

# Associate Degree Programs and Certificates

## ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS AND CERTIFICATES

Courses that satisfy a degree or certificate requirement must be completed with a "C" grade or higher (P/NP grading not accepted).

ACCOUNTING..... ❖◆	Cisco Certified Network Associate ..... *	MUSIC
Bookkeeping..... ◆	Cisco Network Professional ..... *	Music for Transfer (AA-T) ..... ◆
AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE..... ◆	Computer Programming..... *	Music Education ..... ❖
ART	Computer Support Technician ..... *	Music Industry Studies..... ❖
Studio Arts for Transfer (AA-T)..... ◆	Web Design ..... *	ORNAMENTAL HORTICULTURE
Drawing and Painting ..... ❖	Web Programming..... *	Arboriculture ..... ❖◆
Graphic Design..... ❖	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION..... ❖	Floral Design..... ❖◆
AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY..... ❖◆	Elementary Teacher Education for Transfer (AA-T)..... ◆	Golf Course and Sports Turf Management..... ❖◆
Advanced Engine Performance and Emissions ..... ◆	ENGINEERING	Irrigation Technology..... ❖◆
ASEP..... ❖	Civil Engineering..... ❖◆	Landscape Design ..... ❖◆
ASSET..... ❖	Electrical & Computer Engineering.. ❖◆	Landscape Technology..... ❖◆
Brakes and Front-End ..... ◆	Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering ..... ❖◆	Nursery Technology ..... ❖◆
Engine Performance and Drive Train.... ◆	ENGLISH..... ❖◆	Sustainable Urban Landscapes..... ❖◆
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES..... ❖	English for Transfer (AA-T)..... ◆	Basic Ornamental Horticulture..... *
Biological Sciences: Pre-Allied Health ❖	ENTREPRENEURSHIP-SMALL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT ..... ❖◆	PARALEGAL STUDIES..... ❖
BUSINESS	ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY MANAGEMENT	PHILOSOPHY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T) ◆
Business Administration for Transfer (AS-T)..... ◆	Environmental Management..... ❖	PHYSICAL SCIENCE..... ❖
Business Administration ..... ❖◆	Environmental Technician ..... ◆	PHYSICS..... ❖
Business Data Management ..... ❖◆	Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Management ..... ❖	Physics for Transfer (AS-T)..... ◆
Business-General ..... ❖◆	Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Technician ..... ◆	POLITICAL SCIENCE FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)..... ◆
Database Administration ..... *	EXERCISE SCIENCE..... ❖	PSYCHOLOGY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)..... ◆
BUSINESS OFFICE TECHNOLOGY .. ❖◆	Recreational Leadership- School-Based Programs..... *	REAL ESTATE ..... ❖◆
Administrative Assistant ..... ❖◆	GENERAL STUDIES	Broker's License ..... ◆
Executive Assistant..... ❖◆	Business & Technology ..... ❖	SOCIAL WORK ..... ❖
Account Clerk..... *	Communication & Language Arts... ❖	SOCIOLOGY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)..... ◆
Front Office Receptionist..... *	Humanities & Fine Arts..... ❖	SPANISH..... ❖◆
Office Assistant Level I..... *	Lifelong Health, Well-Being and Self-Development..... ❖	Spanish for Transfer (AA-T)..... ◆
Office Assistant Level II..... *	Science & Mathematics..... ❖	SURVEYING..... ❖◆
Office Professional ..... *	Social & Behavioral Sciences ..... ❖	UNIVERSITY STUDIES
Office Software Specialist Level I..... *	GRAPHIC DESIGN ..... ❖◆	Business & Economics..... ❖
Office Software Specialist Level II..... *	Digital Photography..... *	Communication & Language Arts... ❖
CADD TECHNOLOGY	Web Graphics..... *	Humanities & Fine Arts..... ❖
Building Design Industry ..... ❖◆	HISTORY ..... ❖	Science & Mathematics..... ❖
Manufacturing Industry ..... ❖◆	History for Transfer (AA-T)..... ◆	Social & Behavioral Sciences ..... ❖
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION BREADTH..... ◆	INTERSEGMENTAL GENERAL EDUCATION TRANSFER	WATER/WASTEWATER TECHNOLOGY
CHEMISTRY..... ❖	CURRICULUM (CSU OR UC)..... ◆	Water Resources Management..... ❖◆
CHILD DEVELOPMENT	KINESIOLOGY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T) ... ◆	Water Treatment Plant Operator..... ❖◆
Early Childhood Education for Transfer (AS-T)..... ◆	KUMEYAAAY STUDIES..... *	Water Distribution Systems Operations ..... ❖◆
Infants and Toddlers..... ❖◆	MANAGEMENT..... ❖◆	Wastewater Collection Systems ..... ❖◆
Preschool Children ..... ❖◆	MATHEMATICS..... ❖◆	Wastewater Treatment Operator..... ❖◆
COMMUNICATION..... ❖	Mathematics for Transfer (AS-T) ..... ◆	Backflow and Cross Connection Control ..... ❖◆
Communication Studies for Transfer (AA-T)..... ◆	COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCE	
COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCE	Networking, Security and System Administration..... ❖◆	
Web Development..... ❖◆		

◆ ASSOCIATE DEGREE FOR TRANSFER  
❖ ASSOCIATE DEGREE

◆ CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT  
\* CERTIFICATE OF SPECIALIZATION

## ACCOUNTING

This degree program is designed to prepare students to enter the workforce as accounting technicians or tax technicians. The curriculum is supported by related business courses and a strong general education program for students interested in qualifying for responsible positions in accounting. *Designed for a two-year degree or certificate. Students interested in pursuing a bachelor's degree in accounting should consult the catalog of the transfer institution for specific requirements.*

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Articulate economic and industry issues, and the role of accounting within that environment.
- Apply accounting concepts, principles, standards, and processes.
- Demonstrate information technology skills as they apply to today's business environment to solve business problems and to communicate those solutions.
- Demonstrate analytical skills through finding, organizing, assessing and, analyzing data appropriate to a given situation.
- Provide insightful advisory judgments and recommendations regarding the accounting for and the business implications of events, conditions, circumstances, and transactions that give rise to business opportunities or problems.
- Interpret and analyze accounting information for internal control, planning, performance evaluation, and coordination to continuously improve business processes.
- Use personal and ethical frameworks to respond to ethical dilemmas.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- \* Auditor
- \* Budgeter
- \* Bank Examiner
- Bookkeeper
- \* Cost Accountant
- \* Certified Accountant
- \* Controller
- Credit Card Clerk
- Securities Clerk
- \* Systems Analyst
- \* Tax Specialist/Accountant
- \* Treasurer
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

### Associate in Science Degree Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 121	Managerial Accounting	4
BUS 122	Intermediate Accounting	4
BUS 124	Auditing	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
BUS 150	Individual Income Tax Accounting	3
BUS 162	Analysis of Financial Statements	3
BUS 176	Computerized Accounting Applications	2
CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
	Total Required	33
	Plus General Education Requirements	

### Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Accounting. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

### BOOKKEEPING CERTIFICATE

This certificate is for students who need very specific training in the area of bookkeeping/accounting, either to obtain the necessary skills for an entry level office position, or to provide technical competence for advancement within the office environment.

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Articulate economic and industry issues and the role of accounting within that environment.
- Apply bookkeeping concepts, principles, standards and processes.
- Demonstrate information technology skills as they apply to today's business environment to solve business problems and to communicate those solutions.
- Demonstrate analytical skills through finding, organizing, assessing and analyzing data appropriate to a given situation.
- Provide insightful advisory judgments and recommendations regarding the accounting for and the business implications of events, conditions, circumstances, and transactions that give rise to business opportunities or problems.
- Use personal and ethical frameworks to respond to ethical dilemmas.

### Certificate Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
BOT 123-125	Comprehensive Excel Levels I-III	3
BUS 109	Elementary Accounting	3
<b>or</b>		
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 121	Managerial Accounting	4
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
BUS 129	Payroll Accounting and Business Taxes	2
BUS 176	Computerized Accounting Applications	2
CIS 105	Introduction to Computing	3
	Total Required	20-21

Note: BUS 109 may be taken instead of BUS 120 for the Bookkeeping certificate only.

### Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Bookkeeping. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE

This certificate is designed for students who want to acquire advanced expressive and receptive signing skills, as well as develop a greater awareness of the Deaf community and Deaf culture. The emphasis is on paraprofessional vocations and preparation for continued study in the subject. Upon completion, students may wish to transfer to an Interpreter Certification, American Sign Language, or Deaf Studies program or a four year university to continue their studies. It is recommended that students interested in this certificate contact the department faculty.

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate the acquisition of expressive skills by translating and performing a five-minute song or story in American Sign Language.

- Demonstrate the acquisition of receptive skills by answering comprehension questions based on a three minute signed presentation with 80 percent accuracy.
- Compare and contrast American Deaf cultural traditions with American hearing cultural traditions.
- Describe the evolution of medical technology in the Deaf community.
- Demonstrate the use of current communication technology as used by the Deaf Community, e.g., videophones.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Case Worker
- Child Care Worker
- Communication Disorders Aide
- Early Childhood Education Intervention Aide
- Educational Classroom Aide
- +Educational Counselor
- \* Interpreter
- Preschool Aide
- +Program Coordinator
- +Rehabilitation Counselor
- +Social Work
- Social Work Aide
- Special Education Classroom Aide
- +Teacher
- +Bachelor degree or higher required
- \* Certification required

### Certificate Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
ASL 120	American Sign Language I	4
ASL 121	American Sign Language II	4
ASL 220	American Sign Language III	4
ASL 221	American Sign Language IV	4
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### Select five to six units from the following:

ASL 125	American Sign Language with Infants and Toddlers	1
ASL 126	American Sign Language with School Age Children	1
ASL 130	Sign Language: Fingerspelling	3
ASL 140	Perspectives on Deaf Culture	3
		5-6
	Total Required	21-22

### Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in American Sign Language. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## ART



Associate Degree  
for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

### I. STUDIO ARTS FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)

The AA-T in Studio Arts is designed to prepare students to transfer to a California State University (CSU) with the intent of earning a B.A. degree in an area such as Fine Arts or Studio Arts. Students who earn this degree will have the techniques necessary to create a variety of two- and three-dimensional art projects while demonstrating an increased aesthetic awareness. They will have the ability to use visual media to generate ideas, solve visual problems, enhance perception, think and respond critically to visual information in their lives, identify and describe the historical and cultural contexts of artwork, and assess the role of the visual arts in culture as a vehicle of human expression.

The following is required for the AA-T in Studio Arts for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Use the vocabulary of the visual arts to express their observations as they perceive and respond to works of art, objects in nature, events, and the environment.
- Apply artistic processes and skills using a variety of media to communicate meaning and intent in original works of art.
- Analyze the role and development of the visual arts in past and present cultures throughout the world, noting human diversity as it relates to the visual arts and the artists.
- Analyze and derive meaning from works of art, including their own, according to the elements of art, the principles of design, and aesthetic qualities.
- Apply what they have learned in the visual arts across subject areas by developing competencies and creative skills in problem solving, communication, management of time, and identifying resources that contribute to lifelong learning, career skills, and careers in and related to the visual arts.

#### Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:

##### Core Curriculum:

Course	Title	Units
ART 120	Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART 124	Drawing I	3
ART 129	Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART 141	History of Western Art II: Circa 1250 A.D. to Present Time	3
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##### List A: Select one of the following:

ART 140	History of Western Art I: Prehistoric to 1250 A.D.	3
ART 143	Modern Art	3
ART 144	Architecture of the 20th Century	3
ART 145	Contemporary Art History: 1945-Present	3
ART 146	Asian Art	3
		<u>3</u>

##### List B: Select three of the following:

ART 121	Painting I	3
ART 125	Drawing II	3
ART 135	Watercolor I	3
ART 148	Introduction to Crafts	3
ART 230	Figure Drawing I	3
		<u>9</u>
	Total Units for Major (6 units may be double-counted with GE)	24
	Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU	37-39
	Total Transferable Elective Units	3-5
	Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Art (Studio Arts emphasis).

#### II. ART-DRAWING AND PAINTING

This degree program is designed to provide a fundamental background in two-dimensional studio arts, emphasizing both technique and aesthetic awareness. The curriculum consists of courses in both studio techniques and art history. Students will develop their ability to control line, value, shape, color, perspective and composition in various mediums. The major provides preparation for transfer to a four-year college in fine art or a vocational area related to art.

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Use the vocabulary of the visual arts to express their observations as they perceive and respond to works of art, objects in nature, events and the environment.
- Apply artistic processes and skills, using a variety of media to communicate meaning and intent in original works of art.
- Analyze the role and development of the visual arts in the past and present cultures throughout the world, noting human diversity as it relates to the visual arts and the artists.
- Analyze, access and derive meaning from works of art, including their own, according to the elements of art, the principles of design and aesthetic qualities.
- Apply what they learned in the visual arts across subject areas, develop competencies and creative skills in problem solving, communication, and management of time and resources that contribute to lifelong learning and career skills, and identify careers in and related to the visual arts.

#### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- \* Advertising Specialist
- Antique Dealer
- \* Art Conservator
- \* Art Therapist
- Arts Administration
- Cartoonist
- \* Curator
- Display Manager
- \* Fashion Designer
- Gallery Owner
- Illustrator
- Independent Artist
- \* Interior Design
- Jewelry Designer
- Museum Technician
- Painter
- Police Artist
- Set Designer
- \* Teacher/Professor
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

#### Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
ART 120	Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART 121	Painting I	3
ART 124	Drawing I	3
ART 125	Drawing II	3
ART 140	History of Western Art I: Prehistoric to 1250 A.D.	3
ART 141	History of Western Art II: Circa 1250 A.D. to Present Time	3
ART 230	Figure Drawing I	3
GD 105	Fundamentals of Digital Media	3
		<u>24</u>

#### Select six units from the following:

ART 129	Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART 135	Watercolor I	3
ART 143	Modern Art	3
ART 145	Contemporary Art History: 1945-Present	3
ART 220	Painting II	3
ART 231	Figure Drawing II	3
GD 126	Photoshop Digital Imaging	3
GD 225	Digital Illustration	3
		<u>6</u>
	Total Required	30
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Recommended Electives:** FREN 120, HIST 105, HUM 155, RELG 120

#### III. ART-GRAPHIC DESIGN

This degree program emphasizes aesthetics, design and craft using manual and digital mediums. Students will develop their ability to think spatially in two and three dimensions and to use creative problem-solving techniques using images and letter forms. Students will develop a professional portfolio for placement at a four-year university. *Designed for students interested in pursuing a bachelor's degree in Graphic Design; please consult the catalog of the transfer institution for specific requirements. Students interested in pursuing the entry level, two-year associate degree or certificate in graphic design should refer to the Graphic Design program.*

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Research, analyze, organize and formulate artistic order out of chaos.
- Recognize and speak a global visual language and demonstrate an awareness of the meanings and power of symbols and words.
- Design products and services that will make a social and ecological impact.
- Apply elements and principles of design to projects that include packaging, magazine production, and design and production of posters, logos and brochures.
- Formulate decisions about issues of concept, format, imagery, type, printing and methodology.
- Use computer and traditional methods to solve graphic problems.
- Create a professional portfolio that can be used to pursue studies at a four-year university or obtain employment.

#### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- \* Advertising Director
- Advertising
- \* Art Director
- Desktop Publishing
- Display Designer
- Graphic Designer
- Illustrator
- \* Marketing Director
- Multimedia
- Package Designer
- Web Page Designer
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

#### Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
ART 120	Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART 124	Drawing I	3
ART 125	Drawing II	3
ART 129	Three-Dimensional Design	3
ART 140	History of Western Art I: Prehistoric to 1250 A.D.	3
ART 141	History of Western Art II: Circa 1250 A.D. to Present Time	3

GD 105	Fundamentals of Digital Media	3
GD 110	Graphic Design Principles	3
GD 125	Typography	3
	Total Required	27
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Recommended Electives:** ART 135, BUS 110, GD 230, MUS 121

## AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

The automotive technology curriculum provides for entry level skills in the automotive field. The program is designed to impart in-depth technical skills as required in today's highly technical automotive field. It prepares students for employment in the automotive and/or transportation trades. For those currently employed, upgrading and specialization skills will be stressed. The major emphasizes practical experience in actual repairs under simulated shop conditions.

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate and practice standardized safety and hazardous waste handling practices.
- Diagnose and repair engine mechanical and ignition problems utilizing a variety of diagnostic and repair equipment.
- Evaluate vehicle emission equipment and accurately perform a full smog inspection.
- Diagnose and repair vehicles that fail smog inspections.
- Read and interpret automotive electrical wiring diagrams to aid in the diagnosis of automotive electrical problems.
- Following prescribed industry standards, correctly utilize test equipment and tools to diagnose and repair automotive electrical systems.
- Independently demonstrate ability to perform computer system and fuel system service using related diagnostic equipment.
- Evaluate technical service bulletins for assisting in repairing various drivability concerns.
- Utilize communication skills to effectively deal with disgruntled colleagues in your work place.
- Utilize good customer relations techniques to improve customer satisfaction.
- Correctly adhere to BAR regulations involving writing repair order estimates, revising estimates, and final invoicing.
- Independently apply technical training and skill sets learned at school in an actual automotive repair shop environment.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Auto Electrician  
Auto Parts Salesperson  
Automotive Air Conditioning Technician  
Brake and Front-End Technician  
Computerized Engine Control Specialist  
Engine Machinist  
General Repair Technician  
High Performance and Racing Specialist  
Licensed Smog Technician  
Manufacturer Service Engineer  
Service Advisor  
Service Manager  
Technical Instructor  
Technical Sales Representative  
Transmission Technician  
Tune-up Technician

## I. AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

### Associate in Science Degree Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
AUTO 120	Engine Performance I - Mechanical and Ignition Systems	5
AUTO 122	Automotive Electrical Systems	5
AUTO 123	Engine Performance II - Fuel Systems	5
AUTO 130	Automotive Brakes and Brake License	5
AUTO 140	Four-Wheel Alignment	5
AUTO 180	Automotive Service Advisor	1
AUTO 182	Automotive Work Experience	3
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### Select two of the following:

AUTO 124	Engine Performance III - Drivability	5
AUTO 129	Introduction to Hybrid, Electric and Alternative Fueled Vehicles	5
AUTO 152	Drive Train Systems	4
AUTO 160	Air Conditioning and Heating Systems	3
AUTO 170	Engine Overhaul	5
		7-10

### Select one of the following:

AUTO 121	Emission Control License	5
AUTO 127	Advanced Automotive Electrical Systems	5
AUTO 135	Advanced Brakes	5
AUTO 145	Advanced Four-Wheel Alignment	5
AUTO 155	Advanced Drive Train Systems	4
AUTO 165	Advanced Air Conditioning and Heating Systems	3
AUTO 175	Advanced Engine Overhaul	5
AUTO 176	Engine Machining	5
		3-5
	Total Required	39-44
	Plus General Education Requirements	

FOR ALL CLASSES: Students are required to provide their own hand tools as required. Students are also required to provide ANSI Z-87.1 (1979) eye protection.

### Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Automotive Technology. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## II. ADVANCED ENGINE PERFORMANCE AND EMISSIONS

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate and practice standardized safety and hazardous waste handling practices
- Diagnose and repair engine mechanical and ignition problems utilizing a variety of diagnostic and repair equipment.
- Evaluate vehicle emission equipment and accurately perform a full smog inspection.
- Diagnose and repair vehicles that fail smog inspections.
- Read and interpret automotive electrical wiring diagrams to aid in the diagnosis of automotive electrical problems.
- Using prescribed industry standards, correctly utilize test equipment and tools to diagnose and repair automotive electrical systems.
- Independently demonstrate ability to perform computer system and fuel system service using related diagnostic equipment.
- Evaluate technical service bulletins to assist in repair of various drivability concerns.

### Certificate Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
AUTO 120	Engine Performance I - Mechanical and Ignition Systems	5
AUTO 121	Emission Control License	5
AUTO 122	Automotive Electrical Systems	5
AUTO 123	Engine Performance II - Fuel Systems	5
AUTO 124	Engine Performance III - Drivability	5
	Total Required	25

### Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Automotive Technology-Advanced Engine Performance and Emissions. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## III. AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY-ASEP

The General Motors sponsored ASEP degree program offers a unique job training opportunity to those students who are accepted. Training includes all systems of the sponsoring manufacturers' automobiles. In addition, students will be required to further their studies in a sponsoring dealership as a paid (work experience) technician. Students who test low in English, reading or math assessment scores (and are accepted into the program) will be required to take remedial courses in those areas in addition to the general education courses. Students who have previous college credit or an associate degree or higher may be exempt from all or part of the general education requirements; please see a counselor.

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate and practice standardized safety and hazardous waste handling practices.
- Describe the work flow processes utilized by new car dealership service departments.
- Perform lubrication maintenance service and minor maintenance services.
- Perform service repair and diagnosis of vehicle suspension, steering and brake systems utilizing a variety of tools and equipment.
- Retrieve manufacturers' repair data and specifications and utilize this information for accurate diagnosis and repair.
- Following prescribed industry guidelines, diagnose, remove, repair and replace automatic and manual transmissions and transaxles.
- Perform engine repairs to prescribed industry standards.
- Following prescribed industry standards, accurately measure and perform various machining processes on engine components.
- Diagnose and repair engine mechanical and ignition problems utilizing a variety of diagnostic and repair equipment.
- Independently demonstrate ability to perform computer system and fuel system service using related diagnostic equipment.
- Evaluate technical service bulletins for assisting in repairing various drivability concerns.
- Independently demonstrate ability to perform electronic engine diagnostics on both gasoline and diesel engines.
- Following prescribed industry standards, correctly utilize test equipment and tools to diagnose and repair automotive electrical systems.

- Utilizing prescribed industry practices, diagnose, repair, remove and replace air conditioning and heating systems and components.
- Independently apply technical training and skill sets learned at school in an actual automotive repair shop environment.
- Evaluate vehicle emission equipment and accurately perform a full smog inspection.
- Diagnose and repair vehicles that fail smog inspections.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
AUTO 121	Emission Control License	5
AUTO 200	ASEP–Orientation	1
AUTO 201	ASEP–Electrical	6
AUTO 202	ASEP–Brakes and Alignment	7
AUTO 203	ASEP–Engine Repair	4.5
AUTO 204	ASEP–Power Train	7
AUTO 205	ASEP–Engine Performance and Air Conditioning	7
AUTO 206*	ASEP–Work Experience	15
Total Required		52.5
Plus General Education Requirements		

\*Must be taken five times for a total of 15 units.

**IV. AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY–ASSET**

The Ford sponsored ASSET degree program offers a unique job training opportunity to those students who are accepted. Training includes all systems of the sponsoring manufacturers' automobiles. In addition, students will be required to further their studies in a sponsoring dealership as a paid (work experience) technician. Students who test low in English, reading or math assessment scores (and are accepted into the program) will be required to take remedial courses in those areas in addition to the general education courses. Students who have previous college credit or an associate degree or higher may be exempt from all or part of the general education requirements; please see a counselor.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate and practice standardized safety and hazardous waste handling practices.
- Describe the work flow processes utilized by new car dealership service departments.
- Prepare new vehicles for customer delivery.
- Perform lubrication maintenance service and minor maintenance services.
- Perform service repair and diagnosis of vehicle suspension, steering and brake systems utilizing a variety of tools and equipment.
- Retrieve manufacturers' repair data and specifications and utilize this information for accurate diagnosis and repair.
- Following prescribed industry guidelines, diagnose, remove, repair and replace automatic and manual transmissions and transaxles.
- Perform engine repairs to prescribed industry standards.
- Following prescribed industry standards, accurately measure and perform various machining processes on engine components.
- Diagnose and repair engine mechanical and ignition problems utilizing a variety of diagnostic and repair equipment.
- Independently demonstrate ability to perform computer system and fuel system service using related diagnostic equipment.
- Evaluate technical service bulletins for assisting in repairing various drivability concerns.

- Independently demonstrate ability to perform electronic engine diagnostics on both gasoline and diesel engines.
- Following prescribed industry standards, correctly utilize test equipment and tools to diagnose and repair automotive electrical systems.
- Utilizing prescribed industry practices, diagnose, repair, remove and replace air conditioning and heating systems and components.
- Independently apply technical training and skill sets learned at school in an actual automotive repair shop environment.
- Evaluate vehicle emission equipment and accurately perform a full smog inspection.
- Diagnose and repair vehicles that fail smog inspections.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
AUTO 121	Emission Control License	5
AUTO 190	ASSET–Orientation, PDI and Lubrication	2
AUTO 191	ASSET–Brakes and Alignment	7
AUTO 192	ASSET–Drive Train	8
AUTO 193	ASSET–Engine Repair	4.5
AUTO 195	ASSET–Electronic Engine Controls	7
AUTO 196	ASSET–Electrical, Accessories and Air Conditioning	5
AUTO 197*	ASSET–Work Experience	13
Total Required		51.5
Plus General Education Requirements		

\*Must be taken five times for a total of 13 units.

**V. BRAKES AND FRONT-END**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate and practice standardized safety and hazardous waste handling practices.
- Perform various brake system repairs to prescribed industry standards.
- Diagnose and repair Anti-lock Brake systems.
- Using prescribed industry standards, diagnose and repair/replace steering and suspension components.
- Diagnose wheel alignment and tire related problems and align vehicles to industry specifications.
- Utilize communications skills to effectively deal with disgruntled colleagues in your work place.
- Utilize good customer relations techniques to improve customer satisfaction.
- Correctly adhere to BAR regulations involving writing repair orders estimates, revising estimates and final invoicing.
- Independently apply technical training and skill sets learned at school in an actual automotive repair shop environment.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
AUTO 130	Automotive Brakes and Brake License	5
AUTO 140	Four-Wheel Alignment	5
AUTO 145	Advanced Four-Wheel Alignment	5
AUTO 180	Automotive Service Advisor	1
AUTO 182	Automotive Work Experience	3
Total Required		19

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Automotive Technology–Brakes and Front-End. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**VI. ENGINE PERFORMANCE AND DRIVE TRAIN**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate and practice standardized safety and hazardous waste handling practices.
- Diagnose and repair engine mechanical and ignition problems utilizing a variety of diagnostic and repair equipment.
- Using prescribed industry standards, correctly utilize test equipment and tools to diagnose and repair automotive electrical systems.
- Retrieve manufacturers repair data and specifications and utilize this information for accurate diagnosis and repair.
- Following prescribed industry guidelines, diagnosis, remove, repair and replace automatic and manual transmissions and transaxles.
- Perform engine repairs to prescribed industry standards.
- Following prescribed industry standards, accurately measure and perform various machining processes on engine components.
- Utilize communications skills to effectively deal with disgruntled colleagues in your work place.
- Utilize good customer relations techniques to improve customer satisfaction.
- Correctly adhere to BAR regulations involving writing repair orders estimates, revising estimates and final invoicing.
- Independently apply technical training and skill sets learned at school in an actual automotive repair shop environment.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
AUTO 120	Engine Performance I - Mechanical and Ignition Systems	5
AUTO 122	Automotive Electrical Systems	5
AUTO 152	Drive Train Systems	4
AUTO 170	Engine Overhaul	5
AUTO 182	Automotive Work Experience	3
Total Required		22

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Automotive Technology–Engine Performance and Drive Train. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**

**I. BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**

This degree program is designed to provide a two-year transfer program with emphasis on the uniformity and diversity of life. The curriculum fulfills the lower division requirements for majors in biology, dentistry, medicine, nursing, pharmacy, environmental health, microbiology and ecology.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic structures and fundamental processes of life at the molecular, cellular, and organismal levels.
- Identify the evolutionary processes that lead to adaptation and biological diversity.
- Describe the relationship between life forms and their environment and ecosystems.

