

RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

Associate Degree Requirements

2016-2017



The governing board of the Riverside Community College District shall confer the degree of associate in one of the many areas of emphasis upon the student who has demonstrated competence and who has completed the following requirements:

Residence Requirement:

In order to receive an A.A./A.S. degree from Riverside Community College District, a student must complete 15 units in residence at **one** of the colleges within the Riverside Community District.

Academic Coursework Taken at other Colleges and Universities:

Official transcripts from all schools and colleges attended must be dated within the preceding 90 days/3 months, be in their original sealed envelope, and be submitted to the Admissions and Records office at the student's home college. Course credit is accepted from all regionally accredited institutions as listed at www.collegesource.org. Credits from institutions, which are in candidacy status, will be accepted after full accreditation is granted. The two years preceding full accreditation will also be applicable towards the AA/AS Degree. Honors for graduation will be calculated in the same manner.

Grade Point Average Requirement:

A student must have a minimum grade point average of not less than 2.0 ("C" average) in work taken at Riverside Community College District. In addition, over-all grade point average, including units from both RCCD and work attempted at all accredited colleges attended, must be not less than 2.0.

Basic Skills Competency Requirements:

A. Mathematics Competency: Students must demonstrate minimum proficiency in mathematics by the successful completion of a Riverside Community College District mathematics course with a "C" or higher selected from Math 1-36 and MAT 53 (excluding MAT-32), or the equivalent [CLEP, AP/IB Exams, Credit by Exam, other pathways such as Completion Counts, courses from other colleges/universities, placement above Math 35, or Early Assessment Test (EAP for CSU)

B. Reading Competency: Students must demonstrate proficiency in reading by:

- (1) a satisfactory score on RCCD's placement test equivalent to placement in college level reading **OR**
- (2) completion of Reading 83 with a "C" or higher **OR**
- (3) a minimum grade of "C" in each general education course **OR**
- (4) satisfactory reading score on a standardized reading test approved by the English department. Students who do not meet Moreno Valley College's reading competency requirement should enroll in a reading class within their first 18 units undertaken at the college.
- (5) Students who have completed an Associate's or higher degree at an accredited institution are exempt from the reading competency requirement. Waivers may also be granted on a case-by-case basis.

C. English Competency: Students must demonstrate basic competency in writing by successfully completing the general education requirements of English 1A or 1AH with a "C" grade or better.

Petition for Graduation:

Students may apply for degrees and certificates during the following application periods:

Summer—First day of summer term through July 15 to apply for summer 2016, fall 2016, winter 2017, and spring 2017

Fall—First day of fall term through Oct. 15 to apply for fall 2016, winter 2017, spring 2017

Winter—First day of winter term through Feb. 1 to apply for winter 2017, spring 2017

Spring—First day of spring term through April 1 to apply for spring 2017

Students who apply during these periods may participate in the Commencement ceremony as long as they are missing no more than 9 units to graduate.

Second Degrees:

Students may earn one Associate of Arts Degree, one Associate of Science (General A.S.) Degree, one Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) and any occupational Associate in Science Degree for which they qualify. This means that a student may qualify for more than one degree during any one given term. Students who complete and apply for a degree within the same academic year will be awarded the degree effective the term in which all requirements are met. Students who have met degree requirements in a previous academic year and have not maintained continuous enrollment will be awarded the degree in the term in which the application is submitted, provided all current requirements are met.

Catalog Rights:

Graduation requirements apply to students who are enrolled for any term (summer, fall, winter, spring) indicated by this catalog ~ summer 16 through spring 17. Students who enrolled prior to this current year and who have maintained continuous enrollment have the option of meeting the current requirements or those in effect at the time their continuous enrollment began. Continuous enrollment is defined as attendance of one term during each academic year.

Scholastic Honors at Commencement:

Honors at commencement will be awarded to students with a cumulative GPA of 3.30 or higher. Their names are listed in the commencement program as receiving the Associate Degree with Distinction (3.30 GPA) or with Great Distinction (3.70 GPA). A gold tassel will be worn by students graduating with honors. Coursework taken during the final spring semester will not be used to calculate honors at commencement. Grade point averages are not rounded up. The cumulative GPA includes coursework taken at Riverside Community College District and at all other accredited institutions.

