

## Associate Degree for Transfer - Communication Studies

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#### COMMUNICATION STUDIES FOR TRANSFER



Associate Degree for Transfer  
*A Degree with a Guarantee.™*

The Associate in Arts in Communication Studies for Transfer Degree (Communication Studies AA-T) is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in a similar major at a CSU campus. Students completing the degree are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular campus or major.

A student graduating with an Associate in Arts in Communication Studies for Transfer Degree may transfer to a CSU Campus to complete a Bachelor's Degree in Communication Studies or similar programs.

#### To earn a Communication Studies AA-T degree, students must complete:

1. Certified 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-CSU) 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 on transfer courses.
3. Obtainment of a "C" grade or better in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis.
4. Complete a minimum of 12 units in residency at the college granting the degree.

#### REQUIRED CORE (3 units):

COMM V01	Introduction to Speech Communication	3
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#### UNITS

#### LIST A:

##### Select two (2) of the following courses (6 units):

COMM V03	Group Communication: Argumentation and Debate	3
COMM V10	Critical Thinking in Oral Communication: Argumentation and Debate	3
COMM V15	Interpersonal Communication	3

#### LIST B:

##### Select two (2) of the following courses (6 units):

Any course not used in LIST A:

COMM V03, COMM V10, or COMM V15		3
COMM V05	Oral Interpretation and Communication of Literature	

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COMM V12	Intercultural Communication	3
COMM V16	Mass Communication	3
<b>LIST C:</b>		
<b>Select one (1) of the following courses (3 units):</b>		
ANTH V02	Cultural Anthropology	3
ENGL V01B	Critical Thinking and Composition through Literature	3
PSY V01	Introduction to Psychology	3
SOC V01	Introduction to Sociology	3
Major Units		18
CSU General Education or IGETC Pattern		37-39
<i>(Note: CSU and UC will grant only 37-39 units in general education requirements. Additional units will be applied as elective units.)</i>		
Electives (CSU transferrable units to reach 60)		
Double-Counted Units (major and general education)		(12)
<b>DEGREE TOTAL</b>		<b>60</b>

Please refer to Course Identification System (C-ID) website for course numbers  
[http://www.c-id.net/course\\_compare.html](http://www.c-id.net/course_compare.html)

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Transfer requirements may differ. See a counselor or consult [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) ,  
if you plan to transfer to a UC campus or a college or university other than CSU.