- Collect, organize, analyze, interpret and present quantitative and qualitative data and incorporate them into the broader context of biological knowledge.
- Effectively apply current technology and scientific methodologies for problem solving.
- Find, select and evaluate various types of scientific information including primary research articles, mass media sources and World Wide Web information.
- Communicate effectively in written and oral formats.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Aquatic Biologist
- \* Athletic Trainer
- \* Biologist
- \* Biochemical Engineer
- Biological Technician
- Biomedical Equipment Technician
- Biotechnologist
- \* Botanist
- Clinical Lab Technologist
- \* Cytologist
- \* Ecologist
- \* Environmental Engineer
- Environmental Technician
- \* Environmental Microbiologist
- Genetic Engineering Technician
- Greenhouse Assistant
- Laboratory Technician
- \* Physical Therapist
- \* Public Health Biologist
- Purification Technician
- Research Assistant
- Safety Specialist
- \* Teacher
- Technical Writer
- Waste Management Technician
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BIO 215	Statistics for Life Sciences	3
BIO 230	Principles of Cellular, Molecular and Evolutionary Biology	4
BIO 240	Principles of Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology	5
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
CHEM 142	General Chemistry II	5
CHEM 231	Organic Chemistry I	5
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
PHYC 130	Fundamentals of Physics	4
PHYC 131	Fundamentals of Physics	4
	Total Required	40
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**II. BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES: PRE-ALLIED HEALTH**

This program provides students with a pathway into allied health programs at baccalaureate institutions. Required science courses provide training in the methods of scientific inquiry, the fundamental principles of natural science, and the principle laws and theories governing the physical and life sciences. Recommended general education courses expose students to the necessary base of knowledge that will serve them well in any of the allied health fields. This degree prepares students for transfer to a baccalaureate institution or for advanced studies in an allied health major. Prior to enrolling in several courses in this major, students must take general biology and general biology laboratory as prerequisites. *It is recommended that students check with transfer institutions for specific program requirements.*

**Program Learning Outcomes**

- Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:
- Explain the principles and laws of living systems with particular reference to human

- disease and human performance, including the role of scientific inquiry in life/medical science, cell theory, the hierarchy of structure and function in living organisms and principles of heredity.
- Describe the normal relationships between structure and function relationships of humans, alterations in normal structure/function that characterize disease; the structure, function, classification and epidemiology of pathogenic microorganisms; and normal cellular and nutritional biochemistry.
  - Exhibit competency in the methods used to study living systems, with a focus on human biology including applying principles and procedures of research and experimental design, and gathering, organizing interpreting, evaluating and communicating data.
  - Exhibit confidence and ability to function as a health care professional including the ability to conduct independent and collaborative investigation skills, communicate scientific information effectively in oral and written form, and utilize technology effectively and appropriately.
  - Exhibit the ability to integrate the content, skills and abilities gained in courses and practice independent, self-directed learning.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BIO 140	Human Anatomy	5
BIO 141	Human Physiology	3
BIO 141L	Laboratory in Human Physiology	1
BIO 152	Paramedical Microbiology	5
CHEM 102	Introduction to General, Organic and Biological Chemistry	5
	or	
CHEM 115 &	Fundamentals of Chemistry	4
CHEM 116	Introductory Organic and Biochemistry	4
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3
PSY 120	Introductory Psychology	3
SOC 120	Introductory Sociology	3
	Total Required	28-31
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Recommended Electives:** CD 125 or PSY 165; MATH 160

**BUSINESS**



Associate Degree for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

**I. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION FOR TRANSFER (AS-T)**

This program is designed to provide students with the common core of lower division courses required to transfer and pursue a baccalaureate degree in Business Administration. This includes business degrees with options such as accounting, finance, human resources management, international business, management, operations management, and marketing. This major aligns with the California State University (CSU) Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.

The following is required for the AS-T in Business Administration for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.

3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Recognize entrepreneurial opportunities for new business ventures, evaluate potential for business success, and consider implementation issues including financial, legal, operational and administrative procedures involved in starting new business ventures.
- Communicate effectively and professionally in business situations through physical or virtual presence, writing, speaking, listening, and electronic media.
- Work effectively, respectfully, ethically, and professionally with people of diverse ethnic, cultural, gender and other backgrounds, and people with different organizational roles, social affiliations and personalities.
- Lead by using team building skills and facilitating collaborative behaviors in the accomplishment of group goals and objectives.
- Assess how organizations create value in their global supply chains through the integrated production and distribution of goods, services and information.
- Recognize and appropriately respond to ethical and legal concerns relating to human resource and organizational management.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

**Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 121	Managerial Accounting	4
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
ECON 120	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 121	Principles of Microeconomics	3
		17

**List A: Select one of the following:**

MATH 160*	Elementary Statistics	4
MATH 178*	Calculus for Business, Social and Behavioral Sciences	4
		4

**List B: Select two of the following**

BUS 128*	Business Communication	3
CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
	Any course from List A not selected above*	4
		7-8
	Total Units for Major (9 units may be double-counted with GE)	28-29
	Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU	37-39
	Total Transferable Elective Units	1
	Total Units for Degree	60

\*Students planning to transfer to SDSU are strongly encouraged to complete Math 160, Math 178, and BUS 128.

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Business Administration (Financial Services) or Business Administration (General) majors.

**II. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

This degree program is designed to provide students who choose to work toward a bachelor's degree a well-balanced introduction to a professional career in business. The curriculum fulfills the lower division requirements for most majors in the School of Business Administration at San Diego State University and is typical of requirements at other four-year schools. For specific requirements, transfer students should consult the catalog of their selected institution.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Recognize entrepreneurial opportunities for new business ventures, evaluate potential for business success, and consider implementation issues including financial, legal, operational and administrative procedures involved in starting new business ventures.
- Communicate effectively and professionally in business situations through physical or virtual presence, writing, speaking, listening, and electronic media.
- Work effectively, respectfully, ethically and professionally with people of diverse ethnic, cultural, gender and other backgrounds and with people with different organizational roles, social affiliations, and personalities.
- Lead by using team building skills and facilitating collaborative behaviors in the accomplishment of group goals and objectives.
- Assess how organizations create value in their global supply chains through the integrated production and distribution of goods, services and information.
- Recognize and appropriately respond to ethical and legal concerns relating to human resource and organizational management.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Advertising/Marketing Manager
- \* Agricultural Marketing Specialist
- \* Banker
- \* Broker
- Consultant
- \* Computer Operations Specialist
- Credit Investigator
- \* Economic Forecaster
- \* Financial Analyst
- \* Hospital Administrator
- Import/Export Agent
- \* Market Research Analyst
- \* Personnel Manager
- Real Estate Broker/Agent
- Retail Manager
- \* Securities Analyst/Trader
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 121	Managerial Accounting	4
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
ECON 120	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 121	Principles of Microeconomics	3
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
MATH 178	Calculus for Business, Social and Behavioral Sciences	4
	Total Required	32
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Recommended Elective:** BUS 156

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Business Administration. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**III. BUSINESS DATA MANAGEMENT**

This degree program prepares students for careers in business using information technology to organize and promote advanced business management policies. Preparation for the Microsoft Certified Database Administrator exams.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Explain how a DBMS enforces security, recovery from failure, and concurrency control.
- Identify the advances in networking, data communications and the Internet and how they affect the way business is conducted.
- Identify which information technology tools are used to solve various business problems.
- Develop proficiency solving business problems using modern productivity tools (e.g., spreadsheet, database) or creating custom programs.
- Describe how relational databases store business data and provide desired information.
- Analyze organizational information requirements using the entity-relationship approach and model them as Entity-Relationship Diagrams (conceptual database design).
- Map an Entity-Relationship Diagram to a relational database (logical database design).
- Use normal form theory to analyze and improve a database design.
- Create a database and process complex information using the SQL language.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
BUS 240	SQL for Business Applications	3
BUS 242	Data Mining	3
CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
CIS 140	Databases	3
CIS 190	Windows Operating System	3
CIS 240	Advanced Databases	3
CIS 242	Database Design	3
		<u>25</u>

**Select one of the following:**

COMM 120	Interpersonal Communication	3
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3
		<u>3</u>

**Select one of the following:**

CIS 216	Active Server Pages	3
CIS 290	Windows Server-Installing and Configuring	2
CS 180	Introduction to Visual Basic Programming	4
		<u>2-4</u>
	Total Required	30-32
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Business Data Management. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**IV. BUSINESS-GENERAL**

This degree program is designed to develop and foster those skills and understandings which can be utilized for employment in an increasingly challenging business environment. The curriculum provides students with a broad preparation for a career in business. Business courses are included which provide a solid background for future promotion in a chosen occupational area. The degree is designed for students who do not plan to transfer to a four-year college or university.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify and analyze business problems and opportunities and formulate recommendations for courses of action.
- Communicate effectively and professionally in business situations through physical or virtual presence, writing, speaking, listening, and electronic media.
- Demonstrate an awareness of economic, environmental, political, ethical, legal and regulatory contexts of global business practices.
- Describe the concept of competitive advantage and how it may be achieved through strategic and tactical methods.
- Define markets and apply marketing concepts and principles using a customer focus to effectively sell products and services.
- Recognize and appropriately respond to ethical and legal concerns relating to human resource and organizational management.
- Apply accounting concepts and methods to interpret financial statements for evaluating the financial position and performance of organizations.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Administrative Assistant
- Bookkeeper
- \* Budget Consultant
- Buyer
- Conciliator
- \* Credit Analyst
- Employment Interviewer
- \* Hospital Administrator
- Sales Agent
- \* Trust Officer
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BUS 109	Elementary Accounting	3
	<b>or</b>	
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 115	Human Relations in Business	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
BOT 110*	Business English and Communication	3
	<b>or</b>	
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
BUS 195	Personal Finance	3
CIS 105	Introduction to Computing	3
	<b>or</b>	
CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
ECON 120	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
	Total Required	<u>24-26</u>
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Offered at Grossmont College

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Business-General. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.



**CERTIFICATE OF SPECIALIZATION:**

**DATABASE ADMINISTRATION**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Analyze organizational information requirements using the entity-relationship approach and model them as Entity-Relationship Diagrams (conceptual database design).
- Develop business solutions using information technology tools such as databases and spreadsheets following the systems development life cycle (SDLC) including problem analysis, solution design, implementation, testing, evaluation and recommendation for improvement.
- Recognize the need to maintain currency with the information technology industry and how changes in information technology can impact business.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BUS 240	SQL for Business Applications	3
BUS 242	Data Mining	3
CIS 140	Databases	3
CIS 240	Advanced Databases	3
CIS 242	Database Design	3
Total Required		15

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Database Administration. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## BUSINESS OFFICE TECHNOLOGY

**I. BUSINESS OFFICE TECHNOLOGY**

This degree program prepares students for employment in today's business offices which are technology intensive. The curriculum is also appropriate for those wishing to update current skills. Emphasis is on the computerized office and development into supervisory positions.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic language and concepts within the field of business office technology.
- Use computer input devices (e.g., keyboard and mouse) to properly and efficiently create and edit documents in word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and electronic communications such as email.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Account Clerk
- Administrative Assistant
- Bank Teller
- Billing Clerk
- Bookkeeper
- Brokerage Clerk
- Computer Operator
- Court Clerk
- Customer Service Representative
- Executive Assistant
- Executive Secretary
- File Clerk
- General Office Clerk
- Hotel/Motel Desk Clerk
- Information Clerk
- Insurance Clerk
- Legal Secretary
- Loan/Credit Clerk

- Medical Secretary
- Office Manager
- Personnel Clerk
- Real Estate Clerk
- Secretary
- Word Processing Specialist

**Course Equivalencies:**

The following Cuyamaca and Grossmont College courses are considered similar enough to be treated as equivalent. Modification of Major forms are not required.

Cuyamaca Course	Similar Grossmont Course
BOT 120+121+122	CSIS 173
BOT 123+124+125	CSIS 175

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 100	Basic Keyboarding	1
BOT 101AB	Keyboarding/Document Processing I-II	3
BOT 102AB	Intermediate Keyboarding/Document Processing I-II	3
BOT 107	Office Systems and Procedures	2
BOT 120-122	Comprehensive Word Levels I-III	3
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
CIS 105	Introduction to Computing	3
<b>or</b>		
CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
		18-19

**Select at least six units from the following:**

BOT 108	Using Calculators to Solve Business Problems	1
BOT 123-125	Comprehensive Excel Levels I-III	3
BUS 109	Elementary Accounting	3
<b>or</b>		
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 156	Principles of Management	3
BUS 176	Computerized Accounting Applications	2
CIS 140	Databases	3
		6
Total Required		24-25
Plus General Education Requirements		

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Business Office Technology. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**II. ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic language and concepts within the field of business office technology.
- Use computer input devices (e.g., keyboard and mouse) to properly and efficiently create and edit documents in word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and electronic communications such as email.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 102AB	Intermediate Keyboarding/Document Processing I-II	3
BOT 104	Filing and Records Management	1
BOT 106	Effective Job Search	1
BOT 107	Office Systems and Procedures	2
BOT 108	Using Calculators to Solve Business Problems	1
BOT 114	Essential Word	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 120-122	Comprehensive Word Levels I-III	3
BOT 115	Essential Excel	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 123-125	Comprehensive Excel Levels I-III	3

BOT 116	Essential Access	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 126-128	Comprehensive Access Levels I-III	3
BOT 117	Essential PowerPoint	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 129-131	Comprehensive PowerPoint Levels I-III	3
BOT 118	Integrated Office Projects	1
BOT 223-225	Office Work Experience	1-3
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
		17-27

**Select at least three units from the following:**

BOT 103ABC	Building Keyboarding Skill I, II, III	.5
BOT 105	Data Entry Skills	1
BOT 150	Using Microsoft Publisher	1
BOT 151	Using Microsoft Outlook	1
BUS 109	Elementary Accounting	3
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
		3
Total Required		20-30
Plus General Education Requirements		

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Administrative Assistant. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**III. EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic language and concepts within the field of business office technology.
- Use computer input devices (e.g., keyboard and mouse) to properly and efficiently create and edit documents in word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and electronic communications such as email.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 120-122	Comprehensive Word Levels I-III	3
BOT 123-125	Comprehensive Excel Levels I-III	3
BOT 126-128	Comprehensive Access Levels I-III	3
<b>or</b>		
CIS 140	Databases	3
BOT 129-131	Comprehensive PowerPoint Levels I-III	3
BOT 151	Using Microsoft Outlook	1
BOT 201	Advanced Keyboarding/Document Processing	3
BOT 203	Office Project Coordination	1
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
		20

**Select at least three units from the following:**

BUS 109	Elementary Accounting	3
BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 115	Human Relations in Business	3
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
		3

**Select at least one unit from the following:**

BOT 103ABC	Building Keyboarding Skill I, II, III	.5
BOT 150	Using Microsoft Publisher	1
CIS 240	Advanced Databases	3
		1
Total Required		24
Plus General Education Requirements		

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Executive Assistant. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**CERTIFICATES OF SPECIALIZATION:**

Students who complete the requirements below qualify for a certificate in that area of emphasis. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**I. ACCOUNT CLERK**

This certificate prepares a beginning student to work in a job that requires bookkeeping skills as well as an ability to provide account clerk support using accounting software. Many jobs at the entry level are available for someone who has training in these two areas.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic concepts of using computerized accounting software in the relevant field of business.
- Appropriately use the vocabulary and accounting procedures specific to the workplace.
- Use computer input devices, e.g., keyboard or mouse, to efficiently and competently use accounting software specific to the relevant field of business.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 101AB	Keyboarding/Document Processing I-II	3
BUS 109	Elementary Accounting	3
<b>or</b>		
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 176	Computerized Accounting Applications	2
	Total Required	8-9

**II. FRONT OFFICE RECEPTIONIST**

This certificate would provide an entry-level employment opportunity for a student that finishes the following courses. These skills are aimed at a student who is seeking a front office receptionist-related position in an office. This certificate prepares a beginning student to work in a job that requires basic keyboarding skills, a basic knowledge of filing, and basic office procedures necessary for meeting and greeting the public in person, by telephone, and electronically.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic concepts of business office procedures relevant to an entry-level front office receptionist position.
- Appropriately use the vocabulary specific to an entry-level front office receptionist position.
- Use computer input devices, e.g., keyboard or mouse, to efficiently and competently use the software specific to the relevant field of business.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 100	Basic Keyboarding	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 103AB	Building Keyboarding Skill I-II	1
BOT 104	Filing and Records Management	1
BOT 107	Office Systems and Procedures	2
BOT 114	Essential Word	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 120	Comprehensive Word, Level I	1
BOT 151	Using Microsoft Outlook	1
	Total Required	6

**III. OFFICE ASSISTANT LEVEL I**

This certificate prepares students for positions that require keyboarding skills, basic knowledge of filing, and basic computer skills. It is designed for students with no prior computer training and who lack general office background and experience. Upon completion, students will qualify for positions as data entry clerks or other entry level office clerical positions.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic language and concepts within the field of business office technology.
- Use computer input devices (e.g., keyboard and mouse) to properly and efficiently create and edit documents in word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and electronic communications such as email.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 096	Computer Basics for the Office	1
BOT 097	Windows Basics for the Office	1
BOT 100	Basic Keyboarding	1
BOT 101AB	Keyboarding/Document Processing I-II	3
BOT 104	Filing and Records Management	1
BOT 105	Data Entry Skills	1
BOT 106	Effective Job Search	1
	Total Required	9

**IV. OFFICE ASSISTANT LEVEL II**

This certificate is designed for students who have completed the Office Assistant Level I certificate or have the equivalent in keyboarding and computer skills. It prepares students for advancement in office careers in which knowledge of Microsoft Office applications is required.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic language and concepts within the field of business office technology.
- Use computer input devices (e.g., keyboard and mouse) to properly and efficiently create and edit documents in word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and electronic communications such as email.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 102AB	Intermediate Keyboarding/Document Processing I-II	3
BOT 107	Office Systems and Procedures	2
BOT 114	Essential Word	1
BOT 115	Essential Excel	1
BOT 116	Essential Access	1
BOT 117	Essential PowerPoint	1
	Total Required	9

**V. OFFICE PROFESSIONAL**

This certificate is designed for students interested in entry-level positions in a broad spectrum of office environments. Utilizing a short-term, intensive format, students are provided with the basic skills necessary to be productive employees. The curriculum provides the foundation for further study and advancement in the clerical field, which is one of the largest employment areas in our information processing society.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic language and concepts within the field of business office technology.
- Use computer input devices (e.g., keyboard and mouse) to properly and efficiently create and edit documents in word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and electronic communications such as email.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 100	Basic Keyboarding	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 101AB	Keyboarding/Document Processing I-II	3
<b>or</b>		
BOT 102AB	Intermediate Keyboarding/Document Processing I-II	3
BOT 107	Office Systems and Procedures	2
BOT 114	Essential Word	1
BOT 115	Essential Excel	1
BOT 223	Office Work Experience	1
BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
	Total Required	12-14

**VI. OFFICE SOFTWARE SPECIALIST LEVEL I**

This certificate is designed for students interested in working in an administrative support capacity who need working knowledge of word processing, electronic spreadsheet, database and presentation software. These courses may also be applied to the Office Assistant Level II certificate.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic language and concepts within the field of business office technology.
- Use computer input devices (e.g., keyboard and mouse) to properly and efficiently create and edit documents in word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and electronic communications such as email.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 100	Basic Keyboarding	1
BOT 114	Essential Word	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 120-121	Comprehensive Word, Levels I-II	2
BOT 115	Essential Excel	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 123-124	Comprehensive Excel, Levels I-II	2
BOT 116	Essential Access	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 126-127	Comprehensive Access, Levels I-II	2
BOT 117	Essential PowerPoint	1
<b>or</b>		
BOT 129-130	Comprehensive PowerPoint, Levels I-II	2
	Total Required	5-9

**VII. OFFICE SOFTWARE SPECIALIST LEVEL II**

This certificate is designed for students interested in working in an administrative support capacity who need working knowledge of word processing, electronic spreadsheet, database and presentation software as well as software integration techniques. Students who complete the certificate may continue taking courses to earn the Executive Assistant Certificate of Achievement.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Explain the basic language and concepts within the field of business office technology.
- Use computer input devices (e.g., keyboard and mouse) to properly and efficiently create and edit documents in word processing, spreadsheet, and presentation programs such as Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and electronic communications such as email.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 100	Basic Keyboarding	1
BOT 118	Integrated Office Projects	1
BOT 120	Comprehensive Word, Level I	1
or		
BOT 114	Essential Word	1
BOT 121	Comprehensive Word, Level II	1
BOT 122	Comprehensive Word, Level III	1
BOT 123	Comprehensive Excel, Level I	1
or		
BOT 115	Essential Excel	1
BOT 124	Comprehensive Excel, Level II	1
BOT 125	Comprehensive Excel, Level III	1
BOT 126	Comprehensive Access, Level I	1
or		
BOT 116	Essential Access	1
BOT 127	Comprehensive Access, Level II	1
BOT 129	Comprehensive PowerPoint, Level I	1
or		
BOT 117	Essential PowerPoint	1
BOT 130	Comprehensive PowerPoint, Level II	1
		Total Required
		12

**CADD TECHNOLOGY**

Occupational preparation in Computer-Aided Drafting and Design is the primary purpose of the CADD Technology degree program. Students are required to complete two core courses and to select from two potential career paths: Building Design Industry or Manufacturing Industry. Adherence to industrial practices and standards is stressed, including problem solving in a simulated industrial environment.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Create 3D modeling objects of various orientations including sections and elevations of objects, and identify the relationships of objects or object features to demonstrate visualization proficiency.
- Identify or describe the typical characteristics and uses of common construction or manufacturing materials, products and systems, document them in drawings, and make appropriate selections based on design project requirements.
- Use the latest version of 2D/3D CADD and Solid Modeling software programs (AutoCAD and SolidWorks) to create industry standard architectural or engineering drawings.
- Model the habits and attitudes for success in professional employment as a CADD technician including the preparation and presentation of a professional portfolio.

- Demonstrate computation, communication, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills to perform effectively as a CADD technician in the field of architecture and/or the civil, electronic, mechanical, structural, and surveying engineering fields.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

CAD Technician in the field of Architecture and Civil, Electronic, Mechanical, Structural, and Surveying Engineering

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:****Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
CADD 115	Engineering Graphics	3
CADD 120	Introduction to Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
		6

**Areas of Emphasis:****A. BUILDING DESIGN INDUSTRY**

CADD 127	Survey Drafting Technology	3
CADD 131	Architectural Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
CADD 133	Advanced Architectural Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
CADD/OH 200	Introduction to Computer-Aided Landscape Design	3
		12

**Select two of the following:**

CADD 126	Electronic Drafting	3
CADD 128	Dimensioning and Tolerancing	3
CADD 132	Advanced Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
CADD/OH 201	Advanced Computer-Aided Landscape Design	3
		6

Total Required Including Core Classes 24  
Plus General Education Requirement

**B. MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY****Select four of the following:**

CADD/ENGR 125	3D Solid Modeling	3
CADD 126	Electronic Drafting	3
CADD 128	Dimensioning and Tolerancing	3
CADD/ENGR 129	Engineering Solid Modeling	3
CADD 132	Advanced Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
		12

**Select two of the following:**

CADD 127	Survey Drafting Technology	3
CADD 131	Architectural Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
CADD 133	Advanced Architectural Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
CADD/OH 200	Introduction to Computer-Aided Landscape Design	3
		6

Total Required Including Core Classes 24  
Plus General Education Requirements

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the courses required for the major including an area of emphasis qualify for a Certificate in CADD Technology in that area of emphasis. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION BREADTH****Certificate of Achievement**

The Certificate of Achievement in California State University General Education Breadth (CSU GE) may be awarded upon completion of the CSU GE Breadth requirements (see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section). Students must complete a minimum of 39 units, which are distributed among five areas. CSU GE Breadth requirements are designed to be taken with a major area of concentration and elective courses in preparation for transfer to the California State University.

Courses completed at California community colleges and participating institutions will be certified based on approval at the original campus. Courses taken at other colleges and universities; i.e., out-of-state, private, may be used in the certification under certain conditions. Although this certificate recognizes the completion of lower division general education requirements for the CSU, it does not guarantee admission to a four-year institution. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Exhibit proficiency in written communication in English.
- Exhibit proficiency in oral communication in English.
- Analyze, criticize and advocate ideas and reach well-supported conclusions.
- Show skills and understanding beyond the level of intermediate algebra, and apply mathematical concepts to solve problems.
- Analyze and appreciate works of philosophical, historical, literary, aesthetic and cultural importance.
- Reveal an historical understanding of major civilizations and cultures, both Western and non-Western.
- Recognize the contributions to knowledge, civilization, and society that have been made by various ethnic or cultural groups.
- Evaluate the basic concepts of physical and biological sciences.
- Use the scientific method of inquiry and techniques to answer questions about physical and biological processes.
- Cultivate a lifelong understanding and development as an integrated physiological, social, and psychological being.

## CHEMISTRY

The chemistry curriculum is designed to provide students who choose to work toward a bachelor's degree a well-balanced, lower division program with a strong emphasis on fundamentals and problem solving. This major fulfills the lower division requirements (except for analytical chemistry) for chemistry majors and is typical of the requirements at four-year colleges and universities.

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Comprehend and describe the nature of matter, including its classification, composition and structure.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the transformations of matter, both physical and chemical.
- Develop critical thinking skills by predicting interactions between different types of matter, both physical and chemical; analyzing matter in the laboratory both qualitatively and quantitatively; performing mathematical calculations related to the transformation and analysis of matter; and solving qualitative and quantitative problems in connection with the transformation and analysis of matter.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Chemists work in a variety of fields, primarily those of the chemical, biotechnological, environmental, biomedical, pharmaceutical, electronics, forensic, agricultural and food industries. They usually work in analysis, research, development or production of materials. Management, marketing and teaching opportunities are also available.

- \*Agricultural Chemist
- \*Air Quality Control
- \*Analytical Chemist
- \*Biochemist
- \*Chemistry Teacher
- \*Dietician
- \*Environmental Technologist
- Fishery Specialist
- \*Food And Drug Inspector
- \*Forensic Specialist
- Laboratory Technician
- \*Materials Scientist
- Medical Technologist
- \*Microbiologist
- \*Organic Chemist
- \*Physician
- \*Polymer Chemist
- Sales Representative
- Sanitarian Technician
- \*Bachelor Degree or higher required

### Associate in Science Degree Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
CHEM 142	General Chemistry II	5
CHEM 231	Organic Chemistry I	5
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
PHYC 210	Wave Motion and Modern Physics	5
	Total Required	43
	Plus General Education Requirements	

Note:

1. Students pursuing an emphasis in biochemistry should also take the following courses: BIO 230, 240.
2. Students who intend to enroll at UCSD should take MATH 285 and check with the Counseling Center regarding program options.

