NELSON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Associate's degree PROGRAM

A Nelson County Partnership

Eligibility Requirements for Nelson County Public Schools Associate's Degree Program

1. Must Have Completed the 9th Grade	
2. Must take the ACT	
3. Grade Point Average after Freshman Year: Math = 3.1, English = 3.0, Cumulative = 3.25	
4. Complete Online Application with Proficiency	
5. Complete a Dual Credit Verification Form (Contract/Agreement between student, parent, counselor	
6. Be willing to take: Dual Credit/ AP, Face to Face (NC or ECTC), Online (ECTC or another institution), and Summer Coursework (ECTC or another institution)	
7. Three (3) Teacher Recommendations	
8. Four (4) Satisfactory Dispositional Screenings - Two (2) in the first semester and two (2) in the second semester of the freshman year.	
9. Attendance at 96% and above	
10. Complete Orientation	
11. Discipline - Student records must be free of disciplinary referrals for fighting, theft, weapon possession, vandalism, arson, possession of illegal substances or disrespectful attitude	
12. Student must be 14 years of age or older	

Three Year Plan for Nelson County Public Schools
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Recommended Year & Course	Credits/ Hours	Satisfied/Substitute High School Course Requirement
Summer - Freshman > Sophomore Year Orientation FYE (105)	3	
Fall - Sophomore Year ENG 101 Writing I (3) HIS 102 (3) PSY 110 (3) General Psychology	3 3 3	English II World History Elective
Spring - Sophomore Year ENG 102 Writing II (3) sub English III Humanities (3) sub Fine Arts Sociology (3) sub elective	3 3 3	English III Fine Arts Elective
Summer Sophomore > Junior Year Oral Communications Digital Literacy Elective	3 3 3	
Fall - Junior Year Quantitative Reasoning Literature or AP Literature Natural Science w/Lab	3 3 4	Algebra III English IV Chemistry
Spring - Junior Year Social/Behavioral Science Quantitative Reasoning or Natural Science Heritage, Humanities, Social/Behavioral Science, Foreign Language	3 3 3	ElectiveI Math or Science Elective
Summer - Junior > Senior Year Heritage, Humanities, Social/Behavioral Science, Foreign Language	3	
Fall - Senior Year Any General Ed Cultural Studies or any General Ed	3 3	
Spring - Senior Year Elective Elective	3 3	
ASSOCIATE Degree Total Hours	**64**	