

# LIBERAL ARTS ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE WITH AN AREA OF EMPHASIS IN SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

**Division:** Counseling

**PROGRAM CODE:** 1A18523

Financial Aid Eligible

The **Liberal Arts Degree with Area of Emphasis: Social and Behavioral Sciences** emphasizes the perspective, concepts, theories and methodologies of the disciplines typically found in the vast variety of disciplines that comprise study in the Social and Behavioral Sciences. Students will study about themselves and others as members of a larger society. Topics and discussion to stimulate critical thinking about ways people have acted in response to their societies will allow students to evaluate how societies and social subgroups operate. To earn this Associate Degree students must complete: 1) All major course requirements with a grade of C or better; 2) Cypress College Native General Education requirements; California State University General Education Breadth requirements (CSU GE Breadth) or IGETC General Education requirements; 3) Fulfillment of all graduation requirements, to include local requirements of a minimum of one (1) unit of coursework approved for Physical Activity and Health and three (3) units of coursework approved for Social Justice, Equity and Sustainability 4) any elective courses to complete a minimum of 60 units; and, have a minimum GPA of 2.0. This degree requires a total of 18 units in the major, in addition to general graduation requirements.

Code	Title	Units
<i>Select 18 units from at least 2 discipline areas:</i>		
AJ 110 C	Introduction to Criminal Justice <sup>1</sup>	3
AJ 120 C	Concepts of Criminal Law <sup>1</sup>	3
AJ 160 C	Community and the Justice System <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 102 C	Cultural Anthropology <sup>1</sup>	3
or ANTH 102HC Honors Cultural Anthropology		
ANTH 103 C	Introduction to Archaeology (Formerly ANTH 203 C) <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 104 C	Comparative Cultures <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 105 C	Introduction to Linguistic Anthropology <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 106 C	Human Prehistory/Ancient Civi <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 107 C	Magic Witchcraft and Religion <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 121 C	Native North America <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 208 C	Anthropology of Death <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 212 C	Applied and Practicing Anthropology (formerly ANTH 211 C) <sup>1</sup>	3
ANTH 225 C	Ancient Cultures/Mex/Cent Am <sup>1</sup>	3
COMM 105 C	Interpersonal Communication <sup>1</sup>	3
COMM 120 C	Intercultural Communication <sup>1</sup>	3
DSST 200 C	Introduction to Disability Studies	3
ECON 100 C	Principles of Economics-Macro <sup>1</sup>	3
or ECON 100HC Honors Princ of Econ-Macro		
ECON 105 C	Principles of Economics-Micro <sup>1</sup>	3

or ECON 105HC Honors Princ of Econ - Micro		
ECON 110 C	Survey of Economics <sup>1</sup>	3
ECON 120 C	International Economics <sup>1</sup>	3
ECON 130 C	Consumer Economics	3
ETHS 101 C	American Ethnic Studies (Formerly ETHS 100 C) <sup>1</sup>	3
or ETHS 101HC Honors American Ethnic Studies		
ETHS 129 C	Intro to African Amer Studies <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 130 C	African-American History I <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 131 C	African-American History II <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 150 C	Intro to Chicana-o-x Studies (Formerly ETHS 140 C) <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 151 C	Chicana-o-x History I (Formerly ETHS 141 C) <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 152 C	Chicana-o-x History II <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 153 C	Chicana-o and Latina-o Contemporary Issues <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 159 C	Intro to Native Amer Studies <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 160 C	Native American History I <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 161 C	Native American History II <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 170 C	Intro to Asian Pac Am Studies <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 171 C	Asian Pacific American History <sup>1</sup>	3
ETHS 202 C	Race, Ethnicity & Pop Culture	3
ETHS 235 C	American Racial Liber. Mvmt <sup>1</sup>	3
GEOG 100 C	World Geography <sup>1</sup>	3
or GEOG 100HC Honors World Geography		
GEOG 130 C	California Geography <sup>1</sup>	3
GEOG 160 C	Cultural Geography <sup>1</sup>	3
GEOG 260 C	Economic Geography <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 110 C	Western Civilizations I <sup>1</sup>	3
or HIST 110HC Honors Western Civilizations I		
HIST 111 C	Western Civilizations II <sup>1</sup>	3
or HIST 111HC Honors Western Civilizations II		
HIST 112 C	World Civilizations I <sup>1</sup>	3
or HIST 112HC Honors World Civilizations I		
HIST 113 C	World Civilizations II <sup>1</sup>	3
or HIST 113HC Honors World Civilizations II		
HIST 135 C	History of Africa <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 142 C	History of Latin America I <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 143 C	History of Latin America II <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 151 C	Survey of British History I <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 152 C	Survey of British History II <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 160 C	Asian Civilizations I <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 161 C	Asian Civilizations II <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 163 C	History of Mexico <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 165 C	History of the Middle East <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 170 C	History of the United States I <sup>1</sup>	3
or HIST 170HC Honors History of the U.S. I		
HIST 171 C	History of the United States II <sup>1</sup>	3
or HIST 171HC Honors History of the United States II		
HIST 190 C	History of the Americas I (formerly HIST 162AC) (Formerly HIST 162AC) <sup>1</sup>	3

