CGS 1540 ²	Intro to Database Management	2	
SLS 1101	Orientation	1				
TOTAL		14	TOTAL		12	
SOPHOMORE YEAR						
1st Semester		Sem. Hrs.	2nd Semester		Sem. Hrs.	
XXX XXXX	HUMANITIES [Gordon Rule Course(s)]	4	XXX XXXX	HUMANITIES	3	
COP 2000 ²	Intro to Computer Programming	3	COP 2224 ²	C++ Programming	3	
ECO 2013 ²	Macroeconomics	3	PSY 2012 ²	General Psychology	3	
XXX XXXX	GENERAL ED. ELECTIVE	3	CGS 1545	Database Programming	3	
STA 2023 ²	Statistics	3	XXX XXXX ¹	ELECTIVE	3	
TOTAL		16	TOTAL		15	

¹ FSU requires an international/diversity course for graduation. The Chipola courses approved to meet this requirement include AMH 2091, AMH 2092, GEA 2001, GEA 2002, REL 2300, SYG 1010, WOH 2012, and WOH 2022. It is strongly recommended that one of these courses be completed before earning the AA degree.

² Must be completed with grade of "C" or higher.