Dean's List:

Each semester, those students who have demonstrated outstanding scholastic achievement by completing at least 12 units of credit-graded work in one semester or 12 units of credit-graded work earned in no more than one academic year (fall, winter and spring, with summer being excluded) with a grade point average of 3.0 or better (completed units will be considered only once for a particular Dean's List) will be recognized by a letter from the Dean of Instruction.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

General education is designed to introduce students to a breadth of study through which people comprehend the modern world. It reflects the conviction of Riverside Community College District that those who receive their degrees must possess in common certain basic principles, concepts and methodologies both unique to and shared by the various disciplines. Students must complete a minimum of 22 semester units as outlined in the following categories. Special workshop classes (numbered in the 100 series) cannot be used to fulfill general education requirements. The following basic skills courses are non-degree applicable: English 60AB, 60A1, 60A2, 60A3, 60A4, 80, 90B; English as a Second Language 51, 52, 53, 71, 72, 90 A-K, 91, 92, 95; Mathematics 37, 52, 63, 64, 65, 90A-F, 98; and Reading 81, 82, 83, 86, 87, 95.

The following courses are also non-degree applicable: Computer Applications and Office Technology 99ABCDE; English 85; English as a Second Language 65; Nursing (Continuing Education) 81, 83.

Each student has 3 options for completing general education for graduation.

Option 1: RCCD General Education Outlined on the next page (22 Units Min)

Option 2: California State University General Education "CSU GE" requirements. (Option B)

Option 3: The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum "IGETC" requirements. (Option C)

All three options require the additional degree requirements of HES 1 and either 2 kinesiology activity courses or a 3 unit kinesiology lecture course. Exempted from these additional requirements are students completing an ADT degree Associates Degree for Transfer. Please make an appointment to complete a comprehensive student educational plan "SEP", early in your academic year to ensure you are following the correct GE option for your educational goal.

OPTION 1; RCCD GENERAL EDUCATION

A. Natural Sciences (3 units)

- ___ Anatomy & Physiology 2A,2B,10
- ___ Anthropology 1, 1H
- ___ Astronomy 1A,1B
- ___ Biology 1, 1H,2A,2B,3,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,14,15,17,30,31A,31B,34,36
- ___ Chemistry 1A or 1AH,1B or 1BH,2A,2B,3,10,12A,12B,17
- ___ Geography 1,1/1L,1H,1H/1L,5
- ___ Geology 1,1/1L,1B,2,3,30A,30B,31,32
- ___ Microbiology 1
- ___ Oceanography 1,1/1L
- ___ Physical Science 1,5
- ___ Physics 2A, 2B, 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D, 10, 11
- ___ Psychology 2

B. Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 units)

1. American Institutions (3 units)

- ___ History 6 or 6H,7 or 7H,15,26,28,29,30,31,34,53 or
- ___ Political Science 1 or 1H,5

2. Social and Behavioral Sciences (3 units)

- ___ Anthropology 2,3,4,5,6,7,8
- ___ EAR 20
- ___ Economics 4,5,6,7 or 7H,8 or 8H
- ___ Geography 2,3,4,6
- ___ History 1,2,4,5,11,12,14,19,21,22,23,25,35,40,53
- ___ Human Services 4,5,6,7,8,13,14,16,18,19
- ___ Political Science 2 or 2H, 3, 4, 4H,6,7,,8,10,11,12,13,14;
- ___ Psychology 1,8,9,33,35 ;
- ___ Sociology 1,2,3,10,12,15,17,20,22,23,45,50

