



Southwestern College
CSU Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT)
Transfer Preparation
2015-2016

Associate of Arts in Spanish for Transfer (Major Code: 01462)

Knowing Spanish gives one the power to successfully communicate with the people of twenty-one Spanish-speaking countries, as well as 20 million Spanish-speakers in the United States. After English, Spanish is the most studied language in Europe and Asia as well. In today's business world, Spanish is widely used as a valuable tool of communication for commercial transactions in the global market. It is one of the five official languages in the United Nations.

The benefit for students completing an Associates in Arts in Spanish for Transfer Degree is that the California State University (CSU) system is required by CEC section 66747 to 'guarantee admission with junior status to any community college student who meets all of the requirements'. CSU is required to grant priority admission for a student with this associates degree 'to his or her local [CSU] campus and to a program or major that is similar to his or her community college major or area of emphasis, as determined by the [CSU] campus to which the student is admitted.' A student admitted under this article shall receive priority over all other community college students who have entered into a transfer agreement between a community college and the California State University prior to the fall term of the 2012-13.

This degree may not be the best option for students intending to transfer outside of the locally defined CSU service area or to a university or college that is not part of the CSU system. Students should consult with a Southwestern College counselor for admission requirements specific to an intended transfer university.

Southwestern College Course	Title	Units
<u>Required CORE: (18-20 units)</u>		18-20
<u>OPTION 1- Spanish for Bilinguals</u>		
SPAN 215	Spanish for Bilinguals I	5
SPAN 216	Spanish for Bilinguals II	5
SPAN 221	Introduction to Literature for Bilinguals	5
SPAN 225	Intermediate Conversation and Writing on Spanish Culture	3
or		
SPAN 226	Intermediate Conversation and Writing on Latin American Culture	3
Total units		18
Plus an additional 3 units from List A (below)		3
<u>OPTION 2- Spanish for Non-Native Speakers:</u>		
SPAN 101	Elementary Spanish I	5
SPAN 102	Elementary Spanish II	5
SPAN 201	Intermediate Spanish I	5
SPAN 202	Intermediate Spanish II	5
Total units		20
Plus an additional 3 units from List A (below)		3

Southwestern College Course	Title	Units
List A:		
Select one course to complete the Spanish ADT (3 units):		3
SPAN 225	Intermediate Conversation and Writing on Spanish Culture	3
SPAN 226	Intermediate Conversation and Writing on Latin American Culture	3
ENGL 271	Latin American Literature	3
ENGL 272	Chicano Literature	3
ENGL 274	Literature of the U.S. - Mexico Borderlands and Baja California	3
HIST 141	Mexican-American History I	3
MAS 141	Mexican-American History I	3
HIST 142	Mexican-American History II	3
MAS 142	Mexican-American History II	3
ANTH 112	Cultures of Mexico	3
MAS 150	Mexican and Mexican-American Cultures in the United States	3
SOC 150	Mexican and Mexican-American Cultures in the United States	3
Total units		21-23

To earn an associate degree, additional General Education and proficiency/unit requirements must be completed.