**GENERAL SCIENCES**

**ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE (AS) DEGREE**

DESCRIPTION: This is a degree that can be individually planned to meet transfer requirements for the specific program of study you intend to pursue at a particular four-year institution after attending Alpena Community College. Course work selected must also meet degree requirements, as well as the Associate in Science degree distribution requirements in this catalog. By working closely with your ACC academic advisor before registering for classes, you can get full benefit from transfer of general education credits. A minimum total of 60 credits is required for the Associate in Science degree.

Many areas of interest in the sciences and in the health care field can be served by working with your advisor and carefully selecting your courses at Alpena Community College. If you are undecided, an appointment with one of our advisors can provide information and guidance regarding the Associate in Science degree.

Listed elsewhere in this Programs of Study section of the catalog are AS transfer degrees in the following areas of concentration: Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science – General, Mathematics, Natural Sciences, Physics, Pre-Dental & Pre-Medicine, Pre-Engineering, Pre-Medical Technology, Pre-Pharmacy, and Pre-Veterinary. With the addition of general study classes, students may earn an Associate in Science degree in Pre-Nursing.

In addition, by working with your academic advisor at ACC, the appropriate choice of required and elective courses for this degree can be made for transfer to the following programs:

- Pre-Occupational Therapy
- Pre-Physical Therapy
- Pre-Radiology Technology
  (See information regarding cooperate program in Radiograph.)

**GENERAL STUDIES**

**ASSOCIATE IN GENERAL STUDIES (AGS) DEGREE**

DESCRIPTION: The Associate in General Studies degree is awarded to students primarily interested in general education. The suggested outline of courses, which may be altered to suit individual goals, is listed on page 37 of this catalog. Students should consult an academic advisor concerning fine course selection.