



PROGRAM OF STUDY

Philosophy Associate in Arts for Transfer

The Associate in Arts in Philosophy for Transfer degree focuses on a critical analysis of philosophical history, ideas, and concepts as well the development of analytical, critical thinking, writing, and reading skills. Students choosing this major will study a range of Philosophical subjects including metaphysics, epistemology, logic, and ethics. In addition, students will learn how to identify philosophical principles and concepts, critically analyze texts, and generate proper arguments. Completion of this major will provide students with a well-rounded understanding of Philosophy and equip them with the skills of a philosopher. The Associate in Arts in Philosophy for Transfer degree is intended for students who plan to complete a bachelor's degree in a similar major at a CSU campus, such as CSU Fullerton, Long Beach, and San Bernardino. Students completing this degree are guaranteed admission to the CSU system.

Program Outcomes:

OUTCOME 1:

Articulate and critically evaluate philosophical arguments and theories.

OUTCOME 2:

Students who complete the Associate in Arts in Philosophy for Transfer degree will be eligible for admission (SB 1440 and Education Code 66746) to California State University system schools.

Courses Needed for Philosophy (Transfer)

Required Core (6 units):	Units
PHIL A100 Introduction to Philosophy <u>or</u> PHIL A120 Ethics <u>or</u> RLST A120 Ethics	3.0
PHIL A220 Introduction to Symbolic Logic <u>or</u> PHIL A155 Introduction to Logic	3.0
Subtotal	6.0

List A – select one course from the Core not yet taken, or select one from the following:	Units
PHIL A125 History of Ancient Philosophy	3.0
PHIL A150 Critical Reasoning & Writing	3.0
Subtotal	3.0

List B – select any course from List A not yet taken or select one from the following:	Units
HIST A180 Western Civilization 1 <u>or</u> HIST A180H Western Civilization 1 Honors	3.0
HIST A185 Western Civilization 2 <u>or</u> HIST A185H Western Civilization 2 Honors	3.0
PHIL A115 Philosophy of Religion	3.0
Subtotal	3.0

List C – select one course from List A or List B not yet taken, or select two from the following:	Units
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ENGL A101 Critical Thinking, Reading, and Writing Through Literature <u>or</u> ENGL A101H Critical Thinking, Reading, and Writing Through Literature Honors	4.0
HUM A100 Introduction to the Humanities	3.0
PHIL A118 Aesthetics/Philosophy of Art	3.0
PHIL A165 The Theory of Knowledge	3.0
PHIL A185 Contemporary Philosophy	3.0
Subtotal	6.0 – 7.0

Program Major Units: 18-19	Units
General Education Breadth for CSU/IGETC	
Subtotal	37.0 – 39.0

Transfer elective units as needed to satisfy 60-unit degree requirement	Units
Subtotal	Varies

Total Units 60.0