## CHILD DEVELOPMENT



### Associate Degree for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

#### I. EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR TRANSFER (AS-T)

The AS-T in Early Childhood Education is designed to prepare students planning to transfer to a California State University for a bachelor's degree in Child Development or Early Childhood Education by providing lower division course preparation. This degree facilitates a clearly defined career pathway for students wishing to pursue a career in early childhood development and care.

The following is required for the AS-T in Early Childhood Education for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" OR better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: if following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Integrate the key developmental concepts and teaching strategies into a cogently articulated philosophy of early childhood education and care.
- Employ appropriate classroom organizational and management techniques in a variety of early childhood education settings, including the implementation of curriculum that is well planned, developmentally appropriate, and based on the interests and needs of the children.
- Survey, assemble, and expand curricula resources for use in specific early childhood classrooms and centers.
- Apply and implement effective and sensitive discipline and guidance strategies directly with children.
- Clearly demonstrate the ability to plan child development programs which deliberately intend to advance, stimulate or otherwise enhance children's physical, intellectual, emotional and social development in ways which are appropriate to the children's developmental level.
- Assess their own professional competence and progress and develop a plan for professional career steps and growth.

### Associate in Science Degree Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
CD 123	Principles and Practices of Programs and Curriculum for Young Children	3
CD 125	Child Growth and Development	3
CD 130	Curriculum: Design and Implementation	3
CD 131	Child, Family and Community	3
CD 134	Health, Safety and Nutrition of Young Children	3
CD 153	Teaching in a Diverse Society	3
CD 212	Practicum in Early Childhood Education	3
CD 213	Observation and Assessment	3
	Total Units for Major (6 units may be double-counted with GE)	24
	Total Units for CSU GE or IGETC-CSU	37-39
	Total Transferable Elective Units	3-5
	Total Units for Degree	60

#### II. CHILD DEVELOPMENT

The child development curriculum is designed to prepare students for employment as teachers, directors and aides in preschools and child care centers, including infant/toddler and extended day facilities. The curriculum is also appropriate for parents, administrators, health care professionals, and others working with children. Course work meets the educational components of the Department of Social Services license regulations for child care programs. The degree meets the educational requirements of the Teacher, Master Teacher and Site Supervisor Child Development Permits. The curriculum meets lower division course preparation for students planning to obtain a bachelor's degree in Child Development at most CSU campuses.

The Department of Social Services Title 22 minimum requirements to be a preschool teacher are 12 units in Child Development which must include: CD 125, CD 131, one curriculum class (CD 123, 126, 127, 128, 129 or 130), and one additional CD course (3 units).

The California Department of Education Title 5 minimum education requirements at the Teacher level on the Child Development Matrix are 24 units in Child Development which must include: CD 125, CD 131, one curriculum class (CD 123, 126, 127, 128, 129 or 130), 12 additional units in CD, and 16 units of general education which must include one degree applicable course in each of four general education categories: English/Language Arts; Math or Science; Social Sciences; Humanities and/or Fine Arts.

The California Community Colleges' Curriculum Alignment Project (CAP) consolidates and clarifies the transfer requirements for teachers of young children in the state of California. The eight CAP courses, CD 123, 125, 130, 131, 134, 153, 212 and 213, provide a strong foundation for transfer to four-year programs in Child Development of Early Childhood Education.

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Integrate the key developmental concepts and teaching strategies into a cogently articulated philosophy of early childhood education and care.
- Employ appropriate classroom organizational and management techniques in a variety of early childhood education settings, including the implementation of curriculum that is well planned, developmentally appropriate, and based on the interests and needs of the children.

- Survey, assemble, and expand curricula resources for use in specific early childhood classrooms and centers.
- Apply and implement effective and sensitive discipline and guidance strategies directly with children.
- Clearly demonstrate the ability to plan child development programs which deliberately intend to advance, stimulate or otherwise enhance children's physical, intellectual, emotional and social development in ways which are appropriate to the children's developmental level.
- Assess their own professional competence and progress and develop a plan for professional career steps and growth.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Adoption Counselor
- Camping Guide
- Child Care Specialist
- \* Child Psychologist
- Curriculum Development
- \* Development Specialist (Child, Adolescent and Family)
- \* Early Intervention Aide
- \* Educational Consultant
- Infant/Toddler Teacher
- Outdoor Education Specialist
- Preschool Director
- Preschool Teacher
- Recreation Leader
- \* Recreation Specialist
- School Age Child Care Teacher
- \* Social Service Specialist
- Special Education Assistant – Children with Special Needs
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

**Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
CD 106	Practicum: Beginning Observation and Experience	1
CD 123	Principles and Practices of Programs and Curriculum for Young Children	3
CD 125	Child Growth and Development	3
CD 126	Art for Child Development	3
CD 127	Science and Mathematics for Child Development	3
CD 128	Music and Movement for Child Development	3
CD 129	Language and Literature for Child Development	3
CD 131	Child, Family and Community	3
CD 134	Health, Safety and Nutrition of Young Children	3
CD 141	Working with Children with Special Needs	3
<b>or</b>		
CD 210	Working with Young Children with Challenging Behaviors	3
CD 153	Teaching in a Diverse Society	3
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**Areas of Emphasis:**

**A. INFANTS AND TODDLERS**

CD 124	Infant and Toddler Development	3
CD 132	Observation and Assessment: Field Experience Seminar	3
CD 143	Responsive Planning for Infant/Toddler Care	3
CD 170	Practicum: Field Experience with Infants and Toddlers	2
		11
Total Required Including Core Courses		42
Plus General Education Requirements		

**B. PRESCHOOL CHILDREN**

CD 130	Curriculum: Design and Implementation	3
CD 132	Observation and Assessment: Field Experience Seminar	3
CD 133	Practicum–Field Experience: Student Teaching	2
		8
Total Required Including Core Courses		39
Plus General Education Requirements		

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the courses required for the major including an area of emphasis qualify for a Certificate in Child Development in that area of emphasis. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar

## COMMUNICATION



Associate Degree  
for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

**I. COMMUNICATION STUDIES FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)**

This degree program is designed to provide students with a broad base of communication courses that provide training for entry into occupations in which public contact and verbal skills are important. Students will explore and analyze verbal communication methods, as well as develop and advance their oral communication skills. Students completing this degree may be interested in pursuing careers in community service, sales, performing arts, teaching, and other communication professions.

The following is required for the AA-T in Communication Studies for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Research, write and deliver an effective public speech.
- Analyze, critique, and improve interpersonal relationships in both personal and professional contexts.
- Describe and apply specific skills to the communication process, including perception, emotion, listening and conflict management.

- Describe and interpret communication similarities and differences between people from varying cultural backgrounds.
- Interact with others in group settings to collect, analyze, and synthesize information.
- Interact respectfully with others who hold divergent perspectives.
- Critically analyze, critique and synthesize arguments and information.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

**Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3

**List A: Select two of the following:**

COMM 120	Interpersonal Communication	3
COMM 137	Critical Thinking in Group Communication	3
COMM 145	Argumentation	3
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**List B: Select two of the following:**

COMM 110	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COMM 124	Intercultural Communication	3
COMM 240	Speech and Debate Competition III	3
Any course from List A not selected above		3
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**List C: Select one of the following:**

ANTH 120	Cultural Anthropology	3
ENGL 122	Introduction to Literature	3
ENGL 124	Advanced Composition: Critical Reasoning and Writing	3
SOC 120	Introductory Sociology	3
Any course from Lists A or B not selected above		3

Total Units for Major	18
Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU	37-39
Total Transferable Elective Units	3
Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into the Health Communication Major and the Communication Major in Applied Arts and Sciences emphases.

**II. COMMUNICATION**

This degree program is designed to provide students with a broad base of communication classes that provide training for entry into occupations in which verbal skills are important. Major requirements for the four-year degree in Communication vary from institution to institution. It is recommended that students check with transfer institutions for specific requirements.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Research, write and deliver an effective public speech.
- Analyze, critique, and improve interpersonal relationships in both personal and professional contexts.
- Describe and apply specific skills to the communication process, including perception, emotion, listening and conflict management.
- Describe and interpret communication similarities and differences between people from varying cultural backgrounds.
- Interact with others in group settings to collect, analyze, and synthesize information.
- Interact respectfully with others who hold divergent perspectives.
- Critically analyze, critique and synthesize arguments and information.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Advertising Assistant
- Announcer
- Arts Administrator
- Communication Consultant
- Journalist
- Lawyer
- Lobbyist
- Narrator
- Politician
- Public Information Officer
- Public Relations Assistant
- Teacher/Instructor/College Professor

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
COMM 110	Introduction to Mass Communication	3
COMM 120	Interpersonal Communication	3
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3
COMM 123	Advanced Public Speaking	3
COMM 145	Argumentation	3
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**Select six units from the following:**

COMM 124	Intercultural Communication	3
COMM 128*	Global Communication	3
COMM 137	Critical Thinking in Group Communication	3
COMM 144*	Communication Studies: Race and Ethnicity	3
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**Select three units from the following:**

COMM 130	Fundamentals of Human Communication	3
COMM 135	Oral Interpretation of Literature	3
COMM 136	Readers Theatre	3
COMM 238	Speech and Debate Competition I	1
COMM 239	Speech and Debate Competition II	2
COMM 240	Speech and Debate Competition III	3
COMM 241	Speech and Debate Competition IV	3
		<u>3</u>
	Total Required	24
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Offered at Grossmont College

# COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

See Business Office Technology for specific Microsoft applications (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.).

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Communications Specialist
- Computer Game Programmer
- Computer Graphics Designer
- Computer Hardware Specialist
- Computer Help Desk Technician
- Computer Maintenance Technician
- Computer Software Technician
- \*Computer Systems Engineer
- \*Computing Analyst
- Cyber Café Owner
- \*Database Manager
- GIS (Geographic Information Systems) Specialist
- Information Specialist
- \*Information Systems Programmer
- LAN/WAN Manager
- Manufacturer's Representative
- Multimedia Designer
- Network Administrator
- \*Network Analyst
- Network Consultant
- Network Control Technician
- Network Training and Support Specialist
- \*Programmer Analyst

- Sales and Service
- \*Scientific Programmer
- Software Consultant
- \*Software Engineer/Designer
- \*Systems Analyst
- \*Systems Programmer
- Technical Support Representative
- \*Telecommunications Programmer
- Telecommunications Technician
- \*Telecommunications Technical Engineer
- Training Specialist
- Virtual Reality Developer
- Web Master
- Web Page Designer
- \*Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Course Equivalencies:**

The following Cuyamaca and Grossmont College courses are considered similar enough to be treated as equivalent. Modification of Major forms are not required.

Cuyamaca Course	Similar Grossmont Course
CIS 105	CSIS 172
CIS 110	CSIS 110
CIS 120	CSIS 114
CIS 140	CSIS 174
CIS 190	CSIS 112
CIS 191	CSIS 113
CIS 211	CSIS 132
CIS 213	CSIS 133
CIS 215	CSIS 135
CIS 216	CSIS 136
CIS 240	CSIS 276
CIS 291	CSIS 213
CS 119	CSIS 119
CS 180	CSIS 288
CS 181	CSIS 296
CS 182	CSIS 293
CS 280	CSIS 289
CS 281	CSIS 297
CS 282	CSIS 294
GD 222	CSIS 137

**I. NETWORKING, SECURITY AND SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION**

This degree program prepares students for careers in computer networking or system administration and related fields. Upon completion, students may find entry level positions as computer support technicians, junior network administrators, junior system administrators, hardware technicians, data/voice/video cabling technicians, network project managers, designers/estimators or technical support personnel. The major prepares students to work as team members in an information technology group which designs, evaluates, tests, installs and maintains corporate networks. Preparation for the following industry certifications: A+, Network+, Security+, Linux+, Microsoft Certified Technician (MCT) in Windows and Windows Server (active directory, network infrastructure and applications infrastructure), Linux Profession Institute Certification Level 2, Certified Wireless Network Administrator (CWNA) and/or CCNA (Cisco Certified Network Associate).

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

**A. Enterprise Networking**

- Describe and demonstrate the ability to install, configure, upgrade, diagnose and troubleshoot a personal computer and its associated networking hardware and system software.
- Install, test, certify, secure, and troubleshoot copper, optical fiber, and wireless

telecommunications infrastructures by constructing a system in accordance with industry standards.

- Configure, test, and troubleshoot network topologies consisting of routers, switches, wireless routers, VoIP equipment and PCs using: the Cisco IOS CLI; IP addressing; interior gateway protocols; HDLC, PPP and Frame-Relay WAN.

**B. Enterprise System Administration**

- Describe and demonstrate the ability to install, configure, upgrade, diagnose and troubleshoot a personal computer and its associated networking hardware and system software.
- Install, test, certify, secure, and troubleshoot copper, optical fiber, and wireless telecommunications infrastructures by constructing a system in accordance with industry standards.
- Configure, test, and troubleshoot a Linux and a Windows server, including directory services, networking, print services, server security, remote access, DNS, DHCP, web server, file server, mail server, FTP server, file systems, partitions, logical volumes, server/network performance, and data backup and recovery.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

**Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
CIS 120	Computer Maintenance and A+ Certification	3
CIS 121	Network Cabling Systems	3
CIS 125	Network+ Certification	3
CIS 161	Fundamentals of Telecommunications	3
CS 119	Program Design and Development	3
CS 119L	Program Design and Development Lab	1
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**Areas of Emphasis:**

**A. Enterprise Networking**

CIS 190	Windows Operating System	3
or		
CIS 191	Linux Operating System	3
CIS 201	Cisco Networking Academy I	3
CIS 202	Cisco Networking Academy II	3
CIS 203	Cisco Networking Academy III	3
CIS 204	Cisco Networking Academy IV	3
CIS 209	Cisco Networking Academy IX	3
or		
CIS 263	Fundamentals of Network Security	3
CIS 261	Convergent/Unified Technologies and Degree Capstone	3
CIS 262	Wireless Networking	3
or		
CIS 210	Cisco Networking Academy-Voice	4
		<u>24-25</u>

Total Required Including Core Classes 40-41  
Plus General Education Requirement

**B. Enterprise System Administration**

CIS 140	Databases	3
or		
CIS 162	Technical Diagramming Using Microsoft Visio	2
or		
CIS 295	VMware Certified Professional	3
CIS 190	Windows Operating System	3
CIS 191	Linux Operating System	3
CIS 261	Convergent/Unified Technologies and Degree Capstone	3
CIS 263	Fundamentals of Network Security	3
CIS 290	Windows Server-Installing and Configuring	2
CIS 291	Linux System Administration	3

CIS 293	Windows Server–Administering	2
CIS 294	Windows Server–Advanced Configuration	2
		<u>23-24</u>
	Total Required Including Core Classes	39-40
	Plus General Education Requirement	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the courses required for the major including an area of emphasis qualify for a Certificate in Networking, Security and System Administration in that area of emphasis. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**II. WEB DEVELOPMENT**

This degree program equips students with the essential coding, programming, and design skills needed to build websites and applications for desktop and mobile platforms. Students gain practical experience using state of the art web development technology to prepare for entry-level positions as web developers. The curriculum is continually updated to respond to rapidly changing industry trends.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Write valid HTML and CSS code to create web content, structure and presentation.
- Code and debug JavaScript and jQuery to develop interactive web pages.
- Code and debug PHP and MySQL to develop dynamic (database-integrated) web applications.
- Integrate industry-standard technologies and design principles to develop sites that are attractive, usable, and functional on multiple platforms and devices, including mobile devices.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CIS 140	Databases	3
CIS 211	Web Development I	3
CIS 213	Web Development II	3
CIS 215	JavaScript Web Programming	3
CIS 218	Introduction to Web Programming	3
CIS 219	PHP/MySQL Dynamic Web-Based Applications	3
GD 105	Fundamentals of Digital Media	3
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**Select one of the following:**

CIS 225	Web Development Capstone	3
CIS 267	Directed Work Experience in CIS	1-4
		<u>1-4</u>

**Select two of the following:**

CIS 191	Linux Operating System	3
CS 119	Program Design and Development	3
	<b>and</b>	
CS 119L	Program Design and Development Lab	1
CS 182	Introduction to Java Programming	4
GD 126	Photoshop Digital Imaging	3
GD 130	Professional Business Practices	3
GD 217	Web Graphics	3
GD 222	Web Animation	3
		<u>6-8</u>
	Total Required	28-33
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Web Development. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**CERTIFICATES OF SPECIALIZATION:**

These certificates offer specific training for either entry-level positions or to augment related programs such as Network Administration, Web Development, Business Office Technology or Graphic Design. The certificates are designed to demonstrate a relatively narrow expertise or skill area that may be used to attain a computer industry "niche" job.

Students who complete the requirements below qualify for a certificate in that area of emphasis. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**I. CISCO CERTIFIED NETWORK ASSOCIATE**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Describe the operational characteristics and troubleshooting techniques for: the OSI and TCP/IP networking models; general LAN design; network routers, switches, and wireless routers; the RIP, EIGRP, and OSPF interior gateway protocols (IGP); network switching principles including VLANs, inter-VLAN routing, VTP, STP and security; the HDLC, PPP and Frame-Relay WAN protocols; network security using Access Control Lists (ACL); NAT; and DHCP.
- Plan and design basic network topologies including switches and routers in a multiprotocol internetwork using LAN and WAN interfaces, networking addressing techniques, and terminology.
- Configure, test, and troubleshoot network topologies consisting of routers, switches, wireless routers, and PCs using: the Cisco IOS CLI; ip addressing; interior gateway protocols; HDLC, PPP and Frame-Relay WAN protocols; VLANs; NAT; DHCP; router and switch security techniques.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CIS 201	Cisco Networking Academy I	3
CIS 202	Cisco Networking Academy II	3
CIS 203	Cisco Networking Academy III	3
CIS 204	Cisco Networking Academy IV	3
CIS 209	Cisco Networking Academy IX	3
	Total Required	<u>15</u>

**II. CISCO NETWORK PROFESSIONAL**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Describe advanced routing, switching, and troubleshooting concepts for complex enterprise networks including; enterprise network design, development, and maintenance; advanced routing protocols; VPN technologies; IPv6 ; advanced VLAN topologies; high availability and redundancy protocols; and LAN security protocols and techniques.
- Configure, diagnose, and troubleshoot complex enterprise router and switch networking solutions including: network performance; advanced routing protocols; VPNs; IPv6; advanced VLAN topologies; high availability and redundancy protocols; and LAN security.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CIS 205	Cisco Networking Academy V	3
CIS 206	Cisco Networking Academy VI	3

CIS 207	Cisco Networking Academy VII	3
CIS 208	Cisco Networking Academy VIII	3
	Total Required	<u>12</u>

**III. COMPUTER PROGRAMMING**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Develop a software solution following the systems development life cycle (SDLC) including problem analysis, solution design, implementation, testing, evaluation and recommendation for improvement.
- Be proficient in at least one high-level programming language and an ability to use that language to implement software solutions in a variety of settings following the SDLC.
- Recognize the need to maintain currency with software industry changes in the computing profession.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CS 119	Program Design and Development	3
CS 119L	Program Design and Development Lab	1
CS 181	Introduction to C++ Programming	4
	<b>or</b>	
CS 182	Introduction to Java Programming	4
CS 281	Intermediate C++ Programming and Fundamental Data Structures	4
	<b>or</b>	
CS 282	Intermediate Java Programming and Fundamental Data Structures	4
	Total Required	<u>12</u>

**IV. COMPUTER SUPPORT TECHNICIAN**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Describe and demonstrate the ability to install, configure, upgrade, diagnose and troubleshoot a personal computer and its associated networking hardware and system software.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CIS 120	Computer Maintenance and A+ Certification	3
CIS 121	Network Cabling Systems	3
CIS 125	Network+ Certification	3
CIS 190	Windows Operating System	3
CIS 191	Linux Operating System	3
	Total Required	<u>15</u>

**V. WEB DESIGN**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Write valid HTML and CSS code to create web content, structure and presentation.
- Integrate industry-standard technologies and design principles to develop sites that are attractive, usable, and functional on multiple platforms and devices, including mobile devices.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CIS 211	Web Development I	3
CIS 213	Web Development II	3
CIS 225	Web Development Capstone	3
GD 126	Photoshop Digital Imaging	3
GD 217	Web Graphics	3
	Total Required	<u>15</u>

**VI. WEB PROGRAMMING****Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Write valid HTML and CSS code to create web content, structure and presentation.
- Code and debug JavaScript and jQuery to develop interactive web pages.
- Code and debug PHP and MySQL to develop dynamic (database-integrated) web applications.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CIS 211	Web Development I	3
CIS 213	Web Development II	3
CIS 215	JavaScript Web Programming	3
CIS 218	Introduction to Web Programming	3
CIS 219	PHP/MySQL Dynamic Web-Based Applications	3
	Total Required	15

**ELEMENTARY EDUCATION****Associate Degree for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>****I. ELEMENTARY TEACHER EDUCATION FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)**

The Associate in Arts in Elementary Teacher Education for Transfer (AA-T in Elementary Teacher Education) is designed to provide lower division preparation for Liberal Arts, Liberal Studies, Integrated Teacher Education, or a similar major at a baccalaureate institution. It is an interdisciplinary program that provides students with a foundation of knowledge in the areas of English composition, oral communication, physical and life sciences, social sciences, arts and humanities, and critical thinking. Transfer students earning the AA-T in Elementary Teacher Education will receive a broad, general education focus that will prepare them to teach a variety of subjects at the elementary school level.

The following is required for the AA-T in Elementary Teacher Education for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate interpersonal skills in a diverse setting.
- Demonstrate effective communication in teaching and learning environments.
- Use arithmetical, algebraic, geometric and statistical methods to solve problems.
- Describe general principles of the political institutions and government of the United States.
- Assess how social issues are influenced by geographical and historical processes.
- Analyze basic concepts of physical and biological science to evaluate scientific information and solve scientific problems.
- Analyze the principle elements of representative examples of art, architecture, literature, theater, philosophy, music, dance, film, or other relevant areas of cultural and/or intellectual creative.
- Demonstrate an awareness of the historical and philosophical context of representative areas, movements, media, works, or styles of cultural and/or intellectual creativity.
- Demonstrate the ability to write effectively.
- Organize thoughts and ideas in both oral and written format.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:****Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
BIO 130	General Biology I	3
BIO 131	General Biology I Laboratory	1
CD 125	Child Growth and Development	3
CHEM 115	Fundamentals of Chemistry	4
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3
ED 200	Teaching as a Profession	3
ENGL 120	College Composition and Reading	3
ENGL 122	Introduction to Literature	3
GEOG 106	World Regional Geography	3
GEOG 121	Physical Geography: Earth Systems Laboratory	1
GEOL 104	Earth Science	3
HIST 100	Early World History	3
HIST 108	Early American History	3
MATH 125	Structure and Concepts of Elementary Mathematics I	3
PHYC 110	Introductory Physics	4
POSC 121	Introduction to U.S. Government and Politics	3
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**List A**

ENGL 124	Advanced Composition: Critical Reasoning and Writing	3
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**List B: Select one:**

ART 100	Art Appreciation	3
MUS 110	Great Music Listening	3
THTR 110	Introduction to the Theatre	3

**List C: Select eight units:**

Any course in List B not selected		3
ARBC 121	Arabic II	5
ART 140	History of Western Art I: Prehistoric to 1250 A.D.	3
ART 141	History of Western Art II: Circa 1250 A.D. to Present Time	3
ASL 121	American Sign Language II	4
COMM 120	Interpersonal Communication	3
ES 253	Physical Education in Elementary Schools	3
FREN 121	French II	5
HED 105	Health Education for Teachers	1

ITAL 121	Italian II	5
MATH 126	Structure and Concepts of Elementary Mathematics II	3
MATH 128	Children's Mathematical Thinking	1.5
MUS 118	Introduction to Music	4
PHIL 125	Critical Thinking	3
PHIL 130	Logic	3
PHIL 140	Problems in Ethics	3
RELG 120	World Religions	3
RELG 130	Scriptures of World Religions	3
SPAN 121	Spanish II	5
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	Total Units for Major	60
	Total Units for CSU GE or IGETC-CSU General Education Requirements (all met)	37-39
	Total Transferable Elective Units	0
	Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Liberal Studies Generalist Education.

