



PLAN A

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS GENERAL EDUCATION AA DEGREE REQUIREMENTS 2019-2020

Cerritos College
Counseling

- PLAN A is designed primarily for those students interested in preparing for a vocational career upon graduation. PLAN A may also be used by university transfer students and for students in vocational majors who may possibly wish to transfer in the future. However, some courses listed in PLAN A are not transferable to the four-year universities. Therefore, students following PLAN A should see a counselor for guidance in selecting the general education plan that will best suit their educational and career goals.
- A minimum of 60 degree applicable units must be completed with a 2.0 grade point average to qualify for the AA degree. The 60 units is to include a minimum of 18 units of specific courses for a major, a minimum of 18 units of identified general education courses and requirements, any units taken to meet the proficiency requirements, and electives as needed.
- Students planning to transfer to a California State University (CSU) or University of California (UC) campus need additional specific general education units beyond the 18 units required for this plan. Depending on the student's transfer plans, the additional units should be selected from either PLAN B (CSU General Education Certification) or PLAN C (Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum). When selecting their courses, students are advised to check that the courses they select for PLAN A will count in the appropriate transfer general education category for PLAN B or PLAN C.
- Associate in Arts (AA-T) and Associate in Science (AS-T) for Transfer majors are required to fully complete Plan B or Plan C.
- **NOTE:** Courses denoted with one asterisk (*) appear in more than one category but may be used to satisfy only one category. Courses denoted with two asterisks (**) do not meet the general education requirements listed in PLAN B or PLAN C. Courses with three asterisks (***) do not meet the requirements for IGETC.
- Courses marked with a CL are cross-listed with another course. See individual cross-listed course descriptions in the Cerritos College catalog. Cross-listed courses may only receive credit once.
- Courses in **BOLD** and UNDERLINED have no prerequisites but may have course recommendations. Please refer to the catalog for course recommendations.

PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS

- 1) **Mathematics** This requirement can be met by one of the following options
 - a. Completion of MATH 80 or MATH 80B or MATH 75 or equivalent with a grade of "C" or higher or "Pass"

- b. Completion of high school Algebra 2 or Integrated Math 3 with a grade of "C" or higher. Documentation is required.
 - c. For other options, see your counselor.
- 2) **Reading** This requirement can be met by one of the following options:
 - a. Completion of READ 54 or READ 97 or READ 102 or equivalent with a grade of "C" or higher or "Pass"
 - b. For other options, see your counselor.
 - 3) **Writing** This requirement can be met by one of the following options:
 - a. Completion of ENGL 100 or ENGL 100s or equivalent with a grade of "C" or higher or "Pass"
 - 4) **Health & Wellness**
 - a. Completion with a grade of Pass or "C" or higher of at least one unit of a course from the approved department list below:

Athletics 200L, 201LA, 201LB, 201LC, 202L, 203LA, 203LB, 203LC, 204L, 205LA, 205LB, 205LC, 205LD, 205LE, 206L, 207LA, 207LB, 207LC, 208L, 209LA, 209LB, 209LC, 210L, 211LA, 211LB, 211LC, 212L, 213LA, 213LB, 213LC, 214L, 215LA, 215LB, 215LC, 216L, 217LA, 217LB, 217LC, 218L, 219LA, 219LB, 219LC, 220L, 221LA, 221LB, 221LC, 221LD, 222L, 223LA, 223LB, 223LC, 223LD, 224L, 225LA, 225LB, 225LC, 225LD, 226L, 227LA, 227LB, 227LC, 228L, 229LA, 229LB, 229LC, 230L, 231LA, 231LB, 231LC, 232L, 233LA, 233LB, 233LC, 234L, 235LA, 235LB, 235LC, 235LD, 236L, 237LA, 237LB, 237LC, 240, 241, 242

Kinesiology 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 120, 121, 122, 123, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 200, 202, 203, 206, 207, 210

Physical Education Activities

100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 106A, 107, 107A, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 124, 126, 130, 132, 134, 135, 136, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 145, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 155, 156, 157, 161, 162, 163, 165, 166, 167, 169, 170, 171, 172, 176, 177, 178, 179, 181, 184, 185, 186, 188, 189, 191, 192, 194, 240, 245, 246, 249, 261, 263, 265, 266, 267, 271, 272, 274, 276, 278, 281, 282, 284, 285, 288, 289, 291, 292
Other courses that will meet the requirement include:
Dance 102, 105, 106A, 106B, 107, 108A, 108B, 108C, 109, 110, 112, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 130A, 130B, 133, 134, 135, 136, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 150, 151

- b. Complete HED 100, 101, 103, 105, or 200; HO 100, or 152; CDEC 161; or WGS 103
- c. Complete an Allied Health program (DA, DH, RN PTA, Pharm Tech, MA)
- d. For other options, see your counselor.

