GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE

PLAN A: 2019-2020

NOTE: This plan does not apply to Associate Degrees for Transfer (AA-T and A.S.-T).

NOTE: See page 27 for specific requirements for the following:

IV. A. Reading Proficiency
B. Mathematics Proficiency
V. Oral Communication Requirement

Courses taken to meet these proficiencies/requirement must be completed with a grade of “C” or better.

Note: A single course may be used to meet only one category requirement (A-F) in Section II. However, a course may be used to meet both a required proficiency (IV) or requirement (V), as well as one of the categories of General Education Courses on Plan A (II).

Courses which meet the requirements for Part II of Plan A at Santiago Canyon College will automatically meet the identical requirements for Part II of Plan A at Santa Ana College.

II. Required General Education Courses

A. Natural Sciences (minimum 3 semester units)
   Anthropology 101, 101L
   Astronomy 109, 110 or 110H, 140
   Biology 109 or 109H/109L, 111, 115, 149, 177, 190, 190L, 200, 211, 239, 259
   Chemistry 109, 119, 209, 210, 219 or 219H
   Earth Science 110 or 110H, 115, 150 or 150H
   Environmental Studies 140, 200, 259
   Geography 101, 101L, 130
   Geology 101, 101L, 140, 150 or 150H, 201
   Physical Science 117, 118
   Physics 109, 210, 217, 279
   Psychology 200

B. Social and Behavioral Sciences (minimum 6 semester units)
   1. American Institutions (minimum 3 semester units)
      History 118, 120 or 120H, 121 or 121H, 122
      Political Science 101 or 101H
   2. Social Science Elective (minimum 3 units)
      Anthropology 100 or 100H
      Child Development 107, 110
      Criminal Justice 101 or 101H
      Economics 120, 121
      Geography 100 or 100H, 102 or 102H, 140, 155
      History 101 or 101H, 102 or 102H
      Law 100
      Political Science 101 or 101H
      Psychology 100 or 100H
      Sociology 100 or 100H
   3. Interdisciplinary Studies (minimum 3 semester units)
      Communications & Media Studies 120, 200
      Theatre Arts 100, 105, 120, 123

C. Humanities (minimum 3 semester units)
   American Sign Language 110, 111, 116, 210
   Anthropology 104 or 104H
   Art 100 or 100H, 101, 102, 105, 107, 110
   Communications and Media Studies 103, 105 or 105H, 111
   Dance 100 or 100H, 105
   English 104 or 104H
   Foreign Language:
      Chinese 101, 102
      French 101, 102, 201 or 201H, 202 or 202H
      Italian 120, 121
      Japanese 101, 102
      Spanish 101 or 101H, 102 or 102H, 195 A, 195B, 201 or 201H, 202 or 202H
      Vietnamese 101, 102
   Interdisciplinary Studies 121, 200
   Kinesiology, Professional 170
   Literature:
      Communications & Media Studies 110
      English 102 or 102H, 231, 232, 233ABC, 241, 242, 270, 271, 272
      Music 101 or 101H, 102 or 102H, 104, 105, 110, 111
      Philosophy 106 or 106H, 108, 112, 118
      Television/Video Communications 101, 103, 104
   Theatre Arts 100, 105, 120, 123

D. Cultural Breadth (Three semester units required from D1 or D2)

D1. Ethnic Studies/Women's Studies
   American Sign Language 116
   Anthropology 104 or 104H, 125
   Art 103, 104, 106
   Asian American Studies 101
   Black Studies 101
   Chicano Studies 101
   Child Development 221
   Communication Studies 103 or 103H, 206 or 206H
   English 104 or 104H, 245, 246, 278
   Ethnic Studies 101 or 101H, 102 or 102H
   History 123, 124 or 124H, 125, 127, 146, 150, 151, 153, 163, 181
   Kinesiology, Health Education 102
   Music 103
   Nutrition and Food 118
   Political Science 235
   Psychology 170
   Women's Studies 101, 102
D2. International Perspective
   Anthropology 100 or 100H
   Business 106
   Criminal Justice 209
   Dance 105
   English 271, 272
   Geography 100 or 100H, 102
   Interdisciplinary Studies 117H
   Kinesiology, Professional 150
   Music 102 or 102H
   Philosophy 112
   Theatre Arts 105

E. Language and Rationality (minimum 6 semester units)
   1. English Composition (minimum 3 semester units)
      Courses fulfilling the written composition requirement include both expository and argumentative writing. The English composition requirement may be met by completing English 101 or 101H with a grade of "C" or better.
   2. Communication and Analytical Thinking (minimum 3 semester units)
      Includes mathematics, logic, statistics, computer languages and programming and related disciplines.
      Business 130
      Communication Studies 102, 140, 145
      Computer Science 100, 105
      Counseling 144
      English 102 or 102H, 103 or 103H
      Mathematics 083, 084, 105, 140, 141, 145, 150, 162, 170, 180 or 180H, 185, 204, 219 or 219H, 221, 280, 287
      Philosophy 110 or 110H, 111
      Psychology 210
      Reading 101, 101X, 102, 150

F. Lifelong Understanding and Self-Development (minimum 3 semester units)
   Note: Take one course from each group. No more than one semester unit may be counted from F2.
      Three semester units for Health Education and one semester unit for Kinesiology may be granted on the basis of military service. See page 54 for additional information.
   1. Completion of one of the following:
      Child Development 107
      Counseling 100, 116, 120, 124, 125, 128
      Entrepreneurship 100
      Fashion Design Merchandising 103
      Interdisciplinary Studies 155
      Kinesiology, Health Education 101, 102, 103, 104, 108
      Kinesiology, Professional 125, 160
      Library and Information Studies 100
      Mathematics 030
      Nutrition and Food 115 or 115H
      Philosophy 111
      Psychology 140, 180, 230
      Sociology 112
      Study Skills 109
   2. Completion of one of the following:
      Dance 102, 201A, 201B, 206A, 206B, 219A, 219B
      Kinesiology, Adapted Activities 201A, 202A, 202B, 205A, 208A, 208B, 211A, 211B
      Kinesiology, Aerobic Fitness 140A, 143A, 144A, 146A, 146B, 150A, 156A, 156B, 157A
      Kinesiology, Aquatics 201A, 201B
      Kinesiology, Professional 155, 165, 175, 195, 200, 275
      This requirement (F) is met for Fire Technology (as long as Fire Technology 121 and 121L are taken as part of the program), Nursing, and Occupational Therapy Assistant by completion of the major.