**II. ELEMENTARY EDUCATION**

This degree program is designed to provide lower division preparation for transfer to San Diego State University as a Liberal Studies major. Because the degree emphasizes a strong general education approach, it may be an appropriate major for a variety of career options. Students are encouraged to refer to the San Diego State University catalog and/or consult with an academic advisor before selecting the various options listed below. Upon completion, students may request certification of lower division general education course work required by the California State University system. Students interested in transferring to another college or university should check the requirements of that institution.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate global awareness and cultural sensitivity.
- Demonstrate interpersonal skills in a diverse setting.
- Demonstrate effective communication in teaching and learning environments.
- Demonstrate technological awareness.
- Be prepared to request certification of lower division general education course work required by the California State University system.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Administrator
- \* Audiovisual Specialist
- \* School Clerical Worker
- \* Counselor
- \* Educational Consultant
- \* Educational Psychologist
- \* Educational Therapist
- \* Educational Writer
- \* Food Service
- \* Guidance Worker
- \* Librarian
- \* Library Technician
- \* Social Psychologist
- \* Speech Pathologist/Audiologist
- \* Teacher
- \* Teacher's Aide
- \* Tutor
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required



**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
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**COMPOSITION, ORAL COMMUNICATION, AND LITERATURE****1. Composition (minimum six units) and one of the following:**

ENGL 120	College Composition and Reading	3
COMM 137	Critical Thinking in Group Communication	3
COMM 145	Argumentation	3
ENGL 124*	Advanced Composition: Critical Reasoning and Writing	3
PHIL 125	Critical Thinking	3
PHIL 130	Logic	3

\*Preferred

**2. Communication (minimum three units)**

COMM 120	Interpersonal Communication	3
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3

**3. Literature (minimum three units)**

ENGL 122	Introduction to Literature	3
ENGL 270	World Literature I	3
ENGL 271	World Literature II	3

**MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCES****4. Mathematics**

MATH 125	Structure and Concepts of Elementary Mathematics I	3
MATH 126	Structure and Concepts of Elementary Mathematics II	3
MATH 128	Children's Mathematical Thinking	1.5

**5. Biological Sciences**

BIO 130	General Biology I	3
BIO 131	General Biology I Laboratory	1

**6. Physical Sciences**

GEOL 104	Earth Science	3
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**SOCIAL SCIENCE AND HISTORY****7. Global Perspective**

GEOG 106	World Regional Geography	3
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**8. American Institutions (minimum six units, choose one course from each category):**

<b>A:</b>		
HIST 108	Early American History	3
HIST 118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I	3
HIST 130	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives I	3
HIST 180	U.S. History: Black Perspectives I	3

**B:**

HIST 109	Modern American History	3
HIST 119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives II	3
HIST 131	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives II	3
HIST 181	U.S. History: Black Perspectives II	3
POSC 121	Introduction to U.S. Government and Politics	3

**9. Civilizations**

HIST 100	Early World History	3
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**VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS/HUMANITIES****10. Music**

MUS 118	Introduction to Music	4
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**11. Art/Humanities**

ART 100	Art Appreciation	3
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**12. Human Growth and Development (choose one option):**

<b>Option I:</b>		
CD 125	Child Growth and Development	3
<b>Option II:</b>		
PSY 120	Introductory Psychology	3
and		
PSY 150	Developmental Psychology	3

**13. General Education/Humanities (choose one option):**

<b>Option I:</b>		
ARBC 121, ASL 121, FREN 121, ITAL 121 or SPAN 121		4-5
<b>Option II:</b>		
PHIL 140 or RELG 120 or RELG 130 (choose this option only if 3 years of foreign language have been taken in high school)		3
<b>Option III:</b>		
ARBC 220, ASL 220, FREN 220, ITAL 220 or SPAN 220 (choose this option only if 3 years of foreign language have been taken in high school)		4-5

**14. Additional Requirements**

ED 200	Teaching as a Profession	3
ES 253	Physical Education in Elementary Schools	3
HED 105	Health Education for Teachers	1
ES Activity	(At least two courses marked with an asterisk)	2-3
Total Required		60.5-66.5

**Recommended Elective:**

PSC 100†	Physical Science for Elementary Education	3
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†Offered at Grossmont College; required for major at SDSU

**ENGINEERING**

This degree program is designed to cover the first two years of a four-year program leading to the bachelor's degree in engineering at most four-year colleges and universities. While the bachelor's degree is usually the minimum needed to practice as an engineer, the associate degree will permit an individual to find work in most engineering firms as an engineering aide. The certificate will permit an individual to work as an engineering technician.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Aerospace Engineer
- \* Agricultural Engineer
- \* Architectural Engineer
- \* Biomedical Engineer
- \* CAD/CAM Engineer
- \* Chemical Engineer
- \* Civil Engineer
- \* Civil Engineering Technician
- \* Computer Engineer
- \* Electrical Engineer
- \* Electrical Engineering Technician
- \* Environmental Engineer
- \* Geological Engineer
- \* Industrial Engineer
- \* Industrial Engineering Technician
- \* Manufacturing Engineer
- \* Marine Engineer
- \* Materials Engineer
- \* Mechanical Engineer
- \* Mechanical Engineering Technician
- \* Mining Engineer
- \* Nuclear Engineer
- \* Petroleum Engineer
- \* Structural Engineer
- \* Systems Engineer
- \* Robotics Engineer

\* Bachelor's degree or higher required

**I. CIVIL ENGINEERING****Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Visualize 3D objects and draw them in 2D, both by sketching and through the use of computer-aided drafting software; produce a complete set of drawings sufficient to manufacture a part, including dimensions and tolerances.
- Solve engineering problems through computer modeling, employing an engineering computer language such as Matlab.
- Design a rigid structure such as a bridge, determining forces in each part of the structure. Determine the weight and location of the center of gravity of the structure.
- Design a dynamic system such as a piston or linkage, and compute forces, accelerations, and speeds of all components of the system.
- Apply the tools of surveying, including total station instruments, to analyze the topography of land, construction staking, and setting property boundaries.
- Model vibrating systems using systems of 2nd order differential equations.
- Analyze experimental data to determine summary statistics (e.g., mean, variance), apply appropriate statistical tests to data sets, and design statistical experiments.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
ENGR 100	Introduction to Engineering and Design	4
ENGR 119	Basic Engineering CAD	3
<b>or</b>		
CADD 120	Introduction to Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
ENGR 120	Engineering Computer Applications	3
ENGR 200	Engineering Mechanics—Statics	3
ENGRSURV/218	Plane Surveying	4
ENGR 220	Engineering Mechanics—Dynamics	3
ENGR 260	Engineering Materials	3
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
MATH 285	Differential Equations	3
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
Total Required		58
Plus General Education Requirements		

**II. CIVIL ENGINEERING****Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Visualize 3D objects and draw them in 2D, both by sketching and through the use of computer-aided drafting software; produce a complete set of drawings sufficient to manufacture a part, including dimensions and tolerances.
- Solve engineering problems through computer modeling, employing an engineering computer language such as Matlab.
- Design a rigid structure such as a bridge, determining forces in each part of the structure. Determine the weight and location of the center of gravity of the structure.
- Design a dynamic system such as a piston or linkage, and compute forces, accelerations, and speeds of all components of the system.
- Apply the tools of surveying, including total station instruments, to analyze the topography of land, construction staking, and setting property boundaries.

- Model vibrating systems using systems of 2nd order differential equations.
- Analyze experimental data to determine summary statistics (e.g., mean, variance), apply appropriate statistical tests to data sets, and design statistical experiments.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CADD 127	Survey Drafting Technology	3
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
ENGR 100	Introduction to Engineering and Design	4
ENGR 119	Basic Engineering CAD	3
<b>or</b>		
CADD 120	Introduction to Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
ENGR 120	Engineering Computer Applications	3
ENGR 200	Engineering Mechanics–Statics	3
ENGR/SURV 218	Plane Surveying	4
ENGR 220	Engineering Mechanics–Dynamics	3
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
	Total Required	42

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete the certificate requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Civil Engineering. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**III. ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING****Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Visualize 3D objects and sketch them accurately in 2D.
- Solve engineering problems through computer modeling, employing a computer language such as C or Java.
- Design and write computer programs that employ linked list memory management, stacks, tree data structures, and searching and sorting algorithms.
- Determine the DC and steady-state AC voltages and currents everywhere in an electric circuit composed of passive components.
- Model linear systems of arbitrary size and complexity using linear algebra.
- Model transient and steady-state electrical systems using systems of 2nd order differential equations.
- Apply Green's theorem, Stokes' theorem, and Maxwell's equations to solve simple problems in electrostatics and electromagnetism.
- Analyze and design combinational and sequential digital logic systems of arbitrary complexity, including (for example) Moore and Mealy sequential machines.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
CS 181	Introduction to C++ Programming	4
<b>or</b>		
CS 182	Introduction to Java Programming	4
CS 281	Intermediate C++ Programming	4
<b>or</b>		
CS 282	Intermediate Java Programming and Fundamental Data Structures	4
ENGR 100	Introduction to Engineering and Design	4
ENGR 210	Electric Circuits	4
ENGR 270	Digital Design	4
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4

MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
MATH 284	Linear Algebra	3
MATH 285	Differential Equations	3
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
	Total Required	54
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**IV. ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING****Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Visualize 3D objects and sketch them accurately in 2D.
- Solve engineering problems through computer modeling, employing a computer language such as C or Java.
- Design and write computer programs that employ linked list memory management, stacks, tree data structures, and searching and sorting algorithms.
- Determine the DC and steady-state AC voltages and currents everywhere in an electric circuit composed of passive components.
- Model linear systems of arbitrary size and complexity using linear algebra.
- Model transient and steady-state electrical systems using systems of 2nd order differential equations.
- Apply Green's theorem, Stokes' theorem, and Maxwell's equations to solve simple problems in electrostatics and electromagnetism.
- Analyze and design combinational and sequential digital logic systems of arbitrary complexity, including (for example) Moore and Mealy sequential machines.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CADD 126	Electronic Drafting	3
CS 181	Introduction to C++ Programming	4
<b>or</b>		
CS 182	Introduction to Java Programming	4
CS 281	Intermediate C++ Programming	4
<b>or</b>		
CS 282	Intermediate Java Programming and Functional Data Structures	4
ENGR 100	Introduction to Engineering and Design	4
ENGR 119	Basic Engineering CAD	3
<b>or</b>		
CADD 120	Introduction to Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
ENGR 210	Electric Circuits	4
ENGR 270	Digital Design	4
ET 110	Introduction to Basic Electronics	4
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 284	Linear Algebra	3
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
	Total Required	52

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete the certificate requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Electrical and Computer Engineering. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**V. MECHANICAL AND AEROSPACE ENGINEERING****Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Visualize 3D objects and draw them in 2D, both by sketching and through the use of computer-aided drafting software; produce a complete set of drawings sufficient to manufacture a part, including dimensions and tolerances.
- Solve engineering problems through computer modeling, employing an engineering computer language such as Matlab.
- Design a rigid structure such as a bridge, determining forces in each part of the structure. Determine the weight and location of the structure's center of gravity.
- Design a dynamic system such as a piston or linkage and compute forces, accelerations, and speeds of all components of the system.
- Select an appropriate material for manufacturing a part or product and determine the appropriate material processing techniques to produce the part. Justify the choice of material on the basis of macroscopic mechanical properties as well as microstructure.
- Determine the DC and steady-state AC voltages and currents everywhere in an electric circuit composed of passive components.
- Model vibrating systems using systems of 2nd order differential equations.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
ENGR 100	Introduction to Engineering and Design	4
ENGR 120	Engineering Computer Applications	3
ENGR 200	Engineering Mechanics–Statics	3
ENGR 210	Electric Circuits	4
ENGR 220	Engineering Mechanics–Dynamics	3
ENGR 260	Engineering Materials	3
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
MATH 285	Differential Equations	3
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
PHYC 210	Wave Motion and Modern Physics	5
	Total Required	56
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**VI. MECHANICAL AND AEROSPACE ENGINEERING****Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Visualize 3D objects and draw them in 2D, both by sketching and through the use of computer-aided drafting software; produce a complete set of drawings sufficient to manufacture a part, including dimensions and tolerances.
- Solve engineering problems through computer modeling, employing an engineering computer language such as Matlab.
- Design a rigid structure such as a bridge, determining forces in each part of the structure. Determine the weight and location of the structure's center of gravity.
- Design a dynamic system such as a piston or linkage and compute forces, accelerations, and speeds of all components of the system.
- Select an appropriate material for manufacturing a part or product and

determine the appropriate material processing techniques to produce the part. Justify the choice of material on the basis of macroscopic mechanical properties as well as microstructure.

- Determine the DC and steady-state AC voltages and currents everywhere in an electric circuit composed of passive components.
- Model vibrating systems using systems of 2nd order differential equations.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
ENGR 100	Introduction to Engineering and Design	4
ENGR 119	Basic Engineering CAD	3
<b>or</b>		
CADD 120	Introduction to Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
ENGR 120	Engineering Computer Applications	3
ENGR/CADD 125	3D Solid Modeling	3
ENGR 200	Engineering Mechanics–Statics	3
ENGR 220	Engineering Mechanics–Dynamics	3
ENGR 260	Engineering Materials	3
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
Total Required		41

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete the certificate requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**ENGLISH**



Associate Degree for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

**I. ENGLISH FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)**

The study of English gives lifelong pleasure to students in exploring and understanding how language works to express human ideas and feelings. English course work also helps people succeed in such diverse fields as teaching, writing, editing, journalism, advertising, public relations, law, film and video work, politics, business and medicine.

The following is required for the AA-T in English for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate the ability to express themselves effectively in largely error-free writing in multiple modes and genres.
- Demonstrate the ability to analyze a variety of texts including fiction and non-fiction.
- Utilize the writing process to approach, complete and refine writing projects.
- Demonstrate familiarity with major British, American, and world authors and literary movements.
- Locate, evaluate, and effectively integrate outside research into their writing to support their explicit theses while avoiding plagiarism and adhering to scholarly standards for citation of information.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

**Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
ENGL 122	Introduction to Literature	3
ENGL 124	Advanced Composition: Critical Reasoning and Writing	3
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**List A: Select two of the following:**

ENGL 221	British Literature I	3
ENGL 222	British Literature II	3
ENGL 231	American Literature I	3
ENGL 232	American Literature II	3
ENGL 270	World Literature I	3
ENGL 271	World Literature II	3
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**List B: Select one of the following:**

ENGL 126	Creative Writing	3
ENGL 202	Introduction to Film as Literature	3
ENGL 217	Fantasy and Science Fiction	3
Any course from List A not selected above		3
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**List C: Select one of the following:**

ARAM 120	Aramaic I	5
ARAM 121	Aramaic II	5
ARAM 220	Aramaic III	5
ARBC 120	Arabic I	5
ARBC 121	Arabic II	5
ARBC 220	Arabic III	5
ARBC 221	Arabic IV	5
ASL 120	American Sign Language I	4
ASL 121	American Sign Language II	4
ASL 220	American Sign Language III	4
ASL 221	American Sign Language IV	4
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
ENGL 201	Images of Women in Literature	3
ENGL 207	Romance Fiction	3
ENGL 214	Masterpieces of Drama	3
ENGL 275	Literary Period	3
ENGL 276	Major Author	3
ENGL 277	Literary Theme	3
FREN 120	French I	5
FREN 121	French II	5
FREN 220	French III	5
FREN 221	French IV	5
HUM 110	Principles of the Humanities	3
ITAL 120	Italian I	5
ITAL 121	Italian II	5
ITAL 220	Italian III	5
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5
SPAN 121	Spanish II	5
SPAN 220	Spanish III	5
SPAN 221	Spanish IV	5
THTR 110	Introduction to the Theatre	3
Any course from Lists A or B not selected above		3
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Total Units for Major (6 units may double counted with GE) 18-20  
 Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU 37-39  
 Total Transferable Elective Units 10-17  
 Total Units for Degree 60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into English-Applied Arts and Sciences major.

**II. ENGLISH**

This major fulfills lower division requirements at most four-year colleges and universities and thus provides a broad-based foundation for transfer. For particular requirements, transfer students should consult the appropriate four-year college or university catalog.

The study of English gives lifelong pleasure to students in exploring and understanding how language works to express human ideas and feelings. English course work also helps people succeed in such diverse fields as teaching, writing, editing, journalism, advertising, public relations, law, film and video work, politics, business and medicine.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate the ability to express themselves effectively in largely error-free writing in multiple modes and genres.
- Demonstrate the ability to analyze a variety of texts including fiction and non-fiction.
- Utilize the writing process to approach, complete and refine writing projects.
- Demonstrate familiarity with major British, American, and world authors and literary movements.
- Locate, evaluate, and effectively integrate outside research into their own writing to support their explicit theses while avoiding plagiarism and adhering to scholarly standards for citation of information.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Actor/Actress
- \*College English Professor
- \*Copywriter
- \*Editor
- Fiction/Nonfiction Writer
- Foreign Service Officer
- †Freelance Writer
- \*Lawyer
- \*Librarian
- \*Media Planner
- \*Museum Curator
- †Newscaster
- †Playwright
- \*Publisher
- \*Reporter
- \*Researcher
- \*Secondary School Teacher
- \*Bachelor Degree or higher required
- †Bachelor Degree normally recommended

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
ENGL 120	College Composition and Reading	3
ENGL 122	Introduction to Literature	3
ENGL 124	Advanced Composition: Critical Reasoning and Writing	5
ENGL 126	Creative Writing	3
ENGL 270	World Literature I	3
ENGL 271	World Literature II	3
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**Select two of the following:**

ENGL 221	British Literature I	3
ENGL 222	British Literature II	3
ENGL 231	American Literature I	3
ENGL 232	American Literature II	3
ENGL 275	Literary Period	3
ENGL 276	Major Author	3
ENGL 277	Literary Theme	3
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**Select one of the following:**

ENGL 201	Images of Women in Literature	3
ENGL 202	Introduction to Film as Literature	3
ENGL 207	Romance Fiction	3
ENGL 214	Masterpieces of Drama	3
ENGL 217	Fantasy and Science Fiction	3
		<u>3</u>

**Select one of the following:**

ANTH 120	Cultural Anthropology	3
HIST 100	Early World History	3
HIST 101	Modern World History	3
HIST 105	Early Western Civilization	3
HIST 106	Modern Western Civilization	3
HUM 120	European Humanities	3
HUM 140	American Humanities	3
HUM 155	Mythology	3
PHIL 115	History of Philosophy I: Ancient	3
PHIL 117	History of Philosophy II: Modern and Contemporary	3
RELG 215	Introduction to the New Testament	3
		<u>3</u>
	Total Required	30
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Recommended Electives:** Students planning to transfer to four-year institutions to complete a bachelor's degree in English are STRONGLY urged to take the following courses, depending on the requirements at those schools: Two sequential semesters of a single foreign language (10 units).

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in English. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## ENTREPRENEURSHIP-SMALL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

This degree program provides a course of study for students who are interested in developing an appreciation and understanding of the functional areas within the small business environment. The degree provides a working knowledge of small business operations to both the prospective business person as well as the owner/manager of an existing business, and is co-sponsored by the Small Business Administration.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate entrepreneurial thinking as it applies to their chosen discipline by successfully completing practicum in which they apply principles of innovation to a project or develop an idea for a new business outside of the practicum.
- Understand what it takes to start a new venture, including the basics of finance, marketing and management for a new and growing business.
- Learn how to identify their personal strengths as an entrepreneur and how to build an effective leadership team for a new business.
- Establish connections with the entrepreneur community within their profession.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Administrative Assistant
- Assistant Manager
- Bookkeeper
- Small Business Owner/Manager

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BUS 109	Elementary Accounting	3
<b>or</b>		
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 111	Entrepreneurship: Starting and Developing a Business	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
		<u>15-16</u>

**Select two of the following:**

BUS 156	Principles of Management	3
BUS 176	Computerized Accounting Applications	2
CIS 212	Introduction to Web Development	3
		<u>5-6</u>

**Select at least three units from the following:**

BOT 100	Basic Keyboarding	1
BOT 101AB	Keyboarding/ Document Processing I-II	3
BOT 102AB	Intermediate Keyboarding/ Document Processing I-II	3
BOT 114	Essential Word	1
BOT 115	Essential Excel	1
BOT 116	Essential Access	1
BOT 117	Essential PowerPoint	1
CIS 105	Introduction to Computing	3
CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
		<u>3</u>
	Total Required	23-25
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Entrepreneurship-Small Business Management. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY MANAGEMENT

This degree and certificate program provides entry level skills as well as upgrading and/or refining of existing skills of individuals employed in the field of Environmental Health and Safety Management. The curriculum prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions in an environmental technology or related major. Courses are designed for students pursuing careers in Environmental Management and Occupational Safety and Health with an emphasis on training, regulatory compliance and program development, consulting, pollution prevention, recycling, remediation, conservation, and program management.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Air Quality Engineer
- Asbestos Materials Building Remover
- Associate Toxic Waste Specialist
- Chemical Handler
- \* Environmental Engineer
- Environmental Hazardous Material Technician
- Environmental Health and Safety Specialist
- \* Environmental Journalist
- \* Environmental Lawyer
- Environmental Manager
- \* Environmental Protection Specialist
- Environmental Research – Test Technician
- Game or Fishery Technician
- \* Geologist
- Health and Safety Technician
- Industrial Hygiene Technician

- Land Use and Planning Technician
- Mold Remediation Technician
- Occupational Health and Safety Technician
- Pollution Control Technician
- Recycling Coordinator
- Risk Management Officer
- Risk Management Technician
- Safety Officer
- Safety Specialist
- \* Soils Analyst
- Solar Energy Installer
- Wastewater Treatment Operator
- Water Treatment Operator

\* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**I. ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify and interpret Federal, State and local regulations related to Environmental Health and Safety Management.
- Understand and analyze historical environmental laws and regulations which impact hazardous material management and their effect on the environment.
- Identify and Interpret Federal, state and local regulations related to air pollution.
- Define and describe the components of the Hazard Communication Standards required "Hazardous Communication Plan."
- Identify and describe components of Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plans in accordance with the Clean Water Act.
- Describe and define Regional Water Quality Control Board role in Clean Water Act over site and enforcement of National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permitting and inspections.
- Understand and analyze historical environmental laws and regulations which impact hazardous material management and their effect on the environment.
- Describe and apply terms common to the hazardous materials industry.
- Describe agencies that regulate specific hazardous materials.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BIO 112	Contemporary Issues in Environmental Resources	3
BIO 130	General Biology I	3
BIO 131	General Biology I Laboratory	1
CHEM 115	Fundamentals of Chemistry	4
EHSM 100	Introduction to Environmental and Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Technology	4
EHSM 110	Pollution Prevention	3
EHSM 150	Hazardous Waste Management Applications	4
EHSM 200	Hazardous Materials Management (HMM) Applications	4
EHSM 210	Industrial Wastewater and Stormwater Management	4
EHSM 215	Air Quality Management	3
EHSM 230	Safety and Emergency Response	4
EHSM 240	Cooperative Work Experience	1-4
		<u>38-41</u>

**Select one of the following:**

CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5
		<u>3-5</u>
	Total Required	41-46
	Plus General Education Requirements	

## II. ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNICIAN

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Identify and interpret Federal, State and local regulations related to Environmental Health and Safety Management.
- Understand and analyze historical environmental laws and regulations which impact hazardous material management and their effect on the environment.
- Identify and Interpret Federal, state and local regulations related to air pollution.
- Define and describe the components of the Hazard Communication Standards required "Hazardous Communication Plan."
- Identify and describe components of Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plans in accordance with the Clean Water Act.
- Describe and define Regional Water Quality Control Board role in Clean Water Act over site and enforcement of National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permitting and inspections.
- Understand and analyze historical environmental laws and regulations which impact hazardous material management and their effect on the environment.
- Describe and apply terms common to the hazardous materials industry.
- Describe agencies that regulate specific hazardous materials.

### Certificate Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
EHSM 100	Introduction to Environmental and Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Technology	4
EHSM 110	Pollution Prevention	3
EHSM 150	Hazardous Waste Management Applications	4
EHSM 200	Hazardous Materials Management (HMM) Applications	4
EHSM 210	Industrial Wastewater and Stormwater Management	4
EHSM 215	Air Quality Management	3
EHSM 230	Safety and Emergency Response	4
EHSM 240	Cooperative Work Experience	1-3
Total Required		27-29

### Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Environmental Technician. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## III. OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (OSH) MANAGEMENT

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify and evaluated hazardous material routes of entry, toxic effect, risk evaluation and control measures to reduce their exposure and effects.
- Describe and apply terms common to the hazardous materials industry.
- Apply California and Federal safety standards to assess worksites and recognize hazardous conditions and/or noncompliance.
- Assess and evaluate job processes to identify and implement appropriate risk management strategies.
- Describe agencies that regulate specific hazardous materials.
- Interpret Federal, State and Local regulations governing Construction Safety.

- Define and apply "safe work practices", "worker Right to Know" and Community Right to Know" requirements.
- Identify and evaluated hazardous material routes of entry, toxic effect, risk evaluation and control measures to reduce their exposure and effects.
- Identify key mandatory components of an Injury Illness Prevention Plan (IIPP) in compliance with SB198.

### Associate in Science Degree Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
BIO 130	General Biology I	3
BIO 131	General Biology I Laboratory	1
CHEM 115	Fundamentals of Chemistry	4
EHSM 100	Introduction to Environmental and Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Technology	4
EHSM 130	Environmental/Occupational Health Effects of Hazardous Materials	3
EHSM 135	General Industry Safety Standards	3
EHSM 145	Construction Safety Standards	3
EHSM 200	Hazardous Materials Management (HMM) Applications	4
EHSM 201	Introduction to Industrial Hygiene and Occupational Health	4
EHSM 205	Safety and Risk Management Administration	4
EHSM 230	Safety and Emergency Response	4
EHSM 240	Cooperative Work Experience	1-4
		38-41
Total Required		41-46
Plus General Education Requirements		

### Select one of the following:

CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5

## IV. OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (OSH) TECHNICIAN

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Identify and evaluated hazardous material routes of entry, toxic effect, risk evaluation and control measures to reduce their exposure and effects.
- Describe and apply terms common to the hazardous materials industry.
- Apply California and Federal safety standards to assess worksites and recognize hazardous conditions and/or noncompliance.
- Assess and evaluate job processes to identify and implement appropriate risk management strategies.
- Describe agencies that regulate specific hazardous materials.
- Interpret Federal, State and Local regulations governing Construction Safety.
- Define and apply "safe work practices", "worker Right to Know" and Community Right to Know" requirements.
- Identify and evaluated hazardous material routes of entry, toxic effect, risk evaluation and control measures to reduce their exposure and effects.
- Identify key mandatory components of an Injury Illness Prevention Plan (IIPP) in compliance with SB198.

### Certificate Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
EHSM 100	Introduction to Environmental and Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Technology	4
EHSM 130	Environmental/Occupational Health Effects of Hazardous Materials	3
EHSM 135	General Industry Safety Standards	3

EHSM 200	Hazardous Materials Management (HMM) Applications	4
EHSM 201	Introduction to Industrial Hygiene and Occupational Health	4
EHSM 240	Cooperative Work Experience	1-4
		19-22

### Select two of the following:

EHSM 145	Construction Safety Standards	3
EHSM 205	Safety and Risk Management Administration	4
EHSM 230	Safety and Emergency Response	4
		7-8
Total Required		26-30

### Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Technician. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## EXERCISE SCIENCE

This degree program is designed to prepare students for a variety of careers including education, physical therapy, coaching, personal training and other allied health professions by providing classes oriented toward fitness, wellness and health promotion throughout the lifespan. The major also provides preparation for transfer to a four-year college in physical education, exercise physiology, kinesiology, nutrition or athletic training, as well as teacher credentialing programs.

### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- List and define the five basic components of physical fitness.
- Describe the concepts of frequency, intensity and time, and how they relate to personal fitness goals.
- Outline a basic strategy for achieving fitness through the lifespan.
- List options within the community for continued lifelong physical activity.
- List benefits of daily physical activity.
- Demonstrate competence in acquiring sound nutritional information.
- Demonstrate improvement in sport skills.
- Outline appropriate goals and activities for increasing the fitness of children.
- Describe appropriate preventive measures as well as treatments for various sport injuries.
- List and describe opportunities for employment in the field.
- Describe their field of interest and a course of instruction that will meet their professional needs.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Aerobics Instructor
- Athletics Coach
- \*Athletics Trainer
- \*Cardiovascular Rehabilitation
- \*College Professor
- \*Elementary School Teacher
- \*Exercise Physiologist
- \*Health Club Manager
- \*Personal Trainer
- \*Physical Therapist/ Assistant
- \*Registered Dietician
- \*Secondary School Teacher
- \*Teaching
- \*Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BIO 130	General Biology I	3
BIO 131	General Biology I Laboratory	1
BIO 140	Human Anatomy	5
CHEM 115	Fundamentals of Chemistry	4
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3
ES 014ABC	Body Building	1.5
ES 250	Introduction to Kinesiology	3
ES 255	Care and Prevention of Athletic Injuries	3
HED 158	Nutrition for Fitness and Sports	3
<b>or</b>		
HED 255*	Science of Nutrition	3
PSY 120	Introductory Psychology	3
SOC 120	Introductory Sociology	3
		32.5

**Select one of the following:**

BIO 215	Statistics for Life Sciences	3
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
PSY 215	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	3
		3-4

**Select two of the following (fulfills the activity requirement for the associate degree):**

ES 001	Adapted Physical Exercise	1
ES 009ABC	Aerobic Dance Exercise	1
ES 019ABC	Physical Fitness	1.5
ES 060ABC	Badminton	1
ES 076ABC	Tennis	1
ES 125ABC	Golf	1-1.5
ES 155ABC	Basketball	1
ES 170ABC	Soccer	1
ES 171ABC	Softball	1
ES 175ABC	Volleyball	1
		2-3

Total Required 37.5-39.5  
Plus General Education Requirements

\*Students planning to transfer to SDSU must take HED 255.

