

Associate Degree in Social Sciences & Humanities (ADSSH) Scheme of Studies

An Associate Degree is a two-year post-intermediate or equivalent academic degree to be awarded by public & private Universities/DAIs primarily in market driven subjects based on local and regional community and industry. The Associate Degree holder will be a simple “Graduate” as this degree will be equivalent to a BA/BSc (Pass) degree as far as the level of the degree is concerned. It aims to give students the basic technical and academic knowledge and transferable skills they need to go on to employment or further study in their chosen field.

The concept of Associate Degree originates from the United States and, is being executed in many technically advanced countries including Canada, Australia and Japan etc. An Associate Degree program is normally structured to be conducted over four regular semesters over a two years period and consists of 65-68 credit hours.

Associate Degree holders may apply for admission to a BS program. If admitted (based on the University’s admissions policies), the university may accord them advanced standing by allowing them to transfer some of the course credits from the AD to the BS program.

Objectives

- To provide students a broad base and academic foundation of multidisciplinary programs;
- To give students comprehensive knowledge in Social Sciences subjects that is fairly sufficient to expose to different disciplines;
- To reflect a general understanding of the concepts and principles of selected areas of the study thus providing students an opportunity to decide the specialization fields for making professional choices;

Eligibility Criteria

- FA/F.Sc/ A levels with minimum 2nd Division with no 3rd div in the academic career
- FA/F.Sc/ A levels with school subjects.
- The admission will be subjected to the provision of the character certificate from the last degree institution

Medium of instruction: The medium of instruction for all courses will be in English for Islamic Studies (Compulsory) the medium of instruction can be Urdu or English.

Duration: 2 years (4 Semesters)

Semester Duration: 16-18 weeks

Semesters: 4

Course Load per semester: 15-18 Cr Hrs

Number of Courses per semester: 5-6 (not more than 3 lab/ practical courses)

Categories	No. of Courses	Credit Hours	% of Total Credit Hours
Compulsory	6	16	23.88%
Foundation	4	12	17.91%
Major Courses Discipline-I	5	15	22.39%
Major Courses Discipline-II	5	15	22.39%
Elective courses within Major disciplines	2	6	8.95%
Internship	1	3	4.47%
Total	23	67	100%

Proposed Disciplines	
1	Economics
2	Mass Communication
3	Sociology
4	Education
5	Islamic Studies
6	International Relations
7	History

8	Health and Physical Education
9	Political science
10	English

1st Year

SEMESTER I		
Course Code	Courses	Credit Hrs
ENG-1106	English-I (Compulsory)	3
ISL-1110	Islamic Studies/ Ethics (Compulsory)	2
MAT-1111	General Mathematics (Foundation)	3
PSC-1124	Political Science (Foundation)	3
	Discipline 1- Course 1	3
	Discipline 2- Course 1	3
	Total Credit Hours	17
SEMESTER II		
Course Code	Courses	Credit Hrs
ENG-1206	English-II (Compulsory)	3
COM-1204	Computer (Foundation)	3
PS-1212	Pakistan Studies (Compulsory)	2
PSY-1219	Psychology (Foundation)	3
	Discipline 1- Course 2	3
	Discipline 2- Course 2	3
	Total Credit Hours	17

2nd Year

SEMESTER III

Course Code	Courses	Credit Hrs
ENG-2306	English III (Compulsory)	3
ARA-2301	Arabic (Compulsory)	3
	Discipline 1- Course 3	3
	Discipline 2- Course 3	3
	Discipline1- Course 4	3
	Discipline 2- Course 4	
	Total Credit Hours	18
SEMESTER – IV		
Course Code	Courses	Credit Hrs
INT-2440	Internship	0+3
	Discipline 1- Course 5	3
	Discipline 2- Course 5	3
	Elective 1	3
	Elective –II	3
	Total Credit Hours	15

