DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Associate of Arts (AA)

- A. **Course and credit requirements**: Successful completion of the courses required of all students as listed under the Required Courses section below and five additional courses distributed as follows: one semester of BIB and four more elective courses chosen from JHI, JPH, JUD, and TAL.
- B. **Residence requirement**: Full-time residency at Isaac Breuer College for at least four semesters.
- C. Grade requirement: A minimum cumulative average of 2.0 (C).
- D. **Administrative requirements**: The prior or simultaneous receipt of a BA or BS degree from Yeshiva College or Sy Syms School of Business. Each student must have filed an Application for Degree during the registration period of the semester in which he completes all requirements.

REQUIRED COURSES

The following courses in Hebrew language, literature, and culture are required of all students:

- Hebrew Language: HEB two courses with numbers ending in –05 and –06
- Bible: BIB 1015 plus three additional Bible courses, two of which must be text courses numbered from 2500 3999
- Jewish History: two courses from 1200, 1300, 1400
- Jewish Philosophy (JPH) two semesters
- Judaic Studies (JUD) two semesters
- Talmud (TAL) four semesters

Procedures for Hebrew Placement and Course Registration

Please consult the Yeshiva College or Sy Syms School of Business sections of the catalog for the rules that apply to all students beginning their Hebrew sequence:

SCHOOL REGULATIONS

Attendance: Students are expected to attend all their scheduled class sessions and to be present promptly at the beginning of the hour, unless prevented from doing so by illness or other compelling cause. The instructor keeps a record of each student's class attendance.

A student's attendance record is taken into account when determining his continuing status in the program. Continued unexcused absences of more than 50% of the scheduled sessions will result in the student receiving a grade of a G for the course, which may lead to probation or academic dismissal from the school.

Permission to register late in a course does not in itself excuse the student's absence

from classes already held.

Probation: Students that do not maintain a GPA above 2.0 will be placed on probation for the next academic semester. Students on full academic probation are limited to 13.5 credits in Yeshiva College or Sy Syms. Other restrictions follow those of the undergraduate schools as noted in the catalog.

Students with two consecutive semesters or three semesters overall of work below a 2.0 are subject to dismissal from the school. Students must show positive progression through the program and cannot graduate if in their last semester they receive less than a 2.0 GPA.

ETHICS AND SCHOLARSHIP

Faculty and students alike seek to create an atmosphere that provides and promotes the highest standards of ethical conduct and scholarship in the achievement of personal and professional goals. All rules and procedures delineated in the academic integrity policy on cheating and plagiarism apply to students in undergraduate Torah studies courses.