

DEGREES & CERTIFICATES

HUMANITIES ASSOCIATE OF ARTS (AA)

About the Program

The Humanities AA degree is a program designed to offer students a broad introduction to the history and analysis of art forms, styles, and movements, as well as introducing them to important themes and aspects of human creativity seen in material culture, belief systems, and major ideas throughout time. Humanities courses prepare those interested majoring in fields, such as Liberal Arts, Interdisciplinary Studies, Cultural Studies, English, Art History, Film, Classical Studies, Philosophy, or Humanities.

Program Goals and Objectives

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Career Opportunities

Program Outcomes

- Upon completion of the AA in Humanities, students are able to formally evaluate works of art using the elements and principles of art.
- Upon completion of the AA in Humanities, students are able to express and explain their appreciation for the arts through discussion and writing.
- Upon completion of the AA in Humanities, students are able to discuss important themes expressed in material culture and belief systems as seen throughout global history.
- Upon completion of the AA in Humanities, students are able to critically interpret and analyze aspects of culture and art by applying theoretical methods used in the humanities.

Required Core: (9 Units)

HUMN 3 Introduction to Humanities.....	3
HUMN 28 World Mythology.....	3
PHIL 1 God, Nature, Human Nature.....	3

List A: Select One (3 Units)

ENG 32 U.S. Women's Literature.....	3
ENG 41 Modern World Literature.....	3
ENG 42 Literature of the African Diaspora in America.....	3
HIST 32 U.S. Women's History.....	3
HUMN 6 Nature and Culture.....	3
HUMN 10 American Arts and Ideas.....	3
PHIL 2 Ethics.....	3
RELS 1 Religions of the World.....	3
WMST 2 Global Perspective of Women.....	3

List B: Select One (3-4 Units)

ARHS 7 Modern Art History.....	3
HUMN 4 Global Cinemas.....	4
MUS 3 World Music.....	3
PHTO 67 History of Photography.....	3
THEA 4 Modern American Theater.....	3
THEA 10 Introduction to Dramatic Arts.....	3

List C: Select One (3 Units)

ARHS 2 Art of the Ancient Americas.....	3
ARHS 5 Western Art History - Renaissance to Contemporary.....	3
HIST 1 Western Civilization to 1600.....	3
HIST 2 Western Civilization since 1600.....	3
HUMN 11 Culture and the Arts I: Ancient World to the Renaissance.....	3
HUMN 12 Culture and the Arts II: The Modern World.....	3

Total Units for the Major..... 18-19

Additional General Education and Electives..... 41-42