

8. Apply and relate their understanding of international trade and initiatives to develop multiple perspective on globalization issues and their impact on economic decision makers.

AWARD	TYPE	GRAD PLAN	REQ COURSES UNITS	TOTAL UNITS
Global Studies	AA	GE/IGETC/CSU	27	64-66+
+ At least 64-67 degree applicable units are required to earn an Associate Degree.				

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREES

Global Studies

MAJOR CODE: 2210.00

(27 units)

REQUIRED COURSES	UNITS
ECON 11 Economics Globalization	3
ENGLISH 204 World Literature	3
PHILOS 33 Comparative Study of World Religions	3
POLI SCI 7 International Relations	3
POLISCI 60 Intro to Globalization	3
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	15

RESTRICTIVE ELECTIVES (4 COURSES*)	UNITS
ART 141 Introduction of African Art	3
ASIAN 3 People and Cultures of Asia	3
GEOG 2 Cultural Elements of Geography	3
HISTORY 27 History of Africa	3
HISTORY 87 Intro to World Civilization II	3
POLI SCI 14 Politics of the Middle East	3
POLI SCI 2 Comparative Politics	3
POLISCI 17 Gov't Politics of Latin America	3
SPANISH 10 Latin American Civilization	3
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	12*

*Any four courses totaling 12 units

RECOMMENDED COURSE ELECTIVES	UNITS
Two semesters of a foreign language are recommended with the AA in Global Studies.	
ARABIC 2 Elementary Arabic II	5
ARABIC I Elementary Arabic I	5
CHINESE 1 Elementary Chinese I	5
CHINESE 2 Elementary Chinese II	5

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FRENCH 1	Elementary French I	5
FRENCH 2	Elementary French II	5
JAPANESE 1	Elementary Japanese I	5
JAPANESE 2	Elementary Japanese II	5
SPANISH 1	Elementary Spanish I	5
SPANISH 2	Elementary Spanish II	5

For RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE consult a WLAC counselor.

HEALTH SCIENCE

HEALTH SCIENCES DIVISION

The Associate of Science in Health Science (ASHS) is a degree for students who wish to transfer to a four-year institution or complete entrance requirements for health career programs. These career options include, but are not limited to, nursing, radiological sciences, physical therapy, occupational therapy, respiratory therapy and dental hygiene. The degree offers students a broad general education, and provides basic knowledge in microbiology, human anatomy, chemistry, physiology, and nutrition. Students should consult with a counselor regarding specific course requirements for the particular educational and career goal.

To earn an Associate of Science Degree in Health Science, students must complete each required course with a "C" grade or higher and complete all general education requirements as listed in the catalog.

Students are encouraged to consult with a counselor to develop a Comprehensive Educational Plan for the ASHS degree and general education requirements. It is recommended that students who intend to transfer select the IGETC or CSU GE educational plan.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES (PLOs):

- Apply evidence based models to evaluate scientific literature and other health related concepts.
- Critically analyze factors that influence human health, public health policy, socio-economics, and scientific data that contribute to health disparities.

ATTENTION TRANSFER STUDENTS

NOTE: Students expecting to transfer to four-year institutions should see a West Los Angeles College counselor and consult the catalogs of transfer institutions regarding specific requirements for upper-division standing.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

- Use scientific knowledge to efficaciously affect change in the health of local and global communities.
- Integrate professional and ethical standards with a commitment to lifelong learning.

AWARD	TYP E	GRAD PLAN	REQ COURSES UNITS	TOTAL UNITS
Health Science	AA	GE/IGETC/CSU	24	60+
+ At least 60 degree applicable units (118 total major units) are required to earn an Associate Degree.				

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE

Health Science

MAJOR CODE: 1260.00

(24 Units, GE Plan) + All other West requirements for Associate Degree.

