LIBERAL ARTS WITH AN AREA OF EMPHASIS
Anthropology/Culture and Society/Philosophy
Political Science/Sociology and Social Sciences

PROGRAMS

- Associate of Arts (A.A.)

DESCRIPTION

This degree is designed for transfer students pursuing an area of study requiring only introductory lower-division major preparation courses within a broader liberal arts breadth pattern and transferring to a California State University (CSU), University of California (UC).

This degree represents only 8 of the 26 general areas of study identified in ““Exploring Majors” on the www.assist.org transfer website. These 8 general areas of emphasis are outlined below. Selecting courses from these general areas will prepare students to transfer to a variety of majors. This degree is an interdisciplinary approach allowing students to meet their individual transfer goals and lower division CSU-GE breadth or UC/CSU IGETC patterns.

Undecided students and those pursuing one of the other areas of study requiring a specific sequence or pattern of courses are encouraged to identify a major area of study as early as possible and follow requirements to the four-year university in consultation with a Hartnell College counselor. Those 18 other areas not included in this degree are: Agricultural Sciences, Architecture and Environmental Design, Art and Design, Biological Sciences, Business and Economics, Chemistry, Communications, Computer Science, Engineering, Environmental Studies and Sciences, Health and Physical Education, History, Mathematics, Media/Film and Television, Performing Arts, Physical Sciences, Physics, and Teacher Education.

LEADS TO CAREER OPPORTUNITIES SUCH AS:

- Advertising Account Executive
- Archivist
- Business
- College Recruiter
- Customer Service Representatives
- Editor
- Grant Writer
- Journalist
- Museum Manager
- Policy Analyst
- Publicist
- Real Estate
- Speech Writer
- Teacher

TRANSFER PREPARATION

Courses that fulfill major requirements for an associate degree may differ from those needed to prepare for transfer. Students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university should schedule an appointment with a Hartnell College counselor to develop a student education plan before beginning their program.

TRANSFER RESOURCES

www.ASSIST.org – CSU and UC Articulation Agreements and Major Search Engine

CSU System Information - http://www2.calstate.edu

FINANCIAL AID

Paying for the cost of a college education requires a partnership among parents, students and the college. As the cost of higher education continues to rise we want you to know that Hartnell College offers a full array of financial aid programs, federal loan programs, and fee waivers.

https://www.hartnell.edu/students/fa/net-price-calculator.html
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Program Outcomes: Upon successful completion of this program a student will be able to:
- read, write, speak and verbally comprehend at a college level.
- define information needs, access information efficiently and effectively, evaluate information critically, and use information ethically.
- use quantitative and logical reasoning to analyze information evaluate ideas and solve problems.
- understand and respect the cultural, economic, social, political, biological and interdependence of global life.
- acquire an appreciation in and involvement in the creation or performance of the work of fine arts/music culture.

1. Choose the General Education pattern related to your educational goal:

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<td>CSU-GE (see page 73)</td>
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2. Choose a SINGLE Area of Emphasis listed below. For the 18 units required, select courses from at least two disciplines and from one of the disciplines, select at least two courses. Students can double count General Education courses with area of emphasis.

3. Include a 3-unit Hartnell College Ethnic Groups in the United States course.

4. Complete any elective necessary to total 60 transferable units required by the universities.

Areas of Emphasis: Anthropology (AA.LAA)

Anthropology is the study of humans and human societies. Branches of anthropology include cultural anthropology, physical anthropology, linguistic anthropology, and archaeology.

For the 18 units required, select courses from at least two disciplines; from one of the disciplines select at least two courses. Students can double count General Education courses with the area of emphasis.

REQUIRED MAJOR COURSES

- Agriculture Business Technology: ABT 90
- Anthropology: ANT 1, 2, 10, 20
- Geography: GEG 1
- Geology: GEL 2
- Library Instruction: LIB 2, 6, 7
- Mathematics: MAT 13, 18
- Psychology: PSY 2
- Sociology: SOC 1
## Areas of Emphasis: Culture and Society (AA.LACS)

The study of the diversity of human cultures is an inter-disciplinary activity. Cultural and ethnic study includes aspects of history, language, literature, sociology, archaeology, art and art history, and other humanities and social sciences.

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### REQUIRED MAJOR COURSES

- Administration of Justice: ADJ 2
- Anthropology: ANT 2
- American Sign Language: ASL 1, 2
- Art: ART 1A, 1B
- Communication: COM 4
- Early Childhood Education: ECE 2, 6, 53
- Education: EDU 1
- Ethnic Studies: ETH 3, 4, 6, 7, 12
- Geography: GEG 10
- Health Education: HED 6
- Mathematics: MAT 2, 10, 12, 13, 18
- Psychology: PSY 2, 25
- Spanish: SPA 1, 1S, 1X, 2, 2S, 2X
- Social Justice Studies: SJS 20, 22
- Sociology: SOC 1, 5, 15, 20, 30
- Theater: TAC 7, 23

## Areas of Emphasis: Philosophy (AA.LPH)

Philosophy is a quest for a comprehensive understanding of human existence. The objective of philosophy is to consider the rational justification of logical inferences, human values, criteria for establishing the claims of knowledge and certainly, and interpretations of the nature of reality.

*For the 18 units required, select courses from at least two disciplines; from one of the disciplines select at least two courses. Students can double count General Education courses with the area of emphasis.*

### REQUIRED MAJOR COURSES

- Philosophy: PHL 2, 10, 15
- History: HIS 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 47
- Library Instruction: LIB 2, 6, 7
- Mathematics: MAT 2, 10, 13, 18
## Areas of Emphasis: Political Science (AA.LAPS)

Political Science is a social science concerned with the description and analysis of political, and especially governmental, institutions and processes. Increasingly, the emphasis is being placed on how governments deal with specific policy problems, such as war and peace, poverty, crime, education, energy, pollution, or inter-group relations, and on the factors that affect these problems. The study of political science provides one with the concepts, theories and methods necessary to analyze these policy problems scientifically.

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### REQUIRED MAJOR COURSES

- Administration of Justice: ADJ 1, 2, 3, 25
- Economics: ECO 1, 5, 10
- Health Services: HES 1, 2
- History: HIS 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 17A, 17B
- Library Instruction: LIB 2, 6, 7
- Pathway to Law: LAW 41, 42
- Mathematics: MAT 13, 18, 2
- Political Science: POL 1, 2, 3, 5, 6

## Areas of Emphasis: Sociology and Social Sciences (AA.LAS)

Social Sciences refer to any discipline or branch of science that deals with the social and cultural aspects of human behavior. The Social Sciences generally include Economics, Political Science, Sociology, and History, and may include Cultural Anthropology, Geography, Psychology, and Social Psychology.

*For the 18 units required, select courses from at least two disciplines; from one of the disciplines select at least two courses. Students can double count General Education courses with the area of emphasis.*

### REQUIRED MAJOR COURSES

- Administration of Justice: ADJ 51
- Anthropology: ANT 1, 2
- Economics: ECO 1, 5, 10
- Early Childhood Education: ECE 2, 6
- Geography: GEG 1, 10
- Library Instruction: LIB 2, 6, 7
- Mathematics: MAT 2, 13, 18
- Psychology: PSY 2, 6
- Sociology: SOC 1, 5, 41, 42

### General Education – Required Courses

MAT-123 or higher

Students must complete one of the following General Education Plans:

- CSU-GE (see page 72) 39 units
- IGETC (see page 74) 37 units

*Students can double-count required courses and courses for General Education*

- Electives (Courses Numbered 1-99) required when degree units plus GE units total fewer than 60.

### SUBTOTAL: 18 UNITS

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