C. Humanities (3 units)

- ___ American Sign Language 1
- ___ Architecture/Engineering 36
- ___ Art (any course)
- ___ Communication Studies 7
- ___ Dance 3,4,5,6,7,8,9
- ___ English 1B or 1BH,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18,20,23,25,26,30,35,38,39,40,41,44,45,47,48,49
- ___ Film, Television and Video (any course)
- ___ Foreign Language (any course)
- ___ History 1,2,4,5
- ___ Humanities 3,4,4H,5,5H,8,9,10,10H,11,16,18,20,23,35;
- ___ Music (any course)
- ___ Philosophy 10 or 10H,12,13,14,15,16,19,20,21,22,33,35
- ___ Photography 8
- ___ Theater Arts (any course)

D. Language and Rationality (10 units)

1. English Composition (4 units)

- ___ English 1A or 1AH ("C" grade or better)

2. Communication & Analytical Thinking (6-8 units)

- Take one course from two of the following:
- ___ Communication Studies 1 or 1H, 9 or 9H
- ___ Computer Information Systems 1A-30
- ___ English 1B or 1BH
- ___ Mathematics 1-36
- ___ Philosophy 11, Philosophy/Math 32

Option 2: CSUGE (B)(See yellow sheet) ____

Option 3; IGETC (C) (See blue sheet) ____

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

A. Health Education (3 units)

- ___ Health Science 1 (or completion of the DEH, EMS, PA program)

B. Self Development (2 or 3 units)

1. ___ KIN/DAN (2 activities courses);
OR
2. Fitness and Wellness Lecture (3 units)
___KIN 4,30,35

NOTE: Students are exempt from the Self Development requirement when they complete the Basic Peace Officer Training Academy, Firefighting Academy, EMS or Physician Assistant program or are completing an ADT for transfer.

C. Unit Requirement

A minimum of 60 units of college work, of which 18 semester units are in one of the ten areas of emphasis listed below.

Associate of Arts:

1. ADMIN. & INFORMATION SYSTEMS (AA494)

Administration/Information Systems entails the study of theories, procedures and practices and the acquisition of skills necessary to function productively in an administrative work environment. Career paths chosen by students pursuing undergraduate studies in Administration/Information Systems typically include managerial positions in business and the public sector, administrative support positions, customer service, sales, accounting/bookkeeping and public relations. Students completing associate degrees in Administration/Information Systems may obtain entry-level positions in the above career fields or may choose to transfer to a four-year college or university to pursue a bachelor's degree in business, accounting, public administration, management information systems or related fields.

The student must successfully complete 18 units of study with a Grade of 'C' or better or a 'P' if taken on a 'pass-no pass' basis.

INCLUDED DISCIPLINES and COURSES:

Required Courses (9 units, selected from the following):

Accounting (ACC) 1A; Business (BUS) 10,**18A,**18B,20,22,80; Communication Studies (COM) 1,1H,6,9,9H,12,13; Computer Information Systems (CIS) 1A,1B,2,3,5; Computer Applications and Office Technology (CAT) 3,31; Economics (ECO) 4,6,7,7H,8; Library (LIB) 1; Management (MAG) 44; Marketing (MKT) 20; Political Science (POL) 6,8

Elective Courses (9 additional units, selected from):

Accounting (ACC) 1A,1B,38; Business (BUS) 10,**18A,**18B,20,22,80; Communication Studies (COM) 1,1H,6,9,9H,12,13; Computer Information Systems (CIS) 1A,1B,2,3,5; Computer Applications and Office Technology (CAT) 3,31; Economics (ECO) 4,6,7,7H,8; Library (LIB) 1; Management (MAG) 44; Marketing (MKT) 20; Political Science (POL) 6,8

2. COMM., MEDIA & LANGUAGES (AA495)

Communications is the study of how humans construct meanings through interactions. Courses in this area may focus on the knowledge and skills needed to communicate effectively in oral, written, or visual forms; on the study of language and culture; and/or on a critical understanding of the structures and patterns of different kinds of communication as they affect individuals and society. Studies in *Communication, Media and Languages* is designed for students interested in pursuing further studies in English, Journalism, Mass Communication, Media Studies, Speech Communication, and World Languages at four-year colleges and universities. It may be useful for students interested in pursuing careers in communications, graphic design, journalism, law, marketing, public relations, radio and television, translating, and writing, among others.

