Students earning the AS, AA, or AA&S (or university parallel) degree from a Virginia Community College automatically satisfy the lower division general education requirements. General Education courses marked with * require a grade of C or better to transfer. The remaining lower division courses are automatically satisfied by the AS (including foreign language), regardless of the grade earned. Additionally, courses in which a grade of AC-A or below was earned will not transfer. Therefore Community College degree holders who meet the General Education requirements may require additional credits to meet the 120 credit hour graduation minimum. (AS=Associate degree)

Entrance Writing Sample Placement Test:

LOWER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION

A. Skills
Written Communication 3 *
(Grade of C required in ENGL 3 *
110C and ENGL 111C, HIST 111C, or PHIL 111C before declaring major)

Oral Communication 3
COMM 101R, 103R, or 112R

Mathematics 3
MATH 101M, 102M, 162M, or STAT 130M

Foreign Language 0-6

Computer Skills 3
CS 101D, CS 149D, IT 100D, or OTS 251D

B. Perspectives
Fine and Performing Arts 3
ART 121A, MUSC 264A, DANC 185A, THEA 241A

History 3
HIST 101H, 102H, 103H, 104H or 105H

Literature 3
ENGL 112L, 144L, or FLET 100L

Philosophy 3
PHIL 110P, 120P, or 150P

Natural Science and Technology
BIOL 115N-116N* required to satisfy eight credit hours of Natural Science with labs in sequence. Additionally, 3-4 credit hours of Natural Science or Technology are required.
4 4 3-4

Social Science (6 hours)
ECON 200S required 3
ANTR 110S; COMM 200S; 3
CRJS 215S; GEGO 100S, 101S;
POLS 100S, 101S; PSYC 201S, 203S; SOC 201S

Zoological Parks Management Core Requirements:
IDS 300W Theory and Concepts 3
IDS 487 Interdisciplinary Seminar 1
IDS 497 or 498 Senior Project 3-6
Approved upper-level IDS course 3

Concentration Course Work (44 hours minimum)
BIOL 203 Evolution 3
BIOL 205 Principles of Ecology 3
BIOL 209 Vertebrate Zoology 4
BIOL 404 Conservation Bio or 4
BIOL 441 Animal Behavior
ACCT 201 Principles of Acct I 3
ACCT 202 Principles of Acct II 3
FIN 323 Intro to Financial Mgmt 3
MGMT 325 Contemp Organ&Mg 3
MKTG 311 Marketing Principles 3
PHIL 345 Bioethics or 3
PHIL 344T Environmental Ethics

Concentration electives
A minimum of 15 credit hours must be taken from the following list of electives, providing a cohesive concentration of study.
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3 hours from: BIOL 332, 404, 421, 424, 431, or 473
3 hours from ECON 301, FIN 319, MGMT 402
9 hours from any of the above or MGMT 340, MKTG 402, PSYC 313, 306, or RTS 461
Check University Catalog for prerequisites to this elective courses.

General electives
Elective courses may be taken for the remainder of the 120-credit minimum required for the degree.

UPPER DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION

Option A. Approved Minor, 12-24 hours; also second degree or second major.
Option B. Cluster, 9 hours (3 hours may be in the major area of study.)

Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, 120 credit hours, passage of the Exit Examination of Writing Proficiency, and completion of Senior Assessment.

Natural Science and Technology perspective courses:

* A. 8 hours in sequence
  - BIOL 108N-109N, 115N-116N
  - CHEM 101N-102N, 115N-116N
  - GEOL 110N-112N, 111N-112N
  - OCEN 106N-107N

* B. 3 or 4 hours
  An additional N course
  - GEOG 120K, 122K, 302K
  - AE 300T
  - ART 352T
  - CHEM 351T
  - COMM 472T
  - HIST 304T, 389T
  - IT 360T
  - OPMT 303T
  - OTS 110T, 370T
  - PHIL 344T, 355T, 383T
  - POLS 350T
  - WMST 390T
  - Approved major course

PHYS 101N-102N, 103N-104N, 111N-112N, 231N-232N