



SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE

2023-2024 Associate of Arts General Education Pattern

PLAN A

Area A: Natural Sciences 3 UNITS ARE REQUIRED			
	Completed	In Progress	Need
<p>Anthropology 101, 101L; Astronomy 100L, 102, 103, 104; Biology 109/109H, 109L/109HL, 115, 139, 149, 190, 190L, 200, 211, 229, 239, 259; Chemistry 100, 200A/200AH; Earth Science 100, 100L, 111, 120, 121, 130, 160, 200; Geography 101/101H, 101L, 130/130H; Physical Science 100; Physics 100, 150A, 250A; Psychology 200; Water Utility Science 107</p> <p>Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____</p>			
Area B: Social and Behavioral Sciences Select ONE course from B1 and ONE course from B2. 6 UNITS ARE REQUIRED			
	Completed	In Progress	Need
<p>B1 AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS History 118, 120/120H, 121/121H, 126*; Political Science 101*/101H* Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____</p>			
<p>B2 SOCIAL SCIENCE ELECTIVE Anthropology 100*/100H*; Child Development 107*, 110; Criminal Justice 101; Economics 101, 102; Education 101; Geography 100*/100H*, 102*/102H*; History 101/101H, 102/102H, 115*, 126*, 240; Political Science 101*/101H*, 110, 230; Psychology 100/100H, 160*, 190; Sociology 100/100H, 120, 150, 220* Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____</p>			
Area C: Humanities 3 UNITS ARE REQUIRED			
	Completed	In Progress	Need
<p>Arts and Humanities: Anthropology 104; Art 100/100H, 101/101H, 102/102H, 110; Cinema Studies 103, 104, 105, 107, 108; Dance 100; History 115*, 132*, 142*; Music 101/101H, 102, 104; Philosophy 106/106H, 108, 112, 115, 118, 120; Theatre Arts 100;</p> <p>Foreign Language: American Sign Language 110, 111, 116, 210; Chinese 101, 102; French 101, 102, 194, 201, 202; Italian 101, 102, 194, 195, 201, 202; Spanish 101/101H, 101A & 101B, 102, 110, 111, 194, 195A, 195B, 201, 202, 213</p> <p>Literature: English 102*/102H*, 231, 232, 233A, 233B, 241, 242, 270, 271*, 272*</p> <p>Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____</p>			
Area D: Cultural Breadth 3 UNITS ARE REQUIRED FROM D1 OR D2			
	Completed	In Progress	Need
<p>D1 ETHNIC STUDIES/GENDER, SEXUALITY, AND WOMEN’S STUDIES Ethnic Studies 101, 110, 120, 130, 140; Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies 101, 102</p>			
<p>D2 INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES American Sign Language 116; Anthropology 100*/100H*, 104; Child Development 221; Communication 120/120H, 225/225H; English 246, 271*, 272*, 278; Geography 100*/100H*, 102*/102H*; History 115*, 124, 127, 132*, 142*, 152, 162; Kinesiology 109, 110; Music 102, 103; Philosophy 112; Psychology 170, 180; Sociology 286 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP _____</p>			
Area E: Language and Rationality Select ONE course form E1 and ONE course from E2. 6 UNITS ARE REQUIRED			
	Completed	In Progress	Need
<p>E1 ENGLISH COMPOSITION English 100, 101/101H with a grade of “C” or better. Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP _____</p>			
<p>E2 COMMUNICATION/ANALYTICAL THINKING Communication 101, 110**, 111**; Computer Science 100, 105, 129, 154; English 102**/102H**, 103**/103H**; ** Mathematics 080, 085, 086, 105, 140, 150, 170, 171, 180/180H, 185, 219/219H, 220, 280, 287, 290, 295; Philosophy 110,** 111**; Reading 102**, 150**, 151**; Sociology 125**/125H** <i>**Meets a required Proficiency</i> Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____</p>			

Area F: Lifelong Understanding and Self-Development

Select ONE course from F1 and ONE course from F2.

Only one unit can be counted from F2 to satisfy Area F.

