

Associate Degree Requirements 2022 - 2023

Students are advised to file a petition for graduation with the Counseling Office no later than the date published for a given term as the Graduation Petition deadline in the current *Schedule of Classes*.

The requirements for an AA or AS degree include completion of:

1. a minimum 60 semester units
2. the required courses for a specific major
3. General education, PE/Wellness and Diversity requirements
4. a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or better in associate degree applicable units and good standing at College of the Canyons
5. a minimum of 12 units completed at College of the Canyons

1. MAJOR AREA: Courses as specified for the major in the COC catalog- A grade of C or better is required in each course for the major. (Note- Students with rights to catalog years prior to 2005 need a 2.0 GPA in major courses.)

The following majors have a different General Education pattern: Liberal Arts & Sciences / Paralegal Studies / Sociology (transfer options), AS-T Administration of Justice , AA-T Anthropology, AA-T Art History, AS-T Biological Science, AS-T Business Administration, Communication Studies (Transfer options) AA-T Communication Studies, AS-T Computer Science, AA-T Early Childhood Education, AA-T Economics, AA-T Elementary Teacher Educ., AA-T English, AS-T Environmental Science, AA-T Geography, AS-T Geology, AA-T Global Studies, AA-T History, AS-T Hospitality Management, AA-T Journalism, AA-T Kinesiology, AS-T Math, AA-T Music, AA-T Philosophy, AS-T Physics, AA-T Political Science, AA-T Psychology, AS-T Public Health, AA-T Social Justice, AA-T Sociology AA-T Spanish, AA-T Studio Arts and AA-T Theatre Arts. See Counseling office for details

	MET	IN PROGRESS	NEED		
<p>2. GENERAL EDUCATION – Courses may be applied in one area only (2A-F). However, courses with asterisks (*) may be used to meet a General Education requirement listed in 2A-F as well as the Diversity Requirement (#4) below.</p>					
<p>A. NATURAL SCIENCES – Minimum of 3 semester or 4 quarter units required. <u>Choose from the following:</u> (LAB NOT REQUIRED).</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> Anthropology 101, 101L, 101H Astronomy 100, 101, 101L, 102 Biological Science 100,100H, 106, 106H, 107, 107H, 115, 116, 119, 130, 132, 140, 180, 201, 202, 204, 205, 221,240 Chemistry 100, 151, 151H, 201, 201H, 202, 255, 256 </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> Environment 103, 104 Geography100, 101, 103, 105, 110 Geology 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 109, 110 OCEAN 101 Physical Science 101 Physics 101, 110, 111, 220, 221, 222 Psychology 102 </td> </tr> </table>	Anthropology 101, 101L, 101H Astronomy 100, 101, 101L, 102 Biological Science 100,100H, 106, 106H, 107, 107H, 115, 116, 119, 130, 132, 140, 180, 201, 202, 204, 205, 221,240 Chemistry 100, 151, 151H, 201, 201H, 202, 255, 256	Environment 103, 104 Geography100, 101, 103, 105, 110 Geology 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 109, 110 OCEAN 101 Physical Science 101 Physics 101, 110, 111, 220, 221, 222 Psychology 102			
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<p>C. HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS – Minimum of 3 semester or 4 quarter units required. <u>Choose from the following:</u></p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> Anthropology 210*, 220; Architecture 114, 115; Art 100, 110, 111, 112, 115, 116, 125A, 125B, 140, 141, 222, 225A, 270; Business 160; Chinese 101, 102 Cinema 120, 121, 122, 123*, 127, 129, 131 Communication Studies 100, 100H, 105, 105H,150, 225, 246, 256*, 260* Dance 100, 101, 111, 121, 122, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 137, 141, 142, 161, 170 English 105, 106, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 112H, 122, 135, 200*, 250, 251, 260, 261, 262*, 263, 264, 270*, 271*, 272, 273*, 274*, 275, 280*, 281 French 101, 102, 150, 201, 202 German 101, 102 </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> Graphic & Multimedia Design 120 History 101, 101H,102, 161*, 191*, 192*, 193*, 240, 241, 242*, 243* Humanities 100, 115, 116, 150 Interior Design 114, 115 Italian 101, 102, 150 Media & Entertainment Arts 102 Music 100, 105, 106, 107, 108*, 112, 120A, 125, 142, 175, 176 Philosophy 101, 101H, 102*, 110, 111, 112, 120, 130, 220*, 225, 240, 250 Photography 140, 150, 160, 175, 285 Sign Language 101, 102, 103, 104, 110* Sociology 200*, 200H* Spanish 101, 101H, 102, 150, 201, 202, 211, 212, 240 Theater 100, 110, 110H, 126, 140, 141, 144, 220, 240 </td> </tr> </table>	Anthropology 210*, 220; Architecture 114, 115; Art 100, 110, 111, 112, 115, 116, 125A, 125B, 140, 141, 222, 225A, 270; Business 160; Chinese 101, 102 Cinema 120, 121, 122, 123*, 127, 129, 131 Communication Studies 100, 100H, 105, 105H,150, 225, 246, 256*, 260* Dance 100, 101, 111, 121, 122, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 137, 141, 142, 161, 170 English 105, 106, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 112H, 122, 135, 200*, 250, 251, 260, 261, 262*, 263, 264, 270*, 271*, 272, 273*, 274*, 275, 280*, 281 French 101, 102, 150, 201, 202 German 101, 102	Graphic & Multimedia Design 120 History 101, 101H,102, 161*, 191*, 192*, 193*, 240, 241, 242*, 243* Humanities 100, 115, 116, 150 Interior Design 114, 115 Italian 101, 102, 150 Media & Entertainment Arts 102 Music 100, 105, 106, 107, 108*, 112, 120A, 125, 142, 175, 176 Philosophy 101, 101H, 102*, 110, 111, 112, 120, 130, 220*, 225, 240, 250 Photography 140, 150, 160, 175, 285 Sign Language 101, 102, 103, 104, 110* Sociology 200*, 200H* Spanish 101, 101H, 102, 150, 201, 202, 211, 212, 240 Theater 100, 110, 110H, 126, 140, 141, 144, 220, 240			
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D. **Language and Rationality** – 6 semester or 8 quarter units-Minimum grade of C required (completion of both requirements i and ii is required).

