IMPORTANT NOTES –

- Completing your Associate in Arts (AA) degree exempts you from the General Education requirements at FIU, and significantly eases your transition to the University.
- The Transfer guides, when used properly, will ensure that you are “transfer ready” for your chosen major(s).
- We strongly encourage you to complete your pre-requisites as part of your AA degree, but any pending coursework may be completed at FIU after transfer.
- The Guides are updated annually and are not a substitute for advising. Review your academic plans with an MDC advisor every semester.

DEGREE –

- The degree section indicates the type of degree awarded (ie. Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, etc…).
- Program, if listed, indicates available concentration(s) and/or Major options.
- The degree is hyperlinked to the department’s respective webpage.
- *LIMITED ACCESS PROGRAM* - Indicates a program with selective admission requirements (competitive GPA, portfolio or audition, completion of specific courses prior to entry.)

TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS –

- This section will specify the minimum transfer requirements for the program.
- Minimum Cumulative GPA required – this is calculated from all transferable schools, not just MDC.
- Additional requirements & deadlines are also listed here.

SPECIAL NOTES –

- The special notes section features:
  - General policies for the major
  - Recommendations and/or notes from the departments’ advisors.
  - Minimum grades for all or particular courses

UNDERSTANDING THE PRE-REQUISITE TABLE –

- “MDC Course” – The course that you must enroll in at MDC
- “FIU equivalent” – Indicates the requirement that the MDC course will satisfy once transferred.
- “FIU Only” : These courses do not have an equivalent at MDC and will be completed at FIU once you transfer.
- “Recommended course(s)” : These courses are recommend by the department and will enhance your preparation for the program. However, students will not penalized if they do not complete them. They should be done if time permits within your AA degree