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Associate in Arts in English for Transfer (A.A.-T.)

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A.A.-T./A.S.-T. Degree for Transfer Requirements

1. Completion of all major courses with a C grade or higher. Major courses may be used to satisfy GE requirements.
2. Completion of either the California State University General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE) or the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern in full; students transferring to CSU using IGETC must complete Area 1C.
3. Completion of a minimum of 90 CSU-transferable quarter units with a minimum overall GPA of 2.0 in all CSU-transferable units.

Note: While a minimum 2.0 GPA is required for admission to CSU, many majors and campuses require a higher GPA. Please consult with a counselor or academic adviser.

Note: A minimum of 18 degree-applicable quarter units must be earned at De Anza College.

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A.A.-T. Degree

The English major consists of courses appropriate for an Associate in Arts in English for Transfer degree, which provides a foundational understanding of the discipline, a breadth of coursework in the discipline and preparation for transfer to any CSU that accepts the Transfer Model Curriculum (TMC). The Associate in Arts in English for Transfer is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in English (or an approved similar major) at a CSU campus. Students completing this degree are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major. Students transferring to a CSU campus that does accept this degree will be required to complete no more than 60 (semester) units after transfer to earn a bachelor's degree. This degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer to a particular CSU campus or to a university or college that is not part of the CSU system. In all cases, students should consult with a counselor for more information on university admission and transfer requirements.

Program Learning Outcomes: Upon completion, students will be able to

- Demonstrate awareness of diverse social, critical, historical and cultural perspectives by reading and responding to a range of literary texts
- Analyze texts representing a wide range of genres including poetry, drama, fiction and film
- Identify and make relevant connections between texts of various historical periods
- Write well developed and effectively organized essays including in-class essays, interpretive arguments and essays incorporating research
- Synthesize historical, formal and critical ideas in interpreting a text

1. Meet the A.A.-T./A.S.-T. degree for transfer requirements.
2. Complete the following.

Required Core - Complete one option:

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Option 1:

- EWRT 1C Literature and Composition (5)
EWRT 2 Critical Reading, Writing and Thinking (5)
or EWRT 2H Critical Reading, Writing and Thinking - HONORS (5)

Option 2:

- EWRT 1B Reading, Writing and Research (5)
or EWRT 1BH Reading, Writing and Research - HONORS (5)

List A - Complete two groups:

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Group 1:

- ELIT 46A Major British Writers
(Medieval and Renaissance) (4)
or ELIT 46AH Major British Writers
(Medieval and Renaissance) - HONORS (4)
ELIT 46B Major British Writers
(Neo-Classical and Romantic) (4)
or ELIT 46BH Major British Writers
(Neo-Classical and Romantic) - HONORS (4)

Group 2:

- ELIT 46B Major British Writers
(Neo-Classical and Romantic) (4)
or ELIT 46BH Major British Writers
(Neo-Classical and Romantic) - HONORS (4)
ELIT 46C Major British Writers
(Victorian and Modern) (4)
or ELIT 46CH Major British Writers
(Victorian and Modern) - HONORS (4)

Group 3:

- ELIT 48A Major American Writers
(Colonial to Romantic, 1620-1865) (4)
- or ELIT 48AH Major American Writers (Colonial to
Romantic, 1620-1865) - HONORS (4)
- ELIT 48B Major American Writers
(The Advent of Realism, 1865-1914) (4)
- or ELIT 48BH Major American Writers (The Advent of
Realism, 1865-1914) - HONORS (4)

Group 4:

- ELIT 48B Major American Writers
(The Advent of Realism, 1865-1914) (4)
- or ELIT 48BH Major American Writers (The Advent of
Realism, 1865-1914) - HONORS (4)
- ELIT 48C Major American Writers
(The Modern Age, 1914-the Present) (4)
- or ELIT 48CH Major American Writers (The Modern Age,
1914-the Present) - HONORS (4)

**List B - Complete one course if Required Core - Option 1
is selected or two courses if Required Core - Option 2 is
selected:**

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- ELIT 10 Introduction to Fiction (4)
- or ELIT 10H Introduction to Fiction - HONORS (4)
- ELIT 11 Introduction to Poetry (4)
- ELIT 12 Introduction to Dramatic Literature (4)
- ELIT 17 Introduction to Shakespeare (4)
- or ELIT 17H Introduction to Shakespeare - HONORS (4)
- EWRT 30 Introduction to Creative Writing (5)
- EWRT 40 Fiction Writing (5)
- EWRT 41 Poetry Writing (5)

**List C - Complete one course below or
from List A or B (not already taken):**

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- ANTH 6 Linguistic Anthropology (4)
- ELIT 8 Children's Literature (4)
- ELIT 19 Introduction to the Bible as Literature (4)
- ELIT 21 Women in Literature (4)
also listed as WMST 21
- ELIT 22 Mythology and Folklore (4)
- ELIT 24 Asian Pacific American Literature (4)
also listed as ASAM 20
- ELIT 28 Young Adult Literature (4)
- ELIT 38 Utopian/Dystopian Literature (4)
- ELIT 39 Contemporary Literature (4)
- ELIT 40 African American Literature (4)
- ELIT 41 Ethnic Literature of the United States (4)
- or ELIT 41H Ethnic Literature of the United
States - HONORS (4)

Major English for Transfer 29-35
Transfer GE CSU GE or (IGETC for CSU) (51-62 units)
Electives CSU-transferrable elective courses required
when the major units plus transfer GE units
total is less than 90
Total Units Required90