

ANTHROPOLOGY, ASSOCIATE IN ARTS FOR TRANSFER, (AA-T)

The study of Anthropology is the study of humanity—all aspects of humanity—and as such covers a hugely diverse range of seemingly disparate topics. Anthropologists look not just at one particular society, culture or religion, but rather they look at how seemingly divergent cultures, pasts, individuals and social trends are related to one another and to all of humankind as a whole. With this knowledge, anthropologists believe it is possible for us to gain a better understanding of who we are, where we have come from, and where we may be heading in the future.

The Associate in Arts for Transfer degree in Anthropology provides students with the foundational knowledge necessary to make a successful transition into a Baccalaureate Degree at any of the CSU campuses. The Associate Degree for Transfer (AA-T or AS-T) is a special degree offered at California Community Colleges. Students who earn an AA-T or AS-T degree are guaranteed admission to a campus within the California State University (CSU) system in a similar major, although not necessarily to a specific campus. Students who complete an AA-T or AS-T are given priority consideration when applying to a particular program that is similar to the student's community college major and will be given a special GPA advantage when applying to CSU impacted campuses or majors. Students who are planning to pursue an AA-T or AS-T are strongly advised to meet with a counselor for additional information about this transfer program. Visit <https://adegreewithaguarantee.com/> for more information about these degrees.

Requirements

Associate Degree for Transfer Graduation Requirements

Complete all of the following:

1. All Department Requirements listed below with a "C" or better or "P" in each course.
2. IGETC-CSU (<https://catalog.sbccc.edu/transfer-curricula/#igetctext>) or the CSU GE Breadth (<https://catalog.sbccc.edu/transfer-curricula/#csugebtext>) pattern.
3. A total of 60 CSU transferable semester units.
4. Maintain a minimum cumulative CSU transferable GPA of 2.0.
5. A minimum of 12 units through SBCC.

Code	Title	Units
Department Requirements		
Required Core		
ANTH 101 or ANTH 101H	Physical Anthropology Physical Anthropology, Honors	3-4
ANTH 102 or ANTH 102H	Introduction To Archaeology Introduction to Archaeology, Honors	3-4
ANTH 103	Introduction To Cultural Anthropology	3
List A - Complete one course from the following:		3-5
ANTH 104	Language and Culture	
ANTH 113	Witchcraft, Magic, Science And Religion	
BOT 121	Plant Diversity	

COMM 235	Argumentation and Debate	
EH 102	Soils And Plant Nutrients	
ENG 111 or ENG 111H	Critical Thinking and Composition Through Literature Critical Thinking and Composition Through Literature, Honors	
ENVS 110	Humans And The Biological Environment	
ERTH 126	Petrology and Rock-Forming Minerals	
ERTH 151	Introductory Physical Oceanography	
GEOG 101/ ERTH 141	Physical Geography	
GEOG 102	Human Geography	
NATA 103	Native American Cultural Heritage	
PHIL 111	Critical Thinking And Writing In Philosophy	
PSY 150 or MATH 117	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	
ZOOL 122	Animal Diversity	
List B - Complete one course from the following:		3-5
Any List A course not selected above		
BMS 107	Human Anatomy	
ENVS 115 & 115L	Environmental Geology and Environmental Geology Laboratory ¹	
or EARTH 115 & 115L	Environmental Geology and Environmental Geology Laboratory	
ERTH 111 & 111L	Dynamic Earth - Physical Geology and Dynamic Earth - Physical Geology Laboratory	
or EARTH 111H & EARTH 111L	Dynamic Earth - Physical Geology, Honors and Dynamic Earth - Physical Geology Laboratory	
ERTH 171 & EARTH 172	Introduction To Geographic Information Systems And Maps and Geographic Information Systems: Software Applications ²	
or GEOG 171 & GEOG 172	Introduction To Geographic Information Systems And Maps and Geographic Information Systems: Software Applications	
PSY 200	Research Methods and Experimental Design in Psychology	
List C - Complete one course from the following:		3-5
Any course from List A or B not selected above		
AJ 105	Diversity, Law and Justice	
ANTH 109	Comparative World Cultures	
ASAM 101	Comparative Asian-American History, 1849-1965	
ASAM 102	Contemporary Asian-American History	
BLST 101	The African-American In U.S. History To World War II	
BLST 102	The African-American In U.S. History, From Civil Rights Movement To Present	
or BLST 102H	The African-American in U.S. History, from Civil Rights to Present, Honors	

