

Funeral Services (A.S.)

Program Requirements

To meet the minimum requirements for consideration for acceptance to the Associate in Science Funeral Services program, students must:

1. Complete an application for Florida State College at Jacksonville with online Funeral Services as the Program of Study.
2. Submit official non-FSCJ transcripts to the College prior to the application deadline date.
3. Complete the HESI-A2

Prerequisites

The following courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher before the application deadline.

- BSC 2085C - Human Anatomy and Physiology I 4
- ENC 1101 - English Composition I 3
 - or ENC 1101C - English Composition I Enhanced 4
 - or ENC 1102 - Writing About Texts 3

General Education Requirements

Students must complete the following courses with a grade of C or better before the review deadline for the professional phase of the Funeral Services program to receive additional points on the application review.

- ACG 2021 - Financial Accounting 3
 - or any ACG prefix course
- BSC 2086C - Human Anatomy and Physiology II 4
- BUL 2131 – Business Law I – The Legal Environment of Business 3
- Humanities Credit Hours: 3

- ARH 2000-Art in the Humanities 3
- or PHI 2010-Philosophy in the Humanities 3
- or MUL 2010-Music in the Humanities 3
- or LIT 2000 Literature in the Humanities 3

- or HUM 2020-Topics in the Humanities 3
- or THE 2000-Theatre in the Humanities 3
- HSC 1524 - Introduction to Infectious Diseases 3
- MAC 1105 - College Algebra 3
 - or higher-level MAC prefix course
 - or MAP 2302 - Differential Equations 3
 - or MGF 1106 - Topics in College Mathematics 3
 - or MGF 1107 - Explorations in Mathematics 3
 - or STA 2023 - Elementary Statistics 3
- PHI 2603 - Introduction to Applied Ethics 3

COMPETITIVE REVIEW PROCESS

Grade Point Average: Applicants must earn a grade of C or better in each prerequisite course and have an overall minimum prerequisite GPA of 2.0. Completion of General Education coursework will allow applicants to achieve additional points.

Students are ready for review upon completion of all admission criteria. The ranking rubric is included below. Please note that the admission process is highly competitive.

Students will be notified through their FSCJ Student email of their admissions status 6 weeks following the review deadline. Information concerning a student's admissions status will not be given via telephone.

Funeral Services Ranking Rubric		Max Points
Candidates for admission to the program must have a minimum grade point average of 2.0 and received a grade of "C" or higher in all prerequisite courses.		30
Course Grade	Points	
A	3 per Credit Hour	

B		2 per Credit Hour	
C		1 per Credit Hour	
Required Prerequisite Courses:			
Course Title	Course Code	Credit Hours	
Anatomy & Physiology I	BSC 2085C	4	
English Composition I	ENC 1101	3	
HESI A2			100
A complete HESI/A2 administration is required and is made up of nine (9) sub-tests that must be completed in one sitting. Minimum scores of 65% for each of the following sub-tests is required: grammar, reading comprehension, and vocabulary.			
Points are determined by adding the scores of the 3 Categories and dividing by 3.			
Bonus Points			
General Education & Professional Courses: <i>Not a required prerequisite</i>			63
Course Title	Course Code	Credit Hours	
Financial Accounting	ACG 2021	3	
Anatomy & Physiology II	BSC 2086C	4	
Business Law I	BUL 2131	3	
Humanities	General Education Requirements	3	
Introduction to Infectious Diseases	HSC 1524	2	
Mathematics	General Education Requirements	3	
Applied Ethics	PHI 2603	3	
TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS			193