

San Bernardino Valley College (SBVC)

Associate Degree (AA/AS) General Education and Graduation Requirements

To earn an Associate Degree and graduate from SBVC students must complete general education breadth requirements specified below in **Option #1** or **Option #2**. Note: additional requirements such as elective units, lower division major courses and a minimum overall grade point average must also be completed (refer to detailed information listed below).

Associate Degree Option #1	Associate Degree Option #2
<p>The general associate degrees listed below are designed for students who plan to attend a four-year college or university.</p> <p>Associate Degree: Option 1a The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) Refer to the SBVC catalog for the IGETC requirements. In the process of completing this coursework the student must fulfill these general requirements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Complete a minimum of 60 transferable semester units of college coursework, with at least 12-degree applicable semester units in residence at SBVC. Earn a letter grade of 'C' or higher in each course. <p>Associate Degree: Option 1b The California State University General Education (CSU GE) Breadth Refer to the SBVC catalog for the CSU GE requirements. In the process of completing this coursework the student must fulfill these general requirements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Complete a minimum of 60 transferable semester units of college coursework, with at least 12-degree applicable semester units in residence at SBVC. Earn at least a 2.0 grade point average for the CSU GE coursework. Earn a grade of 'C-' or better for each course in the Oral Communication, Written Communication, Critical Thinking and Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning categories. 	<p>The general associate degree listed below is designed for students planning to seek immediate employment after graduation.</p> <p>Associate Degree: Option 2 SBVC General Education requirements Students must complete the following requirements:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> SDEV 001 (formerly LST 001) is required of all students taking nine (9) or more units per semester. This course must be completed within a student's first two semesters of coursework. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exempt from this requirement upon completion of 30+ units of college credit or AA/AS degree or BA/BS degree. Career-track students with vocational disciplines, which have articulated programs with four-year colleges or universities, apply for an exemption through the Department Chair or Division Dean of the area of study. Complete a minimum of 60 semester units of college coursework, with at least 12-degree applicable semester units in residence at SBVC. Earn an overall grade point average of 'C' (2.00) or higher. Complete coursework for an AA or an AS major as listed in Part IV of the San Bernardino Valley College Catalog. Note: All courses used to satisfy the majors for the Associate degrees must be completed with a "C" grade or higher. Demonstrate competency in English, Mathematics and Reading by satisfying the following criteria: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> ENGL 101 or ENGL 101H with a grade of 'C' or higher. MATH 095 or MATH 096, or a higher level course in mathematics with a grade of 'C' or higher, or mathematics proficiency examination, which is equivalent to a comprehensive final examination in MATH 095 or MATH 096 with the equivalent to a grade of 'C' or higher, or a course from another college with a minimum of three semester units. READ 015 with a grade of 'C' or higher OR assessment into READ 100 OR completion of all courses required to satisfy minimum graduation requirements in Categories I, II, III of SBVC Associate Degree with an overall grade point average of 2.00 or higher.

GRADUATION INFORMATION

- A single course cannot be used in more than one category. Consult with a counselor for more information.
- Students file a graduation and/or certificate application at the A&R Office, AD/SS 100. An education plan or graduation check must be attached to the graduation/certificate application. Check the school calendar in the Schedule of Classes or the college catalog for deadline filing dates.
- Official transcripts from other colleges must be on file at the Records Office. Transcripts are evaluated for equivalency to SBVC courses for general education, and students request an official evaluation from the Records Office.
- In order for course work completed at other colleges to be applied toward a major, a Modification of Major form must be approved.
- Catalog Rights: A student who is not in attendance for two or more consecutive semesters is subject to the requirements in the catalog at the time of reentry or at the time the graduation petition is submitted. Refer to Graduation Catalog Rights policy in SBVC catalog.**

SBVC Mission Statement

San Bernardino Valley College maintains a culture of continuous improvement and a commitment to provide high-quality education, innovative instruction, and services to a diverse community of learners. Its mission is to prepare students for transfer to four-year universities, to enter the workforce by earning applied degrees and certificates, to foster economic growth and global competitiveness through workforce development, and to improve the quality of life in the Inland Empire and beyond.