i. **English Composition (also meets Reading & Written Expression Competency Requirements)** – Select one course from the following:

English 101, 101H, 103, 103H, 104, 112, 112H, 204

ii. **Communication and Analytical Thinking** – Select one course from the following:

Communication Studies 105, 105H, 120, 225, 227; Computer Science 111, 132, 256; Economics 291; Engl 112, 112H, Math 070, 075, 083, 100, 102, 102X, 103, 103X, 104, 130, 140,140H, 140X, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 240; Philosophy 106, 206, 230; Psychology 103, 104; Sociology 102, 108, or 137

E. **AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS** – Minimum of 3 semester or 4 quarter units required that cover **US-1:** Historical development of American institutions & Ideas, **US-2:** US Constitution **and** **US-3:** State & Local Government.

At COC to meet this requirement, you must pick 2 courses from the following options:

OPTION 1: One course from: Economics 170, 170H, History 111, 111H, 112, 112H, 116*, 117*, 120*, 120H*, or 130* **AND** Political Science 150 or 150H

OR

OPTION 2: Complete **both** History 111 or 111H **and** 112 or History 112H

F. **PHYSICAL EDUCATION and WELLNESS** – Minimum 2 semester or 3 quarter units of Physical Education activity (KPEA or KPEI) or Dance activity courses (except DANCE 100) or Health Science 100, 149, 150 or 243*

Courses: _____ (Veterans Exempt-DD214 required)

3. **Mathematics Competency Requirement:** Minimum grade of C required

Competence is demonstrated by completion of Econ 291, Mathematics 070, 075, 083, 100, 102, 102X, 103, 103X, 104, 130, 140, 140H, 104X, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 240; Psychology 104; or Sociology 137

4. **DIVERSITY REQUIREMENT**-Completion of one course:

Anthropology 103, 103H, 210; Business 126; Cinema 123; Communication Studies 235, 256, 260; Early Childhood Education 106, 160; Education 203, English 200, 262, 270, 271, 273, 274, 280; Ethnic Studies 101, 290; Geography 102, Health Science 243; History 116, 117, 120, 120H, 130, 161, 191, 192, 193, 210, 243; KPET 209; Music 108; Philosophy 102, 220; Political Science 290, Psychology 230, 235, 240, 272; Sign Language 110; Sociology 101, 101H, 103, 103H, 104,105, 106, 107, 110, 130, 200, 200H, 207, 208, 210, 230, 233

5. **UNIT/GPA REQUIREMENTS (Minimum of 12 units at College of the Canyons)**

6. **60 UNITS TOTAL**

7. **CUMULATIVE GPA – 2.0 (“C” Average)**

NOTE: In order to graduate, students also need to be in good standing at College of the Canyons. A student cannot be on Academic or Progress Probation, Subject to Dismissal or Dismissal status.

MET	IN PROGRESS	NEED

Student Name: _____

ID#: _____

Counselor: _____

Date: _____

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