Frequently Asked Questions

Majors

What is a major or program of study?
- A major/program of study is the primary focus of your degree, and is the area in which the greatest depth of knowledge will be developed.

Do I have to commit to a degree or certificate program?
- YES. Later on you can change your major as long as it is offered at Norco College.

Units

What is a full-time student?
- You must carry a minimum of 12 units for the fall/spring semesters or 6 units during summer/winter.

What is a unit?
- A unit is the amount of credit you receive for successfully completing a class.

How many units must I take each term?
- You are not required by the college to take a minimum number of units each term.

What is the maximum number of units I can take in a semester or winter/summer session?
- The maximum number of units you may take during the fall/spring semesters is 18. The maximum for the winter and summer sessions is 9 units.