



College to Career Connection

Liberal Arts and Sciences

What is Liberal Arts and Sciences?

The Liberal Arts and Sciences spectrum generally covers Mathematics and Science, Social and Behavioral Sciences or Humanities. Liberal Arts and Sciences major at COC is designed for students planning to transfer to either the California State University or University of California. To earn the Associate in Arts degree with a Liberal Arts and Sciences major, students must complete either the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) UC or CSU option or the CSU General Education Certification pattern and one of the three areas of emphasis. The area of emphasis requires a minimum of 18 units with a grade of "C" or better in all courses in the area of emphasis. The areas of emphasis are:

[COC - Liberal Arts & Sciences AA - Health Science Emphasis](#)

[COC - Liberal Arts & Sciences AA - Humanities Emphasis](#)

[COC - Liberal Arts & Sciences AA - Social Science Emphasis](#)

[COC - Liberal Arts & Sciences AA - Math & Science Emphasis](#)

Potential Industries/Employers

- Editing Companies
- Universities/Colleges
- Government Affiliated Agencies
- Political Affiliations
- Screenwriting
- Magazines
- Museums
- Libraries
- Tourist Sights

Possible Job Titles

- Teacher
- Technical Writer
- Counselor
- Event Organizer
- Public Relations manager
- Education Specialist
- Curator
- Lawyer

- Editor
- Museum Worker
- Interpreter/ Translator
- Genealogist
- Journalist
- Travel Agent
- Urban Planner
- Grant Writer

How this Major Helps You Move Forward:

Skills Advancement

While College of the Canyons does not endorse all of these opportunities, we aim to provide access:

- [Internships Program](#)
- [COC TEACH Program](#)
- [College of the Canyons Honors Societies](#)
- [Volunteer Opportunities](#)
- [Education Job Search Site: EdJoin](#)
- [Non-Profit Volunteering & Internships](#)

CSU/UC Major Preparation (BA/BS):

- [CSUN: Liberal Studies B.A. with Teacher Preparation Option](#)
- [CSULA: Liberal Studies B.A.](#)
- [CSUCI: Liberal Studies B.A. Integrated Teaching Credential Emphasis](#)
- [CalStateTEACH](#)
- ... and more!

Additional information can be found at:

- [What Can I do With this Major](#)
- [Candid Career](#)
- [Assist: Student Transfer Information System](#)
- [Occupational Outlook Handbook](#)
- [ONET OnLine: Job and Career Exploration](#)
- [Linkedin Alumni Tool](#)
- [Labor Market Information](#)

Associations

Association is a group of people who come together for a common purpose. You can find helpful information about jobs and careers.

- [American Federation of Teachers](#)
- [National Council of Teachers of Mathematics \(NCTM\)](#)
- [California Teachers Association \(CTA\)](#)
- [National Education Association](#)
- [National Science Teachers Association \(NSTA\)](#)
- [California Association of Teachers of English \(CATE\)](#)

This is a general information. It is not an exhaustive, comprehensive list. For specific information on majors and careers please connect with your professors and visit the counseling center at <https://www.canyons.edu/student-services/counseling> | 3/19/21