

Norco College



Associate Degree for Transfer™

California Community Colleges are now offering Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT's) to the CSU. These may include Associate in Arts (AA-T) or Associate in Science (AS-T) degrees. These degrees are designed to provide a clear pathway to a CSU major and baccalaureate degree. California Community College students who are awarded an AA-T or AS-T degree are guaranteed admission with junior standing somewhere in the CSU system and given priority admission consideration to their local CSU campus or to a program that is deemed similar to their community college major. This priority does not guarantee admission to specific majors or campuses. Students who have been awarded an AA-T or AS-T are able to complete their remaining requirements for the 120-unit baccalaureate degree within 60 semester or 90 quarter units. To view the most current list of Norco College Associate Degrees for Transfer and to find out which CSU campuses accept each degree, please go to:

www.calstate.edu/transfer/adt-search/search.shtml

Students are encouraged to meet with a Norco College counselor to review their options for transfer and to develop an educational plan that best meets their goals and needs.

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CHILD AND ADOLESCENT DEVELOPMENT (Cal-GETC) NAA886

The Associate in Arts in Child and Adolescent Development for Transfer degree is a 60-unit degree program that provides lower-division preparation for students planning to transfer to a CSU for a Bachelor's degree in Child and Adolescent Development, Child Development, Child, Adolescent & Family Studies, Human Development or other related majors. The intention of this degree is to prepare students to transfer and complete degrees and professional programs in the fields of K-12 teaching, clinical social work, clinical psychology, school psychology, school counseling, college teaching, public policy, and/or developmental research. In this major, students will explore theories and concepts about bio-physical, socio-emotional, and cognitive developmental milestones from conception through adolescence; individual and cultural differences; and common variations in development. In this broad, interdisciplinary curriculum, students will develop critical thinking, writing, and oral presentation skills in preparation to be professionals working with children and families.

Required Courses: (19-20 units)

		Units
EAR-20*	Child Growth and Development	3
PSYC-C1000*/C1000H*	Introduction to Psychology/Honors	3
STAT-C1000*/C1000H*	Introduction to Statistics/Honors	4
OR		
PSYC-48*/SOC-48*	Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences	4
LIST A	Select from the list below	3
LIST B	Select from the list below	6-7

List A: Select 1 course (3 units)

		Units
ANT-2*/2H*	Cultural Anthropology/Honors	3
EAR-42	Child, Family, and Community	3
SOC-1*/1H*	Introduction to Sociology/Honors	3
SOC-10*/10H*	Race and Ethnic Relations/Honors	3
SOC-12*	Marriage and Family Relations	3

List B: Select 2 courses (6-7 units)

		Units
BIO-1*/1H*	General Biology/Honors	4
OR		
BIO-10*	Life Science Principles	3
EAR-24	Introduction to Curriculum	3
EAR-28	Principles and Practices of Teaching Young Children	3
PSYC-9*	Developmental Psychology	3

*Courses may also be used to fulfill general education requirements for the Cal-GETC pattern, please confer with a counselor.

Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree

The Associate in Arts in Child and Adolescent Development for Transfer degree will be awarded upon completion of 60 California State University (CSU) transferable units including the above major requirements and the California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) with a minimum grade point average of 2.0. All courses in the major must be completed with a grade of "C" (or "P") or better.