The student must successfully complete 18 units of study across 3 disciplines; 9 units must be taken in a single discipline with a grade of 'C' or better or a 'P' if taken on a 'pass-no pass' basis.

INCLUDED DISCIPLINES AND COURSES:

Anthropology (ANT) 8; Applied Digital Media (ADM) 1; Communication Studies (COM) 1,1H,2,3,5,6,7,9,9H,11,12,13,19; English (ENG) 1A,1AH,1B,1BH,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,23,25,26,30,35,38,39,40,41,44,45,48,49; Film Studies (FTS) 1, 2, 3,4,5,6,7,8; Film, Television and Video (FTV) 12,44,45,65; Journalism (JOU) 1,2,7,12,20,52A, 52B, 52C, 52D; Library (LIB) 1; Photography (PHO) 12; World Languages: Arabic (ARA) 1,2,3,8,11; American Sign Language (AML) 1,2,3,4,5,10,11,12,13,14,20,21,22,23; Chinese (CHI) 1,2,11; French (FRE) 1,2,3,4,8,11; German (GER) 1,2,3,11; Greek (GRK) 1,2; Italian (ITA) 1,2,3,11; Japanese (JPN) 1,2,3,4,11; Korean (KOR) 1,2,11; Latin (LAT) 1,2; Portuguese (POR) 1,2; Russian (RUS) 1,2,3,11; Spanish (SPA) 1, 1A, 1B, 1H, 2, 2H, 3, 3N, 4, 8, 11, 12, 13.

3. FINE & APPLIED ARTS (AA496)

The associate degree in Fine & Applied Arts offers a rich variety of courses to acquaint students with the creation of and performance in the arts from a global perspective. The courses in this area examine the nature of the fine and applied arts through analysis, synthesis, composition, performance and technical development. Students will develop techniques appropriate to the art form, engage in the production and performance of the arts, examine aesthetic valuing, and participate in creative expressing. This area of emphasis is designed for students interested in exploring a variety of art forms including digital media, creative writing, dance, film, graphic design, music, photography, communication studies, television, theatre, video and the arts.

The student must successfully complete 18 units of study across a maximum of 3 disciplines with 9 units from a single discipline and with a grades of 'C' or better or a 'P' if taken on a 'pass-no pass' basis.

INCLUDED DISCIPLINES AND COURSES:

Applied Digital Media (ADM): 1,*30,*64,*67,*68,*70,*71,*72,*74,*76,*77A,*77B,80,*88,*89,200; Art (ART) 1,2,2H,5,6,6H,7,8,9,10,12,15,16,17,18,20,21,22,23,24,25,26,27,28,30,34,35,36,38,39,40,41,42,43,44A,44B,44C,45,46,47,48,49,200.(COM)1,1H,2,3,7,11,19;(DAN):3,4,5,6,7,8,9,D9,D10,D11,D12,D13,D14, D15-D25,D30-D34D37-D39,D43-D51,D60.

English (ENG): 11,12,13, 17,38,39,49; Film, Television, and Video (FTV): 38,41,42,43,44,45,46,48,51,52,53,60,63,64,65,66,67,68,69,70,71,72;(MUS)3,4,5,6,8A,8B,9,10,19,222,3,25,26,27,28,29,30,31,32A,32B,32C,32D,33,35,36,37,38,39,41,42,43, 44,48,49,50,51,52,53,54,55,57,58,61,65,68-70,73,77,81-84,87,89,92,93,94,P12, P36,P44, P94; Photography (PHO): 8,9,10,17,20,200; Theatre (THE): 2,3,4,5,6,25,26,29,30,32,33,34,35,36,37,38,39,41,44,46,48,49,50,51,52,54

