

The following requirements for the major are subject to change without notice. To assure that this information is current, you should consult with the Anthropology counselor, or review articulation agreements via the Internet at WWW.ASSIST.ORG you may also consult the Articulation Officer for specific articulation agreements.

ANTHROPOLOGY is the broad study of humans and human cultures throughout the world and through history and prehistory. It is part natural science, part social science, and part humanistic study. If you major in Anthropology, you'll compare and contrast biological, social, and cultural similarities and differences among humans and human societies. The topics you'll encounter are pretty much infinite. In one semester, you may study Neanderthals, politics in tribal New Guinea, chimpanzee language, American pottery, or kinship and religion in Sub-Saharan Africa, or poverty in the large urban centers of the United States.

The field of Anthropology is conventionally divided into four sub-fields: (1) archaeology, (2) biological anthropology, (3) linguistic anthropology, and (4) cultural anthropology. Archaeology deals primarily with the prehistoric origins of humankind. Biological anthropology includes the study of human and primate evolution as well as skeletal biology and genetics. Linguistic anthropology concentrates on the history of language and its relation to culture. Cultural anthropology deals with the functions of human societies over the world. A degree in Anthropology can prepare you for graduate work (or course) and a number of professional activities in the fields of international affairs, medicine, environmental protection, social service, education, and historic preservation.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES: An estimated 7,500 person's work in the field of anthropology. About eighty percent of them work in colleges and universities, where they teach and do research and consulting work. Of the less than 1,500 anthropologists who do not teach: the Federal Government employs several hundred. Primarily the government hires some who work in community development planning, health planning, archaeological research and historical preservation; museums employ some as administrators; private consulting firms employ some to conduct research and prepare proposals for government agencies, community organizations, citizens group and business firms. Students who want to work as anthropologist are advised to obtain a Ph.D. degree. A master's degree, plus field experience, is sufficient for many beginning professional positions, but promotions to top positions generally are reserved for individuals who have a Ph.D. Some anthropology students broaden their employment opportunities by pursuing courses or degrees in other areas such as law, medicine, public administration and education. Colleges and universities require a Ph.D. for permanent teaching positions. Students with a master's or a bachelor's degree in anthropology may qualify for research and administrative positions in government and private firms; the number of occupations is expected to have a faster than average growth rate through 2018. Overall specialties offering the best employment prospects include archaeology and physical, medical, applied and urban anthropology.

ASSOCIATE DEGREE FOR TRANSFER (AA-T REQUIREMENTS)

Required Core: 9 units from Anthropology 1, 2, 3

List A: 3-4 units from: Anthropology 4; Math 150 or Psychology 9A or Sociology 109

List B: 3-4 units from: Any course from List A not already used; Anatomy 32; Geography 8; Geology 1 and 3

List C: 3-4 units from: Any course from List A or B not already used: Anthropology 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12;

Geography 2, 5; History 122, 178, 183, 194; Sociology 101, 107, 108

Total Units: 18-21

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, DOMINGUEZ HILLS

Anthropology 1, 2, 3

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FULLERTON

Anthropology 1, 2, 3

Anthropology

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH

Anthropology 1, 2, 3, 4; Math 150 or Psychology 9A or Sociology 109

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LOS ANGELES

English 1C; Anthropology 1, 2, 3; 8 semester or 12 quarter units of modern foreign language or three years of a modern language in high school or 3 upper division courses in linguistics at CSULA or receive a score indicating at least second year proficiency on the college level foreign language placement test.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, NORTHRIDGE

Anthropology 1, 2, 3, 11

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY

Anthropology 1, 2, 3

Language Competency: 3rd semester of one foreign language is required for graduation

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

Anthropology 1, 2, 3

Students must complete either: 1) The L & S requirements in Reading and Composition, Foreign Language, and Quantitative Reasoning, or 2) IGETC by the end of the spring term prior to fall transfer.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS

A.B. Anthropology: Anthropology 1, 2, 4; Math 150 or Psychology 9A or Sociology 109

Note: Transfer students who do not certify in IGETC must complete a college graduation requirement in foreign language.

B.S. Anthropology: Anthropology 1, 2; Biology 101, 102; Chemistry 1A, 1B, 7A, 7B; Math 150 and 190 and 191 or 160 and 161; Recommended: Geology 1; Psychology 5

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, IRVINE

Anthropology 2; Anthropology 1 or 3 or 4; three additional courses from: Anthropology 6, 7, 8, 9, 11; 12; Economics 1, 2 or 5; Geography 1, 2, 5 or 7; Political Science 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, or 10; Psychology 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10, 12, 15, 16, or 21; or Sociology 101, 102, 104, 107 or 108. Highly recommended: Math 150 or Psychology 9A or Sociology 109.

*Note: while not required for admission, all Social Sciences majors must satisfy a mathematics requirement. Courses that students can take at ECC to satisfy this requirement are Math 190 and Math 150 or Psychology 9A or Sociology 109. Alternatively, they may take courses at UCI. Please see www.assist.org.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES

B.A. Anthropology: Anthropology 1, 2, 3, 4

B.S. Anthropology: Anthropology 1, 2, 3, 4; Biology 101, 102; 103; Chemistry 1A, 1B & 7A; Math 150 and 190 & 191 or 160 & 161; Physics 3A-3B

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, RIVERSIDE

B.A./B.S. Anthropology: Anthropology 1, 2

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN DIEGO

Anthropology, General: Anthropology 1, 2, 3

Concentration in Biological Anthropology: Anthropology 1; Biology 101-102-103

Concentration in Archaeology: Anthropology 3

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA

B.A. Cultural Emphasis: Anthropology 1, 2, 3

B.A. Biological Emphasis: Anthropology 1, 2, 3; Recommended: Biology 101, 102, 103