



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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ELEMENTARY TEACHER EDUCATION: INTEGRATED PROGRAMS (Cal-GETC) NAA1106

The Associate in Arts in Elementary Teacher Education: Integrated Programs for Transfer (AA-T) offers lower division coursework examining content area subject matter requirements for teaching at the elementary school level. Students will explore the core principles and practices of a liberal studies curriculum in order to build a foundation appropriate for entry into advanced study in teacher preparation. The students also have the opportunity to participate in supervised fieldwork in K-8 settings.

This degree is designed to facilitate students transferring to the California State University System with an Elementary Teacher Education: Integrated Programs for Transfer. With this degree, the student will be prepared to enter into a bachelor's degree program designed to prepare them to teach in a K-8 classroom. This option prepares students for transfer to CSU to major in either a General Track Liberal Studies Program or an Integrated Liberal Studies/Multiple Subject Teaching Credential Program.

Required Courses (37-38 units)		Units
EDU-1	Introduction to Elementary Classroom Teaching	4
EAR-20*	Child Growth and Development	3
COMM-C1000*/C1000H*	Introduction to Public Speaking/Honors	3
ENGL-C1000*/C1000H*	Academic Reading and Writing/Honors	4
POLS-C1000*/C1000H*	American Government and Politics/Honors	3
HIST-C1001*/C1001H*	United States History to 1877/Honors	3
BIO-1*/BIO-1H*	General Biology/Honors	4
Select one of the following courses – 3-4 units:		
ENGL-C1003*/C1003H*	Critical Thinking and Writing through Literature/Honors	4
OR		
ENGL-30*	Children's Literature	3
OR		
HIST-1*	World History to 1500	3
List A – Take both of the following courses – 7 units:		
CHE-2A*	Introductory Chemistry, I	4
PHY-10*	Introduction to General Physics	3
List B – Select one of the following courses – 3 units:		
ART/ARTH-6*/6H*	Art Appreciation/Honors	3
MUS-19*/19H*	Music Appreciation/Honors	3
THE-3*	Introduction to the Theater	3

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

Recommended Courses-

While the following courses are not required to complete the degree, students who are interested in transferring to California State University, San Bernardino for teaching are encouraged to take the following:

BIO-35/HES-1	Health Science	3
GEG-2*	Human Geography	3
OR		
GEG-3*	World Regional Geography	3
HIST-26*	History of California	3

In addition to a bachelor's degree and a multiple-subject teaching credential, individuals who wish to teach Transitional Kindergarten in California must complete 24 semester units of coursework in child development or early childhood education at a regionally accredited institution of higher education. Students should meet with a counselor or Early Childhood Education faculty for more information.

Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree

The Associate in Arts in Elementary Teacher Education: Integrated Programs 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) requirements 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.