3 UNITS ARE REQUIRED

	Completed	In Progress	Need
F1 Accounting 100; Child Development 107; Counseling 101, 113, 116, 118; Interdisciplinary Studies 155; Kinesiology 100, 101, 102, 104, 110, 111; Information Studies 100/100H; Nutrition & Food 115, 120; Philosophy 111; Psychology 160*, 230; Sociology 130, 220* Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____			
F2 Kinesiology 119-283 (excluding 274 and 284) Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____			

Proficiencies: Must be completed with a grade of "C" or better

(SEE BELOW FOR DETAILS)

	Completed	In Progress	Need
G1 Math _____ Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____			
G2 Reading _____ Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____			
G3 Oral Communication _____ Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____			
TOTAL UNITS:			

Important Note

General Education courses partially fulfill the requirement for an Associate degree from Santiago Canyon College. Please consult with a counselor to develop a Comprehensive Student Educational Plan (CSEP) that includes a course of study (major) and elective courses which are needed to complete the degree. Courses with an asterisk (*) may appear in more than one general education area, but may only be used to meet one general education area only.

**PLAN A
General Education and Associate Degree Requirements**

General Education Requirements

Students must complete 24 units of general education to receive an Associate of Arts degree from Santiago Canyon College. This must include a minimum of one course in General Education Areas A-F. Students completing the Liberal Arts or any other major may use a course to satisfy both a major requirement and a general education category requirement (A-F). Non-degree applicable courses may not be used for graduation requirements.

Completion of the California State University general education requirements, CSU-GE/Plan B, or the University of California Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum/Plan C will also fulfill the general education requirements for a Santiago Canyon College Associate Degree. Students may also satisfy the Plan A General Education requirements by submitting an official transcript of a Bachelor's degree from a regional accredited institution, or submitting transcripts that show completion of an Associate's degree from an accredited California institution within 10 years of completing all major requirements at Santiago Canyon College. Official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended must be submitted to SCC Admission and Records Office (E-101).

Associate Degree Requirements Unit, Residency and Major Requirements

Students must complete a minimum of 60 units with an overall grade point average of 2.0. At least 12 units must be earned at Santiago Canyon College and at least 6 units must be completed in courses required for the student's designated major. Students must complete courses for the major (a minimum of 18 units) **with a letter grade of "C" or better**. A limit of 15 units taken on a pass/no pass basis will be applied toward the degree.

Required Proficiencies: Mathematics, Reading, Oral Communication

May be used to satisfy a General Education requirement; **Must** be completed with a letter grade of "C" or better.

Mathematics (graduation petition code G-1)

1. Completion of Math 080, 085, 086 or any 3-unit math course numbered above the level of 080 **OR**
2. Placement into Math 140, 150, 171, or 180 without a recommended support course based on Santiago Canyon College's qualifying profile by the Math placement process **OR**
3. Completion of Algebra II in high school with a grade of "C" or better.

Reading: Critical Analysis (graduation petition code G-2)

1. Completion of READ 102, READ 150, or READ 151 with a grade of "C" or better; **OR**
2. Completion of ENGL 102/102H, ENGL 103/103H, PHIL 110, or PHIL 111 with a grade of "C" or better.

Oral Communication (graduation petition code G-3)

Completion of 3 units with a letter grade of "C" or better in one of the following: COMM 100, 100H, 101, 110, 111, or 134

Catalog Rights

Students who attend Santiago Canyon College at least one semester per year (fall, spring, summer) continuously may choose catalog rights pertaining to graduation, major and general education requirements for the first year of attendance or any subsequent year of attendance. If there is a gap in continuous attendance, students must use the catalog requirements for the year of readmission or for a year of subsequent continuous enrollment.

Petition for Graduation

Petitions must be filed in the Office of Admission and Records at Santiago Canyon College when a student has completed 30 units one semester before the expected graduation date, or by the semester deadline listed in the class schedule or found on the Admissions page at www.sccollege.edu

What if I have a mixture of quarter and semester unit courses, how is this calculated for CSU or IGETC certification?

It will be calculated to the student's advantage per Area, using either semester or quarter units. To convert semester units to quarter units, multiply the semester by 1.5. To convert quarter units to semester units, divide the quarter units by 1.5.