

LIBERAL ARTS - ARTS AND HUMANITIES - ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Art and Humanities courses emphasize the study of cultural, literary, humanistic activities and artistic expression of human beings. Students will evaluate and interpret the ways in which people through the ages in different cultures have responded to themselves and the world around them in artistic and cultural creation. Students will also learn to value aesthetic understanding and incorporate these concepts when constructing value judgments.

Transferability

This major can prepare students with either a specific or interdisciplinary focus in the Arts and Humanities in order to pursue similar majors at four-year institutions. Student should refer to the catalog of their prospective transfer institution and consult a counselor. General Education courses for the A.A. degree, should be selected carefully to meet the requirements of the intended transfer institution. A grade of "C" or better is required in all coursework for the major.

Program Learning Outcomes

- Describe how people throughout the ages and in different cultures have responded to themselves and the world around them in artistic and cultural creation.
- Evaluate the significance of artistic and cultural constructions

Major Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
Major Requirements		
Select 18 units from the following; at least 6 units must be from Theory courses (see below)		18
ARABC 001A	Elementary Arabic	5
ARABC 001B	Elementary Arabic	5
ART 090	Art Appreciation	3
ART 091	Survey of Art History: Prehistoric Through Gothic	3
ART 092	Survey of Art History: Renaissance to the Present	3
ART 093	Art of the Americas	3
ART 096	Survey of Asian Art	3
DANCE 002	Dance Appreciation	3
ENGL 001B	English Composition	3
ENGL 010	Great Works of Literature	3
ENGL 033	Women in Literature	3
ENGL 065	The Short Story	3
ENGL 071A	Fundamentals of Creative Writing/Poetry	3
ENGL 071B	Fundamentals of Creative Writing/Fiction	3
ENGL 071C	Fundamentals of Creative Writing/Drama	3
ENGL 073	Introduction to Shakespeare	3
ENGL 079	Memoir Writing	3
ENGL 080	Mexican-American Literature	3
ENGL 081	Introduction to African American Literature	3

ENGL 084A	Survey of American Literature I	3
ENGL 084B	Survey of American Literature II	3
ENGL 086A	Survey of British Literature I	3
ENGL 086B	Survey of British Literature II	3
ETH 011	Ethnic Film: Reel Studies	3
ETH 020	African American Culture	3
ETH 026	Vietnamese Women in the U.S.	3
ETH 027	Introduction to Race & Ethnicity in American History	3
ETH 030	Chicana/o Culture	3
ETH 032	Introduction to Chicana/Latinx Music in The U.S.	3
ETH 037A	Mexican American History I	3
ETH 037B	Mexican American History II	3
ETH 041	Vietnamese American Culture	3
ETH 042	Asian Pacific American Culture	3
FREN 001A	Elementary French	5
FREN 001B	Elementary French	5
FREN 002A	Intermediate French	5
FREN 002B	Intermediate French	5
GLOBL 007	Global Citizenship/Civics	3
HIST 010A	Development of Western Culture	3
HIST 010B	Development of Western Culture	3
HUMNT 001	Introduction to Visual and Performing Arts	3
HUMNT 002	Introduction to World Literature	3
HUMNT 003	Introduction to Women's Studies	3
JAPAN 001A	Elementary Japanese 1	5
JAPAN 001B	Elementary Japanese 2	5
JAPAN 002A	Intermediate Japanese 1	5
JAPAN 002B	Intermediate Japanese 2	5
MUSIC 032	Introduction to Chicana/Latinx Music in The U.S.	3
MUSIC 083	Exploring the World of Music	3
MUSIC 091	Music Appreciation: Western Civilization	3
MUSIC 095	Music Appreciation: Jazz	3
MUSIC 099	Introductory Music	3
PHIL 010	Introduction to Philosophy: Metaphysics and Epistemology	3
PHIL 011	Introduction to Political and Aesthetic Philosophies	3
PHIL 012	Introduction to Existentialism: The Meaning of Life	3
PHIL 014	Introduction to Peace Studies	3
PHIL 065	Introduction to Ethics	3
PHIL 070	Comparative Religions	3
SL 001A	American Sign Language 1	3
SL 001B	American Sign Language 2	3
SL 002A	American Sign Language 3	3
SL 002B	American Sign Language 4	3
SPAN 001A	Elementary Spanish 1	5
SPAN 001B	Elementary Spanish 2	5
SPAN 002A	Intermediate Spanish 1	5
SPAN 002B	Intermediate Spanish 2	5

