The Associate of Arts Degree in Chicana/o/x Studies is intended for students wishing to acquire historical, theoretical, and cultural understanding of the Chicana/o/x (Mexican American) community from the formation of the Chicana/o/x identity up to current issues pertaining to this group. The degree program is particularly relevant to students intending to work and/or interact in environments with high concentrations of Chicana/o/x and/or those with familial or personal ties to the Mexican-American community. This program is also intended to prepare students interested in transferring to four-year institutions as Chicana/o/x Studies majors. As a multidisciplinary program, the Chicana/o/x Studies Degree draws upon disciplines encompassing the humanities, language and fine arts, and a number of social sciences. Specifically, issues of politics, identity, and social justice are explored while Chicana/o/x contributions to the artistic, political, economic, and cultural landscape of mainstream U.S. society are examined. To acquire the Associate of Arts Degree in Chicano Studies, students must complete the required major courses below with a grade of “C” or better along with one of the following:

- RHC GE and Proficiency requirements
- CSU GE (California State University General Education Breadth)
- IGETC (Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum)

NOTE: Students interested in transferring as a Chicano Studies major should consult with a counselor for appropriate general education & major preparation counseling.

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Choose two courses from the list below:

- ANTH 102 or ANTH 102H Introduction to Cultural Anthropology/*Honors | 3     |   |    |   |
- ANTH 125 Religion, Magic, Witchcraft, and the Supernatural | 3     |   |    |   |
- ART 108 The Art of Mexico | 3     |   |    |   |
- HIST 122 History of Mexico | 3     |   |    |   |
- HIST 131 History of the North American Indian | 3     |   |    |   |
- HIST 159 or HIST 159H US Comparative History of Mexican and Asian Americans and Women/*Honors | 3     |   |    |   |
- HIST 167 History of California | 3     |   |    |   |
- HUM 125 or HUM 125H Introduction to Mexican Culture/*Honors | 3     |   |    |   |
- LIT 117 or LIT 117H Mexican Literature in Translation/*Honors | 3     |   |    |   |
- LIT 149 Introduction to Chicana/o/x Literature | 3     |   |    |   |
- MUS 129 Music in Latin American Culture | 3     |   |    |   |
- SOC 116 Introduction to Race and Ethnic Relations | 3     |   |    |   |
- SPAN 101S Spanish for Spanish Speakers I | 4.5   |   |    |   |
- SPAN 102S Spanish for Spanish Speakers II | 4.5   |   |    |   |
- SPAN 102 *Spanish II | 4.5   |   |    |   |
- SPAN 201 or SPAN 201H Spanish III/*Honors | 4.5   |   |    |   |
- SPAN 202 *Spanish IV | 4.5   |   |    |   |

Total major units needed for Associate of Arts 21 – 24