# College of San Mateo ASSOCIATE DEGREES FOR TRANSFER – AA-Ts and AS-Ts

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ASSOCIATE DEGREE FOR TRANSFER – MAJOR	AVAILABLE AT CSM BEGINNING
Administration of Justice – AS-T	2012-2013
Anthropology – AA-T	2016-2017
Art History – AA-T	2015-2016
Art, Studio – AA-T	2012-2013
Biology – AS-T	2016-2017
Business Administration – AS-T (retired Fall 2022)	2012-2013
Business Administration 2.0 – AS-T	2022-2023
Communication Studies – AA-T	2011-2012
Economics – AA-T	2015-2016
English – AA-T	2013-2014
Film, Television, Electronic Media – AA-T	2016-2017
Geology – AS-T	2012-2013
History – AA-T	2012-2013
Kinesiology – AA-T	2012-2013
Law, Public Policy, and Society – AA-T	2019-2020
Mathematics -AS-T	2011-2012
Music – AA-T	2015-2016
Nutrition and Dietetics – AS-T	2016-2017
Philosophy – AA-T	2017-2018
Physics – AS-T	2012-2013
Political Science – AA-T	2017-2018
Psychology – AA-T	2012-2013
Sociology – AA-T	2011-2012

Always use the College of San Mateo Catalog to confirm major course requirements.

Special Note – To enhance competitiveness and success as a CSU applicant, in addition to completing the requirements for the associate degree for transfer, it is strongly recommended that students utilize <a href="www.assist.org">www.assist.org</a> to see if there are additional courses suggested or required for a particular major at a specific campus. Some CSU campuses and majors are impacted and highly selective.

### How does a AA-T/AS-T support student transfer to the CSU system?

The California Community Colleges (CCC) Associate in Art for Transfer (AA-T) and the Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) degrees are two-year associate degrees that are fully transferable to the CSU and are no more than 60 semester units.

With these Associate Degrees for Transfer — sometimes called a <u>Degree with a Guarantee</u> — students who meet the CSU's eligibility requirements are guaranteed priority admission to a CSU campus, though not necessarily to a particular campus or major.

With an ADT you will be able to earn two degrees — your associate's degree and your bachelor's degree — with only 120 units if you transfer into a program at the CSU that's similar to the one in which you earned your associate's at a California Community College.

### An AA-T/AS-T works well for the following students who:

- WANT to earn an associate degree and prepare for transfer without extra coursework;
- ARE applying to a CSU with a "similar" major;
- ARE applying to an impacted CSU campus or impacted major;
- ARE applying to a non-local CSU; and/or
- ARE applying to a CSU which has no or limited articulation with your community college.

#### https://www.calstate.edu/apply/transfer/Pages/associate-degree-for-transfer-major-and-campus-search.aspx

Use the website above to find a community college that has an AA-T or AS-T program you're interested in. Start by selecting the major you're interested in, then choose the community college(s) near you. (You can also "select all CCCs" to see all programs across California.) This site will also allow you to see the "similar" majors at CSU campuses.

## The University of California system

AA-T/AS-T program is designed by and for the California State University system. The University of California system does not participate in the benefits of these degrees. UCs, in a system memo dated 6/14/12 indicates that students with an AA-T/AS-T in a related major are guaranteed a comprehensive admissions review.