



**Columbus State Community College – Associate of Arts (AA) Degree,
Economics Bachelor's Degree Transfer Major
Otterbein University – Bachelor of Arts (BA) Degree,
Major: Economics
2+2 Sample Plan of Study**



Freshman Year (CSCC)

Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
ENGL 1100 Composition I [INST 1500, WI]	3	STAT 1450 The Practice of Statistics [MATH 1240]	4
MATH 1130/1146/1148 College Algebra [MATH FND]	4-5	Intermediate Composition [DS, WI]*	3
ECON 2200 Principles of Microeconomics [ECON 2100]**	3	ECON 2201 Principles of Macroeconomics [ECON 2200]**	3
COLS 1100 First Year Experience Seminar	1	Foreign Language [DS]* or AA Elective	4
Historical Study*	3	Social & Behavioral Science (not ECON) [INST 2000]*	3
Total hours		Total hours	
14-15		17	

Sophomore Year (CSCC)

Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
Literature/Cultures & Ideas/Visual/Perf. Arts [INST 2600]*	3	Natural Science with Lab [DS]*	4-5
Foreign Language [DS]* or AA Elective	4	Foreign Language [DS]* or AA Elective	4
Natural Science, no lab [INST 2400]*	3	Literature/Cultures & Ideas/Visual/Perf. Arts*	3
Historical Study*	3	AA Elective	3
AA Elective	3		
Total hours		Total hours	
16		14-15	

*List of courses that meet this requirement can be found after notes.

Courses number in [brackets] is the Otterbein equivalent course. WI=Writing Intensive (3 courses req.); DS= Disciplinary Skills (8-9 hrs. req.)

Junior Year (Otterbein)

Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
ECON 3100 Intermediate Microeconomics	3	BAE Department Elective**	3
INST 2200 Reflection & Responsibility Course	3	ECON 3200 Intermediate Macroeconomics	3
TYS Transfer Year Seminar <u>or</u> FYS First Year Seminar (choose one)	2-3	Economics Major Elective*	3
Economics Major Elective**	3	BAE Department Elective**	3
MATH 1700, FIN 3400, <u>or</u> BIA 2200 (choose one)	3-4	INST 2800 Global Cultures	3
		LFW Course	1
Total hours		Total hours	
14-16		16	

Senior Year (Otterbein)

Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
ECON 4500 Intro to Econometrics (WI)	3	Economics Major Elective**	3
Economics Major Elective**	3	Economics Major Elective**	3
BAE Department Elective**	3	SYE Senior Year Experience	3
INST 3000 Integrative Seminar	3	General Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
Total hours		Total hours	
16		15	

- At Otterbein, at least 36 credit hours of coursework must be taken in Otterbein classes. Of these hours: at least 9 credit hours must be taken in each of a student's majors at the 3000 level or above, at least 5 credit hours (any level) must be taken in each minor, and at least one INST 2XXX thread course, INST 3XXX, and an SYE course must be taken at Otterbein. Otterbein requires 120 credit hours to complete the bachelor's degree with an overall GPA of 2.0 or higher.
- Students are encouraged to meet with an Otterbein advisor regarding their major course work and general education course work meant to satisfy Otterbein's general education or INST requirement.
- CSCC Degree Plan:** This 2+2 Sample Plan of Study was created with the assumption that students would complete the Associate of Arts Economics Bachelor's Degree Transfer Major before transferring into the stated bachelor's degree. Completing the general Associate of Arts degree is also an option and this document can still be used for degree planning. If you have questions, contact a Columbus State Arts and Sciences Academic Advisor and an advisor at Otterbein University.

- Students must complete 8-9 hours of disciplinary skills development course work, including one course beyond college mathematics, one course in health and wellness (LFW course) and three courses from: language proficiency, oral and written communication, and experimental design/laboratory skills. Students may use their CSCC course work, including a foreign language, for part of this requirement. Students should consult with their Otterbein academic advisor for further options to complete this requirement at Otterbein.
- **Economics Major at Otterbein:** Students must complete ECON 2200 and 2201 at Columbus State to qualify for Otterbein economics course work. To complete the Economics major at Otterbein, students will complete 15 credit hours of elective courses in Economics and 6 credit hours of departmental electives that include upper division business related courses. Students interested in their choice of Economics major electives and/or departmental electives should contact an Otterbein advisor.

