

HISTORY ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE

PROGRAM CODE: 2A03883

The **History Associate in Arts Degree** is designed to prepare students to acquire basic historical knowledge and academic skills, both to transfer to a four-year institution, and to understand historical causes of current events. History is the study of change over time. Historians analyze cause and effect, construct narratives from primary and secondary sources, and try to explain the actions of people in the past. Students in history courses learn more than dates, names, and events. They also learn how to interpret, debate, and draw conclusions. History majors develop a broad perspective on the human experience, and appreciate how the past shaped the present. A History degree is an excellent general preparation for careers in education, law, historical research, historical preservation, government, journalism, media, and communication. This degree requires 18 units in the major, in addition to other graduation requirements.

Code	Title	Units
Required Courses (6 units):		
HIST 170 F	History of the United States to 1877 (formerly History of the United States I)	3
or HIST 170HF	Honors History of the United States to 1877 (formerly Honors History of the United States I)	
HIST 171 F	History of the United States Since 1877 (formerly History of the United States II)	3
or HIST 171HF	Honors History of the United States Since 1877 (formerly Honors History of the United States II)	
List A - Restricted Electives (6 units):		
HIST 112 F	World Civilizations to 1550 (formerly World Civilizations I)	3
or HIST 112HF	Honors World Civilizations to 1550 (formerly Honors World Civilizations I)	
HIST 113 F	World Civilizations Since 1550 (formerly World Civilizations II)	3
or HIST 113HF	Honors World Civilizations Since 1550 (formerly Honors World Civilizations II)	
Restricted Electives: List B, Group 1 (3 units)		
HIST 120 F	African Civilizations to 1880	3
HIST 121 F	African Civilizations since 1880	3
HIST 154 F	Ancient Egypt	3
HIST 160 F	Asian Civilizations I (formerly HIST 160AF)	3
HIST 161 F	Asian Civilizations II (formerly HIST 160BF)	3
HIST 165 F	Introduction to the Middle East	3
HIST 270 F	Women in United States History	3
ETHS 130 F	African-American History I	3
ETHS 131 F	African-American History II	3
ETHS 151 F	Chicana/o History I (formerly ETHS 141 F)	3
ETHS 152 F	Chicana/o History II (formerly ETHS 141 F)	3
ETHS 160 F	American Indian History (formerly History of the Native Americans)	3
ETHS 171 F	Asian Pacific Islander American History	3
Restricted Electives List B, Group 2 (3 units)		

HIST 110 F	Western Civilizations to 1550 (formerly Western Civilization I)	3
or HIST 110HF	Honors Western Civilizations to 1550 (formerly Western Civilization II)	
HIST 111 F	Western Civilizations Since 1550 (formerly Western Civilization II)	3
or HIST 111HF	Honors Western Civilizations Since 1550 (formerly Honors Western Civilization II)	
HIST 151 F	Survey of British History I	3
HIST 152 F	Survey of British History II	3
HIST 190 F	History of the Americas I (formerly HIST 162AF)	3
HIST 191 F	History of the Americas II (formerly HIST 162BF)	3
HIST 273 F	United States Environmental History	3
HIST 275 F	History of California	3
Total Units		18

Outcome 1: Explain causation, change and continuity, and historical complexity through analysis of historical evidence and arguments.

Outcome 2: Develop and present one's own historical conclusions by crafting convincing and well-supported arguments.

Outcome 3: Demonstrate historical empathy through analysis of globally diverse historical sources and perspectives.

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