REQUIRED COURSES	UNITS
ANATOMY 1 Introduction to Human Anatomy	4
BIOLOGY 003 Introduction to Biology	4
OR	
BIOLOGY 3A Introduction to Biology	3
AND	
BIOLOGY 3B Introduction to Biology Lab	1
CHEM 60 Introduction to General Chemistry	5
OR	
CHEM 51 Fundamentals of Chemistry	5
OR	
CHEM 101 General Chemistry	5
MCRO 20 General Microbiology	4
PHYSIOL 1 Introduction to Human Physiology	4
FCS 21 Nutrition	3
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	24

SUGGESTED GENERAL ED COURSES:	UNITS
ANTRO 102 Cultural Anthropology	3
COMM 101 Public Speaking	3
MATH 125 Intermediate Algebra	5
PSYCH 1 General Psychology	3
PSYCH 41 Life Span Psychology	3
SOC 1 Introduction to Sociology	3

For *RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE* consult a *WLAC counselor*.

HISTORY

SOCIAL SCIENCE DIVISION



Associate Degree
for Transfer
A Degree with a Guarantee.SM

The Associate in Arts in History for Transfer (AA-T) is a degree that provides a solid lower-division preparation for students who intend to transfer to a California State University (CSU) for a bachelor's degree in History. This degree is designed to provide a clear pathway to a CSU and guarantee admissions to a CSU. Although, students are guaranteed admissions, it is not to any particular campus or program in the CSU system. Students will be required to meet with a counselor for specific university major preparation at the college of their choice in order to facilitate a seamless transition. . This coursework will satisfy the lower division Economics requirements at some of the CSU campuses. Information on which campuses accept this degree can be found at <http://www.sb1440.org/>

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE for TRANSFER (AA-T)

MAJOR CODE: 2205.00

REQUIRED COURSES	UNITS
HIST 11 Political and Social History of the U.S. I	3
HIST 12 Political and Social History of the U.S. II	3

LIST A: SELECT TWO COURSES	(6 UNITS)
HIST 86 Introduction to World Civilization I	3
OR	
HIST 1 Introduction to Western Civilization I	3
HIST 87 Introduction to World Civilization II	3
OR	
HIST 2 Introduction to Western Civilization II	3

LIST B: SELECT ONE COURSE FROM EACH AREA	(6 UNITS) AREA 1	(3 UNITS):
HIST 86 Introduction to World Civilization	3	
OR		
HIST 87 Introduction to Western Civilization	3	
HIST 43 The Mexican American in the History of the U.S. I	3	
HIST 44 The Mexican American in the History of the U.S. II	3	

AREA 2	(3 UNITS):
Psych 001 General Psychology	3
OR	
Sociology 001 Introduction to Sociology	3

TOTAL UNITS FOR MAJOR	18
TOTAL UNITS THAT MAY BE DOUBLE COUNTED	12-15
GENERAL EDUCATION	
(CSU GE OR IGETC) UNITS	37-39
ELECTIVES	15-20
TOTAL DEGREE UNITS	60

The Associate of Arts degree in History includes coursework that aligns with specific lower-division major requirements for the History major at various universities within the University of California (UC) and California State University (CSU) systems.

Students interested in transferring to a four-year college or university with a major in History may also consider the Associate of Arts degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences (Behavioral and

Social Sciences emphasis). Students are encouraged to visit the Transfer Center for complete information regarding transfer requirements for the institution of their choice. Students interested in transfer are also encouraged to consult the Counseling Office for individualized educational planning.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES (PLOs):

- Evaluate how the past relates to the present.
- Utilize evidence from the past and the present to formulate and support constructive arguments in both written and verbal form.
- Attain cultural/historic literacy: student will possess knowledge of the key patterns, themes, events, and figures of the past, across the entire sociocultural spectrum.
- Develop successful skills that will enable the student to interpret a history text, listen attentively to a lecture, take effective notes, turn in work and attend class punctually, and follow a syllabus.
- Be informed citizens who play active roles in the improvement of society at the local, state, and national levels.

AWARD	TYPE	GRAD PLAN	REQ COURSES UNITS	TOTAL UNITS
History	AA	Plan A	18	60+
History	AS-T	CSU/IGETC	18	60*
+ At least 60 degree applicable units (18 total major units) are required to earn an Associate Degree.				
* Required course units and completion of CSU Breadth or IGETC Requirements.				