Suggested Courses to Complete for Otterbein's General Education Requirements and Requirements for the Associate of Arts Degree at Columbus State

Intermediate Composition [DS, WI]

Choose one of the courses below:

ENGL 2367	Composition II	ENGL 2667	Comp II: Working Class Identity
ENGL 2467	Composition II: Writing About US Race & Ethnicity	ENGL 2767	Comp II: Writing About Science and Technology
ENGL 2567	Comp II: Gender and Identity		

Historical Study

For the AA degree, students must complete two Historical Study courses.

HIST 1111	European History to 1648	HIST 2223	African American History to 1877
HIST 1112	European History Since 1648	HIST 2224	African American History Since 1877
HIST 1151	American History to 1877	HIST 2715	History of Western Medicine, Disease & Public Health I
HIST 1152	American History Since 1877		
HIST 1181	World Civ I Non Western to 1500	HIST 2716	History of Western Medicine, Disease & Public Health II
HIST 1182	World Civ II Non Western Since 1500		

Social Science [INST 2000]

For the AA degree, students must complete three Social Science courses from two of the three categories. ECON 2200 and 2201 is required, so the category requirement is met. The third Social Science course should be chosen from the list below to satisfy Otterbein's INST 2000 requirement.

ANTH 2202	Peoples and Cultures	SOC 2202	Social Problems
GEOG 2400	Economic and Social Geography	SOC 2380	American Race and Ethnic Relations
SOC 1101	Intro to Sociology	PSY 2325	Social Psychology

Natural Science [INST 2400 & DS]

For the AA degree, students must take two science courses. At least one course must have a lab. Otterbein requires one science course from the first set of courses below. The second course for the AA degree can be taken from the second list of science lab courses, if desired, or from the AA plan of study. Non-lab courses are indicated by italics.

ASTR 1141	<i>Life in the Universe</i>	CHEM 1100	<i>Chemistry and Society</i>
ASTR 1161	<i>The Solar System</i>	GEOG 1900	Introduction to Weather and Climate
ASTR 1162	<i>Stars and Galaxies</i>	GEOL 1151	<i>Natural Disasters</i>
BIO 1127	Intro to Environmental Science		

The following science lab courses could be used toward the Otterbein Disciplinary Skills [DS] requirement.

BIO 1113	Biological Sciences [BIO 1010]	GEOL 1121	Physical Geology [ESCI 1010]
BIO 1114	Biological Sciences II [BIO 1020]	PHYS 1200	Algebra-Based Physics I [PHYS 1100]
CHEM 1111	Elementary Chemistry I [CHEM 1100/1110]	PHYS 1201	Algebra-Based Physics II [PHYS 1200]
CHEM 1171	General Chemistry I [CHEM 1400/1410]	PHYS 1250	Calculus-Based Physics I [PHYS 1500]
CHEM 1172	General Chemistry II [CHEM 1500/1510]	PHYS 1251	Calculus-Based Physics II [PHYS 1600]

Literature/Cultures & Ideas/Visual & Performing Arts [INST 2600]

Students must complete two Literature/Cultures & Ideas/Visual & Performing Arts courses for the AA degree. To meet Otterbein's requirement, students should choose one course from the list below for INST 2600. The second course may be chosen from entire list of courses on the general AA plan of study.

ENGL 2274	Introduction to Non-Western Literature	HUM 1100	Intro to the Humanities
ENGL 2276	Women in Literature	HUM 1160	Music and Art Since 1945
ENGL 2280	The English Bible as Literature	MUS 1251	Survey of Music History
ENGL 2281	African American Literature	THEA 1100	Introduction to Theatre

Foreign Language Options: ASL, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, and Spanish.