Complete a minimum of 27 units from one (1) of the four (4) emphasis areas below in addition to the A.A. degree General Education requirements.

Courses used for the Liberal Arts 27-unit major requirement may **not** be used to satisfy the General Education requirements.

Students are limited to earning one (1) Liberal Arts degree.

Please visit the Counseling Center to apply for certificates and degrees, and for academic planning assistance.

### A.A./A.S. Degree Requirements

1. Completion of all General Education (GE) requirements (31-42 quarter units) for the A.A./A.S. degree. GE units must be completed with a minimum 2.0 GPA (“C” average).
2. Completion of all major requirements. Each major course must be completed with a minimum “C” grade. Major courses can also be used to satisfy GE requirements (except for Liberal Arts degrees).
   - Note: A maximum of 22 quarter units from other academic institutions may be applied toward the major.
3. Completion of a minimum of 90 degree-applicable quarter units (GE and major units included). All De Anza courses must be completed with a minimum 2.0 GPA (“C” average).
   - Major courses for certificates and degrees must be completed with a letter grade unless a particular course is only offered on a pass/no-pass basis.

### Liberal Arts

#### A.A. Degree

Designed primarily for students who plan on transferring to the University of California or California State University, the Associate degree in Liberal Arts represents the completion of a broad area of study with an emphasis in one of the following four areas: Arts and Letters, Business and Computer Information Systems, Social and Behavioral Sciences and Science, Math and Engineering. The degree allows the student to develop a broad set of essential life/work competencies such as: communication, critical thinking, problem solving, quantitative reasoning and multicultural skills. Students complete a minimum of 27 units from one of the four emphasis areas, the AA degree General Education requirements and the AAS degree requirements noted in the catalog. Courses used for the 27 unit emphasis area requirement may not be used to satisfy the General Education requirements. Students are limited to earning one (1) Liberal Arts degree.

#### Student Learning Outcomes - upon completion, students will be able to:

- demonstrate the use of effective language and speech communication skills;
- analyze and solve problems by using thoughtful and logical reasoning skills;
- recognize and value the complexities of living in a multicultural world by demonstrating an appreciation of diversity in its many forms;
- display behaviors that promote the mental and physical well-being of self and others;
- identify basic/foundational theories, concepts, and practices in the comprehensive area of emphasis.

### Four (4) Emphasis Options

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**Major**

- Arts and Letters Emphasis 27 units
- General Education (31-42 units)
- Electives

**Electives**

- Elective courses required when major units plus GE units total is less than 90

**Total Units Required**

- . . . . . . . . . . . . 90 units
Business and Computer Information Systems Emphasis

Accounting 1A, 1B, 1C, 51A, 51B, 52, 58, 64, 66, 67A, 67B, 68, 75, 86, 87AH-87AM, 88
Business 10, 18, 21, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 60, 65, 67A, 67B, 70, 85, 89, 90, 91, 96
Economics 1, 2
Library 1, 5, 53, 55
Math 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 10, 11, 12, 57
Real Estate 50, 51, 52A, 53, 54, 56A, 59, 61
Speech Communication 70

Major

Business and Computer Information Systems Emphasis 27 units

GE

General Education (31-42 units)

Electives

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Total Units Required . . . . . . . . . . . . 90 units

Social and Behavioral Sciences Emphasis

Administration of Justice 1, 3, 5, 11, 25, 29, 50, 51, 53, 54, 55, 56, 60, 61, 62, 73, 74A, 75, 78, 90A, 95
Anthropology 2, 3, 4, 6, 69
Arts 3TC
Business 21
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Child Development 10G, 10H, 12, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59G, 59H, 60, 61, 63, 64, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 80, 90
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Journalism 2
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Sociology 1, 4, 5, 8, 15, 20, 25, 28, 35, 50, 51, 54, 73
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Major

Social and Behavioral Sciences Emphasis 27 units

GE

General Education (31-42 units)

Electives

Elective courses required when major units plus GE units total is less than 90

Total Units Required . . . . . . . . . . . . 90 units

Science, Math and Engineering Emphasis

Anthropology 1, 1L
Astronomy 4, 10
Biology 5, 6A, 6B, 6C, 8, 10, 11, 13, 15, 26, 40A, 40B, 40C, 45, 54G, 54H, 54I, 54J
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Physical Education 30, 51
Physics 2A, 2B, 2C, 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D, 10, 50

Major

Science, Math and Engineering Emphasis 27 units

GE

General Education (31-42 units)

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