Chicano Studies

Overview

The Chicano Studies program provides organized studies in the heritage of Chicanos and fosters and expands general understanding of the cultural contributions of this group. The Chicano Studies courses give students opportunities to develop competence in and an understanding of the language, history, and culture of Chicanos, as well as current issues affecting the Chicano community. Completion of the Chicano Studies major enhances students' qualifications for positions in schools, community groups, governmental organizations, and private enterprise.

Degree Options at Hartnell:

Associate of Arts Degree in Chicano Studies

Related Careers

- Professor/teacher
- Counselor
- Lawyer
- Community and Union Organizer
- Social Work
- Public Health
- Public Policy
- Community Liaison
- Grant Writer
- Cultural anthropologist
- Sociologist

Related Skills

- Creative and critical thinking
- Research and analysis
- Understanding people and institutions in different communities and cultures
- Oral and written communication
- Proficiency in interpersonal communication
- Thorough knowledge of community resources
- Ability to interact effectively with people of different backgrounds