

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

# HUMAN SERVICES

## Start small... go far with Dakota College at Bottineau.

If you're looking for a career that helps people through improving the quality of life and life experiences, then you're in the right place. By helping people with disabilities develop confidence and hope, you can create a better way of life for these individuals and families.

## Why study human services?

A benefit of DCB's Associate of Arts (AA) in Human Services program is the range of options that students have for studying. By working with an academic advisor, you're able to cultivate your own unique progression through the program. This program prepares students for transfer to a four-year university, where optional areas of study include:

- Addictions counseling
- Gerontology
- Mental health
- Administration
- Developmental disabilities
- Visual and hearing impairments
- Prosthetics/orthotics
- Rehabilitation engineering

## Career choices

Professionals with their human services degree can have a variety of careers due to the interdisciplinary nature of the field. Your degree applies to many different jobs because you will learn skills that are important to a variety of industries. Some examples include:

- Schools
- Prisons
- Private practice
- Therapeutic recreation
- Special education
- Physical therapy
- Rehabilitation nursing
- Independent-living facilities
- Rehabilitation agencies
- Medical rehabilitation
- Prosthetics and orthotics
- College disability support programs
- Occupational therapy
- Communication disorders

## Focused courses for your degree

The curriculum covers a variety of topics related to health, aging, special education, human development, and social welfare. The courses through DCB are offered 100% online so they can be completed from the comfort of your home and better fit in a busy everyday schedule.



“Earning a degree takes time, patience and hard work. For me, online classes are the way to go. I work full time, and have 3 kids. If it were not for online classes, I would never have a chance at getting my degree. I am so thankful. I can do my school work on my time and in the privacy of my home.”

— Alysia Campani  
Grand Forks, ND



## COURSES REQUIRED

### Human Services (AA)

| <b>Freshman Year</b>                             | <b>Fall</b> | <b>Spring</b> |
|--|-------------|---------------|
| ENGL 110 College Composition I .....             | 3           | cr            |
| GERO 130 Intro. to Human Services .....          | 2           | cr            |
| MATH 103 College Algebra.....                    | 4           | cr            |
| NURS 100 Nurse Assistant Training.....           | 3           | cr            |
| SPED 101 Intro. to Developmental Disabilities... | 3           | cr            |
| ART/HUM/Music Elective .....                     | 3           | cr            |
| CSCI 101 Intro. to Computers .....               | 3           | cr            |
| ENGL 120 College Composition II.....             | 3           | cr            |
| HPER 100 Concepts of Fitness & Wellness .....    | 2           | cr            |
| HPER 210 First Aid/CPR.....                      | 1           | cr            |
| SOC 251 Gerontology.....                         | 3           | cr            |

| <b>Sophomore Year</b>                         | <b>Fall</b> | <b>Spring</b> |
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| ART/HUM Elective .....                        | 3           | cr            |
| COMM 110 Fund. of Public Speaking .....       | 3           | cr            |
| ENGL Elective .....                           | 3           | cr            |
| GERO 256 Development of Social Welfare .....  | 3           | cr            |
| PSYC 111 Intro. to Psychology .....           | 3           | cr            |
| RLS 290 Intro. to Inclusive Recreation.....   | 3           | cr            |
| BOTE 210 Business Communications.....         | 3           | cr            |
| Lab Science Elective .....                    | 4           | cr            |
| SOC 110 Intro. to Sociology .....             | 3           | cr            |
| PSYC 250 Developmental Psychology.....        | 3           | cr            |
| PSYC 100 Human Relations in Organization..... | 3           | cr            |

All courses subject to change.

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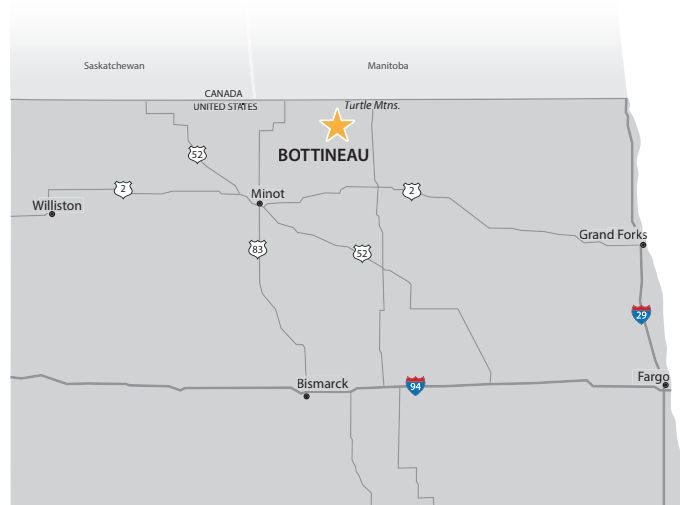
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## DAKOTA COLLEGE AT BOTTINEAU VISION

Dakota College at Bottineau is rooted in the past and grows towards the future by combining the best from the *Past, Present, and Future* to provide students with innovative educational opportunities. The campus will emphasize a knowledge and appreciation of *Nature*, implement a rapidly changing *Technology*, and prepare students to go *Beyond* and improve the quality of life.



DCB OFFERS SEVEN VARSITY SPORTS: Men's Basketball, Baseball, Football and Hockey; and Women's Basketball, Volleyball and Softball.