**CERTIFICATE OF SPECIALIZATION:****RECREATIONAL LEADERSHIP–SCHOOL-BASED PROGRAMS**

This certificate offers specific training for entry-level positions or for advancement in child care and outdoor programs for children and families. It is designed to demonstrate an area of expertise that may be used to attain employment in areas of school-based recreation and fitness programs.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Describe and/or demonstrate an hour of cooperative activity for children.
- Describe how principles learned in class may be applied to improve cardiovascular endurance, muscle strength, muscle endurance, and flexibility and body composition, (the five basic components of fitness) in children using walking as a primary conditioning activity.
- Investigate and list causes and risk factor associated with childhood obesity.
- Describe and prepare appropriate snacks for children.
- Demonstrate appropriate classroom organizational and management techniques.
- Demonstrate the ability to plan school-based recreational programs which deliberately intend to advance, stimulate or otherwise enhance children's physical, emotional and social development in ways which are appropriate to their developmental level.
- Describe tested and proven teaching approaches to analyze and enhance movement competencies.

**Career Opportunities**

Students may find positions in an elementary or middle school, YMCA, recreation center, day or residential camp, or after school day care program. This is a great "stepping-stone" training for those who want to major in exercise science, recreation, elementary education or child development. Provides students with the expertise to enter the entry-level job market with knowledge of sound principles of fitness and developmentally appropriate recreation.

Students who complete the requirements below and hold a current First Aid/CPR certification qualify for a Certificate in Recreational Leadership–School-Based Programs. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CD 125	Child Growth and Development	3
CD 134	Health, Safety and Nutrition of Young Children	3
ES 253	Physical Education in Elementary Schools	3
ES 270	Cooperative Games	1
ES 271	Fitness Walking with Children	1
ES 272	Issues in Childhood Obesity	1
ES 273	Field Experience in School-Based Recreational Leadership	1
Total Required		13

**GENERAL STUDIES**

The Associate Degree in General Studies with an Area of Emphasis provides an opportunity for students to design a program of study meaningful and appropriate to their own needs and academic interests. The degree includes general education and a focused area of study. Students may choose to earn this degree for preparation for employment or for personal development.

**REQUIREMENTS**

To meet the General Studies degree requirements, a student must complete the following:

**I. AS or AA General Education Requirements (see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section)****AND****II. Areas of Emphasis**

Choose a minimum of 18 units from one Area of Emphasis:

- Business and Technology
- Communication and Language Arts
- Humanities and Fine Arts
- Lifelong Health, Well-Being and Self-Development
- Science and Mathematics
- Social and Behavioral Sciences

**A. Business and Technology**

The Associate in Science in General Studies with an Emphasis in Business and Technology will be awarded to students upon completion of general education degree requirements and 18 units in this area. These courses emphasize the study of business transaction theory and practice, the operations and strategies of business decisions, legal concepts, and the place of business in the American and global economy as a whole. Students will apply mathematical and quantitative reasoning skills to the discipline's methodologies, as well as evaluate and interpret basic economic principles and theories related

to performance and specific economic sectors. Students must take a minimum of three units from each area. The remaining units may be taken from any area.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Contribute to an effective and ethical organization.
- Use information technology to support effective decision making in the business organization.
- Analyze markets, economic environments and associated trends at the macro and micro levels.
- Express and apply quantitative information in order to make sound decisions and solve problems in the business environment.

**Business**

BUS 109, 110, 111, 115, 120, 121, 122, 124, 125, 128, 129, 150, 155, 156, 159ABCD, 162, 176, 195, 240, 242

**Computer and Information Science**

CIS 105, 110, 120, 121, 125, 140, 161, 162, 190, 191, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 211, 212, 213, 215, 216, 219, 240, 242, 261, 262, 263, 290, 291

**Economics**

ECON 110, 120, 121

**Mathematics**

MATH 160, 178, 180

**B. Communication and Language Arts**

The Associate in Arts in General Studies with an Emphasis in Communication and Language Arts will be awarded to students upon completion of general education degree requirements and 18 units in this area. These courses emphasize the study of how language works to express human ideas and feelings. Students will explore and analyze written and verbal communication methods, as well as develop and advance their oral and written communication skills. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Communication and six units in Language Arts. The remaining six units may be taken from either category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate the ability to write effectively.
- Demonstrate the ability to locate relevant, reliable information and read it effectively.
- Organize thoughts and ideas in both oral and written format.
- Communicate effectively with diverse audiences.

**Communication**

BUS 128  
COMM 110, 120, 122, 123, 124, 130, 135, 136, 137, 145

**Language Arts**

ARAM 120, 121, 220, 221  
ARBC 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251  
ASL 120, 121, 220, 221  
BUS 128  
ENGL 122, 124, 126, 201, 202, 207, 214, 217, 221, 222, 231, 232, 270, 271, 275, 276, 277  
FREN 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251  
ITAL 120, 121, 220  
LIR 110  
NAKY 120, 121, 220  
SPAN 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251

**C. Humanities and Fine Arts**

The Associate in Arts in General Studies with an Emphasis in Humanities and Fine Arts will be awarded to students upon completion of general education degree requirements and 18 units in this area. These courses emphasize the study of cultural, humanistic activities and artistic expression of human beings. Students will evaluate and interpret the ways in which people through the ages in different cultures have responded to themselves and the world around them through artistic and cultural creation. Students will develop an aesthetic awareness and incorporate these concepts when constructing value judgments. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Humanities and six units in Fine Arts. The remaining six units may be taken from either category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Analyze the principle elements of representative examples of art, architecture, literature, theater, philosophy, music, dance, film, or other relevant areas of cultural and/or intellectual creativity.
- Demonstrate an awareness of the historical and philosophical contexts of representative areas, movements, media, works, or styles of cultural and/or intellectual creativity.
- Employ the language, concepts and methods of interpretive criticism as applicable to the respective categories of human creativity.
- When applicable, apply artistic processes and skills as a creative expression, using a variety of media to communicate meaning and intent in original works of art.

**Humanities**

ARAM 120, 121, 220  
 ARBC 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251  
 ASL 120, 121, 140, 220, 221  
 ENGL 122, 201, 202, 207, 214, 217, 221, 222, 231, 232, 270, 271, 275, 276, 277  
 FREN 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251  
 HIST 100, 101, 105, 106  
 HUM 110, 115, 120, 140, 155  
 ITAL 120, 121, 220  
 NAKY 120, 121, 220  
 PHIL 110, 115, 117  
 RELG 120, 130, 210, 215  
 SPAN 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251

**Fine Arts**

ART 100, 120, 121, 124, 125, 129, 135, 140, 141, 143, 144, 145, 148, 220, 221, 222, 224, 225, 230, 231, 232, 233, 235, 236  
 MUS 110, 111, 114, 115, 116, 117  
 THTR 110, 120, 121

**D. Lifelong Health, Well-Being and Self-Development**

The Associate in Arts in General Studies with an Emphasis in Lifelong Health, Well-Being and Self-Development will be awarded to students upon completion of general education degree requirements and 18 units in this area. These courses focus on the improvement of health and well-being and are designed to provide knowledge and tools of how to obtain optimal physical, psychological and emotional health and well-being throughout the lifespan. Potential entry-level positions of employment that students will be prepared for upon completion include those in recreation, education, and health fields. Students must take a minimum of three units in Health, three units in Exercise Science, three units in Nutrition, and three units in Self-Development. The remaining six units may be taken from any category. A maximum of one course may be

earned from any combination of ES 206, 209, 213, 218, 224, 227, 230 and 249.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate an understanding of optimal health and fitness in daily life through informed decision-making.
- Describe basic principles of nutrition.
- Value the importance of physical activity through the lifespan.

**Health**

BIO 115  
 HED 105, 120, 201, 202, 203, 251

**Exercise Science**

ES 206, 209, 213, 218, 224, 227, 230, 248, 249, 250, 253, 254, 254L, 255, 270, 271, 272, 273

**Nutrition**

HED 155, 158, 255

**Self-Development**

COUN 110, 120, 130, 140, 150

**E. Science and Mathematics**

The Associate in Science in General Studies with an Emphasis in Science and Mathematics will be awarded to students upon completion of general education degree requirements and 18 units in this area. These courses emphasize the study of mathematical and quantitative reasoning skills and apply the facts and principles that form the foundations of living and non-living systems. Students will recognize and utilize the methodologies of science as investigative tools, as well as the limitations of science. Students will use mathematical skills to solve numerical problems encountered in daily life, and more advanced skills for applications in the physical and life sciences. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Science and six units in Mathematics (limitation of one statistics course). The remaining six units may be taken from any category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Use algebraic methods to solve problems.
- Interpret basic mathematical models and draw inferences from them.
- Represent mathematical information symbolically, visually, numerically and verbally.
- Use the scientific method of inquiry and techniques to answer questions about physical and biological processes.
- Analyze basic concepts of physical and biological science to evaluate scientific information and solve scientific problems.

**Science**

ANTH 130  
 ASTR 110, 112  
 BIO 112, 115, 122, 124, 130, 131, 133, 140, 141, 141L, 152, 230, 240, 251  
 CHEM 102, 105, 113, 115, 116, 120, 141, 142, 230, 231, 240, 251  
 ET 110  
 GEOG 120, 121  
 GEOL 104, 110, 111  
 OCEA 112, 113  
 PHYC 110, 130, 131, 190, 200, 210

**Mathematics**

BIO 215  
 MATH 160, 170, 175, 176, 178, 180, 245, 280, 281, 284, 285  
 PSY 215

**CADD and Engineering**

CADD 115, 120, 125, 129, 131  
 ENGR 100, 119, 120, 125, 129, 131, 175, 176, 218, 270

**Computer Science**

CS 119, 119L, 180, 181, 182, 280, 281, 282

**F. Social and Behavioral Sciences**

The Associate in Arts in General Studies with an Emphasis in Social and Behavioral Sciences will be awarded to students upon completion of general education degree requirements and 18 units in this area. These courses emphasize the study and understanding of human behavior. Students will evaluate and interpret human societies; the institutions, organizations and groups that form them; the ways in which individuals and groups relate to one another; and various approaches and methodologies of the disciplines. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Social Science and six units in Behavioral Science. The remaining six units may be taken from either category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Describe general principles of the political institutions and government of the United States.
- Demonstrate an understanding and appreciation of social, political, and economic institutions within a historical perspective.
- Evaluate the ways people act and interact in cultures, societies and social subgroups.
- Assess how social issues are influenced by geographical and historical processes.
- Apply knowledge of social and behavioral sciences theories and scientific methods in an assessment of real-world problems.

**Social Science**

ANTH 120  
 ARBC 145  
 CD 145  
 ECON 110, 120, 121  
 GEOG 106, 122, 130, 132  
 HIST 100, 101, 105, 106, 108, 109, 118, 119, 122, 123, 124, 130, 131, 132, 180, 181, 271, 275, 276, 277  
 POSC 120, 121, 124, 130, 140  
 SOC 120, 125, 130  
 SPAN 145

**Behavioral Science**

CD 115, 125, 131  
 COMM 110, 124  
 HED 201, 203, 251  
 PSY 120, 125, 134, 138, 140, 150, 170, 220

**GRAPHIC DESIGN**

Students in this degree program develop entry level skills in design aesthetics, typography, illustration, digital imaging, page layout, web design and professional business practices. The course work provides training with state of the art computer hardware and software used in the graphic design profession. Students develop a professional portfolio for job interviews. *Designed for a two-year degree or certificate only. Students interested in pursuing a bachelor's degree should refer to the Art-Graphic Design degree; please consult the catalog of the transfer institution for specific requirements.*

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Analyze the historical and cultural context of graphic design.
- Apply the principles of design and use the design process to create graphic works.

- Evaluate the aesthetic qualities and criticize works of graphic design.
- Integrate typography as part of design communication.
- Apply business methods, procedures, ethics, and connections to industry.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Advertising Director
- \* Art Director
  - Cartoonist
  - Desktop Publisher
  - Display Designer
  - Graphic Designer
  - Illustrator
- \* Marketing Director
  - Multimedia Designer
  - Package Designer
  - Technical Illustrator
  - Web Page Designer

\* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Course Equivalencies:**

The following Cuyamaca and Grossmont College courses are considered similar enough to be treated as equivalent. Modification of Major forms are not required.

	<i>Similar</i>		<i>Grossmont</i>
		<i>Course</i>	
Cuyamaca			
GD 105	ART 171		
GD 222	CSIS 137		

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Units</i>
ART 124	Drawing I	3
CIS 211	Web Development I	3
GD 105	Fundamentals of Digital Media	3
GD 110	Graphic Design Principles	3
GD 125	Typography	3
GD 126	Photoshop Digital Imaging	3
GD 129	Page Layout	3
GD 130	Professional Business Practices	3
GD 225	Digital Illustration	3
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**Select three of the following:**

ART 230	Figure Drawing I	3
GD 210	Professional Digital Photography I	3
GD 211	Professional Digital Photography II	3
GD 217	Web Graphics	3
GD 222	Web Animation	3
GD 223	Advanced Web Animation	3
GD 230	Graphic Design Work Experience	1-4
		7-10
	Total Required	34-37
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Graphic Design. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**CERTIFICATES OF SPECIALIZATION:**

These certificates offer specific training either for entry-level positions or to augment related programs such as Web Development or Graphic Design. They are designed to demonstrate a relatively narrow expertise or skill area that may be used to attain a graphic design "niche" job.

Students who complete the requirements below qualify for a certificate in that area of emphasis. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**I. DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Create photographic images applying the principles of design.
- Evaluate the aesthetic qualities and criticize works of photography.
- Demonstrate the use of digital cameras and scanners.

**Certificate Requirements:**

<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Units</i>
GD 110	Graphic Design Principles	3
GD 126	Photoshop Digital Imaging	3
GD 130	Professional Business Practices	3
GD 210	Professional Digital Photography I	3
GD 211	Professional Digital Photography II	3
	Total Required	15

**II. WEB GRAPHICS**

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Create graphic images in the proper formats for use on the web.
- Develop web pages using proper typographic treatment and navigational devices.

**Certificate Requirements:**

<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Units</i>
CIS 211	Web Development I	3
GD 110	Graphic Design Principles	3
GD 210	Professional Digital Photography I	3
GD 217	Web Graphics	3
GD 222	Web Animation	3
	Total Required	15

**HISTORY**



Associate Degree for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

**I. HISTORY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)**

This degree program is useful for students preparing for careers in teaching, the law, government service, and research. Completion of the degree represents fulfillment of the department mission to instill an understanding of and reverence for the past so students better appreciate their own place in the global society. Through a wide range of course offerings, the department establishes a detailed knowledge of the variety of human experiences across time. The department emphasizes reading, writing, oral presentation, primary source analysis, and research techniques to build critical thinking and life-long learning skills that benefit students in their collegiate, professional, and personal lives.

The following is required for the AA-T in History for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.

5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Recognize theories of historical interpretation.
- Describe historical and philosophical underpinnings of government systems and ideologies.
- Demonstrate how literature and the arts help us understand the past.
- Define historical periods and transitions.
- Distinguish between primary and secondary sources.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements**

**Core Curriculum:**

<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Units</i>
HIST 108	Early American History	3
HIST 109	Modern American History	3
		6

**List A: Select six units:**

HIST 100	Early World History	3
	<b>or</b>	
HIST 105	Early Western Civilization	3
HIST 101	Modern World History	3
	<b>or</b>	
HIST 106	Modern Western Civilization	3
		6

**List B: Select one course from each group:**

**Group 1: Select one of the following diversity courses:**

- ARBC 145
- HIST 118, 119, 130, 131, 132, 133, 180, 181, or HIST 100 or 101 if not selected above
- MUS 116
- RELG 120, 130
- SPAN 141, 145
- Or a world language course that fulfills CSU GE Area C2

**Group 2: Select one course related to history:**

- ANTH 120
- ART 100, 140, 141, 143, 144, 145
- ENGL 122, 201, 202, 207, 214, 221, 222, 231, 232
- HIST 122, 123, 124, or any history course not selected above
- HUM 110, 120, 140, 155
- MUS 110, 111, 114, 115, 117
- PHIL 160, 170
- POSC 120, 121, 124, 130, 140
- RELG 210, 215
- THTR 110

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	6-8
Total Units for Major (18 units may be double-counted with GE)	18-20
Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC CSU	37-39
Total Transferable Elective Units	3-5
Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into History B.A.



**II. HISTORY**

This major prepares students for transfer to four-year institutions for continued study in the field of history. The degree program fulfills the lower division requirements for most majors in the history department at San Diego State University and is typical of requirements at other four-year schools. For special requirements, transfer students should consult the catalog of the college or university of their choice. History classes provide useful background for students in such fields as history, education, political science and law.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Recognize theories of historical interpretation.
- Describe historical and philosophical underpinnings of government systems and ideologies.
- Demonstrate how literature and the arts help us understand the past.
- Define historical periods and transitions.
- Distinguish between primary and secondary sources.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Anthropologist
- \* Archaeologist
- Attorney
- \* Cartographer
- \* College History Professor
- \* Historian
- \* Intelligence Analyst
- \* Journalist
- Legislative Assistant
- Politician
- \* Research Historian
- \* Secondary School Teacher
- Travel Advisor
- Technical Writer
- \* Textbook Writer/Editor
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**  
**Select twelve units from any two of the following sequences:**

Course	Title	Units
HIST 100	Early World History	6
HIST 101	Modern World History	
HIST 105	Early Western Civilization	6
HIST 106	Modern Western Civilization	
HIST 108	Early American History	6
HIST 109	Modern American History	
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**Select six units from the following:**

HIST 118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I	3
HIST 119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives II	3
HIST 122	Women in Early American History	3
HIST 123	Women in Modern American History	3
HIST 124	History of California	3
HIST 180	U.S. History: Black Perspectives I	3
HIST 181	U.S. History: Black Perspectives II	3
HIST 210	Women in Western Civilization	3
		6
Total Required		18
Plus General Education Requirements		

**Recommended Electives:** ART 140, 141; ENGL 221, 222, 231, 232; GEOG 130; POSC 121, 124, 140; RELG 120, 130

## INTERSEGMENTAL GENERAL EDUCATION TRANSFER CURRICULUM (CSU OR UC)

**Certificate of Achievement**

The Certificate of Achievement in Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) may be awarded upon completion of the IGETC requirements (see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section). Students must complete a minimum of 39 units, which are distributed among six areas. IGETC requirements are designed to be taken with a major area of concentration and elective courses in preparation for transfer to the California State University or the University of California.

Courses completed at California Community Colleges and participating institutions will be certified based on approval at the original campus. Courses taken at other colleges and universities; i.e. out-of-state, private, may be used in the certification under certain conditions. Although this certificate recognizes the completion of lower division general education requirements for IGETC, it does not guarantee admission to a four-year institution. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Exhibit proficiency in written communication in English.
- Exhibit proficiency in oral communication in English (IGETC-CSU).
- Analyze, criticize and advocate ideas and reach well-supported conclusions.
- Show skills and understanding beyond the level of intermediate algebra, and apply mathematical concepts to solve problems.
- Analyze and appreciate works of philosophical, historical, literary, aesthetic and cultural importance.
- Reveal an historical understanding of major civilizations and cultures, both Western and non-Western.
- Recognize the contributions to knowledge, civilization, and society that have been made by various ethnic or cultural groups.
- Evaluate the basic concepts of physical and biological sciences.
- Use the scientific method of inquiry and techniques to answer questions about physical and biological processes.
- Demonstrate proficiency in a language other than English equal to two years of high school study (IGETC-UC).



Associate Degree  
for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

## KINESIOLOGY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)

The Associate in Arts in Kinesiology for Transfer degree is designed to prepare students for transfer to a California State University (CSU) by fulfilling lower-division requirements for the disciplines of Kinesiology, Exercise Science and Physical Education. This major provides preparation for careers in physical therapy, coaching, personal training, and other allied health professions by including classes oriented toward fitness, wellness, and health promotion throughout the lifespan.

The following is required for the AA-T in Kinesiology for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- List and define the five basic components of physical fitness.
- Describe the concepts of frequency, intensity, and time and how they relate to personal fitness goals.
- Outline a basic strategy for achieving fitness through the lifespan.
- List options within the community for continued lifelong physical activity.
- List benefits of daily physical activity.
- Demonstrate competence in acquiring sound nutritional information.
- Demonstrate improvement in sport skills.
- Outline appropriate goals and activities for increasing the fitness of children.
- Describe appropriate preventive measures as well as treatments for various sport injuries.
- List and describe opportunities for employment in the field.
- Describe their field of interest and a course of instruction that will meet their professional needs.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:****Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
BIO 140	Human Anatomy	5
BIO 141	Human Physiology	3
BIO 141L	Laboratory in Human Physiology	1
ES 250	Introduction to Kinesiology	3

Movement Based Courses: Select one course from three different areas for a minimum of three units:

**Combatives:**

ES 180	Self Defense for Women	1
ES 181ABCD	Karate I-IV	1.5

**Fitness:**

ES 009ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Aerobic Dance Exercise	1
ES 014ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Body Building	1.5
ES 019ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Physical Fitness	1.5

**Individual Sports:**

ES 060ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Badminton	1
ES 076ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Tennis	1
ES 125A	Beginning Golf	1
ES 125BC	Intermediate, Advanced Golf	1.5

**Team Sports:**

ES 155ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Basketball	1
ES 170ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Soccer	1
ES 171ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Softball	1
ES 175ABC	Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced Volleyball	1
		15-16.5

**List A:**

CHEM 102	Introduction to General, Organic and Biological Chemistry	5
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
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Total Units for Major (10-11.5 units may be double-counted with GE)	24-25.5
Total Units for CSU GE or IGETC-CSU	37-39
Total Transferable Elective Units	5.5-9
Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Exercise Science Generalist.

## KUMEYAAY STUDIES

**Certificate of Specialization**

Students who complete the requirements below qualify for a Certificate in Kumeyaay Studies. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Communicate in the Kumeyaay language at a basic level in a variety of settings.
- Acquire an understanding of Kumeyaay heritage, history, society and traditions.
- Gain sensitivity, globalism and cultural competence of a unique peoples.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
GEOG 132	Cultural Ethnobotany	3
HIST 132	Kumeyaay History I: Precontact-1900	3
NAKY 120	Kumeyaay I	5
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**Select one of the following:**

BIO 133	Ethnoecology	3
HIST 133	Kumeyaay History II: 1900-Present	3
HUM 116	Kumeyaay Arts and Culture	3
NAKY 121	Kumeyaay II	5
NAKY 220	Kumeyaay III	5
		3-5

Total Required 14-16

## MANAGEMENT

This degree program is designed to provide students with the skills necessary to be successful as a manager in today's demanding organizational climate. The curriculum is beneficial to men or women who aspire to mid-level or higher management positions in any type of organization including business, government and service organizations.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify the differences in leadership and management theories and how they can facilitate the overall effectiveness of domestic and multinational business operations.
- Evaluate the importance of human capital and how it can be used for tactical and strategic initiatives.
- Identify the skills needed and used to assess business-related problems from a subordinate and managerial perspective.
- Explain the different functions of ethical and socially responsible business practices.
- Differentiate between the various functions of groups and teams and how they interact from a cross-functional approach.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Bank Officer
- Claim Adjuster
- † Computer Operations Supervisor
- \* Director, Research and Development
- Employment Interviewer
- Financial Planner
- \* Hospital Administrator
- Import-Export Agent
- Management Trainee
- † Management Consultant
- Office Manager
- Stock Broker
- \* Teacher, College
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required
- † Bachelor Degree normally recommended

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BUS 115	Human Relations in Business	3
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
BUS 155	Human Resources Management	3
BUS 156	Principles of Management	3
COMM 122	Public Speaking	3
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**Select two of the following:**

BOT 123-125	Comprehensive Excel Levels I-III	3
BUS 176	Computerized Accounting Applications	2
CIS 105	Introduction to Computing	3
CIS 110	Principles of Information Systems	4
		5-7

**Select one of the following:**

BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 121	Managerial Accounting	4
BUS 159ABCD	Management Internship	3
BUS 195	Personal Finance	3
ECON 120	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
		3-4

Total Required 30-33  
Plus General Education Requirements

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Management. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

## MATHEMATICS



Associate Degree  
for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

**I. MATHEMATICS FOR TRANSFER (AS-T)**

This program is designed to prepare students for transfer to a California State University (CSU) with the intent of earning a B.S. degree in Mathematics. Since jobs requiring mathematical skills such as data analysis, problem solving, pattern recognition, statistics, and probability are in high demand, the mathematics major may benefit both educationally and economically from developing and pursuing an interest in mathematics. Mathematical skills and statistical methods are employed regularly by researchers testing hypotheses, by workers applying quality control in manufacturing, and by informed citizens who must evaluate information from the media in tabular, graphical, and report form in order to reach solutions. This major offers a foundation in these necessary skills. The emphasis is to prepare students for transfer to a four-year institution and/or for career preparation in a vocational or professional field.

The following is required for the AS-T in Mathematics for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Apply mathematical reasoning and problem solving strategies to analyze, interpret, and model applications from degree and transfer-level courses and programs in math, science, engineering, business, and technology.
- Select and apply appropriate definitions, postulates, and theorems to prove mathematical statements.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

**Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
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**List A: Select one of the following:**

MATH 284	Linear Algebra	3
MATH 285	Differential Equations	3
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**List B: Select one of the following:**

CS 181	Intro to C++ Programming	4
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
MATH 245	Discrete Mathematics	3
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
Any course from List A not selected above		3
		<hr/> 3-5

Total Units for Major (3-6 units may be double-counted with GE)	19-21
Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU	37-39
Total Transferable Elective Units	3-5
Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Mathematics (Science Emphasis) B.S.

**II. MATHEMATICS**

Since jobs requiring mathematical skills such as data analysis, problem solving, pattern recognition, statistics, and probability are in high demand, the mathematics major may benefit both educationally and economically from developing and pursuing an interest in mathematics. Mathematical skills and statistical methods are employed regularly by researchers testing hypotheses, by workers applying quality control in manufacturing, and by informed citizens who must evaluate information from the media in tabular, graphical, and report form in order to reach solutions. This major offers a foundation in these necessary skills. The emphasis is to prepare students for transfer to a four-year institution and/or for career preparation in a vocational or professional field.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Apply mathematical reasoning and problem solving strategies to analyze, interpret, and model applications from degree and transfer-level courses and programs in math, science, engineering, business, and technology.
- Select and apply appropriate definitions, postulates, and theorems to prove mathematical statements.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Accountant
- \* Actuary
- Air Traffic Controller
- \* Auditor
- † Bank Officer
- \* Budget Analyst
- Computer Operator
- \* Computer Programmer
- † Cost Estimator
- † Credit and Collection Manager
- Data Processing Manager
- \* Economist
- \* Engineer
- \* Financial Planner
- Insurance Agent/Broker
- Insurance Claim Examiner
- Laboratory Examiner
- Loan Officer

- \* Market Research Analyst
- \* Mathematician
- \* Mathematics Teacher
- \* Securities Trader
- Semiconductor Technician
- \* Statistician
- Surveyor
- \* Systems Analyst
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required
- † Bachelor Degree normally recommended

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
MATH 284	Linear Algebra	3
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**Select one of the following:**

MATH 245	Discrete Math	3
MATH 285	Differential Equations	3
		<hr/> 3

**Select one of the following:**

ENGR 120	Engineering Computer Applications	3
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
PHYC 210	Wave Motion and Modern Physics	5
		<hr/> 3-5

Total Required 22-24  
Plus General Education Requirements

**Recommended Electives:** Students planning to transfer to four-year institutions to complete a bachelor's degree in Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, or Statistics should select an emphasis in an applied discipline such as accounting, chemistry, computer science, economics, engineering, or physics. In particular, transfer students are strongly urged to elect the following physics courses: PHYC 190, 200, 210. Students preparing for a vocational or professional career are strongly encouraged to select an emphasis in a vocational/professional discipline such as business, computer and information science, CADD technology, electronics technology, or environmental health and safety management.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Mathematics. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**MUSIC**



**Associate Degree for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>**

**I. MUSIC FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)**

The AA-T in Music for Transfer is designed to prepare students to transfer to a California State University (CSU) with the intent of earning a B.A. in music. Students who earn this degree will have the fundamental knowledge and skills necessary to succeed in a music degree at the baccalaureate level. The curriculum combines music theory, applied studies, and performance at the lower division level.

