

Liberal Arts and Sciences

The Liberal Arts and Sciences major is designed for students planning to transfer to either the California State University or University of California. To earn the Associate in Arts degree with a Liberal Arts and Sciences major, students must complete either the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) UC or CSU option or the CSU General Education Certification pattern and one of the four areas of emphasis. The areas of emphasis are: Health Science, Humanities, Mathematics and Science or Social and Behavioral Science. The area of emphasis requires a minimum of 18 units with a grade of "C" or better in all courses in the area of emphasis. The courses identified for each area of emphasis fulfill major preparation requirements as demonstrated through ASSIST.org articulation. A minimum of six units must be within a single discipline and in the case of the Mathematics and Science area of emphasis at least one mathematics course must be completed. Select courses based on ASSIST.org data for major preparation articulation with selected transfer institutions. Consult a counselor for specific information regarding the intended major at the college the student is choosing.

Courses used to complete a student's area of emphasis can double count for general education just as they may for any other major.

Although the associate degree recognizes the completion of lower division general education requirements, it does not guarantee admission to a specific campus in the CSU or UC system, nor does it guarantee admission to a specific major. Some majors and schools require a higher GPA than is necessary for the associate degree. Students should meet with a counselor to determine the lower division major preparation needed for their intended transfer school.

To meet requirements for the CSU General Education Breadth associate degree program, students must:

- Complete CSU General Education Breadth for Certification, including the American Institutions and Diversity requirements. Consult with the Counseling Office for the appropriate list of applicable courses.
- Complete CSU Breadth courses in compliance with Executive Order 1100.
- Earn a "C" or "CR" grade or higher in all 18 units of the area of emphasis courses.
- Complete a minimum of 60 degree applicable CSU transferable semester units.
- Earn a cumulative G.P.A. of 2.0 in all college coursework completed.
- Meet College of the Canyons residency requirements for graduation.
- Note: No Physical Education and/or Wellness courses are required.

To meet requirements for the IGETC - CSU associate degree program, students must:

- Complete IGETC - CSU Certification pattern. Consult with the Counseling Office for the appropriate list of applicable courses.
- Meet the American Institutions and Diversity requirements.
- Earn a "C" or "CR" grade or higher in all IGETC courses.
- Complete a minimum of 60 degree applicable CSU transferable semester units.
- Earn a cumulative G.P.A. of 2.0 in all college coursework completed.
- Meet College of the Canyons residency requirements for graduation.
- Note: No Physical Education and/or Wellness courses are required.

To meet requirements for the IGETC - UC associate degree program, students must:

- Complete IGETC - UC Certification pattern.
- Meet the American Institutions and Diversity requirements.
- Earn a "C" or "CR" grade or higher in all IGETC courses.
- Complete a minimum of 60 degree applicable UC transferable semester units.
- Earn a cumulative G.P.A. of 2.0 in all college coursework completed.
- Meet College of the Canyons residency requirements for graduation.
- Note: No Physical Education and/or Wellness courses are required.

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Program Requirements:

Humanities Emphasis-Minimum 18 units. Select at least six units from one discipline.

Degree Student Learning Outcome:

Students will be able to analyze concepts from the liberal arts and sciences.

		Units:
ART-110	Art History: Ancient to Medieval	3.0
ART-111	Art History: Renaissance to Modern	3.0
ART-125A	Fundamentals of Drawing	3.0
ART-140	Beginning Design: Two-Dimensional Media	3.0
ART-205	Landmarks of Art and Visual Culture	3.0
ECON-170	Economic History of the United States	3.0
OR		
ECON-170H	Economic History of the United States – Honors	3.0
ENGL-110	Composition and Literature	3.0
ENGL-112	Intermediate Composition, Literature and Critical Thinking	4.0
OR		
ENGL-112H	Intermediate Composition, Literature and Critical Thinking - Honors	4.0
ENGL-250	British Literature I	3.0
ENGL-251	British Literature II	3.0
ENGL-260	American Literature I	3.0
ENGL-261	American Literature II	3.0
ENGL-273	World Literature I	3.0
ENGL-274	World Literature II	3.0
FRNCH-101	Elementary French I	5.0
FRNCH-102	Elementary French II	5.0
FRNCH-201	Intermediate French I	5.0
FRNCH-202	Intermediate French II	5.0
GERMAN-101	Elementary German I	5.0
GERMAN-102	Elementary German II	5.0
HIST-101	History of Western Civilization: The Pre-Industrial West	3.0
OR		
HIST-101H	History of Western Civilization: The Pre-Industrial West - Honors	3.0
HIST-102	History of Western Civilization: the Modern Era	3.0
HIST-111	United States History I	3.0
OR		
HIST-111H	United States History I - Honors	3.0
HIST-112	United States History II	3.0
OR		
HIST-112H	United States History II - Honors	3.0
HIST-120	The Role of Women in the History of the United States	3.0
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HIST-120H	The Role of Women in the History of the United States - Honors	3.0
HIST-130	Social and Cultural History of the United States	3.0
HIST-161	World History I	3.0
MUSIC-100	Fundamentals of Music	3.0
MUSIC-105	Music Appreciation	3.0
MUSIC-106	Development of Jazz	3.0
MUSIC-107	History of Rock & Roll	3.0
MUSIC-120A	Tonal Harmony I	3.0
MUSIC-120B	Tonal Harmony II	3.0
MUSIC-220A	Chromatic Harmony I	3.0
MUSIC-220B	Chromatic Harmony II	3.0
PHILOS-101	Introduction to Philosophy	3.0
OR		
PHILOS-101H	Introduction to Philosophy – Honors	3.0
PHILOS-102	Introduction to Eastern Religion and Philosophy	3.0
PHILOS-110	History of Ancient Philosophy	3.0
PHILOS-111	History of Modern Philosophy	3.0
PHILOS-112	History of Philosophy - 20th Century Philosophy	3.0
PHILOS-120	Introduction to Ethics	3.0
PHILOS-220	Introduction to Comparative Religion	3.0
PHILOS-230	Symbolic Logic	3.0
SPAN-101	Elementary Spanish I	5.0
OR		
SPAN-101H	Elementary Spanish I	5.0
OR		
SPAN-211	Spanish for Heritage Speakers I	5.0
SPAN-102	Elementary Spanish II	5.0
OR		
SPAN-212	Spanish for Heritage Speakers II	5.0
SPAN-201	Intermediate Spanish I	5.0
SPAN-202	Intermediate Spanish II	5.0
SIGN-101	American Sign Language I	4.0
SIGN-102	American Sign Language II	4.0
SIGN-103	American Sign Language III	4.0
SIGN-104	American Sign Language IV	4.0
THEATR-100	Theatre Appreciation	3.0
THEATR-110	Understanding Theatre	3.0
OR		
THEATR-110H	Understanding Theatre – Honors	3.0
THEATR-140	Acting Fundamentals	3.0
THEATR-141	Scene Performance	3.0
THEATR-220	Theatre History I	3.0