Courses	Needed	In Progress	Completed
A. NATURAL SCIENCES			
Select at least three units from either Physical Sciences or Biological Sciences:			
1) PHYSICAL SCIENCES			
Astronomy 102, 103, 104 , 105L (LAB), 106			
Chemistry 100 (LAB), 110 (LAB), 111 (LAB), 112 (LAB)			
Earth Science 101 , 102 (LAB), 104 , 104L(LAB), 106, 110 (LAB)			
Energy 100			
Geography 101 , 101L (LAB) , 103			
Geology 101 (LAB), 102 , 102L (LAB), 103 , 103L, **105L, 201 (LAB), 204, 207 (LAB), 208, 209			
Physical Science 100, 112 (LAB)			
Physics 100 (LAB), 101 (LAB), 102 (LAB), 201 (LAB), 202 (LAB), 203 (LAB)			
2) BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES			
Anatomy & Physiology 120 (LAB), 150 (LAB), 151 (LAB), 200 (LAB) , 201 (LAB)			
Anthropology ** 110, 115 , 115L (LAB)			
Biology 105 , 110 (LAB), 115 (LAB) , 120 (LAB), 200 (LAB), 201 (LAB)			
Botany 120 (LAB)			
Microbiology 200 (LAB)			
Psychology 241			
Zoology 120 (LAB)			

Courses	Needed	In Progress	Completed
<p>B. SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES Select at least three units from either American History or American Government. Courses listed under the Social and Behavioral Science category below may be selected to meet the 18-unit general education requirement. <i>NOTE: Completion of a U.S. history or government course which fulfills the California State University requirement taken at any accredited institution may be used in lieu of the course requirement.</i></p> <p>1) AMERICAN HISTORY History 101,102, 103</p> <p>2) AMERICAN GOVERNMENT Political Science 101, 201</p> <p>3) SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE Administration of Justice 101 American Sign Language 220 Anthropology 100, 120, 170, 200, 201, 202, 203, ^{CL}205, 206 Business Administration ^{CL**}208 Child Development 110 Communication Studies 110, ^{CL}115 Child Development/Early Childhood**113 Counseling**150, 200 Economics 101, ^{CL}102, 201, 201M, 202, 202M, 204 Environmental Policy 200 Finance **125 Geography 102, 105, 140 Health Education ^{CL}103 History 110, 120, ^{CL}204, 210, 220, 221, 230, 235, 241, 242, 245, 246, 250, 255, 260, 265, **270, 275 Humanities ^{CL}107 Journalism 100 Kinesiology ^{CL}108, 211 Political Science 110, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260 Psychology 101, 150, 251, 261, 271 Reading 101 Sociology 101, 110, 120, 201, ^{CL}202, 205, 210, 215, **225, 230, 250 Speech Language Pathology **105 Women's and Gender Studies 101, ^{CL}103, 105, ^{CL}107, ^{CL}115, **140, ^{CL}202, ^{CL}204, ^{CL}205, ^{CL}206, ^{CL**}208, 209, 250</p>			
<p>C. HUMANITIES: Select at least three units from either the Fine Arts or Humanities</p> <p>1) FINE ARTS Architecture **110, 112 Art 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105A, 105B, 106, 107, ^{CL*}108, ^{CL*}109, 110, 113, 116, ^{CL}118, **119A, 120, 130A, 150, **186, **192, 193 ^{CL**}200 Communication Studies 148 Dance 100, 101 Film 159 Humanities ^{CL*}108, ^{CL*}109, ^{CL**}200 Music 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 104B, 105, 180 Photography 100, 160 Theatre 101, 102, 103, 104, **110, 150, RTV/TH 151, RTV 152 Women's and Gender Studies ^{CL}118</p> <p>2) HUMANITIES American Sign Language 110, 111, 210, 211 Art ^{CL}108, ^{CL*}109, 124, ^{CL}125, ^{CL}207 Chinese 101, 102, 201, 202, 260 Communication Studies 140, **145 English 102, 106, 221A, 221B, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 230A, 230B, 232, ***231, 233 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, **242, **243, **244, **247, 245, 246A, 246B, 248A, 248B, ***249 French 101, 102, 201, 202, 203, 281, 282, 283, ^{CL}285 German 101, 102, 201, 202 Humanities 100, ^{CL*}108, ^{CL*}109, ^{CL}125 Japanese 101, 102, 201, 202 Philosophy 100, 102, 104, 105, 107, 108, ^{CL}109, 130, 140, 200, 201, 203, 204, 205, 206 Photography 150 Spanish 101, 102, 111, 112, 201, 202, 206, 210, 245, ^{CL}285 Women's and Gender Studies 102, ^{CL}109, ^{CL}207</p>			
<p>D. LANGUAGE AND RATIONALITY Select at least three units from English Composition and three units from Communication & Analytical Thinking</p> <p>1) ENGLISH COMPOSITION English 100, 100S</p> <p>2) COMMUNICATION AND ANALYTICAL THINKING Business Communication's Office Technology **148 Communication Studies **60, 100, 103, 120, 125, 130, 132, 235 Computer & Information Sciences **101, **102, **103 Engineering Design Technology **131 English 103, 110 Mathematics **80, **80B, 110A, 110B, 112, 114, 115, 116, 140, 155, 160,170, 190, 225, 250 Philosophy 103, 106, **160 Psychology 103, 210 Reading 200</p>			
<p>E. If needed, select an additional course from the general education course listed above from PLAN B or PLAN C so that the earned general education units total at least 18.</p> <p>NOTE: The preceding graduation requirements apply to students who were in attendance during the 2019-2020 school year and thereafter. Students who enrolled prior to Fall 2019 and who have maintained continuous attendance at Cerritos College have the option of meeting the current requirements or those in effect at the time continuous attendance began.</p>			