The following is required for the AA-T in Music for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC-CSU); see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Analyze a musical score to determine its key, harmonic structure, musical style, and form.
- Identify musical elements in performances and relate them to their cultural and historical contexts.
- Use either the voice or a musical instrument to perform an intermediate level work with reliable technique and appropriate stylistic interpretation.
- Perform musical works in a large vocal or instrumental ensemble.
- Demonstrate proficiency on either a musical instrument or with the voice.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
MUS 105	Music Theory and Practice I	4
MUS 106	Music Theory and Practice II	4
MUS 205	Music Theory and Practice III	4
MUS 206	Music Theory and Practice IV	4
MUS 190	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 191	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 290	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 291	Performance Studies	.5

**Choose four units from the following large ensemble courses:**

MUS 112	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 113	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 214	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 215	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 152	Concert Band	1
MUS 153	Concert Band	1
MUS 252	Concert Band	1
MUS 253	Concert Band	1
MUS 158	Chorus	1
MUS 159	Chorus	1
MUS 258	Chorus	1
MUS 259	Chorus	1
	Total Units for Major	<hr/> 22
	Total Units for IGETC-CSU	37
	Total Transferable Elective Units	1
	Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Music B.A.

**II. MUSIC EDUCATION**

This degree program offers lower division preparation for students who want to pursue a bachelor's degree in music education and a California teaching credential in music. The primary emphasis is to prepare students for transfer to four-year music education programs.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Analyze a musical score to determine its key, harmonic structure, musical style, and form.
- Use the piano keyboard to demonstrate musical concepts and play intermediate level compositions.

- Use a digital audio workstation to record and edit digital audio files and notate musical ideas.
- Identify musical elements in performances and relate them to their cultural and historical contexts.
- Describe the typical duties of a secondary school music teacher.
- Use either the voice or a musical instrument to perform an intermediate level work with reliable technique and appropriate stylistic interpretation.
- Perform musical works in a large vocal or instrumental ensemble.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Arranger
- \* Choral Director
- \* Composer
- \* Conductor
- \* Copyist
- \* Critic
- Instrumentalist
- \* Music Instructor/Professor
- \* Music Librarian
- \* Music Therapist
- Music Typographer
- Performer, Vocalist
- Radio Programmer
- Recording Company Representative
- \* Teacher

\* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
MUS 105	Music Theory and Practice I	4
MUS 106	Music Theory and Practice II	4
MUS 110	Great Music Listening	3
MUS 116	Introduction to World Music	3
MUS 119	Cooperative Work Experience in Music Education	1
MUS 120	Introduction to Music Technology	3
MUS 126	Class Guitar I	2
MUS 132	Class Piano I	3
MUS 133	Class Piano II	3
MUS 170	Class Voice	2
MUS 190	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 191	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 232	Class Piano III	3
MUS 233	Class Piano IV	3
MUS 290	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 291	Performance Studies	.5
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**Select four of the following:**

MUS 108	Rock, Pop and Soul Ensemble	1
MUS 109	Rock, Pop and Soul Ensemble	1
MUS 112	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 113	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 136	Chamber Singers	1
MUS 137	Chamber Singers	1
MUS 152	Concert Band	1
MUS 153	Concert Band	1
MUS 156	Jazz Ensemble	1
MUS 157	Jazz Ensemble	1
MUS 158	Chorus	1
MUS 159	Chorus	1
MUS 208	Rock, Pop and Soul Ensemble	1
MUS 209	Rock, Pop and Soul Ensemble	1
MUS 214	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 215	Chamber Orchestra	1
MUS 236	Chamber Singers	1
MUS 237	Chamber Singers	1
MUS 252	Concert Band	1
MUS 253	Concert Band	1
MUS 256	Jazz Ensemble	1
MUS 257	Jazz Ensemble	1
MUS 258	Chorus	1
MUS 259	Chorus	1
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		4
Total Required		40
Plus General Education Requirements		

**III. MUSIC INDUSTRY STUDIES**

This degree program provides lower division preparation for students wishing to transfer to a four-year program in Music Industry Studies. The curriculum combines training in music theory, literature and performance with studies in music technology and business. Transfer students should select the CSU GE Breadth or the IGETC transfer pattern (see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section).

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Analyze a musical score to determine its key, harmonic structure, musical style, and form.
- Use the piano keyboard to demonstrate musical concepts and play beginning level compositions.
- Use a digital audio workstation to record and edit digital audio files and notate musical ideas.
- Identify musical elements in performances and relate them to their cultural and historical contexts.
- Describe the structure, components, and various career paths of the music industry.
- Demonstrate proficiency on either a musical instrument or with the voice.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Advertising Jingle Writer
- \* Arranger
- \* Artist and Repertoire Manager
- Artist Representative
- \* Arts Administrator
- \* Attorney specializing in Performing Arts
- \* Composer
- \* Concert Producer
- Copyist
- Instrumentalist
- Musical Instrument Manufacturer Representative
- \* Music Publisher
- Music Retail Manager
- \* Professional Songwriter
- Publicist
- Radio Programmer
- \* Record Company representative
- \* Record Producer
- \* Recording Studio Engineer
- \* Teacher
- Video Game Composer
- Vocalist

\* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Art Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
MUS 104	Introduction to the Music Industry	3
MUS 105	Music Theory and Practice I	4
MUS 106	Music Theory and Practice II	4
MUS 120	Introduction to Music Technology	3
MUS 121	Music Industry Seminar	1
MUS 122	Music Industry Seminar	1
MUS 132	Class Piano I	3
MUS 133	Class Piano II	3
MUS 161	Cooperative Work Experience in Music Industry	1
MUS 221	Music Industry Seminar	1
MUS 222	Music Industry Seminar	1
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**Select two of the following:**

MUS 110	Great Music Listening	3
MUS 111	History of Jazz	3
MUS 114	Music in the United States	3
MUS 115	History of Rock Music	3
MUS 116	Introduction to World Music	3
MUS 117	Introduction to Music History and Literature	3
MUS 184	Digital Audio Recording and Production	3
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**Select one of the following:**

BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
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**Select four of the following:**

MUS 108	Rock, Pop and Soul Ensemble	1
MUS 109	Rock, Pop and Soul Ensemble	1
MUS 130A	World Music Ensemble: African Percussion	1
MUS 130B	World Music Ensemble: Sundanese Gamelan	1
MUS 130C	World Music Ensemble: Latin American Music	1
MUS 131A	World Music Ensemble: African Percussion	1
MUS 131B	World Music Ensemble: Sundanese Gamelan	1
MUS 131C	World Music Ensemble: Latin American Music	1
MUS 136	Chamber Singers	1
MUS 137	Chamber Singers	1
MUS 152	Concert Band	1
MUS 153	Concert Band	1
MUS 156	Jazz Ensemble	.5
MUS 157	Jazz Ensemble	.5
MUS 158	Chorus	1
MUS 159	Chorus	1
MUS 190	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 191	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 208	Rock, Pop and Soul Ensemble	1
MUS 209	Rock, Pop and Soul Ensemble	1
MUS 230A	World Music Ensemble: African Percussion	1
MUS 230B	World Music Ensemble: Sundanese Gamelan	1
MUS 230C	World Music Ensemble: Latin American Music	1
MUS 231A	World Music Ensemble: African Percussion	1
MUS 231B	World Music Ensemble: Sundanese Gamelan	1
MUS 231C	World Music Ensemble: Latin American Music	1
MUS 236	Chamber Singers	1
MUS 237	Chamber Singers	1
MUS 252	Concert Band	1
MUS 253	Concert Band	1
MUS 256	Jazz Ensemble	1
MUS 257	Jazz Ensemble	1
MUS 258	Chorus	1
MUS 259	Chorus	1
MUS 290	Performance Studies	.5
MUS 291	Performance Studies	.5
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Total Required		36-39
Plus General Education Requirements		

**ORNAMENTAL HORTICULTURE**

This degree program provides students with entry level skills, upgrading of existing skills, and preparation for further training. It is designed for those interested in careers in nursery and greenhouse management, landscape design and construction, grounds management, retail nursery operations, irrigation system design, installation and maintenance of interior plantscaping, arboriculture and other related fields. Students will learn modern horticultural methods and procedures as well as the use of tools and equipment common to the field.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- †Agricultural Inspector
- \*Agricultural Researcher
- †Arboretum/Park Director
- Arboriculture Technician
- Botanical Illustrator

- †County/State Agricultural Advisor
- \*Environmental Designer
- Floral Designer
- Flower Shop Manager
- Golf Course Superintendent
- Golf Course Worker
- Greenhouse Manager
- Grounds Maintenance Manager
- Grower/Production Manager
- †Horticultural Journalist
- Irrigation Consultant
- †Landscape Architect
- Landscape Contractor
- Landscape Designer
- Landscape Technician
- Nursery/Garden Center Manager
- †Park Planner/Manager
- Plant Breeder/Propagator
- Sports Field Manager
- Turf Manager
- Urban Forester
- Water Auditor
- †Water Conservationist
- \*Bachelor Degree or higher required.
- †Bachelor Degree normally recommended.

**I. ARBORICULTURE**

This major encompasses urban forestry, professional tree care, and tree trimming. Students will learn care and pruning of landscape trees, palms and related plants as well as common fruit trees. Course work includes skill development in tree climbing and pruning techniques, basic tree maintenance, and principles of urban forestry. Graduates are employed by private tree care companies, public agencies, landscape contractors, wholesale and retail nurseries, or may be self-employed.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Describe proper and safe principles and practices of tree climbing.
- Describe the principles of tree biology and physiology for growth management.
- Demonstrate proper tree pruning procedures per industry standards.
- Identify common biotic and abiotic problems for trees common to Southern California landscapes and list appropriate control measures.
- Conduct a visual tree assessment for tree risk or value appraisal.
- Draft a tree preservation plan for a construction site.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 130	Plant Pest Control	3
OH 140	Soils	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 260	Arboriculture	3
OH 290*	Cooperative Work Experience Education	3
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**Select two of the following:**

OH 263	Urban Forestry	1
OH 264	Safe Work Practices in Tree Climbing and Arboriculture	1
OH 266	Science in Practice for Arboriculture	1
		3

**Select one of the following:**

BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 111	Entrepreneurship: Starting and Developing a Business	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
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**Select nine units from the following:**

OH 102	Xeriscape: Water Conservation in the Landscape	2
OH 172	Introduction to Landscape Design	3
OH 174	Turf and Ground Cover Management	3
OH 221	Landscape Construction: Irrigation and Carpentry	3
OH 235	Principles of Landscape Irrigation	4
OH 250	Landscape Water Management	2
OH 255	Sustainable Urban Landscapes Principles and Practices	3
OH 275	Diagnosing Horticultural Problems	1.5
OH 276	Horticultural Equipment Repair and Maintenance	3
OH 278	Business Management for Ornamental Horticulture	3
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5
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	Total Required	32
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Student must complete six units within the major at Cuyamaca College to be eligible for this course.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Arboriculture. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**II. FLORAL DESIGN**

This degree program is designed for those individuals seeking careers in the floral industry, or for those seeking to upgrade their existing skills and prepare for further training. Course work is directed toward skills, concepts and practices used in the commercial floral industry with an emphasis in hands-on training. There is also an emphasis on the business skills needed to succeed as a floral industry entrepreneur.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify and explain the principles and elements of design common to the retail floral industry and utilize these guidelines in the reproduction and construction of independent floral arrangements, events and décor.
- Identify, evaluate and discuss in correct industry vocabulary fresh floral product and permanent botanical materials, hard goods, and trends in European and Asian design influence.
- Prepare an original event proposal based on site analysis for a special occasion to include an appropriate wholesale budget, estimate design recipes, fresh and hard goods product.
- Compare and contrast retail florist businesses in shop operations, workstations, sales and consultation areas, visual displays, customer relations, and typical business practices including labor relations, insurance, advertising, accounting and license requirements.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 114	Floral Design I	3
OH 116	Floral Design II	3
OH 117	Wedding Design I	3
OH 118	Special Occasion Floral Design	3
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 180	Plant Materials: Annuals and Perennials	3

OH 278	Business Management for Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 290*	Cooperative Work Experience Education	3
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**Select nine units from the following:**

ART 120	Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART 124	Drawing I	3
BUS 111	Entrepreneurship: Starting and Developing a Business	3
BUS 128	Business Communication	3
OH 121	Plant Propagation	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 240	Greenhouse Plant Production	3
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	Total Required	33
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Student must complete six units within the major at Cuyamaca College to be eligible for this course.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Floral Design. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**III. GOLF COURSE AND SPORTS TURF MANAGEMENT**

Students in this major pursue careers as golf course superintendents or sports turf managers. The program is intended for those individuals wishing to enter the field as well as those who desire to upgrade their existing skills. Students may also transfer to a four-year degree program in agronomy, turf management, or related field. Course work is designed to study environmentally sound solutions for the efficient production and management of golf and sports turf.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate and practice standardized safety procedures as they apply to golf and sports turf management.
- Identify warm and cool season turf cultivars common to Southern California.
- Identify and manage primary and secondary noxious weeds.
- Identify and manage common biotic and abiotic problems associated with turf management in Southern California.
- Demonstrate knowledge of appropriate use and maintenance of equipment common to golf and sports turf management.
- Identify 88 trees and shrubs common to Southern California.
- Identify water quality impact on turfgrass and plant material species and the relationship to soil conditions.
- Demonstrate the impact of various water sources on golf course maintenance budgets.
- Using principles of irrigation hydraulics, calculate friction loss in pipe, determine proper pipe sizing using the friction factor and velocity limit method, and determine appropriate component sizing.
- Identify and describe the proper installation of irrigation system components.
- Using standard industry practices, develop guidelines and demonstrate the ability to perform proper fertilizing, pruning, mulch application and irrigation of Southern California landscapes.
- Identify and explain labor relations, business plans, and licensure requirements for the golf and sports turf industry.
- Demonstrate the ability to install concrete, masonry and plant material.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BUS 156	Principles of Management	3
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 130	Plant Pest Control	3
OH 140	Soils	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 174	Turf and Ground Cover Management	3
OH 220	Landscape Construction: Concrete and Masonry	3
OH 235	Principles of Landscape Irrigation	4
OH 265	Golf Course and Sports Turf Management	3
OH 276	Horticultural Equipment Repair and Maintenance	3
OH 290*	Cooperative Work Experience Education	5
	Total Required	36
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Student must complete six units within the major at Cuyamaca College to be eligible for this course.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Golf Course and Sports Turf Management. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**IV. IRRIGATION TECHNOLOGY**

This specialized field focuses on the design, installation and management of landscape irrigation systems. The program is designed for entry level students, those seeking to upgrade existing skills, or those wishing to transfer to a four-year degree program at Cal Poly or other institution. The use of current design theory, installation techniques, and management programs form the heart of the curriculum. Graduates are employed by landscape architects, irrigation consultants, landscape contractors, public agencies or may be self-employed.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Explain the relationships between plants and their soil and water environment including the use of recycled water.
- Demonstrate an understanding of landscape irrigation hydraulics.
- Identify irrigation system components and demonstrate their proper installation.
- Demonstrate a basic understanding of irrigation design principles.
- Demonstrate the ability to calculate an irrigation schedule.
- Demonstrate the ability to diagnose irrigation system problems related to valves, wiring and hydraulics.
- Explain the importance of, and best practices for, water conservation in regards to water sources, water quality and regulations.
- Gain practical experience working in the landscape industry.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 102	Xeriscape: Water Conservation in the Landscape	2
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 140	Soils	3
OH 221	Landscape Construction: Irrigation and Carpentry	3
OH 235	Principles of Landscape Irrigation	4
OH 250	Landscape Water Management	2
OH 290*	Cooperative Work Experience Education	3
	Total Required	20

**Select one of the following:**

BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 111	Entrepreneurship: Starting and Developing a Business	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
		3

**Select nine units from the following:**

OH 130	Plant Pest Control	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 171	Landscape Drafting	1
OH 172	Introduction to Landscape Design	3
OH 174	Turf and Ground Cover Management	3
OH/CADD200*	Introduction to Computer-Aided Landscape Design	3
OH 225	Landscape Contracting	3
OH 238	Irrigation System Design	3
OH 276	Horticultural Equipment Repair and Maintenance	3
OH 278	Business Management for Ornamental Horticulture	3
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5
		9
	Total Required	32
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Student must complete six units within the major at Cuyamaca College to be eligible for this course.

\*\*May also be offered at Southwestern College as LA 200.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Irrigation Technology. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**V. LANDSCAPE DESIGN**

This major provides students with a systematic, process-oriented approach to landscape design for residential landscapes. The curriculum is designed to investigate the current trends in landscape design and the technologies used in the construction of the projects. Course work is designed for entry level skills, upgrading of existing skills, and for transfer to four-year degree programs. Graduates are employed by landscape architects, landscape contractors, public agencies or may be self-employed.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Prepare conceptual landscape plans for residential clients.
- Measure a site then draft a site plan using hand drafting and computer aided drafting.
- Analyze project sites for assets and constraints.
- Create an aesthetically pleasing, sustainable, and feasible landscape design.
- Produce graphically pleasing landscape concept plans, elevations, and sections using both hand drafting and computer aided drafting techniques.
- Analyze site topography (including relief, slope and aspect) as required to prepare fine grading plans.
- Identify and describe the palate of materials used in landscape construction.
- Identify at least 250 trees, shrubs, annuals, and perennials used in Southern California landscaping.
- Demonstrate the ability to locate plants appropriately on a planting plan.
- Apply water conserving and sustainable landscape ideas to designs.

- Quantify the irrigation needs of the specified plants and prepare effective irrigation plans.
- Identify and explain business practices and legal considerations associated with a developing a landscape business.
- Gain practical experience working in the landscape industry.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 102	Xeriscape: Water Conservation in the Landscape	2
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 171	Landscape Drafting	1
OH 172	Introduction to Landscape Design	3
OH 173	Intermediate Landscape Design	3
OH 175	Advanced Landscape Design	3
OH 180	Plant Materials: Annuals and Perennials	3
OH/CADD200*	Introduction to Computer-Aided Landscape Design	3
OH/CADD201**	Advanced Computer-Aided Landscape Design	3
OH 220	Landscape Construction: Concrete and Masonry	3
OH 235	Principles of Landscape Irrigation	4
OH 278	Business Management for Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 290***	Cooperative Work Experience Education	3
	Total Required	37
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*May also be offered at Southwestern College as LA 200.

\*\*May also be offered at Southwestern College as LA 201.

\*\*\*Student must complete six units within the major at Cuyamaca College to be eligible for this course.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Landscape Design. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**VI. LANDSCAPE TECHNOLOGY**

Landscape installation and management forms the focus of this program. Students will learn the latest methods, materials and techniques in the landscape industry. Those seeking careers in landscape technology are entering a challenging career field that requires knowledge of plant material, turfgrass, landscape and irrigation design, soils, pest control and landscape construction. A professional in the field has the opportunity to be involved in working with people as well as plants as the manager must direct and supervise employees, deal with clients and suppliers, and may become involved in professional organizations. Students entering the landscape industry, those already employed but seeking to upgrade their skills, and those wishing to transfer to Cal Poly or other four-year degree programs will benefit from the curriculum. Graduates are employed by landscape contractors, public agencies or may be self-employed.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Understand the principles of plant structure function and plant growth.
- Identify 175 trees, shrubs, annuals, perennials and turf grass species commonly used in Southern California landscapes.

- Using standard industry practices, develop guidelines and demonstrate the ability to perform proper fertilizing, pruning, mulch application and irrigation of Southern California landscapes.
- Understand the elements of water management of a large landscape site.
- Identify common biotic and abiotic problems common to Southern California landscapes and list appropriate control measures.
- Gain practical experience working in the landscape industry.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 130	Plant Pest Control	3
OH 140	Soils	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 180	Plant Materials: Annuals and Perennials	3
OH 235	Principles of Landscape Irrigation	4
OH 250	Landscape Water Management	2
OH 290*	Cooperative Work Experience Education	3
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**Select one of the following:**

BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 111	Entrepreneurship: Starting and Developing a Business	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
		<u>3</u>

**Select five units from the following:**

OH 102	Xeriscape: Water Conservation in the Landscape	2
OH 172	Introduction to Landscape Design	3
OH 173	Intermediate Landscape Design	3
OH 174	Turf and Ground Cover Management	3
OH 220	Landscape Construction: Concrete and Masonry	3
OH 221	Landscape Construction: Irrigation and Carpentry	3
OH 222	Japanese Garden Design and Construction	1
OH 225	Landscape Contracting	3
OH 255	Sustainable Urban Landscapes Principles and Practices	3
OH 260	Arboriculture	3
OH 276	Horticultural Equipment Repair and Maintenance	3
OH 278	Business Management for Ornamental Horticulture	3
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5
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	Total Required	32
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Student must complete six units within the major at Cuyamaca College to be eligible for this course.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Landscape Technology. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**VII. NURSERY TECHNOLOGY**

Students enrolled in this major pursue careers in the wholesale production and retail sales of horticultural crops. Course work will focus on plant propagation, greenhouse plant production, and horticultural practices related to production and sales of landscape and greenhouse plant material. Students entering the nursery industry, those already employed but seeking upgraded skills, and those wishing to transfer to Cal Poly

or other four-year degree programs will benefit from the curriculum. Graduates are employed by wholesale and retail nurseries, public agencies or may be self employed.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify 250 trees, shrubs, annuals, perennials and turf grass species commonly used in Southern California landscapes.
- Explain the principles of plant structure function and plant growth.
- Demonstrate an understanding of common plant propagation practices.
- Cultivate horticultural crops in both natural and artificial environments common in the horticulture industry.
- Demonstrate an understanding of soil principles.
- Explain how to produce a business plan for the nursery industry.
- Gain practical experience working in the landscape industry.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 121	Plant Propagation	3
OH 130	Plant Pest Control	3
OH 140	Soils	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 180	Plant Materials: Annuals and Perennials	3
OH 290*	Cooperative Work Experience Education	3
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**Select one of the following:**

BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 111	Entrepreneurship: Starting and Developing a Business	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
		<u>3</u>

**Select eight units from the following:**

BIO 122	The Secret Life of Plants	4
OH 102	Xeriscape: Water Conservation in the Landscape	2
OH 114	Floral Design I	3
OH 172	Introduction to Landscape Design	3
OH 240	Greenhouse Plant Production	3
OH 276	Horticultural Equipment Repair and Maintenance	3
OH 278	Business Management for Ornamental Horticulture	3
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5
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	Total Required	32
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Student must complete six units within the major at Cuyamaca College to be eligible for this course.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Nursery Technology. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**VIII. SUSTAINABLE URBAN LANDSCAPES**

This curriculum is designed to investigate the current trends and provide practical experience in sustainable landscape design, construction and maintenance. Students will use technology, materials and methods that enhance the urban landscape with minimal input of labor and materials while reducing negative environmental impacts. Students entering the landscape

industry, those already employed but seeking upgraded skills, and those wishing to transfer to four-year degree programs will benefit from the curriculum. Graduates are employed by landscape contractors, landscape architects and designers, public agencies, or are self-employed.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Use industry accepted standards to conduct site evaluations and determine site assets and constraints for the development of aesthetically pleasing and sustainable landscapes.
- Identify common biotic and abiotic problems common to Southern California landscapes and list appropriate control measures.
- Utilize standard industry practices and principles of plant structure, function and plant growth to develop guidelines for the proper maintenance of Southern California landscapes.
- Demonstrate the ability to calculate an irrigation schedule.
- Explain the elements of water management of a large landscape site.
- Gain practical experience working in the landscape industry.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Irrigation Manager  
Landscape Design Consultant  
Landscape Maintenance Supervisor  
Landscape Manager  
Landscape Water Auditor  
Water Conservation Specialist

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 130	Plant Pest Control	3
OH 140	Soils	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 250	Landscape Water Management	2
OH 255	Sustainable Urban Landscape Principles and Practices	3
OH 263	Urban Forestry	1
OH 290*	Cooperative Work Experience Education	3
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**Select one of the following:**

BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 111	Entrepreneurship: Starting and Developing a Business	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
		<u>3</u>

**Select eight units from the following:**

OH 102	Xeriscape: Water Conservation in the Landscape	2
OH 172	Introduction to Landscape Design	3
OH 180	Plant Materials: Annuals and Perennials	3
OH 220	Landscape Construction: Concrete and Masonry	3
OH 221	Landscape Construction: Irrigation and Carpentry	3
OH 235	Principles of Landscape Irrigation	4
OH 260	Arboriculture	3
OH 266	Science in Practice for Arboriculture	1
OH 278	Business Management for Ornamental Horticulture	3
		<u>8</u>
	Total Required	32
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Student must complete six units within the major at Cuyamaca College to be eligible for this course.

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Sustainable Urban Landscapes. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**CERTIFICATE OF SPECIALIZATION:****BASIC ORNAMENTAL HORTICULTURE**

This certificate prepares students to work in the horticulture industry at an entry or intermediate level by providing them with basic knowledge of horticultural principles and practices. Upon completion, students will be prepared to work in one of many fields of horticulture, or choose to continue their studies and apply their earned credits to a degree or certificate of achievement.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Understand the basic principles of plant growth.
- Identify 125 trees and shrub species commonly used in Southern California landscapes.
- Understand the basic principles of soil science as they relate to plant growth and plant nutrition.
- Apply basic horticultural knowledge to specific field of study in ornamental horticulture.
- Understand business principles as they apply to working in ornamental horticulture.

**Certificate Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
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**Select one of the following:**

OH 130	Plant Pest Control	3
OH 140	Soils	3
OH 180	Plant Materials: Annuals and Perennials	3
		<u>3</u>

**Select one of the following:**

BUS 110	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 111	Entrepreneurship: Starting and Developing a Business	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
		<u>3</u>

**Select one of the following:**

OH 114	Floral Design I	3
OH 121	Plant Propagation	3
OH 172	Introduction to Landscape Design	3
OH 174	Turf and Ground Cover Management	3
OH 220	Landscape Construction: Concrete and Masonry	3
OH 221	Landscape Construction: Irrigation and Carpentry	3
OH 260	Arboriculture	3
		<u>3</u>
	Total Required	15

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Basic Ornamental Horticulture. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**PARALEGAL STUDIES**

The legal profession has evolved, like the medical profession, into a profession of specialties. Based on this development, lawyers need qualified assistants to better help them provide legal services to their clients. Paralegals are trained, professional technicians able to provide this needed legal assistance.

