

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS IN SPANISH FOR TRANSFER

Curriculum Guide for Academic Year 2016-2017

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Resources available for transfer students: Academic Counselors (Call 562-938-4561 at LAC or 562-938-3920 at PCC); Transfer Center (Call 562-938-4670 for LAC or 562-938-3920 for PCC); ASSIST web site at www.assist.org.

Program of study leading to: Associate in Arts (AA-T) Degree

REQUIRED CORE COURSE:

SPAN 1	Elementary Spanish
SPAN 2	Elementary Spanish
SPAN 3 OR	Intermediate Spanish OR
SPAN 9	Spanish for Spanish Speakers
SPAN 4 OR	Intermediate Spanish OR
SPAN 10	Spanish for Spanish Speakers

C-ID Descriptor	CSU GE Area	IGETC Area	Units	In Progress	Completed Grade
SPAN 100	C2		5		
SPAN 110	C2	6	5		
SPAN 200	C2	3B/6	5		
SPAN 220	C2	3B/6	5		
SPAN 210	C2	3B/6	5		
SPAN 230	C2	3B/6	5		

Subtotal Units 20

IN ADDITION, complete THREE (3) units from LIST A:

SPAN 25D	Advanced Spanish: Literature
SPAN 25B	Advanced Spanish: History
SPAN 25A	Advanced Spanish: Culture

	C2	3B	3		
	C2	3B	3		
	C2	3B	3		

Subtotal Units 3

TOTAL UNITS 23

IN ADDITION to the above major courses, students are also required to obtain general education certification and meet other degree requirements as specified below and on the next page.

General Education Certification Requirements

Completion of EITHER the California State University General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE Breadth) OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern IS REQUIRED. For general education patterns, visit the following web site: <http://osca.lbcc.edu/genedplan.cfm>, or the LBCC catalog. After completion of the General Education Pattern **students must request GE certification**. Consult with a counselor for more information about the GE Certification process.

Other Degree Requirements

- Minimum Unit Requirements:** Complete a minimum of 60 transferable units. Please note that additional units may be required to meet this minimum based upon courses selected to fulfill CSU-GE Breadth Pattern or the IGETC Pattern.

If following CSU-GE Breadth Pattern	Units	If following IGETC Pattern	Units
Political Science for Transfer	18**	Political Science for Transfer	18**
CSU-GE Breadth	39	IGETC Pattern	37-39
Minimum Required	60	Minimum Required	60

****Double-Counting of Units:** SB 1440 Regulations allow for double-counting of major requirements towards CSU- GE Breadth or IGETC patterns, and **12 units** of the Spanish for Transfer coursework can be applied to the CSU- GE Breadth or IGETC patterns.

- 2. Minimum Grade and GPA Requirements:** Maintain an **overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0** ("C" average) in all CSU-transferable coursework. For the major complete each course with a grade of "C" or better, or "P" if course is graded on a P/NP basis.
- 3. Residence for the Degree:** Complete at least 12 CSU-transferable units (courses numbered 1-99) in residence at LBCC.
- 4. Degree Application:** Complete and submit the degree application form to the Admissions and Records office during your final semester of course work. These forms are available in the Admissions and Records office, or online at <http://admissions.lbcc.edu/> . Refer to the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu>) and click the "Important Dates" link to view the actual deadline for each semester.

Program Mission and Outcomes

Mission Statement: The Associate in Arts in Spanish for Transfer Degree at Long Beach City College aligns with the college's mission to provide a transfer path for student success. It prepares both non-native students and heritage learners to communicate effectively in Spanish in a wide range of situations in both personal and professional settings. Students will broaden their cultural awareness and develop sensitivity to diverse Hispanic cultures within the global community. The Skills obtained through this degree promote equitable learning and achievement, and will prepare a diverse population of students for career advancement and transfer to a four-year college or university.

Program Outcomes:

- Proficiency in Spanish in reading, writing, listening, and speaking
- Fundamental knowledge of language-learning skills and concepts
- Development of cultural sensitivity, and awareness of the diversity of Hispanic culture
- Ability to analyze and critique current events, culture, history, and literature
- Development of strategies for making multidisciplinary connections thus equipping students with a global perspective
- Promotion of international understanding and exchange.