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Complete 27 - 29 of the 60 semester units needed for graduation from the six subject categories

Legend

N= Need IP=In Progress CG=Completed Grade

CATEGORY I: NATURAL SCIENCE (MINIMUM: FOUR (4) SEMESTER UNITS IF A LABORATORY IS INCLUDED; OTHERWISE (6) SEMESTER UNITS). <u>Laboratory courses are underlined</u>	N	IP	CG

ANTHRO 106 Biological Anthropology	BIOL 260 Human Anatomy	GEOL 112 Historical Geology
ANTHRO 106H Biological Anthropology Honors	BIOL 261 Human Physiology	GEOL 122 Environmental Geology
ANTHRO 106L Biological Anthropology Lab	BIOL 270 Microbiology	GEOL 250 Geology of California
ASTRON 120 Introduction to Astronomy	BIOL 292 Cell Culture Techniques	GEOL 251 Geology of National Parks & Monuments
ASTRON 125 Astronomy Laboratory	CHEM 101 Introductory Chemistry	OCEAN 101 Elements of Oceanography
BIOL 100 General Biology	CHEM 104 Introduction to Organic Chemistry	OCEAN 111 Elements of Oceanography Laboratory
BIOL 102 Human Biology	CHEM 105 Intro to General, Organic & Biochem	PHYSIC 101 Introductory Physics
BIOL 104 Human Ecology	CHEM 150 General Chemistry I	PHYSIC 151 General Physics for the Life Sciences I
BIOL 109 History of Life	CHEM 151 General Chemistry II	PHYSIC 152 General Physics for the Life Sciences II
BIOL 109H History of Life Honors	ENVT 100 Intro to Environmental Science	PHYSIC 202 Physics I
BIOL 141 Genetics	FN 162 Nutrition	PSYCH 141 Introduction to Biological Psychology
BIOL 155 Introductory Anatomy and Physiology	GEOG 110 Physical Geography	
BIOL 205 Cell and Molecular Biology	GEOG 111 Physical Geography Laboratory	
BIOL 206 Organismal Biology	GEOG 111H Physical Geography Lab Honors	
BIOL 207 Evolutionary Ecology	GEOG 114 Weather and Climate	
BIOL 250 Human Anatomy and Physiology I	GEOL 101 Introduction to Physical Geology	
BIOL 251 Human Anatomy and Physiology II	GEOL 111 Intro to Physical Geology Laboratory	

CATEGORY II: SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE (MINIMUM: SIX (6) SEMESTER UNITS). THE TWO COURSES MUST BE FROM TWO DIFFERENT SUBJECT AREAS.	N	IP	CG

