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The Arts and Humanities area of emphasis is designed to provide the student with an opportunity to understand emotional and intellectual responses, increase awareness and appreciation of the traditional humanistic disciplines such as art, drama, literature, music, philosophy, and foreign language in addition to introducing and understanding of the interrelationships between these disciplines. This area of emphasis prepares students for baccalaureate majors including but not limited to: art, foreign language, history, philosophy and performing arts.

Program student learning outcomes:

1. Students will be able to evaluate the soundness of an argument.
2. Students will be able to compare and contrast two or more philosophical or religious views.
3. Students will be able to articulate several broad historical, religious, artistic, literary and philosophical movements within Eastern and Western culture.

Students must fulfill the following requirements to qualify for an Associate Degree:

- Complete the Local General Education, CSU General Education (CSUGE) or Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) requirements,
 - Complete a minimum of 18 additional units from the major list below,
 - Complete electives to reach a total of 60-degree applicable units,
 - Earn a grade of C or better in each major course,
 - Maintain a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of 2.00, and
 - Complete the English and math proficiency requirements with a C or better
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<i>Course #</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Units</i>
Required Core Courses (18 Units). Courses must be selected from two or more disciplines.		
ART 002	Two-Dimensional Design	3
ART 003	Three-Dimensional Design Fundamentals	3
ART 005A	Basic Drawing	3
ART 005B	Intermediate Drawing	3
ART 013A	Beginning Ceramics	3
ART 013B	Intermediate Ceramics	3
ART 013C	Advanced Ceramics	3
ART 015A	Beginning Painting	3
ART 015B	Intermediate Painting	3
ART 015C	Advanced Painting	3
ART 016A	Survey of Western Art: Pre-History to Proto-Renaissance	3
ART 016B	Survey of Western Art: Renaissance to The Present	3
ART 042	Art Appreciation	3
COM 002	Oral Interpretation of Literature	3
SPAN 001	Elementary Spanish I	4
SPAN 002	Elementary Spanish II	4
SPAN 003	Intermediate Spanish I	4
SPAN 004	Intermediate Spanish II	4
FLSPN 011	Introductory Spanish for the Limitedly Bilingual	4
FLSPN 012	Elementary Spanish for the Limitedly Bilingual	4
FLSPN 051	Introductory Conversational Spanish for Personal and Professional Use	3
FLSPN 052	Elementary Conversational Spanish For Personal and Professional Use	3
FLSPN 054	Advanced Conversational Spanis Personal And Professional Use	3
GEOG 003	Cultural Geography	3
HIST 004A	Western Civilization to 1700	3
HIST 004B	Western Civilization From 1700	3
HIST 020	World History I	3
HUM 001	Introduction to Western Culture	3
HUM 022	Introduction to Comparative Religion	3
LING 011	Introduction to Linguistics	3
MUS 042	Music Appreciation	3
PA 003	Film Appreciation	3
PHIL 001	Introduction to Philosophy	3
PHIL 002	Introduction to Logic	3
PHIL 003	Introduction to Ethics	3
POLSCI 005	Introduction to Political Theory	3
	Total	18