

LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

Liberal Arts and Sciences Degrees

The Associate degrees in Liberal Arts and Sciences represent the completion of a broad area of study with an emphasis in Interdisciplinary Studies. Students complete the appropriate general education program (Cabrillo general education, CSU General Education/Breadth, IGETC) and requirements for the emphasis. This degree is designed primarily for students who are transferring to the California State University or the University of California in a variety of majors. Study of a foreign language is recommended.

Emphasis in Interdisciplinary Studies

The emphasis in Interdisciplinary Studies allows students to examine and integrate concepts from multiple perspectives, enriches and expands students' knowledge of the human condition and human cultures, and increases students' knowledge of how historians and social and behavioral scientists discover, describe, and explain the behaviors and interactions among individual, groups, institutions, events, and ideas. Students will engage in critical analysis, develop aesthetic judgments, and learn to appreciate the arts and humanities. Such knowledge will prepare students for interdisciplinary transfer programs, and will better equip students to understand themselves and the roles they play in addressing the issues facing humanity.

Learning Outcomes:

Students will be able to:

- Demonstrate awareness of the scope and variety of works in the arts and humanities
- Examine institutions and processes across a range of historical periods and social settings
- Identify premises, conclusions, claims, assumptions, biases in one's own argument as well as in the arguments of others.

Select 18 units from the following courses with at least one course from Group A, one course from Group B, and one course from group C:

Group A:

American Sign Language 1, 2, 3
 Art History 10, 11, 11H, 12, 13, 13H, 14, 16#, 17#, 18#, 19#, 20A, 20B, 52#, 53
 Art Photography 15#, 35#, 55#
 Dance 1#
 Digital Media 3
 English 1B, 1BH, 1BMC#, 12A, 12B, 12C, 12E, 12F, 17, 24A#, 24B#, 30A, 30B, 34, 39#, 40#, 41A#, 45#, 46A, 46B, 48A, 49A, 49B
 French 1, 2, 3, 10
 German 1, 2
 History 2A#, 2B#, 4A, 4AH, 4B, 4BH
 Italian 1, 2, 3, 10
 Japanese 1, 2
 Music 1, 5, 6, 10, 11A#, 11LA#, 12#, 13A#, 77
 Philosophy 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 10H, 14#, 15#, 16, 17#, 18
 Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4, 5A, 6A, 6B, 10A, 10B, 16, 17, 25, 26, 30B#
 Theatre Arts 7, 8#, 9, 10A

Group B:

Anthropology 2#, 2H, 3#, 6#, 7#, 8#, 17#
 Bilingual/Bicultural Studies 32#
 Communication Studies 7, 12#
 Early Childhood Education 31, 32
 Economics 1A, 1B

Geography 2#, 4#, 5
 Health Science 15
 History 2A#, 2B#, 4A, 4AH, 4B, 4BH, 6#, 9, 11, 14*, 14H*, 15*, 16A#, 16B#, 16C#, 17A*, 17AH*, 17B*, 17BH*, 19B#, 19C#, 21A*#, 21AH*#, 21B*#, 21BH*#, 24, 29A*#, 29B*#
 Journalism 21
 Political Science 1*, 1H*, 2, 3, 5*
 Psychology 1, 1H, 2B, 6, 8, 12, 26, 31, 33
 Sociology 1, 1H, 2#, 2H#, 3#, 5, 8#, 9#, 10, 47
 Women's Studies 1, 2#, 11

Group C:

Business 9
 Comm 1, 1H, 2, 4, 10
 English 1A, 1AH, 1AMC#, 1AMCH#, 2, 2H, 2MC#, 2MCH#
 Philosophy 12, 49
 Math 2, 3, 4, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6, 7, 10, 12 12H, 13, 18
 Psych 2A

Synopsis:

Associate in Arts Degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences
 General Education (CSU or IGETC pattern) 27-39 units
 Interdisciplinary Studies Courses 18 units
 Electives (any course numbered 1-99) 3-15 units

Total Units required for A.A. Transfer **60 units**

Associate in Arts Degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences

General Education (non-transfer pattern)..... 30 units
 Interdisciplinary Studies Courses..... 18 units
 Electives (any course numbered 1-199)..... 12 units

Total Units required for A.A. Non Transfer **60 units**

Associate in Science Degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences

General Education (non-transfer pattern)..... 21 units
 Interdisciplinary Studies Courses..... 18 units
 Electives (any course numbered 1-199) 21 units

Total Units required for A.S. Non Transfer **60 units**