4. HUMANITIES, PHILOSOPHY, & ARTS (AA497)

Humanities, Philosophy, and Arts examines human values and experience within a wide range of cultures, across the globe, and over the course of history. Students will study, interpret, and evaluate classic works in architecture, art, literature, music, philosophy, religion, rhetoric and the theater, and they will encounter questions to which there are multiple plausible answers. The study of language, philosophy, and rhetoric provides crucial tools for understanding and interpreting human knowledge and experience. Students pursuing the program in the *Humanities, Philosophy, and Arts* will enhance their skills in critical thinking and both oral and written communication. The *Humanities, Philosophy, and Arts* program prepares students for further study in the arts, history, humanities, literature, philosophy, speech communication and/or world languages at a four-year baccalaureate institution and provides an excellent foundation for students interested in administration, communications, law, public service, and teaching.

The student must successfully complete 18 units of study across 3 disciplines; 9 units must be taken in a single discipline. Up to 3 units may be taken in a studio course. The 18 units must be completed with a grade of 'C' or better or a 'P' if taken on a 'pass-no pass' basis.

INCLUDED DISCIPLINES AND COURSES:

Anthropology (ANT): 7, 8; Architecture (ARE): 36; Art (ART): 1,2,5,6,6H,7,8,9,10,12; Communication Studies (COM): 1,1H,2,3,5,7,9,9H,11,12,13,19; Dance (DAN): 3,6; English (ENG):1B,1BH,6,7,8,9,10,14,15,16,18,23,25,26,30,35,40,41,44,45,48; Film Studies (FTS) 1, 2, 3,4,5,6,7,8; Film, TV & Video (FTV): 12,65; (GAM) 21 (HIS):1,2,4,5,6,6H,7,7H,8,9,14,15,21,22,25,26,28,29,30,31,34,35;Humanities(HUM):4,4H,5,5H,8,9,10,10H,11,16,18,23,35; Library (LIB): 1; (MUS) 19,20,21,22,25,26,89; (PHI): 10,10H,12,13,14,15,19,20,21,22,32,33,35; Political Science (POL): 11; Theatre (THE): 3, 29; World Language, including: Arabic (ARA): 1,2,3,8,11; American Sign (AML): 1,2,3,4,5,10,11,12,13,14,20,21,22,23; Chinese (CHI): 1,2,11; French (FRE): 1,2,3,4,8,11; German (GER): 1,2,3,11; Greek (GRK): 1,2; Italian (ITA): 1,2,3,11; Japanese (JPN): 1,2,3,4,11; Korean (KOR): 1,2,11; Latin (LAT): 1,2; Portuguese(POR): 1,2; Russian (RUS): 1,2,3,11; (SPA)1,1A,1B,1H,2,2H,3,3N,4,8,11,12,13,*51,*52,*53

Applicable studio courses include (Note that some classes are less than three units.) ART (ART) 15,16,17,18,20,21,22,23,24,25,26,27,28,30,34,35,36,38,39-41,42,43,44,45,46,47,48,49,200;(DAN)7,8,9,D9,D102525D25,D30-D34,D37, D38,D39,D43-D50,D51,D60-67; English (ENG) 11,12,17,38; Music (MUS): 8A,8B,9,10,12,28-32D 33, 35-39, 41-44, 48-55, 57,58,61,65,68-73, 77,78,79,81-84, 92,94 P12, P30, P44, P84; Theatre (THE) 2,4,5,6,25,26,30,32,33,34,35,36,37, 38,41,50,51,52,54.

5. PE, HEALTH & WELLNESS (AA498)

These courses emphasize the principles for the growth and development of a healthy lifestyle. Students will acquire the knowledge and understanding of these principles to integrate and promote personal, individual or group behavior conducive to the maintenance or restoration of mental and physical wellness. This emphasis will provide students with an understanding of physical skills and their development related to physical activity, exercise and sport. Students will also acquire knowledge of decision making and problem solving strategies for self-management as it pertains to leading a productive and healthful lifestyle. This area of emphasis is designed for students interested in making positive life choices and in the study of health, nutrition, and wellness; physical education/kinesiology; athletic training; sport performance, officiating and coaching; career planning and life management; and the biology, anatomy and physiology of the human body.

