

AA in Humanities

Earn your Associate in Arts degree online with a major in **Humanities** at Foothill College.

Associate Degree Requirements:

Units required for Major: 28

English proficiency: ENGL 1A, 1AH, 1S & 1T, ESLL 26 or equivalent.

Mathematics proficiency: MATH 17, 105, 108 or equivalent.

A minimum of 90 units is required to include:

- Completion of one of the following general education patterns:
 - Foothill General Education,
 - CSU General Education Breadth Requirements or
 - the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC)
- Core courses (16 units)
- Support courses (12 units)

*Additional elective course work may be necessary to meet the 90-unit minimum requirement for the associate degree.

NOTE: All courses pertaining to the major must be taken for a letter grade. In addition, a grade of "C" or better is required for all core and support courses used for the degree.

The **courses listed BELOW are generally offered as online courses** at least once every two years. Please see Schedule of Classes for verification.

- For a complete listing of online courses offered during the current quarter, visit [Online Course Information](#).
- If you need any additional degree information or confirmation, please contact the [Counseling Division](#).

NOTE: Students having difficulty attaining an associate degree because of timing or availability of classes should consult with a [counselor](#) to submit a petition for course substitution.

Additional Information:

NOTE: Courses used to meet major requirements CANNOT be used to satisfy any general education requirements.

Core Courses (16 units)

Select 16 units from the following:

- HUMN 1 Cultures, Civilizations & Ideas: The Ancient World (4 units)
- HUMN 2 Cultures, Civilizations & Ideas: Of Empires & Conflict (4 units)

- HUMN 3 World Myths in Literature Arts & Film (4 units)
 - or HUMN 3H Honors World Myths in Literature Arts & Film (4 units)
- HUMN 4 Trauma & the Arts (4 units)
 - or HUMN 4H Honors Trauma & the Arts (4 units)
- HUMN 5 Cultures, Civilizations & Ideas: The Modern World (4 units)
- HUMN 6 Cultures, Civilizations & Ideas: The Contemporary World (4 units)
- HUMN 7 Global Religions: Contemporary Practices & Perspectives (4 units)
- HUMN 9 Once Upon a Time? The Immortal Lure of Fairy Tales (4 units)

Support Courses (12 units)

Select at least 12 units within one of the following concentrations:

Visual Arts

- ART 2E A History of Women in Art (4.5 units)
- ART 2F Introduction to Asian Art (4.5 units)
- ART 2J American Art (4.5 units)
- ART 3 History of Modern Art from Post-Impressionism to the Present (4.5 units)
- PHOT 8 Photography of Multicultural America (4 units)
 - or PHOT 8H Honors Photography of Multicultural America (4 units)
- PHOT 10 History of Photography (4 units)
 - or PHOT 10H Honors History of Photography (4 units)
- PHOT 11 Contemporary Issues in Photography (4 units)
 - or PHOT 11H Honors Contemporary Issues in Photography (4 units)

Film/Theatre

- MDIA 1 Introduction to Film Studies (4 units)
- MDIA 2A History of Film 1895-1945 (4 units)
- MDIA 2B History of Film 1945-Current (4 units)
- MDIA 2C Current Trends in Film, TV & the Internet (4 units)
- THTR 1 Introduction to Theatre (4 units)
- THTR 2A History of Dramatic Literature: Classical to Moliere (4 units)
- THTR 2B History of Dramatic Literature: Moliere to Modern (4 units)
- THTR 2F History of American Musical Theatre (4 units)
- THTR 8 Multicultural Theatre Arts in Modern America (4 units)

Literature

- ENGL 5 LGBT Literature (4 units)
- ENGL 7 Native American Literature (4 units)
- ENGL 8 Children's Literature (4 units)
- ENGL 11 Introduction to Poetry (4 units)
- ENGL 12 African American Literature (4 units)
- ENGL 14 Traveling the World through Contemporary Literature (4 units)
- ENGL 17 Introduction to Shakespeare (4 units)
- ENGL 22 Women Writers (4 units)

- ENGL 31 Latino/a Literature (4 units)
- ENGL 40 Asian American Literature (4 units)
- ENGL 43A Survey of British Literature I: Beowulf to the Late 18th Century (5 units)
 - or ENGL 43AH Honors Survey of British Literature I: Beowulf to the Late 18th Century (5 units)
- ENGL 43B Survey of British Literature II: The Romantic Period to the Present (5 units)
 - or ENGL 43BH Honors Survey of British Literature II: The Romantic Period to the Present (5 units)
- ENGL 45A Survey of American Literature I: Beginnings to 1865 (5 units)
- ENGL 45B Survey of American Literature II: 1865 to the Present (5 units)
- ENGL 47A World Literature I (5 units)
- ENGL 47B World Literature II (5 units)

Music

- MUS 1 Introduction to Music (4 units)
- MUS 2A Great Composers & Music Masterpieces of Western Civilization (5 units)
- MUS 2B Great Composers & Music Masterpieces of Western Civilization (5 units)
- MUS 2C Great Composers & Music Masterpieces of Western Civilization (5 units)
- MUS 2D World Music: Roots to Contemporary Global Fusion (5 units)
- MUS 7 Contemporary Musical Styles: Rock, Pop & Jazz (4 units)
- MUS 7D Contemporary Musical Styles: The Beatles in the Culture of Popular Music (4 units)
- MUS 7E History of the Blues (4 units)
- MUS 8 Music of Multicultural America (5 units)
 - or MUS 8H Honors Music of Multicultural America (5 units)
- MUS 9A Music & Media: Edison to Hendrix (4 units)
- MUS 9B Music & Media: Hendrix to Hip-Hop (4 units)
- MUS 11A Jazz & Swing (4 units)
- MUS 11B Funk, Fusion & Hip-Hop (4 units)

Note that this list does NOT include courses that are **only** held on campus. For a list of **on-campus** courses that satisfy degree requirements, please visit [Humanities 2017-2018 in Degree, Certificate or Transfer Programs](#).

Based on the 2017 - 2018 degree program.