ATTENTION TRANSFER STUDENTS

NOTE: Students expecting to transfer to four-year institutions should see a West Los Angeles College counselor and consult the catalogs of transfer institutions regarding specific requirements for upper-division standing.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE

History

MAJOR CODE: 2205.00

(18 Units, Plan A) + All other West requirements for Associate Degree.

REQUIRED COURSES	UNITS
HISTORY 1 Introduction to Western Civilization I	3
OR	
HISTORY 86 Introduction to World Civilization I	3
HISTORY 2 Introduction to Western Civilization II	3
OR	
HISTORY 87 Introduction to World Civilization II	3
HISTORY 11 Political & Social History of the U.S. I	3
OR	
HISTORY 41 African American in the History of U.S. I	3
HISTORY 12 Political & Social History of the U.S. II	3
OR	
HISTORY 42 African American in the History of U.S. II	3
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	12

AT LEAST 6 UNITS FROM THE FOLLOWING:	UNITS
ANTHRO 101 Human Biological Evolution	3
OR	
ANTHRO 102 Human Ways of Life: Cultural Anthropology	3
ECON 1 Principles of Economics I	3
GEOG 1 Physical Geography	3
POLI SCI 1 The Government of the United States	3
HISTORY 5 History of the Americas	3
HISTORY 29 Asian Civilization: The Middle East	3
HISTORY 52 The Role of Women in History of the US	3
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	18

For RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE consult a WLAC counselor.

HOSPITALITY

BUSINESS DIVISION

The Associate of Arts degree in Hospitality is primarily designed for career and technical education and workforce training/development. The curriculum is not aligned with course requirements for transfer to a specific major at a four-year college or university.

Students interested in transferring to a four-year college or university with a major in Hospitality or a related major should consult the Transfer Center or the Counseling Office for major preparation and general education requirements of the particular transfer institution of their choice.

The Hospitality program at West prepares students to enter the continuously growing world of hotels, resorts, private clubs, convention centers, meeting centers, cruise ships, entertainment venues, and other commercial settings. Hospitality's wide range of careers opens the door to a future with small or large lodging, meeting, and food service companies. The program provides both classroom and exciting on-site internships.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES (PLOs):

The effective travel/hospitality student will:

- Learn Travel Industry areas of general interest. A/D/F (Critical Thinking, Self-Awareness, Technical Competence)
- Learn places of greatest geographical interest for travelers, in various world areas. F (Technical Competence)
- Utilize sales and marketing techniques to attract travelers. B (Communication)
- Learn how to properly research travel and hospitality subjects for client assistance and counsel. B-D-F (Communication-Self Awareness-Technical Competence)
- Learn and apply quantitative aspects of airline ticketing and fares for client benefits. C (Quantitative Reasoning)
- Learn skills to enable them to operate a home-based travel agency successfully. B/F (Communication, Technical Competence).

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

AWARD	TYPE	GRAD PLAN	REQ COURSES UNITS	TOTAL UNITS
Hospitality	AA	Plan B	36	60+
Hospitality	Cert	N/A	36	36
Hotel Operations	Cert	N/A	18	18
Hotel Sales & Marketing	Cert	N/A	18	18
Event & Convention Planning	Cert	N/A	18	18

+ At least 60 degree applicable units (36 total major units) are required to earn an Associate Degree.

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREES

Hospitality

MAJOR CODE: 1307.00

(36 Units, Plan B) + All other West requirements for Associate Degree.

REQUIRED COURSES	UNITS
HOSPT 100 Introduction to Hospitality	3
HOSPT 135 Meeting, Convention Planning	3
HOSPT 302 Introduction to Hotel/Motel Operations	3
HOSPT 303 Hotel Front Office Operations	3
HOSPT 310 Hospitality Sales	3
OR	
MARKET 1 Principles of Selling	3
HOSPT 311 Hospitality Marketing or Marketing 21	3
HOSPT 320 Hospitality Law or Law 1	3
HOSPT 325 Guest Relations Management	3
HOSPT 330 Managing Technology & E-Commerce	3
BUS 1 Introduction to Business	3
TOTAL DEGREE UNITS	36

For RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE consult a WLAC counselor.