This degree program is specifically designed to prepare and provide students with the analytical skills and written abilities necessary to assist attorneys in the practice of law. The technical curriculum goals and objectives emphasize three primary areas:

1. Legal Research, Analysis and Writing
2. Ethics and the Mechanics of Law
3. Integration of Substantive and Procedural Law

The successful paralegal degree candidate will possess a broad educational background with an opportunity to gain specialized skills in specific areas of law. The large curriculum offering also allows practicing paralegals to attend college refresher or new skills development courses.

This program does not prepare students for law school or the practice of law.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Apply the research, analytical skills and college-level writing abilities necessary to assist attorneys in the practice of law.
- Conduct oneself in an ethical and professional manner when confronted with a law office related conflict scenario.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Claim Examiner  
 Compensation and Benefits Manager  
 Compliance and Enforcement Inspector  
 †Contract Consultant  
 Forms and Procedures Specialist  
 Freelance Paralegal  
 \*Labor Relations Specialist  
 Law Clerk  
 Legal Aide  
 Legal Assistant  
 Legal Research Assistant  
 Legal Technician  
 Occupational Safety and Health Worker

†Paralegal

Patent Agent

Title Examiner

\*Bachelor Degree or higher required

†Bachelor Degree normally recommended

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BOT 120-122	Comprehensive Word Levels I-III	3
BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
PARA 100	Introduction to Paralegal Studies	3
PARA 110	Civil Litigation Practice and Procedures	3
PARA 130	Legal Research and Writing	3
PARA 132	Computer Assisted Legal Research (CALR)	3
PARA 135	Bankruptcy Law	3
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**Select at least six units from the following:**

PARA 120	Administrative Law	3
PARA 125	Business Organizations	1
PARA 140	Criminal Law and Procedures	3
PARA 145	Estate Planning and Administration of Estates	3
PARA 150	Family Law	3
PARA 160	Personal Injury	1
PARA 170	Worker's Compensation	1
PARA 250*	Internship	1-3
		<u>6</u>
	Total Required	27
	Plus General Education Requirements	

\*Student must complete 18 units within the major to be eligible for this course.

**Recommended Elective:** BUS 128

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PARALEGAL STUDIES DEGREE:****AREA A—LANGUAGE AND RATIONALITY**

(Minimum of 6 semester units)

One course from each area:

**1. Written Communication**

ENGL 120

**2. Oral Communication and Analytical Thinking**

COMM 120, 122, 130, 137, 145

ENGR 100

MATH 103, 110, 120, 125, 160, 170,

175, 176, 178, 180, 245, 280, 281, 284

PHIL 125, 130

PSY 215

**AREA B—NATURAL SCIENCES**

(Minimum of 4 semester units)

A course that includes a laboratory (laboratory courses are underlined):

ANTH 130

ASTR 110, 112

BIO 112, 115, 122, 124, 126, 130, 131, 140,

152, 230, 240

CHEM 102, 105, 113\*, 115\*, 116, 120\*, 141

GEOG 120, 121

GEOG 104, 110, 111

OCEA 112, 113

PHYC 110, 130, 131, 190, 200, 210

\*Students will not receive credit for more than one of the following courses: CHEM 113, 115, 120.

**AREA C—HUMANITIES**

(Minimum of 3 semester units)

One of the following courses:

ARAM 120, 121, 220

ARBC 120, 121, 145, 220, 221, 250, 251

ART 100, 120, 124, 129, 140, 141, 143, 144,

145, 146, 148

ASL 120, 121, 140, 220, 221

ENGL 122, 201, 202, 207, 214, 217, 221, 222,

231, 232, 270, 271, 275, 276, 277

FREN 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251

HIST 100, 101, 105, 106

HUM 110, 115, 116, 120, 140, 155

ITAL 120, 121, 220

MUS 110, 111, 114, 115, 116, 117

NAKY 120, 121, 220

PHIL 110, 115, 117, 140, 160, 170

RELG 120, 130, 210, 215

SPAN 120, 121, 141, 145, 220, 221, 250, 251

THTR 110, 120, 121



**AREA D—SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES**

(Minimum of 3 semester units)

One of the following courses:

ANTH 120  
 CD 115, 125, 131, 145  
 COMM 110, 124  
 ECON 110, 120, 121  
 GEOG 106, 130, 132  
 HED 120, 201  
 HIST 108, 109, 118, 119, 122, 123, 124, 130, 131, 132, 133, 180, 181  
 POSC 120, 121, 124, 130, 140  
 PSY 120, 125, 134, 138, 140, 150, 170, 220  
 SOC 120, 125, 130

**ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS:**

(Minimum 6 semester units)

Two additional courses from two different areas:

- Area B - Natural Sciences
- Area C - Humanities
- Area D - Social and Behavioral Sciences

**DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:**

Cuyamaca College will confer the Degree of Associate in Science in Paralegal Studies upon students who successfully complete the following requirements:

1. A minimum of 60 semester units of college work.
2. Competency Requirements
  - A. Completion of ENGL 120 with a grade of "C" or better or "P".
  - B. Completion of MATH 103 or a higher numbered mathematics class, or a statistics course from another discipline that has intermediate algebra as a prerequisite, with a grade of "C" or better or a grade of "P" or completion of Accuplacer Assessment placing into a class higher than MATH 103 or 110.
3. Exercise Science Degree Requirements
 

Two activity courses in exercise science are required for graduation from Cuyamaca College. These courses are marked with an asterisk in the Course Descriptions section.

  - A. If medical reasons necessitate exclusion from exercise science, a medical statement must be on file with the Admissions and Records Office. Adaptive exercise science classes are available.
  - B. Veterans who have completed at least one year of honorable active service will receive up to three units of credit for exercise science which will satisfy the activity requirement for graduation. To receive credit for military service, a DD-214 and appropriate military records must be submitted to the Admissions and Records Office.
4. Achievement of a "C" average (2.0 GPA) in all college work counted toward general education requirements.
5. Achievement of a "C" grade or better in all courses counted toward the major. (P/NP grading not accepted for the major.)
6. A maximum of 12 "P" semester units taken in regular course work at this institution may be counted toward the 60 semester units required for graduation but shall not be included as part of the requirements for the major.

7. A minimum of 12 semester units of Legal Specialty courses must be completed at Cuyamaca College.

\*A grade of "P" (Pass) represents a "C" grade or better.

For more information regarding degree requirements, see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section.



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## PHILOSOPHY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)

The Associate in Arts in Philosophy for Transfer (AA-T in Philosophy) deals with fundamental issues that have long haunted thinkers for many centuries. The major explores and seeks to understand values and the nature of reality by examining and questioning existence and experience. The degree prepares students for undergraduate study in philosophy.

The following is required for the AA-T in Philosophy for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify and discuss the principle questions of universal concern raised in philosophy, including but not limited to the following: What is knowledge? Is there meaning to life? Does free will exist? Why should I be moral?
- Implement critical thinking techniques to enhance reading and writing skills.
- Identify, analyze and discuss cross-cultural perspectives relating to the philosophical issues being considered.
- Demonstrate philosophical thinking by correct use of terminology/argumentation in evaluating various themes discussed.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:****Core Curriculum: Select two:**

Course	Title	Units
PHIL 110	A General Introduction to Philosophy	3
PHIL 130	Logic	3
PHIL 140	Problems in Ethics	3
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**List A: Select one:**

Any course from Core not used	3	
PHIL 115	History of Philosophy I: Ancient	3
PHIL 117	History of Philosophy II: Modern and Contemporary	3
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**List B: Select two:**

Any course from List A not used	3	
HIST 105	Early Western Civilization	3
HIST 106	Modern Western Civilization	3
PHIL 170	Philosophy of Religion: A Cross-Cultural Introduction	3
RELG 120	World Religions	3
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**List C: Select one:**

Any course from List A or B not used	3	
PHIL 125	Critical Thinking	3
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Total Units for Major (6-15 units may be double-counted with GE)	18
Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU	37-39
Total Transferable Elective Units	11-18
Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Philosophy B.A.

## PHYSICAL SCIENCE

The physical science major is designed to give students working toward a bachelor's degree a well-balanced, lower division program. The curriculum emphasizes fundamental concepts and problem solving. The degree requirements are typical of what four-year colleges and universities require; see [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for requirements of specific transfer institution.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Analyze how astronomers obtain information about stars, what information can be obtained and how the information is used.
- Predict periodic trends in ionization energy, atomic size, electron affinity and acid-base properties.
- Calculate changes in enthalpy, entropy, and free energy for chemical reactions, phase changes, solution processes, and elementary molecular processes using tables of thermodynamic data.
- Write systematic names for carbon based compounds.
- Working knowledge of the Theory of Plate Tectonics as it relates to sea floor spreading, subduction, continental drift and the evolution of ocean basins, continents and mountains.
- Evaluate derivatives of algebraic, trigonometric, logarithmic and exponential functions.
- Evaluate integrals using appropriate techniques (such as: by parts, trig substitution, etc.)
- Apply Green's, Stokes' and Gauss' Theorems.
- Use conservation of energy and conservation of momentum concepts.
- Use Maxwell's Equations to solve problems in electricity and magnetism.
- Use the basic concepts of modern physics: special relativity, photon behavior, matter waves, the uncertainty principle, quantum mechanics in one and three dimensions, statistical physics and nuclear physics.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

This degree program trains students for a wide variety of diverse professions such as technical administration in industry and government, legal work with patents, scientific librarianship, scientific journalism, and physical science teacher.

- \* Astronomer
- Cartographic Technician
- \* Chemist
- Geodetic Technician
- \* Geologist
- \* Meteorologist
- Meteorological Technician
- \* Oceanographer
- \* Patent Lawyer
- \* Physical Science Teacher
- Physical Science Technician
- \* Physicist
- Range Technician
- Soil Conservation Technician
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
ASTR 110	Descriptive Astronomy	3
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
CHEM 142	General Chemistry II	5
CHEM 231	Organic Chemistry I	5
GEOL 110	General Geology	3
MATH 180	Analytical Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytical Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
PHYC 210	Wave Motion and Modern Physics	5
	Total Required	49
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Evaluate derivatives of algebraic, trigonometric, logarithmic and exponential functions.
- Evaluate integrals using appropriate techniques (such as: by parts, trig substitution, etc.)
- Apply Green's, Stokes' and Gauss' Theorems.
- Use conservation of energy and conservation of momentum concepts.
- Use Maxwell's Equations to solve problems in electricity and magnetism.
- Use the basic concepts of modern physics: special relativity, photon behavior, matter waves, the uncertainty principles, and quantum mechanics in one and three dimensions, statistical physics and nuclear physics.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
PHYC 210	Wave Motion and Modern Physics	5
	Total Units for Major (7 units may be double-counted with GE)	28
	Total Units for IGETC-CSU	37
	Total Transferable Elective Units	2
	Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into the B.S. Physics (General) or B.S. Physics (Modern Optics Emphasis).

**PHYSICS**

Associate Degree  
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**I. PHYSICS FOR TRANSFER (AS-T)**

Physics is the study of the relationship between matter and energy in the universe. The AS-T in Physics for Transfer degree is designed to prepare students to transfer to a California State University (CSU) with the intent of earning a baccalaureate degree in physics. The curriculum is designed to provide students working toward a bachelor's degree a well-balanced, lower division program by emphasizing fundamental concepts and problem solving. The degree requirements are typical of what baccalaureate institutions require.

The following is required for the AS-T in Physics for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC-CSU); see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information.

**II. PHYSICS**

Physics is the study of the relationship between matter and energy in the universe. The curriculum is designed to provide students working toward a bachelor's degree a well-balanced, lower division program by emphasizing fundamental concepts and problem solving. The degree requirements are typical of what four-year colleges and universities require; see [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for requirements of specific transfer institution.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Predict periodic trends in ionization energy, atomic size, electron affinity and acid-base properties.
- Calculate changes in enthalpy, entropy, and free energy for chemical reactions, phase changes, solution processes, and elementary molecular processes using tables of thermodynamic data.
- Write systematic names for carbon based compounds.
- Evaluate derivatives of algebraic, trigonometric, logarithmic and exponential functions.
- Evaluate integrals using appropriate techniques (such as: by parts, trig substitution, etc.)
- Apply Green's, Stokes' and Gauss' Theorems.
- Use conservation of energy and conservation of momentum concepts.
- Use Maxwell's Equations to solve problems in electricity and magnetism.
- Use the basic concepts of modern physics: special relativity, photon behavior, matter waves, the uncertainty principle, quantum mechanics in one and three dimensions, statistical physics and nuclear physics.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- Air Pollution Operating Specialist
- \* Astronomer
- \* Astrophysicist
- \* Biomedical Engineer
- \* Biophysicist
- \* Chemical Physicist
- Consumer Safety Officer
- \* Cryogenic Engineer
- Electrician
- Food and Drug Inspector
- \* Fusion Engineer
- \* Geophysicist
- Government Claims Representative
- Health Program Representative
- \* High Energy Physicist
- Laser Specialist
- \* Metallurgist
- \* Meteorologist
- \* Nuclear Physicist
- \* Physical Oceanographer
- \* Physicist
- \* Plasma Physicist
- Quality Control Technician
- \* Quantum Physicist
- \* Seismologist
- \* Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CHEM 141	General Chemistry I	5
CHEM 142	General Chemistry II	5
MATH 180	Analytical Geometry and Calculus I	5
MATH 280	Analytical Geometry and Calculus II	4
MATH 281	Multivariable Calculus	4
PHYC 190	Mechanics and Heat	5
PHYC 200	Electricity and Magnetism	5
PHYC 210	Wave Motion and Modern Physics	5
	Total Required	38
	Plus General Education Requirements	



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**POLITICAL SCIENCE FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)**

The AA-T in Political Science for Transfer is designed to prepare students to transfer to a California State University (CSU) with the intent of earning a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science. Students who earn the AA-T in Political Science will know about various forms of governments and governmental institutions, political parties, current public affairs, interest groups and international politics. They will understand the role of the citizen and the democratic process, and have knowledge of the history and evolution of various forms of government. Future careers include those in government service, public administration, international organizations or corporations, law, or teaching.

The following is required for the AA-T in Political Science for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.

5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Discuss major theories and concepts of political science.
- Analyze political issues and formulate solutions.
- Participate knowledgeably as a U.S. citizen in civic-oriented environments.
- Demonstrate an understanding of U.S. and world politics.
- Comprehend enduring political thoughts and ideas throughout history.

#### Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:

##### Core Curriculum:

Course	Title	Units
POSC 121	Introduction to U.S. Government and Politics	3

##### List A: Select three of the following:

POSC 120	Introduction to Politics and Political Analysis	3
POSC 124	Introduction to Comparative Government and Politics	3
POSC 130	Introduction to International Relations	3
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
or		
PSY 215	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	3
		<u>9-10</u>

##### List B: Select two of the following:

HIST 108	Early American History*	3
HIST 109	Modern American History*	3
Any course from List A not selected above		<u>3-4</u>
		<u>6-7</u>

Total Units for Major (9-12 units may be double-counted with GE) 18-19  
 Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU 37-39  
 Total Transferable Elective Units 2-5  
 Total Units for Degree 60

\*One course, HIST 108 or 109, meets CSU American Ideals requirement, along with Core of POSC 121.

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Political Science B.A.



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## PSYCHOLOGY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)

This degree program is designed to present students with a broad base understanding of human behavior so that they may explore human thought and behavior, and various methodologies. Students completing this degree may be interested in pursuing careers in research, counseling, teaching, and other behavioral science professions.

The following is required for the AA-T in Psychology for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate familiarity with the major concepts, theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends in psychology.
- Understand and apply basic research methods in psychology, including research design, data analysis, and interpretation.
- Respect and use critical and creative thinking, skeptical inquiry, and, when possible, the scientific approach to solve problems related to behavior and mental processes.
- Understand and apply psychological principles to personal, social, and organizational issues.
- Weigh evidence, tolerate ambiguity, act ethically, and reflect other values that are the underpinnings of psychology as a discipline.

#### Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:

##### Core Curriculum:

Course	Title	Units
PSY 120	Introductory Psychology	3
PSY 205	Research Methods in Psychology	3
PSY 215	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	3
		<u>9</u>

##### List A: Select one of the following:

BIO 130	General Biology I	3
PSY 140	Physiological Psychology	3
		<u>3</u>

##### List B: Select two of the following:

PSY 150	Development Psychology	3
PSY 220	Learning	3
Any course not selected above		<u>3</u>
		<u>6</u>

Total Units for Major 18  
 Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU 37-39  
 Total Transferable Elective Units 3  
 Total Units for Degree 60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Psychology (Applied).

## REAL ESTATE

### I. REAL ESTATE

This degree program is designed to prepare students for employment in real estate or related fields. It also meets the educational requirements for the California Real Estate Broker's License and helps prepare both the salesperson and broker for the state examination. Most real estate classes also meet educational requirements for appraisal licensing.

#### Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Describe the essential elements and legal effects of a real estate contract and secured note.
- Apply the steps involved in opening, processing, and closing an escrow.
- Explain the various alternate mortgage instruments and various sources of real estate financing.
- Apply various real estate valuation techniques.
- Explain how leverage affects real estate investment risk and describe the legal aspects of real properties.
- Describe the basic process of real estate development or its risks and returns.

#### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Agent  
 †Appraiser  
 Broker  
 Builder/Developer  
 \*Economist  
 Escrow Officer/Trust Manager  
 Investor  
 Lender/Financial Institution  
 Property Manager  
 Salesperson  
 Title Officer

\*Bachelor Degree or higher required

†Office of Real Estate Appraisal License required

#### Associate in Science Degree Requirements:

Course	Title	Units
RE 190	Real Estate Principles	3
RE 191	Real Estate Practice	3
RE 192	Real Estate Finance	3
RE 193	Real Estate Legal Aspects	3
RE 194	Real Estate Appraisal	3
		<u>15</u>

#### Select three of the following including one Accounting or Economics course:

BUS 110*	Introduction to Business	3
BUS 120	Financial Accounting	4
ECON 110	Economic Issues and Policies	3
or		
ECON 120	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
or		
ECON 121	Principles of Microeconomics	3
or		
RE 197	Real Estate Economics	3
RE 201	Real Estate Property Management	3
RE 250*	Real Estate Internship	1-4
RE 294	Advanced Real Estate Appraisal	3
Elective (select one elective from below)		<u>3</u>
		<u>7-11</u>

#### Electives:

BUS 125	Business Law: Legal Environment of Business	3
RE 125	Escrow Procedures I	3
RE 204	Real Estate Office Administration	3
RE 292	Mortgage Loan Brokering and Lending	3

Total Required 22-26  
 Plus General Education Requirements

\*Non-Department of Real Estate Licensing course

#### Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Real Estate. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**II. BROKER'S LICENSE****Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this certificate, students will be able to:

- Describe the essential elements and legal effects of a real estate contract and secured note.
- Apply the steps involved in opening, processing, and closing an escrow.
- Explain the various alternate mortgage instruments and various sources of real estate financing.
- Apply various real estate valuation techniques.
- Explain how leverage affects real estate investment risk and describe the legal aspects of real properties.
- Describe the basic process of real estate development or its risks and returns.

Students may satisfy the California State Education requirement for a Broker's License by completing the following:

Course	Title	Units
RE 190	Real Estate Principles	3
RE 191	Real Estate Practice	3
RE 192	Real Estate Finance	3
RE 193	Real Estate Legal Aspects	3
RE 194	Real Estate Appraisal	3
	One Accounting or Economics course	3-4
	Electives (select two electives from above)	6
	Total Required	24-25

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete the requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Broker's License. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**SOCIAL WORK**

This degree offers lower division preparation for students who wish to pursue a bachelor's degree in social work. The program is designed to prepare students for transfer to four-year social work programs.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Apply critical thinking to the research, effects and planning in the field and practice of social work.
- Investigate social worker duties in dealing with a wide variety of difficult social situations including discrimination, oppression, maltreatment, poverty and injustice.
- Analyze various situations and determine the proper role of a social worker and the various factors influencing the situation.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

- \* Administration
- \* Child Welfare
  - Clinical:
    - \*Counseling, Therapy
  - Community Organizations:
    - \*Advocacy, Politics, Education
- \* Criminal Justice/Corrections
- \* Developmental Disabilities
- \* Gerontology
- \* Health Care
  - Occupational:
    - \*Counseling
    - \*Organizational Development
    - \*Teaching
    - \*Wellness Promotion
    - \*Human Resources

Public Welfare:

- \*Social Work
- \* Research
- \* Bachelor degree or higher recommended

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
BIO 130	General Biology I	3
ECON 120	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
or		
ECON 121	Principles of Microeconomics	3
HED 201	Introduction to Public Health	3
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
or		
PSY 215	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	3
or		
BIO 215	Statistics for Life Sciences	3
PSY 120	Introductory Psychology	3
SOC 120	Introductory Sociology	3
SW 110	Social Work Fields of Service	3
SW 120	Introduction to Social Work	3
	Total Required	24-25
	Plus General Education Requirements	



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**SOCIOLOGY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)**

This degree program is designed to provide students with a broad understanding of human interaction, social processes, social structures, and tools of sociological investigation. Students completing this degree may be interested in pursuing careers in teaching, research, social work, and other behavioral science professions.

The following is required for the AA-T in Sociology for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Evaluate society and make appropriate suggestions for improvement directed at social change.
- Analyze and interpret the diversity of social experience using a sociological perspective.
- Engage in critical thinking, analysis and problem solving about social issues.
- Employ theoretical and methodological approaches to sociological observations of everyday life.
- Evaluate the implications of multicultural diversity and global interdependence.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:****Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
MATH 160	Elementary Statistics	4
PSY 138	Social Psychology	3
SOC 120	Introductory Sociology	3
SOC 125	Marriage, Family and Alternative Lifestyles	3
SOC 130	Contemporary Social Problems	3
		16

**List A: Select one of the following:**

ANTH 120	Cultural Anthropology	3
PSY 120	Introductory Psychology	3
		3
	Total Units for Major	19
	Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU	37-39
	Total Transferable Elective Units	3
	Total Units for Degree	60

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Sociology B.A.

**SPANISH**

Associate Degree  
for Transfer<sup>SM</sup>

**I. SPANISH FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)**

The Associate in Arts in Spanish for Transfer degree is designed to provide students with communicative skills in Spanish, as well as a greater understanding of Spanish culture and civilization. This degree prepares students to transfer to a California State University.

The following is required for the AA-T in Spanish for Transfer degree:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth pattern OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section for more information. Note: If following IGETC, IGETC-CSU must be followed for admission to a CSU.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Utilize more complex vocabulary and grammatical structures to communicate and discuss hypothetical situations dealing with nature, city, life, health and well-being, professions and occupations, the arts, current events, and politics.
- Utilize more complex vocabulary and grammatical structures to write about situations dealing with nature, city life, health and well-being, professions and occupations, the arts, current events, and politics.
- Use language and vocabulary skills developed in class to read, analyze, and interpret authentic texts.

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:****Core Curriculum:**

Course	Title	Units
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5
SPAN 121	Spanish II	5
SPAN 220	Spanish III	5
SPAN 221	Spanish IV	5
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**List A: Select one of the following:**

HIST 118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I	3
HIST 119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives II	3
SPAN 141	Spanish and Latin American Cultures	3
SPAN 145	Hispanic Civilizations	3
SPAN 250*	Conversational Spanish I	3
SPAN 251*	Conversational Spanish II	3
		<hr/> 3
	Total Units for Major (9 units may be double-counted with GE)	23
	Total Units for CSU GE Breadth or IGETC-CSU	37-39
	Total Transferable Elective Units	7-9
	Total Units for Degree	60

\*Substitution Courses:

SPAN 250 may be substituted for SPAN I for students placing at the level of SPAN II.  
SPAN 251 may be substituted for SPAN II for students placing into SPAN III.

Please note: SDSU accepts this degree for students transferring into Spanish B.A.

**II. SPANISH**

This degree program is designed to provide students with communicative skills in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing Spanish. It also gives students a greater understanding of Spanish culture and civilization, and prepares them for greater international and domestic career opportunities. For the suggested sequence of courses to be taken and/or assistance in transferring to a four-year institution, contact the Counseling Center or the Department of World Languages.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Utilize more complex vocabulary and grammatical structures to communicate and discuss hypothetical situations dealing with nature, city, life, health, and well-being, professions and occupations, the arts, current events, and politics.
- Utilize more complex vocabulary and grammatical structures to write about situations dealing with nature, city life, health and well-being, profession, and occupations, the arts, current events, and politics.
- Use language and vocabulary skills developed in class to read, analyze, and interpret authentic texts.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Bilingual Aide  
Border Patrol Officer  
Buyer  
Court Interpreter  
Counseling  
Customs Agent/Inspector  
Foreign Exchange Clerk  
\*Foreign Student Advisor  
Interpreter  
\*Journalist  
\*Museum Curator  
\*Physician

\*Scientific Linguist  
Tour Guide  
Tutor

\*Bachelor Degree or higher required

**Associate in Arts Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
SPAN 120	Spanish I	5
SPAN 121	Spanish II	5
SPAN 220	Spanish III	5
SPAN 221	Spanish IV	5
SPAN 250	Conversational Spanish I	3
SPAN 251	Conversational Spanish II	3
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**Select one of the following:**

HIST 118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I	3
HIST 119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives II	3
SPAN 141	Spanish and Latin American Cultures	3
SPAN 145	Hispanic Civilizations	3
		<hr/> 3
	Total Required	29
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Spanish. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**SURVEYING**

This degree program prepares students to enter the civil engineering field. Competency in care and operation of field instruments, solution of problems in the laboratory, drafting of land survey maps and civil engineering plans, and application of studies to field practice are thoroughly explored.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Measure angles and distances using electronic total stations and distance meters.
- Compile field data, adjusting for error from horizontal and vertical traverses.
- Create typical drawing title blocks accepted by local municipalities such as the City of San Diego.
- Calculate and plot contours and other features found on a topographic map.
- Plot easements using bearings, distances and curve information.
- Recognize and apply the appropriate vocabulary of boundary law in discussion, reading, and writing legal descriptions of boundary.
- Describe and solve advanced private boundary and public lands boundary problems.
- Solve introductory property boundaries using title reports and record maps.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Geodetic Surveyor  
Geophysical Prospecting Surveyor  
Instruments Surveyor Assistant  
Land Surveyor  
Marine Surveyor  
Mine Surveyor  
Oil-Well Directional Surveyor

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
CADD 115	Engineering Graphics	3
	<b>or</b>	
ENGR 100	Introduction to Engineering and Design	4
CADD 120	Introduction to Computer-Aided Drafting and Design	3
CADD 127	Survey Drafting Technology	3
MATH 170	Analytic Trigonometry	3
PHYC 110	Introductory Physics	4
SURV/ENGR218	Plane Surveying	4
SURV 220	Boundary Control and Legal Principles	3
SURV 240	Advanced Surveying	4
	Total Required	<hr/> 27-28
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Surveying. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**UNIVERSITY STUDIES**

The Associate Degree in University Studies with an Area of Emphasis is intended to accommodate the differing requirements of a wide variety of transfer institutions and major options. Because admission and major preparation requirements vary at each four-year transfer institution, courses used to complete this degree should be selected with the assistance of a counselor. The completion of the University Studies Degree does not guarantee acceptance into either a baccalaureate major or a four-year institution.

