

# AA Interdisciplinary Studies: Arts and Humanities

The Interdisciplinary Studies degree is designed for students who wish to pursue broad areas of knowledge in specific interest areas. This degree is designed for students who wish to explore different disciplines (subject areas) before deciding on a definite major program prior to transferring to a four-year university, or for students who may not be planning to transfer but wish to earn a degree in a particular area of study that interests them. Students earning this AA degree analyze and evaluate the ways in which people from different cultures have expressed themselves through the Arts and Humanities.

Courses should be chosen carefully in consultation with a counselor.

A. Complete 18 units in the Arts & Humanities areas as shown below.

B. The remaining units should be chosen in consultation with a counselor to fulfill Associate Degree General Education requirements and electives for a total of 60 degree-applicable units for an Associate Degree.

## Program Learning Outcomes

Students completing this program will be able to:

1. Select, evaluate, and use information to solve problems, investigate and express a point of view, support a conclusion, engage in or assess creative expression, and explicate the intellectual connections between disciplines.
2. Use spoken and written language, source material, evidence, and artistic expression to convey an idea or set of facts according to institutional and discipline standards.
3. Demonstrate the ability to recognize and interpret multiple points of view and means of expression that emerge from a diverse world of peoples and cultures.

## AA Degree Requirements

### Major: Core and Selective Requirements

Selective Courses, choose a minimum of 18 units from the following:

#### I. Arts:

Select 9 units, courses must be selected from at least 2 disciplines: Units

ART 101	Ancient, Classical and Medieval Art History	3 units
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ART 102	Late Medieval, Renaissance and Baroque Art History	3 units
ART 103	History of Art from the Baroque Period to Post-Impressionism	3 units
ART 104	History of Modern Art	3 units
ART 204	Drawing I	3 units
ART 214	Color	3 units
ART 301	Two-Dimensional Design	3 units
DRAM 140	Introduction to the Theatre	3 units
DRAM 151	Introduction to Shakespeare I	3 units
LIT. 441	Survey of Film	3 units
LIT. 442	Film Study and Appreciation	3 units
MUS. 100	Fundamentals of Music	3 units
MUS. 202	Music Appreciation	3 units
MUS. 210	Histories of Popular Music and Rock	3 units
MUS. 240	Latin American Music	3 units
MUS. 250	World Music	3 units

#### II. Humanities

Select 9 units, courses must be selected from at least 2 disciplines: Units

DRAM 151	Introduction to Shakespeare I	3 units
ENGL 110	Composition, Literature, and Critical Thinking	3 units
ENGL 161	Creative Writing I	3 units
HIST 100	History of Western Civilization I	3 units
HIST 101	History of Western Civilization II	3 units
HIST 104	World History I	3 units
HIST 106	World History II	3 units
HIST 201	U.S. History through 1877	3 units
HIST 202	U.S. History from 1877 to the Present	3 units
HIST 245	Race, Ethnicity and Immigration in the U.S.	3 units
HIST 246	History of Latinos in the U.S.	3 units
HIST 247	Women in U.S. History	3 units
LIT. 151	Introduction to Shakespeare I	3 units
LIT. 200	American Literature	3 units
LIT. 205	New Voices in World Literature	3 units
LIT. 231	Survey of English Literature I	3 units



LIT. 232	Survey of English Literature II	3 units
LIT. 252	Women Writers: Multicultural Perspectives	3 units
LIT. 266	Black Literature	3 units
LIT. 371	Mexican-American Literature	3 units
LIT. 372	Myth and Folklore of La Raza	3 units
LIT. 373	Latin American Literature in Translation	3 units
LIT. 441	Survey of Film	3 units
LIT. 442	Film Study and Appreciation	3 units
PHIL 100	Introduction to Philosophy	3 units
PHIL 160	History of Philosophy: Ancient and Medieval	3 units
PHIL 175	Modern Philosophy	3 units
PHIL 190	Contemporary Philosophy	3 units
PHIL 240	Introduction to Ethics	3 units
PHIL 300	Introduction to World Religions	3 units
PHIL 312	Introduction to Philosophy of Religion	3 units
SPAN 120	Advanced Elementary Spanish	5 units
SPAN 121	Advanced Elementary Spanish I	3 units
SPAN 122	Advanced Elementary Spanish II	3 units
SPAN 130	Intermediate Spanish	4 units
SPAN 140	Advanced Intermediate Spanish	4 units
SPAN 162	Latino Literature II	3 units
SPAN 220	Spanish for Heritage Speakers I	4 units
SPAN 230	Spanish for Heritage Speakers II	4 units

*Please refer to the AA/AS Degree Requirements for more information.*

