



Associate in Arts in Communication Studies for Transfer (AA-T)

The Associate in Arts in Communication Studies for Transfer degree is designed to provide the opportunity to achieve an associate degree in the student's area of specialization. The Associate in Arts in Communication Studies for Transfer degree is designed to prepare students for a seamless transfer into the CSU system to complete a baccalaureate degree in Communication Studies or similar degree. While a baccalaureate degree is recommended preparation for those considering professional careers in teaching, marketing, broadcasting, or mass communication, the completion of this program will demonstrate commitment to the field, and provide comprehensive preparation for upper division work.

Associate Degree for Transfer Requirements:

Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to a California State University.

The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University General Education Breadth Requirements.

A minimum of 18 semester units or 27 quarter units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.

Obtainment of a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

A grade of "C" or better in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis.

Required core courses:

Course #	Title	Units
COM 1	Elements of Speech.....	3
COM 2	Oral Interpretation of Literature	3
COM 3	Argumentation and Debate	3
COM 4	Small Group Dynamics and Presentation	3
COM 5	Interpersonal Communication	3

Choose one course from below: 3 units

ENG 1B	Literature, Critical Thinking & Writing	
PSYCH 1	Introductory Psychology	
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology.....	<u>3</u>

Total..... 18

CSU-GE-B or IGETC requirements (allowing double counting)..... 37-39

CSU Transferable Electives..... 9-15

Total..... 60