**REQUIREMENTS:****I. California State University (CSU) General Education Breadth**

1. Complete CSU General Education Breadth (see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section).
2. Earn a grade of "C" or better in 30 of the required 39 semester units of general education to include all courses in Area A and the Mathematical/Quantitative Reasoning courses in Area B.
3. Credit earned through external examinations, i.e., AP, will be applied towards general education in accordance with Cuyamaca College policies. Please note: This may be different than how the external exam is used on a CSU certification.
4. Complete a minimum of 18 units in an Area of Emphasis (listed below).
5. Complete a minimum of 60 degree applicable CSU transferable semester units.
6. Earn a cumulative GPA of 2.0 in all college course work completed.
7. Meet Cuyamaca College residence requirements for graduation (see Admission Information).

**OR**

**II. Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) for CSU or UC**

1. Complete IGETC Certification (see Degree Requirements and Transfer Information section).
2. Earn a grade of "C" or better in all IGETC courses.

- Credit earned through external examinations, i.e., AP, will be applied in accordance with Cuyamaca College policies. Please note: This may be different than how the external exam is used on an IGETC certification.
- Complete a minimum of 18 units in an Area of Emphasis (listed below).
- Complete a minimum of 60 degree applicable UC transferable semester units for UC University Studies.
- Earn a cumulative GPA of 2.0 in all college course work completed.
- Meet Cuyamaca College residence requirements for graduation (see Admission Information).

**AND****III. Area of Emphasis**

- Business and Economics
- Communication and Language Arts
- Humanities and Fine Arts
- Science and Mathematics
- Social and Behavioral Sciences

While 18 units are required in a specific area to meet the requirements of the degree, it is strongly recommended that as many lower division preparation for the major courses as possible be completed at the community college prior to transfer. Some baccalaureate majors and four-year institutions require a higher GPA than is necessary for the associate degree. Courses that are not UC-transferable will not be used in the UC University Studies Area of Emphasis Degrees. Completion of the University Studies degree does not guarantee admission to a four-year institution.

**A. Business and Economics**

Courses for the Associate in Science in University Studies with an Emphasis in Business and Economics focus on the study of business transaction theory and practice, the operations and strategies of business decisions, legal concepts, and the place of business in the American and global economy as a whole. Students will apply mathematical and quantitative reasoning skills to the discipline's methodologies, as well as evaluate and interpret basic economic principles and theories related to performance and specific economic sectors. Students completing this area may be interested in the following baccalaureate majors: accounting, business, economics, finance, information and decision systems, international business, management, and marketing. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Business, six units in Economics, and six units from the Electives category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Contribute to an effective and ethical organization.
- Prepare and analyze financial statements.
- Use information technology to support effective decision making in the business organization.
- Analyze markets, economic environments and associated trends at the macro and micro levels.
- Express and apply quantitative information in order to make sound decisions and solve problems in the business environment.
- Communicate clearly in the business environment.

**Business**

BUS 110, 120, 121, 125, 128\*

**Economics**

ECON 110, 120, 121

**Electives**

CIS 110; MATH 160, 178, 180

**B. Communication and Language Arts**

Courses for the Associate in Science in University Studies with an Emphasis in Communication and Language Arts focus on the study of how language works to express human ideas and feelings. Students will explore and analyze written and verbal communication methods, as well as develop and advance their oral and written communication skills. Students completing this area may be interested in the following baccalaureate majors: communication, English, foreign language, literature, journalism, and linguistics. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Communication and six units in Language Arts. The remaining six units may be taken from either category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Demonstrate the ability to write effectively.
- Demonstrate the ability to locate relevant, reliable information and read it effectively.
- Organize thoughts and ideas in both oral and written format.
- Communicate effectively with diverse audiences.

**Communication**

BUS 128\*

COMM 110, 120, 122, 123, 124, 130\*, 137, 145

**Language Arts**

ARAM 120, 121, 220

ARBC 120, 121, 220, 221

ASL 120, 121, 220, 221

BUS 128\*

ENGL 122, 124, 126, 201, 202, 207, 214, 221, 222, 231, 232, 270, 271

FREN 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251

ITAL 120, 121, 220

NAKY 120, 121, 220

SPAN 120, 121, 220, 221, 250, 251

**C. Humanities and Fine Arts**

Courses for the Associate in Science in University Studies with an Emphasis in Humanities and Fine Arts focus on the study of cultural, humanistic activities, and artistic expression of human beings. Students will evaluate and interpret the ways in which people through the ages in different cultures have responded to themselves and the world around them through artistic and cultural creation. Students will develop an aesthetic awareness and incorporate these concepts when constructing value judgments. Students completing this area may be interested in the following baccalaureate majors: art, humanities, music, philosophy, religious studies, and theatre arts. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Humanities and six units in Fine Arts. The remaining six units may be taken from either category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Analyze the principle elements of representative examples of art, architecture, literature, theater, philosophy, music, dance, film, or other relevant areas of cultural and/or intellectual creativity.

- Demonstrate an awareness of the historical and philosophical contexts of representative areas, movements, media, works, or styles of cultural and/or intellectual creativity.
- Employ the language, concepts and methods of interpretive criticism as applicable to the respective categories of human creativity.
- When applicable, apply artistic processes and skills as a creative expression, using a variety of media to communicate meaning and intent in original works of art.

**Humanities**

ARAM 120, 121, 220

ARBC 120, 121, 220, 221

ART 140, 141, 145

ASL 120, 121, 140, 220, 221

ENGL 122, 201, 202, 207, 214, 217, 221, 222, 231, 232, 270, 271

FREN 120, 121, 220, 221

HIST 100, 101, 105, 106, 210

HUM 110, 115, 120, 140, 155

ITAL 120, 121, 220

NAKY 120, 121, 220

PHIL 110, 115, 117, 140, 160, 170

RELG 120, 130, 210, 215

SPAN 120, 121, 141, 145\*, 220, 221, 250, 251

**Fine Arts**

ART 100, 120, 124, 125, 129, 140, 141, 143, 144, 145, 148\*

MUS 110, 111, 114, 115, 116, 117

THTR 110, 120, 121

**D. Science and Mathematics**

Courses for the Associate in Science in University Studies with an Emphasis in Science and Mathematics focus on the study of mathematical and quantitative reasoning skills and the application of facts and principles that form the foundations of living and non-living systems. Students will recognize and utilize the methodologies of science as investigative tools, as well as the limitations of science. Students will use mathematical skills to solve numerical problems encountered in daily life, as well as more advanced skills for applications in the physical and life sciences. Students completing this area may be interested in the following baccalaureate majors: astronomy, biological sciences, chemistry, computer science, engineering, geography, geology, mathematics, oceanography, physical science, and physics. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Science and six units in Mathematics (limitation of one statistics course). The remaining six units may be taken from either category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Use arithmetical, algebraic, geometric and statistical methods to solve problems.
- Interpret mathematical models such as formulas, graphs, tables and schematics, and draw inferences from them.
- Represent mathematical information symbolically, visually, numerically and verbally.
- Use the scientific method of inquiry and techniques to answer questions about physical and biological processes.
- Analyze basic concepts of physical and biological science to evaluate scientific information and solve scientific problems.

**Science**

ANTH 130  
 ASTR 110, 112  
 BIO 115, 122, 124, 130, 131, 133, 140, 141, 141L, 152\*, 230, 240, 251  
 CHEM 102, 105\*, 113, 115, 116, 120, 141, 142, 231  
 CS 119, 119L, 180, 181, 182, 280, 281, 282  
 GEOG 120, 121  
 GEOL 104, 110, 111  
 OCEA 112, 113  
 PHYC 110, 130, 131, 190, 200, 210

**Mathematics**

BIO 215  
 MATH 160, 170\*, 175, 176, 178, 180, 245, 280, 281, 284, 285  
 PSY 215

**E. Social and Behavioral Sciences**

Courses for the Associate in Science in University Studies with an Emphasis in Social and Behavioral Sciences focus on the study and understanding of human behavior. Students will evaluate and interpret human societies; the institutions, organizations, and the groups that form them; the ways in which individuals and groups relate to one another; and various approaches and methodologies of the disciplines. Students completing this area may be interested in the following baccalaureate majors: anthropology, child development, education, history, nutrition, political science, psychology, social work, and sociology. Students must complete a minimum of six units in Social Science and six units in Behavioral Science. The remaining six units may be taken from either category.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Describe general principles of the political institutions and government of the United States.
- Demonstrate an understanding and appreciation of social, political, and economic institutions within a historical perspective.
- Evaluate the ways people act and interact in cultures, societies and social subgroups.
- Assess how social issues are influenced by geographical and historical processes.
- Apply knowledge of social and behavioral sciences theories and scientific methods in an assessment of real-world problems.

**Social Science**

ANTH 120  
 ECON 110, 120, 121  
 GEOG 106, 130, 132  
 HIST 100, 101, 105, 106, 108, 109, 118, 119, 122, 123, 130, 131, 132, 180, 181, 275, 276, 277  
 POSC 120, 121, 124, 130, 140  
 SOC 120, 125, 130  
 SPAN 145\*

**Behavioral Science**

CD 115, 125, 131, 145\*  
 COMM 110, 124  
 HED 201, 203, 251\*  
 PSY 120, 125, 134, 138, 140, 150, 170, 220

\*Course not UC-transferable

## WATER/WASTEWATER TECHNOLOGY

California's 40 million residents and businesses rely upon our State's complex water and wastewater infrastructure to perform its functions more than one billion times per day. With the State's population projected to reach 60 million by 2050, it is essential that our water resources be more effectively managed and our wastewater be reclaimed and recycled for beneficial usages. Nothing is more vital to the State's economic development and quality of life than water and wastewater services. In order to reduce Southern California's reliance on imported water, it is imperative that we diversify our water resources portfolio through expanded water conservation efforts, wastewater reclamation and reuse, grey water utilization, improving watershed management practices, tapping groundwater reserves, and employing new technologies for seawater desalination. Having a pool of well-trained candidates ready to fill the large number of job vacancies that are being created by the exodus of Baby Boomers from this field is essential to the efficient operation of our State's critical water and wastewater infrastructure. This is especially true here in Southern California, where our natural occurring water resources are so scarce.

The Water and Wastewater Technology (WWTR) program at Cuyamaca College is the oldest continuously operating educational program for this critical industry sector in the entire California Community College system. With nearly 25 different courses leading to Certificates of Achievement and/or Associate of Science degrees in six majors, the WWTR program is easily the most comprehensive of its type in the State.

Careers in water/wastewater technology involve the administration, operation, and maintenance of drinking water and wastewater treatment facilities, drinking water distribution systems, and wastewater collection systems. The courses, certificates and degrees in this major are designed to prepare students for employment by municipal drinking water and wastewater agencies and private industrial treatment facilities. To supplement their regular classroom learning activities, students have opportunities to visit key water and wastewater facilities, hear guest speakers from the industry, and participate in internship and/or cooperative work experience programs.

Many water and wastewater industry jobs require specialized certifications. Many of our WWTR courses specifically prepare students for these certification examinations administered by the State of California as well as those administered by professional associations supporting the water and wastewater industry. In addition to providing the necessary training for entry-level water and wastewater industry workers, the program is also heavily utilized by incumbent employees already working in the field to gain the additional knowledge, skills and abilities necessary to earn higher levels of certification and prepare them for promotional opportunities to advance their careers.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Backflow Program Manager  
 Biologist  
 \*Chemist  
 Construction Inspector  
 Construction Laborer/Supervisor  
 Cross Connection Control Specialist  
 Electronic Technician  
 \*Engineer, Civil  
 \*Engineer, Electrical  
 Engineering Technician  
 Equipment Technician  
 Equipment Maintenance Operator  
 Field Operations Supervisor  
 GIS/Mapping Specialist  
 Groundwater Management Specialist  
 Inspector  
 Instrumentation and Control Technician  
 Instrumentation and Control Supervisor  
 Irrigation Consultant  
 Irrigation System Designer  
 Laboratory Analyst  
 Landscape Water Auditor  
 Leak Detection Technician  
 \*Marine Biologist  
 Mechanical Systems Technician  
 Meter Maintenance Technician  
 Meter Reader  
 Water Treatment Plant Operator  
 Plant Process Control Technician  
 Plant Process Control Supervisor  
 Reclaimed Water Specialist  
 Reservoir Keeper  
 \*Safety and Risk Manager  
 Survey Technician  
 Utility Worker  
 Wastewater Plant Operator  
 Wastewater Reclamation Plant Operator  
 Wastewater Treatment Supervisor  
 Water Distribution System Operator  
 Water Quality Lab Technician  
 \*Water Quality and Treatment Manager  
 Water Systems Technician

\*Bachelor Degree recommended

**I. WATER RESOURCES MANAGEMENT**

This major prepares students to design, implement and evaluate water conservation/water resources management programs and to assist in developing more diversified water resource portfolios in the water and wastewater sector or in the landscape and property management field. Emphasis is on emerging technologies and methods that lead to long-term sustainability of our water and wastewater resources. Attaining a certificate or degree in this major will prepare students to enter careers in water conservation, watershed management, water resources and groundwater, public information, and community education. Careers in landscape and facilities maintenance, irrigation system design, urban water management, and landscape design are also options. Students successfully completing the core requirements for this major will qualify to take the American Water Works Association's Water Use Efficiency Practitioner certification examination, the Landscape Water Management certification offered by the California Landscape Contractor's Association, and the Certified Landscape Water Manager certification offered by the Irrigation Association. In addition to preparing students for entry level jobs in the water and wastewater field, courses in this major prepare students to transfer to a number of four-year college or university degree programs, including Water Resources, Environmental Sciences, and Natural Resources Management.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Describe the essential uses of water, the infrastructure that has been developed to meet demand, and the problems the water industry faces.
- Identify a specified number of legal and financial constraints which complicate efficient and effective water resource management.
- Explain the concept and importance of water portfolio diversification.
- Describe the political/organizational structures and list the major agencies involved in providing water in the greater San Diego region.
- Compare and contrast the sources of wastewater, the major collection/transportation networks, and the major wastewater treatment/reclamation facilities operating in San Diego County.
- Identify the major regulatory agencies that monitor and regulate the water/wastewater industry.
- Explain how the current carbon footprint of the water and wastewater infrastructure significantly impacts California's energy and power demands.
- Compare and contrast a specified number of resource recovery/alternative treatment methods.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
OH 120	Fundamentals of Ornamental Horticulture	3
OH 170	Plant Materials: Trees and Shrubs	3
OH 221	Landscape Construction: Irrigation and Carpentry	3
OH 250	Landscape Water Management	2
WWTR 101	Fundamentals of Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 103	Introduction to Water Resources Management	3
WWTR 105	Principles and Practices of Water Conservation	3
WWTR 115	Wastewater Reclamation and Reuse	3
WWTR 290	Cooperative Work Experience	2
or		
OH 290	Cooperative Work Experience Education	2
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**Select two of the following:**

WWTR 102	Calculations in Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 112	Basic Plant Operations: Water Treatment	3
WWTR 114	Basic Plant Operations: Wastewater Treatment	3
WWTR 130	Water Distribution Systems	3
WWTR 132	Wastewater Collection Systems	3
WWTR 280	Backflow Tester Training	2
WWTR 282	Cross Connection Control Specialist	3
WWTR 284	Cross Connection Control Specialist-Recycled Water	3
		<u>5-6</u>

**Select two of the following:**

OH 102	Xeriscape: Water Conservation in the Landscape	2
OH 140	Soils	3
OH 174	Turf and Ground Cover Management	3
OH 220	Landscape Construction: Concrete and Masonry	3
OH 235	Principles of Landscape Irrigation	4
OH 238	Irrigation System Design	3
OH 255	Sustainable Urban Landscape Principles and Practices	2
		<u>4-7</u>
	Total Required	34-38
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Water Resources Management. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**II. WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR**

Students enrolled in this major learn the key steps, processes, and current technology involved in operating modern water treatment plants. Students who satisfactorily complete the required courses in this certificate and/or degree program will qualify to take the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Grade T-1 and T-2 Water Treatment Plant Operator examinations required for certification and employment at water treatment plants.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify in detail characteristics and sources of ground water and surface water supplies including the chemical, physical and bacterial characteristics, and explain the effects on quality of geological formations, stratifications, and watershed management.
- Compare the basic principles of each water treatment process and list them in order performed.
- Identify and classify water distribution system components.
- Explain pump cavitation, corrosion, cross-connection, air valves, head loss and main flushing in relation to water and wastewater collection, distribution, and treatment.
- Compare and contrast the basic principles of each water treatment process and list them in order performed.
- Explain and prepare a plan for the use of chlorine including the characteristics of and methods for storing, feeding and measuring chlorine including the effects of moisture, pH and temperature on feed rate, and the health and safety effects, procedures and personal protective requirements.
- Determine the methods used for coagulation, flocculation and sedimentation including common chemicals used, feed systems, effects of time temperature, turbidity and pH, and the measurement of turbidity and color.
- Compare and contrast the six basic water quality parameters and explain in detail microbiological and chemical components, including sampling requirements and properties.
- Demonstrate through testing basic knowledge of the regulations for monitoring water quality and performing water treatment.
- Perform basic mathematical calculations and conversions relating to water flow, pressure, volume, velocity, chemical dosage, and hydraulic and organic loading.
- Determine appropriate safety procedures applicable to service and operation of water treatment and distribution systems including potential problems.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
WWTR 101	Fundamentals of Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 102	Calculations in Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 104	Applied Hydraulics	3
WWTR 106	Introduction to Electrical and Instrumentation Processes	3

WWTR 110	Laboratory Analysis for Water/Wastewater	3
WWTR 112	Basic Plant Operations: Water Treatment	3
WWTR 117	Advanced Plant Operations: Water Treatment	3
		<u>21</u>

**Select at least nine units from the following:**

WWTR 103	Introduction to Water Resources Management	3
WWTR 105	Principles and Practices of Water Conservation	3
WWTR 114	Basic Plant Operations: Wastewater Treatment	3
WWTR 115	Wastewater Reclamation and Reuse	3
WWTR 130	Water Distribution Systems	3
WWTR 132	Wastewater Collection Systems	3
WWTR 134	Mechanical Maintenance	3
WWTR 268	Introduction to Membrane Plant Operation	3
WWTR 270	Public Works Supervision	3
WWTR 280	Backflow Tester Training	2
WWTR 282	Cross Connection Control Specialist	3
WWTR 290	Cooperative Work Experience	2
		<u>9</u>
	Total Required	30
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Water Treatment Plant Operator. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**III. WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS OPERATIONS**

Students in this major learn the methods, processes, technology, and current practices involved in operating and maintaining modern, complex water distribution systems. Students who satisfactorily complete the required courses for this certificate and/or degree program will qualify to take the CDPH Grade D-1 through D-5 Water Distribution Operator examinations required to obtain certification and employment with a water district.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Identify sources and characteristics of water common to water distribution systems.
- Compare and contrast the different types of water distribution systems currently used in the United States.
- Identify drinking water public health hazards and water quality standards common to the industry.
- Using calculations and conversions, determine water flow, pressure, volume, velocity and force, and chemical dosage used in water distribution systems.
- Identify and compare methods used to handle, install and repair water distribution pipe.
- Explain principles of pump operation for the types of pumps used in water distribution systems, including common problems, necessary adjustments, and typical packing gland problems.
- Explain the electrical principles involved in control circuits common to water distribution systems.
- Explain the required safe handling and storage of chlorine used in water distribution systems.
- Check and utilize water maps and drawings to determine location, type and characteristics of water distribution systems.



- Specify necessary procedures needed to safely complete field work in a water distribution system.
- Compare and contrast factors considered in the selection of pipe and different types of water meters.
- Demonstrate the ability to read meters and calculate the meter accuracy.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
WWTR 101	Fundamentals of Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 102	Calculations in Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 104	Applied Hydraulics	3
WWTR 106	Introduction to Electrical and Instrumentation Processes	3
WWTR 130	Water Distribution Systems	3
WWTR 134	Mechanical Maintenance	3
WWTR 265	Water Distribution Systems II	3
		<u>21</u>

**Select at least nine units from the following:**

WWTR 103	Introduction to Water Resources Management	3
WWTR 105	Principles and Practices of Water Conservation	3
WWTR 110	Laboratory Analysis for Water/Wastewater	3
WWTR 112	Basic Plant Operations: Water Treatment	3
WWTR 115	Wastewater Reclamation and Reuse	3
WWTR 270	Public Works Supervision	3
WWTR 280	Backflow Tester Training	2
WWTR 282	Cross Connection Control Specialist	3
WWTR 284	Cross Connection Control Specialist—Recycled Water	3
WWTR 290	Cooperative Work Experience	2
		<u>9</u>
	Total Required	30
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Water Distribution Systems Operations. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**IV. WASTEWATER COLLECTION SYSTEMS**

Students completing the required courses for this major will qualify to take nearly a dozen wastewater related certification examinations offered by the California Water Environment Association (CWEA). Although current State regulations do not require certification of wastewater collection system personnel, many public sector employers either require or prefer job applicants who have obtained the CWEA Wastewater Collection and Maintenance certifications.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Define common terminology pertaining to collections system components, design, and management as well as inspection and quality control.
- Identify the types and functions of pipes and fittings used in wastewater collection system design and management.
- Given a wastewater collection map book, identify pipeline dimensions, pipe construction materials, direction of flow, and location of valves, services and lift stations.
- Describe in detail basic underground location and leak detection, trenching and shoring,

and backfill and compaction methods of construction used in the field.

- Describe the nine basic cleaning methods and basic principles involved in hydraulic and mechanical cleaning methods.
- List and describe the operation of common valves used in a wastewater collection system.
- Perform basic mathematical computations and conversions relating to wastewater collection systems, pressure, volume, velocity, chemical dosage, and hydraulic and organic loading.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
WWTR 101	Fundamentals of Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 102	Calculations in Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 104	Applied Hydraulics	3
WWTR 106	Introduction to Electrical and Instrumentation Processes	3
WWTR 132	Wastewater Collection Systems	3
WWTR 134	Mechanical Maintenance	3
WWTR 267	Wastewater Collection Systems II	3
		<u>21</u>

**Select at least nine units from the following:**

WWTR 103	Introduction to Water Resources Management	3
WWTR 105	Principles and Practices of Water Conservation	3
WWTR 114	Basic Plant Operations: Wastewater Treatment	3
WWTR 115	Wastewater Reclamation and Reuse	3
WWTR 270	Public Works Supervision	3
WWTR 280	Backflow Tester Training	2
WWTR 282	Cross Connection Control Specialist	3
WWTR 284	Cross Connection Control Specialist—Recycled Water	3
WWTR 290	Cooperative Work Experience	2
		<u>9</u>
	Total Required	30
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Wastewater Collection Systems. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**V. WASTEWATER TREATMENT OPERATOR**

Students who complete the required courses for this certificate and/or degree program will qualify to take the SWRCB certification examination for the Grade I Wastewater Plant Operator as well as nearly a dozen wastewater related certification examinations offered by CWEA. There are over 80 wastewater treatment and reclamation facilities in San Diego County that are currently licensed and regulated by the SWRCB.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Describe wastewater collection system components.
- Identify the characteristics and sources of municipal sewage.
- Define wastewater collection system and wastewater treatment plant terminology.
- Describe the basic principles of conventional wastewater treatment.
- Compare and contrast wastewater treatment unit processes including preliminary, primary, secondary and tertiary treatment.
- Explain the basic principles of preliminary, primary, secondary and tertiary treatment.

- Perform basic mathematical calculations and conversions relating to water flow, pressure, volume, velocity, chemical dosage, and hydraulic and organic loading.
- Recognize and comment on safety procedures applicable to service and operation of wastewater collection and treatment systems, including potential problems.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

Course	Title	Units
WWTR 101	Fundamentals of Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 102	Calculations in Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 104	Applied Hydraulics	3
WWTR 106	Introduction to Electrical and Instrumentation Processes	3
WWTR 110	Laboratory Analysis for Water/Wastewater	3
WWTR 114	Basic Plant Operations: Wastewater Treatment	3
WWTR 120	Advanced Plant Operations: Wastewater Treatment	3
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**Select at least nine units from the following:**

WWTR 103	Introduction to Water Resources Management	3
WWTR 105	Principles and Practices of Water Conservation	3
WWTR 112	Basic Plant Operations: Water Treatment	3
WWTR 115	Wastewater Reclamation and Reuse	3
WWTR 130	Water Distribution Systems	3
WWTR 132	Wastewater Collection Systems	3
WWTR 134	Mechanical Maintenance	3
WWTR 268	Introduction to Membrane Plant Operation	3
WWTR 270	Public Works Supervision	3
WWTR 280	Backflow Tester Training	2
WWTR 282	Cross Connection Control Specialist	3
WWTR 290	Cooperative Work Experience	2
		<u>9</u>
	Total Required	30
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Wastewater Treatment Operator. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.

**VI. BACKFLOW AND CROSS CONNECTION CONTROL**

Students will study the technical processes, procedures, and methods used in the production, use, and distribution of recycled and reclaimed wastewater, including backflow protection, legal, administrative and permitting issues, the treatment process, health and safety concerns, and the cross connection control (shut down) test as performed in San Diego County. The courses consist of both classroom and demonstration sessions which cover all aspects of cross connection control and recycled water shut down testing.

**Program Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Differentiate between different backflow devices and methods.
- Compare and contrast the effective uses of backflow devices and explain their limitations.
- Describe the specifications, installation, and operation of typical devices used in backflow prevention and testing and explain their proper installation.

- Perform accurate backflow prevention tests using proper test equipment.
- Analyze backflow prevention test results using standardized test reporting forms.
- Evaluate backflow testing device malfunctions.
- Articulate the importance of proper backflow testing equipment selection and use.
- Cite specific laws pertaining to cross connection control programs.
- Complete basic backflow testing device repairs requiring breakdown and reassembly.
- Articulate the AWWA and ABPA testing standards.

**Associate in Science Degree Requirements:**

<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Units</i>
WWTR 101	Fundamentals of Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 102	Calculations in Water/Wastewater Technology	3
WWTR 104	Applied Hydraulics	3
WWTR 130	Water Distribution Systems	3
WWTR 280	Backflow Tester Training	2
WWTR 282	Cross Connection Control Specialist	3
WWTR 284	Cross Connection Control Specialist— Recycled Water	3 20

**Select at least nine units from the following:**

WWTR 103	Introduction to Water Resources Management	3
WWTR 105	Principles and Practices of Water Conservation	3
WWTR 106	Introduction to Electrical and Instrumentation Processes	3
WWTR 110	Laboratory Analysis for Water/Wastewater	3
WWTR 115	Wastewater Reclamation and Reuse	3
WWTR 132	Wastewater Collection Systems	3
WWTR 134	Mechanical Maintenance	3
WWTR 290	Cooperative Work Experience	2
		9
	Total Required	29
	Plus General Education Requirements	

**Certificate of Achievement**

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Backflow and Cross Connection Control. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.