SPAN 022A	Spanish for Heritage Speakers 1	5	DANCE 014C	Rehearsal and Performance - Hip-Hop Dance	0.5-1.5
SPAN 022B	Spanish for Heritage Speakers 2	5	DANCE 014D	Rehearsal and Performance - Tap Dance	0.5-1.5
SPAN 031	Introduction to Spanish Linguistics	3	DANCE 014E	Rehearsal and Performance - Ballroom Dance	0.5-1.5
SPAN 032	Introduction to Spanish and Latin American Literature	3	DANCE 014F	Rehearsal and Performance - Ballet	0.5-1.5
THEAT 002	Beginning Acting	3	DANCE 020	Jazz Dance, Beginning	
THEAT 015	Theatre History 1	3	DANCE 021	Jazz Dance, Intermediate	
THEAT 020	Introduction to Theatre	3	DANCE 021B	Jazz Dance, High-Intermediate	
THEAT 040	Introduction to Film	3	DANCE 023B	Hip-Hop Dance, Beginning	
THEAT 055	Chicanx/Latinx Theatre	3	DANCE 023C	Hip-hop Dance, Intermediate	
VIET 001A	Elementary Vietnamese 1	5	DANCE 030	Dance Improvisation	1.5
VIET 001B	Elementary Vietnamese 2	5	DANCE 032	Choreography	1.5
NON-THEORY COURSES			DANCE 034A	Choreography Workshop - Large Group	
ART 012	Two-Dimensional Design		DANCE 034B	Choreography Workshop - Small Group	
ART 013	Three Dimensional Design		DANCE 034C	Choreography Workshop - Solo/Duet	
ART 014	Color Theory		DANCE 040B	Tap Dance, Beginning	
ART 024	Beginning Drawing		DANCE 040C	Tap Dance, Intermediate	
ART 026	Intermediate Drawing		DANCE 050	Modern Dance, Beginning	
ART 027A	Illustration 1		DANCE 051	Modern Dance, Intermediate	
ART 042	Beginning Sculpture I		DANCE 051B	Modern Dance, High-Intermediate	
ART 040	Ceramic Sculpture 1		DANCE 064	Ballroom Dance, Beginning	
ART 046A	Beginning Ceramics I		DANCE 065	Ballroom Dance, Intermediate	
ART 046B	Beginning Ceramics II		DANCE 066	Intermediate Ballroom - Latin	
ART 055A	Life Drawing I		DANCE 067	Intermediate Ballroom - Swing	
ART 055B	Life Drawing II		DANCE 098	Directed Study in Dance	
ART 060	Beginning Painting I		MUSIC 020	Class Piano	
ART 061	Beginning Painting II		MUSIC 028	Class Guitar	
ART 071	Introduction to Media Arts		MUSIC 050A	Beginning Piano	
ART 072	Computer Graphics		MUSIC 050B	Beginning Piano	
ART 076	Professional Practices and Portfolio Development 1		MUSIC 058A	Beginning Guitar I	
ART 076B	Professional Practices and Portfolio Development 2	3	MUSIC 058B	Beginning Guitar II	
ART 078	Digital Video		MUSIC 098	Directed Study in Music	
ART 079A	Web Design 1		PHOTO 022	Beginning Photography	3
ART 079B	Web Design 2		PHOTO 062	Intermediate Photography	3
ART 084A	Web Animation 1		PHOTO 076	Photoshop 1	3
ART 084B	Web Animation 2		PHOTO 077	Photoshop 2	3
ART 089	Special Projects in Ceramics		PHOTO 079	Beginning Digital Photography	3
ART 095	Watercolor 1		THEAT 030	Theatre Rehearsal and Performance	
ART 095B	Watercolor 2		THEAT 003	Intermediate Acting	3
ART 098	Directed Study in Art		THEAT 033	Technical Theatre in Production	
DANCE 004	Dance Pedagogy: Teaching Children Dance		THEAT 051	Costume Design	3
DANCE 010	Ballet, Beginning		THEAT 052	Stage Makeup	3
DANCE 011	Ballet, Intermediate				
DANCE 011B	Ballet, High-Intermediate				
DANCE 011C	Ballet, Advanced				
DANCE 013A	Dancers' Workshop - Student, Large Group				
DANCE 013B	Dancers' Workshop - Student, Small Group				
DANCE 013C	Dancers' Workshop - Student, Solo/Duet				
DANCE 014A	Rehearsal and Performance - Modern Dance	0.5-1.5			
DANCE 014B	Rehearsal and Performance - Jazz Dance	0.5-1.5			

A.A. Degree Requirements

Course	Title	Credits
Major Requirements		18
General Electives if necessary to reach 60		2
General Education Requirements		39
Physical Activity		1
Total Units		60