



AAT-Geography for Transfer Degree 19-20

Recommended Program Sequence

All courses with a + sign indicate a pre-requisite or co-requisite

Term 1 (Semester: Maximum 19 units, 15 units recommended)			Units	Term 5 (Semester: Maximum 19 units, 15 units recommended)			Units
CSU GE B1 & (%B3) *GEOG 101+ & 101L+ Area 5A&(%5C) IGETC			4	CSU GE D Req. Elec. A - GEOG 106 California Geography (Recomd.)	4 IGETC		3
CSU GE Area A1 (CSU Only) Area 3 Arts/Human IGETC			3	CSU GE D Required Elective B: Anthro 102 Area 4 IGETC			3
CSU GE Area A2 (English 101+) Area 1a IGETC			3	CSU GE Area B2 (Life & Biol. Science) Area 5B IGETC			3
CSU Area B4 Area 2 IGETC			3	CSU GE C1 Area 3 Arts IGETC			3
CSU GE Area E (CSU Only) or Area 3 Humanities IGETC			3	CSU GE C1/C2 LOTE 102+ (UC only) (Any Term) **IGETC			5
* Satisfies CSU Gen. Ed. # Recommended		Total	16	**IGETC LOTE 102 (UC only) required w/out 2 yrs of H.S Foreign Language		Total	17
Term 2: (Intersession(6/3)-Summer (9/6) Max./Recommended units)				Term 6: (Intersession(6/3)-Summer (9/6) Max./Recommended units)			
Term 3 (Semester: Maximum 19 units, 15 units recommended)			Units	Term 7 (Semester: Maximum 19 units, 15 units recommended)			Units
Req. Elec. A-GEOG 102 Phys. Geog. Earth's Weather & Climate (Recomd.)			3	GEOG 201, Map Interpretation and GPS (Recommended)			4
CSU GE Area D *GEOG 105, Cultural Geog. Area 4 IGETC			3	CSU Elective Required Elective B: (Possibly) Elective IGETC			3
CSU GE Area A3 Area 1b IGETC			3	CSU Grad. Req. (HIST 107 or 108 or 110 or 111) American Instit. Transf. Elec. IGETC			3
CSU GE C2 LOTE 101 (UC only) (Any Term) **IGETC			5	CSU Grad. Req (POLS 101) American Institutions Transf. Elec. IGETC			4
GEOG 205, Intro. GIS (Additional recommended elective)		Total	14	% CSU B3 & IGETC 5C must correspond with only one Science Lecture			Total
			14	Transfer or Graduate			14
Term 4: (Intersession(6/3)-Summer (9/6) Max./Recommended units)							

Take Summer or Intersession classes if needed to complete the program in a timely manner.

The state requires all students to have a Comprehensive Educational Plan. Make a counseling appointment as soon as enrollment is established on any term. Come by the Counseling Center or call.

Required Courses:	
*GEOG 101+ & 101L+, Phys. Geog.: Earth's Surface Landscapes	4
*GEOG 105, Cultural Geography	3
Required Electives A: Select 6-7 units from the following	
GEOG 102, Physical Geography: Earth's Weather and Climate	3
*GEOG 106, California Geography	3
GEOG 110, World Regional Geography	3
GEOG 201, Map Interpretation and GPS	4
GEOG 205, Introduction to Geographic Information Systems	3
GEOG 299, Special Topics – Field Geography	1
Required Electives B: Select 6 units from the following or any course from List A not already used	
*ANTH 102, Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	3
*GEOL 101+, Physical Geology	3
Units Required for Major: 19-20	
<i>other requirements for degree</i>	
CSU GE Breath (39 min.) or IGETC (34 min.) Pattern	34-39
CSU/IGETC Transferrable Elective Units to reach Degree Total	2-7
Minimum Units Required for the Degree 60	
*Courses denoted with an asterisk will fulfill the completion requirements for both the major and general education.	
**LOTE: Language Other than English	

General Education Requirements: Complete either the CSU Breath Requirements or IGETC.

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AAT-Geography for Transfer Degree 19-20

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The Associate in Arts in Geography for Transfer degree (AA-T in Geography) degree will prepare students to seamlessly transfer to a baccalaureate program in geography at a CSU. The program provides students with a well-rounded introduction to the physical and social science aspects of geography as well as the technology and techniques used by professional geographers. Students working toward the degree will complete survey courses in the two main sub-disciplines: physical and cultural geography. Students will also have the opportunity to focus their studies on one of these sub-disciplines or to continue a broad study of geography. The Associate in Arts in Geography for Transfer (AA-T in Geography) degree meets the requirements of SB 1440 for Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT). These degrees are intended to make it easier for students to transfer to California State University campuses, but do not exclude admittance to other colleges or universities.

To earn an Associate in Arts in Geography for Transfer (AA-T in Geography) degree a student must complete the following:

1. Completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University, including both of the following:
 - A. The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) or the California State University General Education –Breadth Requirements.
 - B. A minimum of 18 semester units or 27 quarter units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.
2. Obtainment of a minimum grade point average of 2.0.

ADTs also require that students must earn a C or better in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis.

Advisory: A condition of enrollment that a student is advised, but not required, to meet before or in conjunction with enrollment in a course or educational program.

Prerequisite: A condition of enrollment that a student is required to meet in order to demonstrate current readiness for enrollment in a course or educational program. Prerequisites are enforced and a student will be blocked from enrolling or involuntarily dropped after enrolling if the student does not meet the stated prerequisite. A student must complete a course prerequisite with a satisfactory grade of A, B, C or P (pass).

Corequisite: A condition of enrollment consisting of a course that a student is required to simultaneously take in order to enroll in another course. Corequisites are enforced and a student will be blocked from enrolling if the student does not meet the stated corequisite.

Electives: The remaining number of units (up to a minimum of 60) are considered electives. Any course that has already been counted toward (1) the general education requirements, or (2) the major, cannot be used as an elective. Any course with a designation of "CSU" at the end of a course description can be used as an elective for a CSU transfer and a "UC" designation for a UC school.

Grade Point Average Requirement: An overall grade point average of 2.0 ("C" average) is required.

Double Counting: While a course might satisfy more than one general education requirement, it may not be counted more than once for these purposes. A course may be used to satisfy both a general education requirement and a major or area of emphasis requirement.

• **Residency:** Minimum of 12 units completed at AVC with a minimum of 9 of those units completed from the certificate/major. (credit earned by examination will not be included in these 12 units) Title 5, Section 54000: <http://ccr.oal.ca.gov>.

Requirements for Two or More Associate Degrees: To be eligible for multiple associate degrees, a student must have completed all of the graduation requirements for each degree.

Transfer: Students planning to continue studies at a four-year college or university after AVC should visit the Transfer Resource Center or the Counseling Center and consult with a counselor as soon as possible to develop a plan of studies. Additional preparation for the major information on official transfer articulation agreements from AVC to many CSU/UC campuses can be found at the following Web site: www.assist.org

The "Catalog Rights Policy" sets forth the criteria used for determining the degree requirements under which students may graduate. Please refer to the AVC Catalog for a detailed description or consult with a counselor.