

University of Indianapolis –School for Adult Learning
Curriculum Guide for
Associates in Emergency and Disaster Management
Associate in Arts



New 8/13

Return to Learning (New Student Experience) (3 credits)

SAL 101 Return to Learning (3) (Must be taken the first semester enrolled in SAL.)

Social Science (6 credits)

SOC 103 Social Problems (3) **PSCI205** State and Local Government (3)

Mathematics (3-4 credits)

MATH 108 Discovery in Mathematics (3)

*Must demonstrate math competency by taking Math Placement exam or successfully passing Topics in Math (non-credit). Consult with an Accelerated Program advisor for more information. Competency may also be demonstrated through transfer credit from an approved university.

Critical Thinking- English (3 credits)

ENGL 101 English Composition (3)

(must demonstrate competency by taking the English Placement Exam or taking ENGL 100 prior to enrollment. A grade of C or higher is required to fulfill degree requirement. Competency may also be demonstrated through transfer credit from an approved university.)

Literature (3 credits)

ENGL 102 Western World Literature and Composition (3) (Must have earned a C or better in ENGL101)

Computer Literacy (3 credits)

COMP 150 Microcomputer Applications (3)

Required Major Coursework (18 credits)

EDM 265 Introduction to Emergency Management (3)
EDM 270 Emergency and Disaster Preparedness and Planning (3)
EDM 275 Threat and Hazard Analysis and Reduction (3)
EDM 300 Disaster Response, Recovery, and Mitigation (3)
EDM 305 Social Vulnerability to Disasters (3)
EDM 310 Introduction to Emergency Operation Centers and the Incident Command System (3)

Electives (26 credits)

Elective courses are **chosen in consultation** with an academic advisor. The elective component can be fulfilled by any college-level course offered at the University of Indianapolis or accepted in transfer from an accredited college or university. Students may use these elective hours to complete additional majors, minors, concentrations or certificate programs.

Notes:

1. **A student ID and university e-mail account are mandatory upon enrollment in COMP150 Microcomputer Applications and all courses that use the university intranet or learning management system for class assignments.**
2. The Associates in Arts in Emergency and Disaster Management requires a minimum of 62 credit hours.
3. A grade of C- (1.7 on a 4.0 scale) or higher is required in all courses applying toward the Associates in Arts in Emergency and Disaster Management Major.
4. The orientation course, SAL-101: Return to Learning (3 credit), is required of all new students and must be taken the first semester of enrollment.
5. Student must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher in all accelerated courses to remain in the accelerated program.

Remember: If you have any questions about the Associates in Arts degree in Emergency and Disaster Management offered in the School for Adult Learning, contact the Key Advisor/PLA Coordinator, Kathy L. Simpher (788-2107) or Chelsea Ward, Admissions Coordinator/Academic Advisor (781-5762). **Courses and requirements sometimes change, so keep in contact with your advisor.**