Hospitality

MAJOR CODE: 1307.05

Same major requirements as for Associate Degree. No general education requirements.

Hotel Front Desk & Back Office Operations

MAJOR CODE: 1307.06

REQUIRED COURSES	UNITS
HOSPT 100 Introduction to Hospitality Industry	3
HOSPT 302 Introduction to Hotel/Motel Operations	3
HOSPT 303 Hotel Front Office Operations	3
HOSPT 325 Guest Relations Management	3
HOSPT 330 Managing Technology and E-Commerce	3
HOSPT 310 Hospitality Sales or Marketing 1	3
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	18

For RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE consult a WLAC counselor.

Hotel Sales & Marketing

MAJOR CODE: 1307.07

REQUIRED COURSES	UNITS
HOSPT 100 Introduction to Hospitality Industry	3
HOSPT 310 Hospitality Sales or Marketing 1	3
HOSPT 302 Introduction to Hotel/Motel Operations	3
HOSPT 325 Guest Relations Management	3
HOSPT 311 Hospitality Marketing	
OR	
MARKET 21 Principles of Marketing	3
BUS 1 Introduction to Business	3
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	18

For RECOMMENDED COURSE SEQUENCE consult a WLAC counselor.

ATTENTION TRANSFER STUDENTS

NOTE: Students expecting to transfer to four-year institutions should see a West Los Angeles College counselor and consult the catalogs of transfer institutions regarding specific requirements for upper-division standing.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS



CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

Event & Convention Planning

MAJOR CODE: 1307.08

REQUIRED COURSES	UNITS
HOSPT 100 Introduction to Hospitality Industry	3
HOSPT 135 Meeting, Convention Planning	3
HOSPT 302 Introduction to Hotel/Motel Operations	3
HOSPT 320 Hospitality Law	3
BUS 1 Introduction to Business	3
TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS	18

INTERNATIONAL AREA STUDIES - Africa

SOCIAL SCIENCE DIVISION

The Associate in Arts International Area Studies—Africa cultivates global citizens who specialize in Africa and who study the world from an international/global perspective. Integral to this is to be conversant with African and global politics and governance, markets, culture and society, languages and area studies.

Student learning outcomes promote knowledge of Africa as well as enhance awareness of the region and its diverse peoples and cultures and the roles these play in the larger global community.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES (PLOs):

The Associate in Arts in International Area Studies- Africa degree will enable students to pursue multiple pathways to transfer or careers with a strong understanding of one of the most dynamic regions of the world, Africa. The Student Learning Outcomes for this degree focus on politics and governance, markets, culture and society, languages, and area studies.

Program Student Learning Outcomes:

1. Develop a process that can lead to insights in understand a culture other than your own.
2. Interact with sympathy and respect to cultural mores, beliefs, and traditions within a global context.
3. Acquire knowledge of the key patterns, themes, events, and figures of the past and present, across the global spectrum.
4. Utilize and exercise available resources to conduct topic investigations in order to analyze what one sees and experiences within a global vision.
5. Develop cross-cultural competency, empathy, and insight into the human experience that transcends demographic categorizations.
6. Seek out and engage in opportunities that broaden their perspective and increase their responsibility to community both locally and globally.
7. Address social, behavioral, and cultural issues to respond to the challenges of work, family, community, and the world at large.
8. Apply and relate their understanding of international trade and initiatives to develop multiple perspective on globalization issues and their impact on economic decision makers.

AWARD	TYPE	GRAD PLAN	REQ COURSES UNITS	TOTAL UNITS
IAS-Africa	AA	GE/GETC/CSU	27	60+
+ At least 60 degree applicable units are required to earn an Associate Degree.				