

**ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED ARTS DEGREE**  
**INDIVIDUALIZED PROGRAM**

This program allows a student to create a degree that Northwest Indian College does not otherwise offer. The NWIC Individualized Degree advisor and an expert in the field assist the student in clarifying goals and deciding on the types of learning experiences that will become part of the finished degree. Students begin work on this degree by registering for HMDV 150. The degree plan must have the approval of the NWIC Individualized Degree advisor, the expert consultant, and the Vice President for Instruction. Once the degree is finalized, the student must successfully complete all courses appearing in the approved plan. Examples of individualized degrees include Early Childhood Education, Native Culture and Family Services, Native American History and Culture, Computer Technology, Art Entrepreneurship, Community Health Advocate, Environmental Legal and Tribal Studies, and Wellness Education.

**NORTHWEST INDIAN COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS**

BIOL 104	Biology and Natural History of Puget Sound .....	5
CMPS 101	Introduction to Computers, or above .....	3
ENGL 236	Survey of Native American Literature .....	5
HIST 111	Pre-contact Native American History .....	2
HIST 112	Post-contact Native American History .....	3
HMDV110	Introduction to Successful Learning .....	4
NASD 105A-C	Northwest Indian College Seminar (1 credit per quarter for 3 quarters).....	3
NASD 110	Introduction to Native American Studies .....	3
<b>TOTAL NORTHWEST INDIAN COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS .....</b>		<b>28</b>

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS**

ENGL 101	English Composition I .....	5
SPCH 105	Introduction to Interpersonal Communications <b>OR</b>	
SPCH 120	Introduction to Public Speaking .....	4
MATH 190	Vocational Mathematics or Math 102 or above.....	5
<b>TOTAL GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS.....</b>		<b>14</b>

**CORE INDIVIDUALIZED PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS**

HMDV 150	Individualized Degree Planning .....	3
Courses in Degree Emphasis.....		45
<b>TOTAL CORE INDIVIDUALIZED PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS .....</b>		<b>48</b>

<b>TOTAL INDIVIDUALIZED DEGREE REQUIREMENTS.....</b>		<b>90</b>
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