

Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree: Psychology

The Student Transfer Achievement Reform Act (Senate Bill 1440, now codified in California Education Code sections 66746-66749) guarantees admission to a California State University (CSU) campus for any community college student who completes an “associate degree for transfer”, a newly established variation of the associate degrees traditionally offered at a California community college. The Associate in Arts for Transfer (AA-T) or the Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in a similar major at a CSU campus. Students completing these degrees (AA-T or AS-T) are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major. In order to earn one of these degrees, students must complete:

1. Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University, including both of the following:
 - a. The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University General Education – Breadth Requirements.
 - b. A minimum of 18 semester units or 27 quarter units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.
2. Obtainment of a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

Associate Degrees for Transfer also require that students must earn a C or better in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis.

This degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to university or college that is not part of the CSU system. Students should consult with a counselor when planning to complete the degree for more information on university admission and transfer requirements. At the time of catalog publication, a student may earn an AA-T in Psychology. Additional majors are being developed. Please see a counselor or visit <http://www.canyons.edu> for more information.

Degree Student Learning Outcome:

Students will be able to assess the influence of a variety of factors that contribute to behavior and mental processes, evaluate psychological concepts, and compare and contrast theoretical perspectives, empirical findings, and historical trends in the field of Psychology.

Program Requirements:

Units Required: 19

PSYCH-101	Introduction to Psychology	Units: 3.0
OR		
PSYCH-101H	Introduction to Psychology - Honors	3.0
PSYCH-102	Physiological Psychology	3.0
PSYCH-103	Introduction to Behavioral Research	3.0
PSYCH-104	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	4.0

Plus three units from the following:

PSYCH-109	Social Psychology	3.0
PSYCH-172	Developmental Psychology	3.0
OR		
PSYCH-172H	Developmental Psychology - Honors	3.0
PSYCH-225	Psychology of Learning and Behavior	3.0

Plus three units from the following that have not already been selected from the courses listed above:

PSYCH-105	Personal Growth and Adjustment	3.0
PSYCH-109	Social Psychology	3.0
PSYCH-110	Psychology as a Major and Profession	3.0
PSYCH-126	Cognitive Psychology	3.0
PSYCH-172	Developmental Psychology	3.0
OR		
PSYCH-172H	Developmental Psychology - Honors	3.0
PSYCH-180	Positive Psychology	3.0
PSYCH-225	Psychology of Learning and Behavior	3.0
PSYCH-230	Human Sexuality	3.0
PSYCH-235	Psychology of Gender Roles	3.0
PSYCH-240	Abnormal Psychology	3.0
PSYCH-272	Adult Development and Aging	3.0