Major Discipline Courses

Education

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
EDU-1104	Child Development	3
EDU-1204	General Methods of Teaching	3
EDU-2304	Classroom Management	3
EDU-2305	School, community and Teacher	3
EDU-2404	Classroom Assessment	3
EDU-2422	Teaching of English (Elective -I)	3
EDU-2423	Teaching of Social Studies (Elective -II)	3

Sociology

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
SOC-1112	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOC-1211	Social Anthropology	3
SOC-2312	Pakistani Society and Culture	3
SOC-2313	Sociology of Social Change	3
SOC-2411	Classical Sociological Theories	3
SOC-2438	Sociology of Globalization (Elective -I)	3
SOC-2439	Contemporary Sociological Theories(Elective -II)	3

Mass Communication

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
BMC-1109	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
BMC-1209	Mass Media in Pakistan	3
BMC-2309	Contemporary Mass Media	3
BMC-2310	Introduction to Social Media	3
BMC-2409	Online Journalism	3
BMC-2432	Fundamental of News Writing (Elective-I)	3
BMC-2433	Journalistic Language (English and Urdu) (Elective-II)	3

Islamic Studies

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
ILS-1108	Introduction of Topics of Holy Quran	3
ILS-1208	Uloom-al-Quran	3
ILS-2308	History & Compilation of Hadith	3

ILS-2309	History of Fiqh	3
ILS-2408	Computer Applications In Islamic Studies	3
ILS-2430	Arabic Language – I (Elective-I)	3
ILS-2431	Arabic Languages-II (Elective-II)	3

English

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
ENG-1103	Academic Reading and Writing	3
ENG-1203	Introduction to English Literature	3
ENG-2303	Introduction to Linguistics	3
ENG-2304	Introduction to Phonetics & Phonology	3
ENG-2403	History of English Literature	3
ENG-2420	Classics in Drama (Elective-I)	3
ENG-2421	Introduction to Morphology (Elective-II)	3

Economics

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
ECO-1102	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECO-1202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECO-2302	Intermediate Microeconomics	3
ECO-2303	Development Economics	3
ECO-2402	Intermediate Macroeconomics	3

ECO-2403	History of Economic Thought (Elective-I)	3
ECO-2418	STATISTICS-I (Elective-II)	3

International Relations

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
IR-1107	Introduction to International Relations	3
IR-1207	Evolution of State	3
IR-2307	Theories and Approaches to International Relations	3
IR-2308	Globalization and International Relations	3
IR-2407	International Relations: 1648-1945	3
IR-2428	International Relations Since 1945 (Elective-I)	3
IR-2429	Geo-Political Structure of the World (Elective-II)	3
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History

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
HIS-1106	Islamic History 571-661 AD	3
HIS-1206	History of Umayyads and Abbasids	3
HIS-2306	Muslim Rule in South Asia (711-1526 AD)	3
HIS-2307	History of Freedom Movement (1857-1947 AD)	3
HIS-2406	History of Pakistan 1947 to date	3

HIS-2426	History of World Civilizations (Early Life To 600 A.D.) (Elective-I)	3
HIS-2427	History of Europe (1453 1789) (Elective-II)	3

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
PSC-1124	Introduction of Political Science-I (Foundation)	3
PSC-1111	Introduction of Political Science-II (Major-I)	3
PSC-1211	Political Systems (Developed) (Major-II)	3
PSC-2311	Introduction of Political Science-III	3
PSC-2312	Political Systems (Developing)	3
PSC-2411	Pakistan Movement	3
PSC-2436	Western Political Philosophy-I (Elective-I)	3
PSC-2437	Muslim Political Philosophy-I (Elective-II)	3

Political Science

Health and Physical Education

Course Code	Course Title	Credit Hours
HPE-1105	GAMES-I	3(2+1)
HPE-1205	GAMES-II	3(1+2)

HPE-2305	TALENT IDENTIFICATION IN SPORTS	3
HPE-2306	GAMES-III	3(1+2)
HPE-2405	ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT IN SPORTS	3
HPE-2424	Basics of Human Anatomy (Elective-I)	3
HPE-2425	Basics of Human Physiology (Elective-II)	3