# SCHOOL OF ARTS, SCIENCES, AND EDUCATION

### Dr. Jackie Novak, Interim Dean

At the heart of Walsh University's liberal arts education is the School of Arts, Sciences, and Education that is comprised of four Divisions:

- · Division of Math & Sciences
- · Division of Humanities
- · Division of Communication, Media, and the Arts
- · Division of Education

The School of Arts, Sciences, and Education offers over 40 majors and related minors. In addition to the divisions listed above, the School also houses Walsh University's:

- · General Education Program
- · Honors Program
- · Hoover Historical Center
- · Global Learning
- · Service-Learning

#### Mission

The School of Arts, Sciences, and Education - in the spirit of the Catholic intellectual tradition - provides dynamic and diverse learning experiences that foster the personal and professional development of students at Walsh University, encouraging reflective, creative, and critical thinking, effective communication, and a commitment to servant leadership.

### **Vision**

The School of Arts, Sciences and Education provides graduates with the knowledge, expertise, professional skills, and ethical foundations necessary to face the challenges of a changing world. Grounded in service, social responsibility, faith, and reason, we embrace innovative and transformative teaching methods that support interdisciplinary and global perspectives in student learning, while helping students to develop intellectually and spiritually. The School of Arts, Sciences, and Education is committed to student engagement through mentoring and collaborative undergraduate and graduate research.

# The Associate of Arts Degree (A.A.) and the Associate of Science Degree (A.S.)

Candidates for an associate's degree concentrate on a major field, dispensing with the general studies required in the more extensive bachelor's degree programs. The A.A. degree candidate is expected to earn a minimum of 60 semester hours of credit. Transfer students in the A.A. degree program must earn at least 30 semester hours at Walsh, including 15 within the declared major.

#### **Grading Scales**

**All Divisions Except Education** 

Grade	Designation	Quality Points Per Credit
Α	Superior	93-100
A-	Excellent	90-92
B+	Very Good	87-89

В	Good	83-86
B-	Above Average	80-82
C+	Average	77-79
С	Average	73-76
C-	Below Average	70-72
D+	Poor	67-69
D	Very Poor	63-66
D-	Extremely Poor	60-62
F	Failure	-60

<u>etter Grade</u> A	Percentage Range 93-100	<u>Description</u> Superior
A-	90-92	Excellent
B+	87-89	Very Good
В	83-86	Good
B-	80-82	Above Average
C+	77-79	Average
С	73-76	Average
C-	70-72	Below Average
D+	67-69	Poor
D	63-66	Very Poor
D-	60-62	Extremely Poor
F	Below 60	Failure

## **Division of education:**

<u>Letter Grade</u> A	Percentage Range 96-100	<u>Description</u> Superior 4.0
A-	93-95	Excellent 3.7
B+	91-92	Very Good 3.3
В	87-90	Good 3.0
B-	85-86	Above Average 2.7
C+	83-84	Average 2.0
С	78-82	Average 1.7
C-	75-77	Below Average 1.7
D+	73-74	Poor 1.3
D	71-72	Very Poor 1.0
D-	68-70	Extremely Poor 0.7
F	Below 68	Failure 0.0

- Division of Communication, Media, and the Arts (http://catalog.walsh.edu/undergraduate/school-arts-sciences/communication-program-ba/)
- Division of Education (http://catalog.walsh.edu/undergraduate/ division-education/)

- Division of Humanities (http://catalog.walsh.edu/undergraduate/school-arts-sciences/division-humanities/)
- Division of Math & Sciences (http://catalog.walsh.edu/ undergraduate/school-arts-sciences/division-mathematicssciences/)
- Hoover Historical Center (http://catalog.walsh.edu/undergraduate/ school-arts-sciences/hoover-historical-center/)
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