

worker assistant, counselor aid, gerontology aid, research assistant, youth counselor, foster care worker, behavior analyst, case management aid, family services aid, patient care specialist and patient advocate assistant. Employment options for students who complete the Certificate of Achievement in Mental Health Work include Mental Health Worker/Counselor, Behavioral Health Technician/Educator, Peer Mentor, Residential Counselor, Outreach Worker and Patient Care Specialist.

Award Note: Students must complete all required courses within ten years in order to receive the Mental Health Work Certificate of Achievement.

Courses Required for the Major:		Units
PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
PSYC 130	Introduction to Community Psychology	3
PSYC 161	Introduction to Counseling	3
PSYC 245	Abnormal Psychology	3
HUMS 95	Public Assistance and Benefits Program 1	
HUMS 105	Family Strengthening Models in Behavioral Health	3
PSYC 276	Field Work in Psychological Services	3
Total Units = 19		

Note: The Psychology Department recommends that students take PSYC 276 Field Work in Psychological Services in their final semester.

Associate of Arts Degree: Psychology

The psychology program is suited to the needs of both the two-year student and the transfer student who plan to major or minor in psychology or related fields. It provides students with an understanding of human behaviors and mental processes, and provides critical thinking and analytical skills that are applicable to many fields.

Courses Required for the Major:		Units
PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
PSYC 255	Introduction to Psychological Research	3
PSYC 258	Behavioral Science Statistics	3
PSYC 260	Introduction to Physiological Psychology	3

Select two courses from the following:

PSYC 137	Human Sexual Behavior	3
PSYC 166	Introduction to Social Psychology	3
PSYC 211	Learning	3
PSYC 230	Psychology of Lifespan Development	3

PSYC 245	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSYC 283	Introduction to Cognitive Psychology	3

Total Units = 18

Transfer Information

Common university majors related to the field of Psychology include: Behavioral Science, Biopsychology, Clinical Psychology, Cognitive Psychology, Cognitive Science, Counseling, Developmental Psychology, Psychobiology, Psychology, Social Psychology.

Course Requirements for Transfer Students

Students who plan to transfer to a four year college or university and earn a bachelor's degree in this discipline should consult with a counselor or visit the Transfer/Career Center to determine the appropriate major preparation courses for their specific transfer institution and major. Transfer students may also earn an Associate of Arts degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences with an emphasis. This degree may be individually tailored to each student's specific transfer requirements in order to provide the most efficient path to transfer. More information on transfer programs and procedures is available in the Transfer Programs section of the catalog.

Associate in Arts in Psychology for Transfer Degree:

The Associate in Arts in Psychology for Transfer Degree is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in psychology or a related major in the California State University (CSU) system. It is accepted by some but not all CSU campuses. Students who complete this degree and transfer to a participating CSU campus will be required to complete no more than 60 units after transfer to earn a bachelor's degree. It may not be appropriate preparation for students transferring to a CSU campus that does not accept the degree. Students who plan to complete this degree should consult a counselor for additional information about participating CSU campuses as well as university admission, degree, and transfer requirements.

NOTE: Students intending to transfer into this major at a CSU should consult with a counselor and visit www.assist.org for guidance on appropriate transfer coursework.

Award notes:

General Education: In addition to the courses listed above, students must complete one of the following general education options:

- The IGETC pattern (page 126) is accepted by all CSU campuses and most UC campuses and majors. It is also accepted by some private/independent or out of state universities.
- The CSU GE pattern (page 134) is accepted by all CSU campuses and some private/independent or out of state universities. It is not accepted by the UC system.
- It is strongly recommended that students consult with a counselor to determine which general education option is most appropriate for their individual educational goals.

The following is required for all AA-T or AS-T degrees:

- Completion of 60 CSU-transferable semester units. No more than 60 units are required.
- Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework. While a minimum of 2.0 is required for admission, some CSU campuses and majors may require a higher GPA. Please see a counselor for more information.
- Completion of a minimum of 18 semester units in an "AA-T" or "AS-T" major (see list below). All courses in the major must be completed with a grade of "C" or "P" or better.
- Certified completion of the California State University General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE; see page 134 for more information); OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum pattern (IGETC; see page 126 for more information).

Courses Required for the Major:		Units
PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
PSYC 255	Introduction to Psychological Research	3
PSYC 258	Behavioral Science Statistics	3
PSYC 259	Behavioral Science Statistics Laboratory	1
PSYC 260	Introduction to Physiological Psychology	3

Complete six to seven units from the following:

BIOL 107	General Biology – Lecture and Laboratory	4
or		
BIOL 210A	Introduction to the Biological Sciences I	4

PSYC 230	Psychology of Lifespan Development	3
PSYC 283	Introduction to Cognitive Psychology	3
		Total Units = 19–20

Note: The Psychology Department recommends that students planning to transfer to SDSU complete PSYC 201 in addition to the above.

Electives as needed to meet maximum of 60 CSU-transferable units required for the degree.

Radio, Television and Film

Award Type	Units
Certificate of Performance:	
Broadcast News	9
Film Production	9
Radio	9
Video Production	9
Certificate of Achievement:	
Broadcast News	16
Film Production	18
Radio	15
Video Production	18
Associate of Science Degree:	
Broadcast News	28*
Film Production	27*
Radio	25–26*
Video Production	27*

* and courses to meet graduation requirements, general education and electives as needed to meet the minimum of 60 units required for the degree.

Associate in Science for Transfer Degree:

Film, Television, and Electronic Media	18
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Description

The Radio Television and Film program has four areas of study. Radio refers to the tools, techniques, and business models used to create audio that may be transmitted live or pre-recorded. It includes numerous genres and new forms of distribution such as podcasting. Broadcast News refers to the dominant format for television news production, which is studio based, uses multiple cameras, and can deliver both pre-recorded and live news. Film refers to the techniques, formats, and business models of fiction and non-fiction film production and includes script writing, cinematography, editing,