Students who work closely with their counselor may use this emphasis area to prepare to transfer to four year institutions in majors such as Health Science, Nutrition, Physical Education/Kinesiology, Exercise Science, and Recreation and Leisure Studies. Some careers such as Athletic Trainer, Physical Therapist, Exercise Physiologist, Sport Nutritionist, and Physical Education and Health Education teachers may require education beyond the Bachelor's Degree.

The student must successfully complete 18 units of study with a grade of 'C' or better or a 'P' if taken on a 'pass-no pass' basis.

INCLUDED DISCIPLINES AND COURSES:

Required Courses (take 3 units in each of the two disciplines):

Health Science (HES): 1

Kinesiology/academic courses (KIN): 4,6,8,10,12,16,17,18, 24,25,26,27,28,29,30,33,34,35,36,38,47

Elective Courses (12 additional units, selected from the following):

Anatomy and Physiology (AMY): 2A,2B, 10; Biology (BIO): 17, 30,34; Early Childhood Education (EAR) 26; Guidance (GUI): 45,46,47,48; Kinesiology/academic courses (KIN): 4,6,8,10, 12,16,17,18,24,25,26,27,28,29,30,33,34,35,36,38,47
Kinesiology/activity courses (KIN): A03,A04,A05,A07,A09, A10,A11,A12,A13,A15,A16,A17,A20,A21,A28,A29,A30,A31,A3 3,A34,A36,A40,A41,A43,A44,A46,A47,A50,A51,A52,A53,A5 4,A55,A57,A60,A61,A62A,A63,A64,A67, A68,A69,A70,A74,A75,A77,A78,A80,A81,A82,A83,A85,A86 ,A87,A88,A89,A90,A92,A94,A95; Kinesiology/varsity courses (KIN): V01,V02,V04,V05,V06,V07,V08,V09,V10, V11,V12,V14,V18,V19,V20,V21,V22,V23,V24,V25,V26, V33, V34, V50, V51, V53, V60, V61, V70,V78, V94, V95.

A course may only be counted once except for KIN activity or varsity courses.

6. SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL STUDIES (AA499)

Social and Behavioral Studies is a collection of academic disciplines dedicated to the scholarly study of the human experience. As a comprehensive and multidisciplinary area of study, Social and Behavioral Studies will afford the student an opportunity to explore and examine the nature and multitude of interactive relationships amongst and between individuals and between the individual and their social environment; ranging from the development of the individual, to the nuances of interpersonal interaction, to the dynamic structures of national and global communities. Ultimately, the student of Social and Behavioral Studies will gain a heightened awareness of the nature of their individuality, attain a greater understanding and appreciation of the complexities and diversity of the world in which they live and become better equipped to succeed in an increasingly diverse and complex society.

Career paths typically chosen by undergraduate students emphasizing Social and Behavioral Studies include: Law Enforcement, Law, Human Relations, Human Resources, Social Work, Professional Childcare and Public Service Agencies, Teaching across the educational and academic spectrum, Consultation in the public and private sectors, Governmental Advisors, Speechwriting, and both domestic and international business professions.

The student must successfully complete 18 units of study across a minimum of 3 disciplines listed below with a grade of 'C' or better or a 'P' if taken on a 'pass-no pass' basis.

INCLUDED DISCIPLINES AND COURSES:

Administration of Justice/Justice Studies (ADJ): 1,2,3,4,5,8,9,13,14,15,30;

Administration of Justice/Law Enforcement (ADJ): 6, 16, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25;

Anthropology (ANT): 1, 1H, 2,2H3,4,5,6,7,8,10,21;

Communication Studies (COM): 1,1H,2,3,5,6,9,9H,12,13;

Early Childhood Studies (EAR): 19,20,25, 28,33,40,42,43,47;

Economics (ECO) 4,5,6,7,7H,8;

Geography (GEG): 2, 3, 4, 6;

Guidance (GUI) 47

History (HIS) 1,2,4,5, 6, 6H, 7, 7H, 21, 22, 35

Human Services (HMS) 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 16, 18, 19

