



## GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE

### PLAN A: 2013-2014

**NOTE:** See page 37, for specific requirements for the following:

- IV. A. Reading Proficiency
- B. Mathematics Proficiency
- V. Oral Communication Requirement

Courses taken to meet these proficiencies/requirement must be completed with a grade of "C" or better.

**NOTE:** A single course may be used to meet only one category requirement (A-F) in Section II. However, a course may be used to meet both a required proficiency (IV) or requirement (V), as well as one of the categories of General Education Courses on Plan A (II). Courses which meet the requirements for Part II of Plan A at Santiago Canyon College will automatically meet the identical requirements for Part II of Plan A at Santa Ana College.

### II. Required General Education Courses

#### A. Natural Sciences (minimum 3 units)

Anthropology 101, 101L  
Astronomy 109, 110 or 110H, 140  
Biology 109 or 109H/109L, 111, 115, 149, 177, 200, 211, 239, 259  
Chemistry 109, 119, 209, 210, 219 or 219H  
Earth Science 110 or 110H, 115, 150 or 150H  
Environmental Studies 140, 200, 259  
Geography 101, 101L  
Geology 101, 101L, 140, 150 or 150H, 201  
Physical Science 117, 118  
Physics 109, 210, 217, 279  
Science 200

#### B. Social and Behavioral Sciences (minimum 6 units)

1. **American Institutions** (minimum 3 units)  
History 118, 120 or 120H, 121 or 121H, 122  
Political Science 101 or 101H
2. **Social Science Elective** (minimum 3 units)  
Anthropology 100 or 100H  
Criminal Justice 101  
Economics 120, 121  
Geography 100 or 100H, 102 or 102H  
History 101 or 101H, 102 or 102H  
Human Development 107, 110  
Political Science 101 or 101H  
Psychology 100 or 100H  
Sociology 100 or 100H

#### C. Humanities (minimum 3 units)

Anthropology 104 or 104H  
Art 100 or 100H, 101, 102, 105, 110  
Communications and Media Studies 103, 111  
Dance 100 or 100H, 105  
English 104 or 104H  
Foreign Language:  
Chinese 101, 102  
French 101, 102, 201 or 201H, 202 or 202H  
Japanese 101, 102  
Spanish 101 or 101H, 102 or 102H, 195 A, 195B, 201 or 201H, 202 or 202H  
Vietnamese 101, 102  
Interdisciplinary Studies 121, 200  
Kinesiology, Professional 170  
Literature:  
Communications and Media Studies 110  
English 102 or 102H, 231, 232, 233ABCD, 241, 242, 270, 271, 272  
Music 101 or 101H, 102 or 102H, 104, 110, 211  
Philosophy 106 or 106H, 108, 112, 118  
Sign Language 110, 111, 112, 116  
Television/Video Communications 101, 103, 104, 105 or 105H  
Theatre Arts 100, 105

#### D. Cultural Breadth

(Three units required from D1 or D2)

##### D1. Ethnic Studies/Women's Studies

Anthropology 104 or 104H, 125  
Art 103, 104, 106  
Asian American Studies 101  
Black Studies 101  
Chicano Studies 101  
Communication Studies 103 or 103H, 206 or 206H  
English 104 or 104H  
Ethnic Studies 101 or 101H, 102 or 102H  
History 123, 124 or 124H, 125, 127, 146, 150, 151, 153, 163, 181  
Human Development 221  
Kinesiology, Health Education 102  
Literature:  
English 245, 246, 278  
Music 103  
Nutrition & Food 118  
Political Science 235  
Psychology 170  
Sign Language 116  
Women's Studies 101, 102

##### D2. International Perspective

Anthropology 100 or 100H  
Business 106 or 106H  
Criminal Justice 209  
Dance 105  
English 271, 272  
Geography 100 or 100H, 102  
Interdisciplinary Studies 117H  
Kinesiology, Professional 150  
Music 102 or 102H  
Philosophy 112  
Theatre Arts 105

#### E. Language and Rationality (minimum 6 units)

##### 1. English Composition (minimum 3 units)

Courses fulfilling the written composition requirement include both expository and argumentative writing. The English composition requirement may be met by completing English 101 or 101H with a grade of "C" or better.

