ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ASSOCIATE IN ARTS



This degree program is designed to provide lower division preparation for transfer to San Diego State University as a Liberal Studies major. Because the degree emphasizes a strong general education approach, it may be an appropriate major for a variety of career options. Students are encouraged to refer to the San Diego State University catalog and/or consult with an academic advisor before selecting the various options listed below. Upon completion, students may request certification of lower division general education course work required by the California State University system. Students interested in transferring to another college or university should check the requirements of that institution.

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- · Demonstrate global awareness and cultural sensitivity.
- Be prepared to request certification of lower division general education course work required by the California State University system.
- Demonstrate effective communication and interpersonal skills in diverse teaching and learning settings.

Career Opportunities

Administrator¹ **Audiovisual Specialist** School Clerical Worker Counselor 1 Educational Consultant¹ Educational Psychologist¹ **Educational Therapist** Educational Writer¹ Food Service Guidance Worker¹ Librarian¹ Library Technician Social Psychologist¹ Speech Pathologist/Audiologist¹ Teacher¹ Teacher's Aide Tutor

Associate in Arts Degree Requirements

Code	Title		Units
Composition, Oral Communication, and Literature			
1. Composition:			
Select one of the following:			3-6
ENGL-120	College Comp	osition and Reading	
ESL-122	College Rheto	ric	

Select one of the following: 3					
COMM-137	Critical Thinking in Group Communication				
COMM-145	Argumentation				
ENGL-124	Advanced Composition: Critical Reasoning and Writing (Preferred)				
PHIL-125	Critical Thinking and Philosophical Composition				
PHIL-130	Logic				
2. Communication (m	inimum three units):				
Select one of the following: 3					
COMM-120	Interpersonal Communication				
COMM-122	Public Speaking				
3. Literature (minimur	n three units):				
ENGL-122	Introduction to Literature	3			
Mathematics and Sci	ences				
4. Mathematics:					
MATH-125	Structure and Concepts of Elementary Mathematics I	3			
MATH-126	Structure and Concepts of Elementary Mathematics II	3			
5. Biological Sciences					
BIO-130	General Biology I	3			
BIO-131	**	1			
	General Biology I Laboratory	- 1			
6. Physical Sciences:	Earth Science	2			
GEOL-104		3			
Social Science and H	•				
7. Global Perspectives					
GEOG-106	World Regional Geography	3			
8. American Institutio					
Select one of the follo	<u> </u>	3			
HIST-108	Early American History				
HIST-109	Modern American History				
POSC-121	Introduction to U.S. Government and Politics				
9. Civilizations:					
HIST-100	Early World History	3			
Visual and Performing	g Arts/Humanities				
10. Theatre:					
THTR-110	Introduction to the Theatre	3			
11. Human Growth ar	nd Development:				
CD-125	Child Growth and Development	3			
12. Ethnic Studies (Se	elect one from each section)	6			
A.					
ETHN-130	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives I				
ETHN-131	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives II				
HIST-118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives				
HIST-119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives				
HIST-130	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives I				

Bachelor Degree or higher required.

HIST-131	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives II			
HIST-180	U.S. History: Black Perspectives I			
HIST-181	U.S. History: Black Perspectives II			
B.				
ENGL-236	Chicana/o Literature			
ENGL-238	Black Literature			
ETHN-107	History of Race & Ethnicity in the United States			
ETHN-114	Introduction to Race & Ethnicity			
ETHN-236	Chicana/o Literature			
ETHN-238	Black Literature			
HIST-107	History of Race & Ethnicity in the United States			
SOC-114	Introduction to Race & Ethnicity			
13. Additional Requirements:				
ED-200	Teaching as a Profession	3		
ES-253	Physical Education in Elementary Schools	3		
HED-105	Health Education for Teachers	1		
MATH-128	Children's Mathematical Thinking	2		
MUS-118	Introduction to Music	4		
ES Activity (at least two courses marked with an asterisk)				
Total Units 61-				

Recommended Elective

Code	Title	Units
PSC-100		3
	(Offered at Grossmont College; required for major at SDSU)	