

# Associate in Arts in Anthropology for Transfer Degree:

The Associate in Arts in Anthropology for Transfer Degree is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in Anthropology or a related major in the California State University (CSU) system. It is accepted by some but not all CSU campuses. Students who complete this degree and transfer to a participating CSU campus will be required to complete no more than 60 units after transfer to earn a bachelor's degree. It may not be appropriate preparation for students transferring to a CSU campus that does not accept the degree.

## Program Learning Outcomes:

Students who complete the Anthropology Program will acquire these skills:

- **Critical Thinking:** Think critically in reading, writing, and/or speaking about topics in Anthropology, thereby identifying problems, theses, arguments, evidence and conclusions.
- **Communication:** Write or speak about topics in Anthropology, thereby addressing problems, formulating theses, making arguments, analyzing and weighing evidence, and deriving conclusions.
- **Personal Actions and Civic Responsibility:** Demonstrate an ability to understand one's role in society, take responsibility for one's own actions, and make ethical decisions in complex situations.
- **Global Awareness:** Articulate the varieties of biological and cultural adaptations, and demonstrate an understanding of cultural pluralism.

Students will be assessed through a combination of performance evaluations, written assignments, and written tests and quizzes.

**Note:** Students who plan to complete this degree should consult a counselor and visit [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for additional information about participating CSU campuses as well as university admission, degree and transfer requirements.

## Award Notes:

Students are required to complete a maximum of 60 CSU transferable units with a minimum overall grade point average of 2.0.

**Major:** A minimum of 18 units with grade of "C" or better.

**General Education:** In addition to the courses required in the major, students must complete one of the following general education options:

- The California State University General Education Breadth pattern
- The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum pattern

**Note:** Completion of the California State University American Institutions graduation requirement is strongly recommended prior to transfer.

<b>Courses Required for the Major:</b>		<b>Units</b>
ANTH 102	Introduction to Physical Anthropology	3
ANTH 103	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3
ANTH 107	Introduction to Archaeology	3

## Category A: Select one of the following courses (3 units):

ENGL 202	Introduction to Linguistics	3
MATH 119	Elementary Statistics <b>or</b>	
PSYC 258	Behavioral Science Statistics	3

## Category B: Select one or two of the following courses, or any course not selected in Category A (3–5 units):

BIOL 230	Human Anatomy	4
GEOL 100	Physical Geology	3
<b>and</b>		
GEOL 101	General Geology Laboratory	1
GISG 104	Geographic Information Science and Spatial Reasoning	3
PHIL 112	Philosophy of Science	3
PSYC 255	Introduction to Psychological Research	3

## Category C: One course from the following (3–4 units):

ANTH 104	Laboratory in Physical Anthropology	1
ANTH 115	Introduction to Archaeological Field Work	4
ANTH 120	Archaeological Artifact Analysis	3
ANTH 200	Introduction to North American Indians	3
ANTH 205	Introduction to Medical Anthropology	3
ANTH 210	Introduction to California Indians	3
ANTH 215	Cultures of Latin America	3

GEOG 101	Physical Geography	3
<b>and</b>		
GEOG 101L	Physical Geography Laboratory	1
GEOG 102	Cultural Geography	3
GEOL 104	Earth Science	3
HUMA 106	World Religions	3
MUSI 109	World Music	3
SOCO 101	Principles of Sociology	3

**Total Units = 18–20**

For graduation requirements see Requirements for the Associate Degree on page 96.

**Electives as needed to meet maximum of 60 units required for the degree.**