Library Science (LIB): 1; Political Science

(POL)1,1H,2,2H,3,4,4H,5,6,7,ABCD,8,10,ABCD,11,12,13,14;

Psychology (PSY): 1, 2, 8, 9, 33, 35;

Sociology (SOC): 11H, 2, 3, 10, 12, 15, 20, 22, 25, 45, 50

Associate of Arts continued:

7. AMERICAN STUDIES (MAA492)

American Studies examines the American experience from the colonial period of the United States to the present. Students will study, interpret, and evaluate events, cultural products, and trends in American economic, political, and social history as well as in American architecture, art, literature, music, religion, and they will evaluate questions to which there are multiple plausible interpretations. Students pursuing the program in American Studies will enhance their skills in critical thinking and both oral and written communication. The American Studies program prepares students for further study in the English/literature, history, political science, and sociology at a four-year baccalaureate institution and provides an excellent foundation for students interested in administration, communications, law, public service, and teaching.

The student must complete 18 units of study across a maximum of three disciplines including at least one two-semester sequence with a grade of "C" or better or a "P" if the course is taken on a "pass-no pass" basis.

Take one of these two-semester sequences (6 units):

English (ENG): 14 and 15

History (HIS): 6/6H and 7/7H, 11 and 12, 14 and 15, 28 and 29, 30 and 31

Elective courses: (12 additional units, selected from the following):

American Sign Language (AML): 22

English (ENG): 14, 15, 18, 20, 25, 47

Film, Television and Video (FTV): 12

Economics (ECO): 7, 7H

History (HIS): 6/6H, 7/7H, 11, 12, 14, 15, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 34

Humanities (HUM): 9, 11, 16

Music (MUS): 25, 26, 89

Philosophy (PHI): 19

Political Science (POL): 1/1H, 5, 12, 13

Sociology (SOC): 2, 3, 15, 22

A course may only be counted once in the major area.

Courses may be double counted for

GE/IGETC/CSUGE

8. MUSIC (MAA564)

The Associates in Arts degree in Music from Moreno Valley College offers students a systematic plan of study for developing skills in music theory, musicianship, music literature, collaborative performance, and keyboard proficiency. The program provides students with broad knowledge of the field of film music and/or Western musical history through listening and writing and opportunities to focus on preparation for specific career paths, such as music therapy, musicology, independent studio teaching, or general music. Students planning to transfer to a four-year institution and major in music should consult with a counselor regarding the transfer process and lower division requirements.

Required Courses (18 units) 12 units from core and 6 units from emphasis.

Core Requirements (12 units)

MUS-4 Music Theory I

MUS-22 Survey of Music Literature

MUS-19 Music Appreciation or MUS 26 Film Music Appreciation

Electives (2-3 units) from this list

MUS-30 Class Voice

MUS-31 College Choir

MUS-32 Class Piano

MUS-37 Class Guitar

MUS-38 Beginning Applied Music Training

MUS-57 Gospel Singers

MUS-58 Gospel Choir

MUS-77 Guitar Ensemble

In addition choose and complete courses from one emphasis below:

Music History Emphasis

Core Requirements (12 units) plus units below (6 units)

MUS-20 Great Composers and Masterpieces

MUS-21 Great Composers/Music Masterpieces Music

Therapy Emphasis

Core Requirements (12 units) plus units below (6 units)

MUS-5 Music Theory II

MUS-32A-D Class Piano (course must be taken two times)

General Music Emphasis

Core Requirements (12 units) plus units below (6 units)

MUS-5 Music Theory II

Electives (choose from the list below)

Electives (2 units)

MUS-29 Concert Choir

MUS-30 Class Voice

MUS-31 College Choir

MUS-32A-D Class Piano

MUS-37 Class Guitar

MUS-38 Beginning Applied Music Training

MUS-53 Keyboard Proficiency

MUS-57 Gospel Singers

MUS-70 Guitar Lab Ensemble

MUS-71 College Chorus

MUS-77 Guitar Ensemble

MUS 83 Advanced Chamber Choir

Associate of Science:

9. CAREER AND TECHNICAL PROGRAMS

The Associate in Science degree in career and technical programs will be awarded upon completion of the requirements for the certificate or program of 18 units or more plus completion of the general education pattern A, B or C and the graduation requirements as described in the catalog, as well as electives, totaling 60 units of college work as required for the associate degree.

