

All Diploma programs will include the following minimum course areas and credits:

<u>Course Areas</u>	<u>Semester System</u>
English	3
Related Humanities/Social Sciences	3
Mathematics	3
Program/Program Support	21
TOTAL	30

Program Support courses are related math, English, humanities, social science, science, or courses from another program/major that supports the goals of the major (i.e., entry level in the career field and/or transfer). At least one course in the program or program support area must provide the student with computer experience.

30 semester hours minimum but not to exceed 36 semester hours unless approved by the Collegewide Deans of Instruction, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs and Vice President for Academic Affairs.

Specific courses required for each new diploma curriculum will be recommended by department chairpersons with input from the academic program development committee and advisory committee(s) and approved by the Collegewide Curriculum Committee, Collegewide Deans of Instruction, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs and Vice President for Academic Affairs. Ongoing program changes to diploma curriculum will be recommended by the relevant department chairperson with input from the faculty and the academic program advisory committee and approved by the Collegewide Curriculum Committee, Collegewide Deans of Instruction, Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs and Vice President for Academic Affairs.