BLST 103	African-American Culture
BLST 113	African-American And Afro-Caribbean Literature In The U.S.
CHST 101	Mexican-American (Chicano) History In The U.S.
CHST 102	The Chicano And Latino In U.S. History, From The 1960's To The Present
CHST 103	Mexican-American (Chicano) Culture
CHST 113	Introduction to Chicano/Mexican-American Literature
CHST 114	Borderlands Literature: U.S.-Mexico
CHST 115	Introduction To Mexican Literature
CHST 121	The Chicana And Other Latina Women
COMM 151	Intercultural Communication
ENG 231	World Literature: Ancient Times to 16th Century
ENG 232	World Literature: 17th Century to Present
ETHS 101	The Immigrant Experience in the U.S. 3
or ETHS 101H	The Immigrant Experience in the U.S., Honors
ETHS/SOC 107	Racism In America
ETHS 121	Women of Color In The U.S.
ETHS 122	Arab-American/Middle Eastern Women In The U.S.
FS 111	Contemporary World Cinema
GEOG 104	World Regional Geography
GLST 101	Introduction to Global Studies
GLST 102	Global Problems
HIST 107	World Civilization, Beginnings to 1550
HIST 108	World Civilization, 1550 to Present
HIST 134	History Of Latin America: 1800'S To Modern Period
HIST 135	History of Mexico
HIST 137	History of Religions of The Middle East
HIST 138	History of the Modern Middle East
MUS 118	World Music
NATA 101	American Indian: Past and Present
NATA 102	The Native American In 20th Century Society
NATA 104	California Indians
NATA 105	California Tribes: The Chumash
NATA 113	The Indian In Literature: Fact And Fiction
PHIL 102	Comparative World Religions
POLS 121	International Politics
or POLS 121H	International Politics, Honors
POLS 122	International Organizations: Global and Regional Governance
POLS 131	Comparative Politics
POLS 136	Middle East Government And Politics
SOC 101	Introduction To Sociology

or SOC 101H	Introduction to Sociology, Honors
SOC 106	Sociology of Deviance
SOC 109	Social Problems
Total Units	18.00-26.00

¹ EARTH 115 & 115L are the same as ENVS 115 & 115L

² EARTH 171 & 172 are the same as GEOG 171 & 172.

³ ETHS 101, 101H are the same as HIST 114, 114H.

Students are advised to meet with an academic counselor to discuss the best combination of courses to take for the AA-T and to meet the requirements of the transfer institution to which they are intending to transfer.

Learning Outcomes

1. Demonstrate basic knowledge of the holistic nature of Anthropology and the concepts of culture and biology as used by contemporary anthropologists.
2. Describe the development of Anthropology as a profession, explaining why it can be considered both a science and a humanity and how it became a distinct field of inquiry while retaining a relationship with other academic disciplines.
3. Discuss the four-field nature of Anthropology and the relation of its sub-disciplines to one another, particularly in terms of the biological and social construction of such terms as sex, gender and race
4. Describe ways in which different aspects of culture—economic, social, political, and religious practices and institutions—relate to one another in a cultural system, and draw comparisons between different cultures, past and present.
5. Demonstrate an awareness and appreciation of cultural diversity enhanced by a holistic perspective on culture as integrated, dynamic, and embedded in broader processes of intercultural connection and globalization.
6. Discuss their own cultural biases, as well as the biases of others, explaining why these biases exist while retaining the ability to put said biases aside in order to evaluate the cultural syntheses of others in ethnographies, films, news and media.
7. Articulate the importance of ethics in Anthropology, specifically the fundamental obligations of anthropologists to members of the societies they study, their research sponsors and their profession.

Recommended Sequence

Make an appointment with your SBCC academic counselor through Starfish to create a Student Education Plan that reflects a recommended course sequence for this program that is tailored to your individual needs.

How to schedule an Academic Counseling appointment (<https://www.sbcc.edu/counselingcenter/counselingappointments.php>).