10. MATH AND SCIENCE (AS493)

These courses emphasize the natural sciences, which examine the physical universe, its life forms, and its natural phenomena. Courses in Math emphasize mathematical, analytical, and reasoning skills beyond the level of intermediate algebra. Courses in science emphasize an understanding of the process of science and the scientific method. All courses emphasize the use of mathematics and science as investigative tools, the role of mathematics and science as part of human civilization and society, and the inherent value of both inductive and deductive reasoning as part of the human experience.

This area of emphasis is designed for general education students, as well as students interested in mathematics or science as a possible career path, with career opportunities included in mathematics, chemistry, physics, biology, ecological/earth sciences, geology, engineering, computer science, electronics, oceanography, microbiology, kinesiology/exercise science and the medical sciences.

The student must successfully complete 18 units of study with a grade of 'C' or better or a 'P' if taken on a 'pass-no pass' basis.

Required Courses (take one course in each of the 3 categories, including one course with a lab):

Mathematics (MAT): 1A, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 26

Physical Sciences: Astronomy (AST) 1A, Chemistry (CHE) 1A,1AH, 2A,10, Geography (GEG) 1,1H,1L, Geology (GEO) 1,1L,3, Oceanography (OCE) 1, Physical Science (PHS) 1, Physics (PHY) 2A,4A

Life Sciences: Anatomy & Physiology (AMY) 2A, Biology (BIO) 1, 2A, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 34, 36, Microbiology (MIC) 1

Elective Courses (The remaining units may be taken from any of the following courses):

Anatomy and Physiology (AMY): 2A,2B,10; Anthropology (ANT) 1, 1H; Astronomy (AST): 1A,1B; Biology (BIO) 1,2A, 2B,3,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,17,30,34,36; Chemistry (CHE): 1A, 1AH,1B,1BH,2A,2B,3,10,12A,12B,17; Computer Information Systems (CIS): 5,17A,17B,17C,18A,18B,18C; Electronics (ELE): 21,22,23,24,25; Engineering (ENE): 1A,1B,10,21,22,23, 26,27,28,30,31,35; Geography (GEG): 1,1L,1H,5; Geology (GEO): 1,1L,1B,3; Geographic Information Systems (GIS): 1; Health Science (HES): 1; Mathematics (MAT): 1A,1B,1C,2,3, 4,5,10,11,12,26, 32,36; Microbiology (MIC): 1; Oceanography (OCE): 1,1L; Physical Science (PHS): 1,5,17; Physics (PHY): 2A,2B,4A,4B,4C,4D,10,11; Psychology (PSY): 2

*A course may only be counted once
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Associate Degrees for Transfer:

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. To view the most current list of Moreno Valley College Associate Degrees for Transfer and to find out which CSU campuses accept each degree, please go to:

<http://californiacommunitycolleges.cccco.edu/Student/AssociateDegreeforTransfer.aspx>.

Students are encouraged to meet with a Moreno Valley College counselor to review their options for transfer and to develop an educational plan that best meets their goals and needs. If you are applying to the CSU and check the box on the CSU application that you will be receiving this particular degree, there is a set of verification dates required by the CSU. Please make sure you know these dates to qualify for transfer guarantee.

Moreno Valley College currently offers the following Associate Degrees for Transfer: Please view additional information on the individual major sheets for the following 16 ADT's and make an appointment with an MVC counselor early in your educational pursuit.

ADT's offered:

Anthropology

Biology

Business Administration

Communications

Computer Science

Early Childhood Education

English

History

Mathematics

Music

Philosophy

Political Science

Psychology

Sociology

Spanish

Studio Arts