##### 2. Communication and Analytical Thinking

(minimum 3 units)

Includes mathematics, logic, statistics, computer languages and programming and related disciplines.  
Communication Studies 102, 140, 145  
Computer Science 100, 105, 111  
Counseling 144  
English 102 or 102H, 103 or 103H  
Mathematics 078, 080/081, 105, 140, 145, 150, 160, 167, 170, 180 or 180H, 185, 204, 219 or 219H, 280, 287  
Philosophy 110 or 110H, 111, 144  
Reading 102, 150  
Social Science 219 or 219H

#### F. Lifelong Understanding and Self-Development (minimum 3 units)

**NOTE:** Take one course from each group. No more than one unit may be counted from F2.

##### 1. Completion of one of the following:

Business 130  
Counseling 100, 116, 120, 124, 125, 128  
Fashion Design Merchandising 103  
Human Development 102, 107  
Interdisciplinary Studies 111, 155  
Kinesiology, Health Education 101, 102, 104  
Kinesiology, Professional 125, 140, 160  
Library & Information Studies 100  
Mathematics 030  
Nutrition & Food 115 or 115H  
Philosophy 111  
Psychology 140, 230  
Sociology 112  
Study Skills 109

##### 2. Completion of one of the following:

Dance 102, 201A, 201B, 206A, 206B, 219A, 219B  
Kinesiology, Activities 107, 107A, 123, 140, 150, 155, 160, 169, 170, 200, 211, 220A, 220B, 220C, 226, 235, 236, 260, 260A, 260B, 262, 265, 265A, 265B, 290, 292  
Kinesiology, Adapted Activities 201, 202, 202A, 202B, 205, 208, 208A, 208B, 211, 211A, 211B  
Kinesiology, Aerobic Fitness 140, 143, 144, 146, 146A, 146B, 150, 156, 156A, 156B, 157  
Kinesiology, Aquatics 201, 204, 206  
Kinesiology, Fitness 100, 101A, 101B, 101C, 102, 109A, 109B, 109C, 110A, 110B, 110C, 115A, 115B, 115C, 126A, 126B, 126C, 127A, 127B, 127C, 147A, 147B  
Kinesiology, Intercollegiate Athletics 103, 124, 125, 128, 133, 134, 171, 201, 202, 204, 206, 207, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 223, 227, 231, 232, 240, 261, 262, 270, 271, 281, 291,  
Kinesiology, Professional 155, 165, 175, 200

This requirement (F) is met for Fire Technology (as long as Fire Technology 121 and 121L are taken as part of the program), Nursing, and Occupational Therapy Assistant by completion of the major.



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

### REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ASSOCIATE IN ARTS FOR TRANSFER (AA-T) OR ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE FOR TRANSFER (AS-T)

California Community Colleges are now offering associate degrees for transfer to the CSU. These may include Associate in Arts (AA-T) or Associate in Science (AS-T) degrees. These degrees are designed to provide a clear pathway to a CSU major and baccalaureate degree. California Community College students who are awarded an AA-T or AS-T degree are guaranteed admission with junior standing somewhere in the CSU system and given priority admission consideration to their local CSU campus or to a program that is deemed similar to their community college major. This priority does not guarantee admission to specific majors or campuses.

Students who have been awarded an AA-T or AS-T are able to complete their remaining requirements for the 120-unit baccalaureate degree within 60 semester or 90 quarter units.

Santa Ana College currently offers several AA-T degrees. To find out which CSU campuses accept each degree, please meet with a SAC counselor. An AA-T or AS-T degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to a university or college that is not part of the CSU system. Current and prospective community college students are encouraged to meet with a counselor to review their options for transfer and to develop an educational plan that best meets their goals and needs.

For SAC majors offering an AA-T or AS-T degree students may choose to earn the AA-T or AS-T (option 2) OR an alternate degree(s) for the major (option 1), but not both. Exceptions to this can be made and will be considered for students submitting a Petition for Exception to Academic Regulation.

#### Requirements

Student completion requirements for the associate degree for transfer:

1. 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU transferable units
2. the California State University General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE Breadth); OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern
3. a minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major or area of emphasis as determined by the community college district
4. obtainment of a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0
5. earn a grade of C or better in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis

Santa Ana College currently offers the following Associate in Arts and Associate in Science for Transfer degrees:

Communication Studies  
Elementary Teacher Education  
Political Science  
Psychology  
Sociology  
Theatre Arts

See the Instructional Programs Section of this catalog for major requirements. Many more degrees were pending approval from the California Community College Chancellor's Office at the time of catalog publication