

SPEECH COMMUNICATION

LONG BEACH CITY COLLEGE

Curriculum Guide for Academic Year 2010-2011

Associate in Arts

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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Students are provided with a general education in the principles, concepts and methodologies of inter-personal/intercultural/group/leadership communication and informative/persuasive/argumentative/interpretive speaking.

DEPARTMENTAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

None. For more departmental information call (562) 938-4438 or email aridenour@lbcc.edu.

REQUIRED COURSES

UNITS

			In Progress	Completed Grade
SP 10	Elements of Public Speaking (F, SP, S)	3		
SP 20	Elements of Interpersonal Communication (F, SP, S)	3		
SP 25	Elements of Intercultural Communication (F, SP, S)	3		
SP 30	Elements of Group Communication (F, SP, S)	3		
SP 60	Elements of Argumentation & Debate (F, SP, S)	3		
Subtotal Units		15		

Select three (3) units from the following:

SP 31	Elements of Leadership Communication (F, SP)	3		
SP 50	Elements of Oral Interpretation (F, SP)	3		
Subtotal Units		3		
TOTAL UNITS		18		

RECOMMENDED but not required:

ANTHR 2	Cultural Anthropology	3		
MGMT 49A	Intro to Management	3		
MGMT 49B	Human Resources Management	3		
PSYCH 1	Introductory Psychology	3		
PSYCH 11	Social Psychology	3		
R/TV 40AD	On-Camera Performance	2		
SOCIO 1	Introduction to Sociology	3		
† TART 1	Acting 1-Introduction to Acting	3		

LEGEND

† This course has a prerequisite; prerequisite courses must be completed with at least a "C" or "P" grade (see catalog or schedule of classes).
 (SP = Spring) (S = Summer) (F = Fall) (INF = Infrequently) = Represents general frequency of course offering

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

For ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE:

The Associate Degree is a two-year college degree awarded by Long Beach City College which includes general education courses and a major. Complete the required units listed above with a minimum grade of "C" in each course. In addition, complete the A.A. degree requirements specified in the Catalog. The requirements for general education/proficiency and the field of concentration need to be from the same catalog year. This catalog year may be any year between the year of initial enrollment to the present, provided continuous enrollment is maintained throughout (see the catalog for definition of "continuous enrollment"). Fifty percent (50%) or more of the unit requirements for this field of concentration must be completed in residence (credit earned by exam, where applicable, may be included).

NOTE: To receive a degree you must submit completed application forms in the Admissions and Records Office during your final semester of course work.

In general, "double-counting" is not allowed. That is, one course may not be used to fulfill both a field of concentration requirement and to fulfill a general education requirement.

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE OF COURSES

This is not an educational plan, as course offerings, student schedules, and circumstances vary. Students must meet all the prerequisites in order to be eligible for the sequence of courses.

A suggested sample sequence of courses for the program includes:

<u>First Semester</u>		<u>Second Semester</u>	
SP10	3 Units	SP 30	3 Units
SP 20	3	SP 60	3
 <u>Third Semester</u>		 <u>Fourth Semester</u>	
SP 25 or 31 or 50	3 Units	SP 25 or 31 or 50	3 Units

***NOTE:** Classes may be take in any order

Students interested in transferring to a university to continue their study in this field of concentration or other majors are strongly advised to consult an LBCC academic counselor and refer to the ASSIST website (www.assist.org) for major preparation information. Counselors can clarify the different major and admissions requirements at a university. Students may visit the Student Success/Transfer Services Center to access further educational resources. If you need to set up an appointment to see a counselor or schedule the SOAR Test, call LAC (562)938-4561 or PCC (562)938-3920.