HIST 191 C	History of the Americas II (formerly HIST 162BC) (Formerly HIST 162BC) <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 270 C	Women in United States History <sup>1</sup>	3
HIST 275 C	History of California <sup>1</sup>	3
HS 277 C	Cultur Awareness Health Care	3
HUSR 200 C	Introduction to Human Services	3
INDS 200 C	Introduction to Global Citizenship Studies <sup>1</sup>	3
INDS 201 C	Global Citizenship Issues <sup>1</sup>	3
JOUR 110 C	Global Media <sup>1</sup>	3
JOUR 118 C	Messages for Electronic Media	3
KIN 248 C	Psychology of Sport <sup>1</sup>	3
KIN 249 C	Sport and United States Society (formerly PE 250 C) <sup>1</sup>	3
BUS 100 C	Introduction to Business	3
PHIL 165 C	Business Ethics	3
PHS 280 C	Introduction to Public Health (formerly KIN 280 C)	3
or PHS 280HC	Honors Introduction to Public Health (formerly KIN 280HC)	
PHS 281 C	Health and Social Justice	3
or PHS 281HC	Honors Health and Social Just	
PHS 283 C	Womens Health	3
PHS 285 C	Global and Community Health	3
POSC 100 C	United States Government <sup>1</sup>	3
or POSC 100HC	Honors United States Government	
POSC 250 C	Gender and Politics	3
POSC 120 C	Political Theory <sup>1</sup>	3
POSC 200 C	Intro to Political Science <sup>1</sup>	3
POSC 209 C	Urban Politics <sup>1</sup>	3
POSC 210 C	Contemporary Political Issues <sup>1</sup>	3
POSC 215 C	Comparative Politics <sup>1</sup>	3
POSC 216 C	Politics of the Middle East <sup>1</sup>	3
POSC 230 C	International Relations <sup>1</sup>	3
PSY 101 C	Introduction to Psychology <sup>1</sup>	3
or PSY 101HC	Honors Intro to Psychology	
PSY 110 C	Applied Psychology	3
PSY 120 C	Human Sexuality <sup>1</sup>	3
PSY 131 C	Cross-Cultural Psychology (formerly PSY 237 C) (Formerly PSY 237 C) <sup>1</sup>	3
PSY 139 C	Developmental Psychology <sup>1</sup>	3
PSY 145 C	Child Psychology <sup>1</sup>	3
PSY 202 C	Research Methods in Psychology <sup>1</sup>	4
PSY 221 C	The Brain and Behavior <sup>1</sup>	3
PSY 222 C	Abnormal Psychology <sup>1</sup>	3
PSY 251 C	Social Psychology <sup>1</sup>	3
PSY 255 C	Psychology of Aging <sup>1</sup>	3
SOC 101 C	Introduction to Sociology <sup>1</sup>	3
or SOC 101HC	Honors Introduction to Sociology	
SOC 102 C	Social Problems <sup>1</sup>	3
SOC 125 C	Sociology Research Methods <sup>1</sup>	3
SOC 225 C	Sociology of Women <sup>1</sup>	3
SOC 250 C	Sociology of Aging <sup>1</sup>	3
SOC 275 C	Marriage and Family <sup>1</sup>	3

SOC 277 C	Sociology of Religion <sup>1</sup>	3
SOC 280 C	Media, Culture, and Society <sup>1</sup>	3
SOC 290 C	Soc of Cont Race Ethnic Rel <sup>1</sup>	3
SOC 292 C	Introduction to Criminology <sup>1</sup>	3
<b>TOTAL HOURS</b>		<b>18</b>

<sup>1</sup> This course is transferable to UC

**SPECIAL NOTE:** This degree is an Associate Degree designed for transfer students; **however, it does not qualify as an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT)** for CSU priority admission consideration. Please see a counselor for more information on differences in degree options offered at Cypress College for transfer students.

#### Program Student Learning Outcomes:

*A student who completes this program (degree/certificate) will*

1. Evaluate the methods of inquiry and evidence used in the behavioral and social sciences. Apply the principles of the social and behavioral sciences to the diverse world in which we live. Compare and contrast the major theoretical perspectives in the social and behavioral sciences.

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