ANTHRO 100 Intro to Archaeology	GEOG 106 Geo Perspectives on the Environment	POLIT 100 American Politics
ANTHRO 102 Cultural Anthropology	GEOG 118 California Geography	POLIT 110 Introduction to Political Theory
ANTHRO 102H Cultural Anthropology Honors	GEOG 120 World Regional Geography	POLIT 110H Introduction to Political Theory Honors
ANTHRO 103 Anthropology of Food	HIST 100 United States History to 1877	POLIT 140 Introduction to Comparative Politics
ANTHRO 106 Biological Anthropology	HIST 100H United States History to 1877 Honors	POLIT 141 Introduction to World Politics
ANTHRO 106H Biological Anthropology Honors	HIST 101 United States History: 1865 to Present	POLIT 141H Introduction to World Politics Honors
ANTHRO 108 North American Indians	HIST 101H U.S. History: 1865 to Present Honors	PSYCH 100 General Psychology
ANTHRO 109 Visual Culture and Arts	HIST 107 Native American History	PSYCH 100H General Psychology Honors
ANTHRO 110 Magic, Witchcraft, and Relig (RELIG 110)	HIST 107H Native American History Honors	PSYCH 102 Personal & Social Adjustment
ANTHRO 125 Language and Culture	HIST 137 Racial and Ethnic Groups in U.S. History	PSYCH 110 Abnormal Psychology
CD 105 Child Growth and Development	HIST 138 African-American History to 1877	PSYCH 111 Developmental Psychology: Lifespan
CD 105H Child Growth and Development Honors	HIST 139 African-American History 1877 to Present	PSYCH 112 Dev Psychology: Child & Adolescent
CD 108 Early Childhood Development	HIST 140 Chicano History	PSYCH 118 Human Sexual Behavior
CD 126 Child, Family, and the Community	HIST 140H Chicano History Honors	RELIG 110 Magic, Witchcraft, and Relig (ANTHRO 110)
COMMST 135 Mass Media and Society	HIST 141 Asian American History	RELIG 135 Religion in America
COMMST 174 Intercultural Communication	HIST 145 History of California	RELIG 180 Death and Dying
COMMST 176 Gender Diff in Communication	HIST 145H History of California Honors	SOC 100 Introduction to Sociology
ECON 100 Introduction to Economics	HIST 150 Introduction to Latin American History	SOC 100H Introduction to Sociology Honors
ECON 200 Principles of Macroeconomics	HIST 170 World History to 1500	SOC 110 Social Problems
ECON 200H Principles of Macroeconomics Honors	HIST 171 World History Since 1500	SOC 110H Social Problems Honors
ECON 201 Principles of Microeconomics	HIST 176 Compare Hist of Genocide & War Crimes	SOC 120 Health and Social Justice
ECON 201H Principles of Microeconomics Honors	HIST 185 Women in United States History	SOC 130 Family Sociology
FTVM 101 Introduction to Electronic Media	KIN 202 History of P.E. and Sport in the U.S.	SOC 135 Introduction to Crime
GEOG 102 Cultural Geography	PHIL 180 Death and Dying	SOC 141 Race & Ethnic Relations

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SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE (MIN-6 UNITS): CONTINUED

SOC 145 Sociology of Gender

SOC 150 Sociology of Aging & the Life Course

CATEGORY III: HUMANITIES

(MINIMUM: SIX (6) SEMESTER UNITS).

THE TWO COURSES MUST BE FROM TWO DIFFERENT SUBJECT AREAS

WITH A MAXIMUM OF THREE (3) SEMESTER UNITS WITHIN THE CATEGORY OF APPLIED COURSES

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Course 1			
Course 2			

ANTHRO 108 North American Indians
ANTHRO 109 Visual Cultural & Art
ANTHRO 110 Magic, Witchcraft, and Relig (RELIG 110)
ARAB 101 College Arabic I
ARAB 102 College Arabic II
ARCH 145 Hist Architecture: Early Design -Gothic
ARCH 145H Hist Architect: Early Design-Goth Honors
ARCH 146 Hist Architecture:Renaissance-Modern
ARCH 146H Hist Architect: Ren-Modern Honors
ART 100 Art Hist: The Stone Age -Middle Ages
ART 102 Art History: Renaissance to Present
ART 102H Art Hist: Renaiss to Present Honors
ART 103 Art Appreciation
ART 105 History of Modern Art
ART 107 Art Hist: Africa, Oceania and the Americas
ART 108 Art of Mexico & Mesoamerica
ASL 109 American Sign Language I
ASL 110 American Sign Language II
ASL 111 American Sign Language III
ASL 112 American Sign Language IV
CHIN 101 College Mandarin Chinese I
CHIN 102 College Mandarin Chinese II
DANCE 200 Dance History & Appreciation
ENGL 032 Creative Writing
ENGL 055 Children's Literature
ENGL 061 Women Writers
ENGL 063 Chicano Literature
ENGL 065 African-American Literature
ENGL 070 English Lit: Middle Ages to 18th Century
ENGL 071 English Lit: 18th Century to Present
ENGL 075 Literature and Religion of the Bible
ENGL 077 Shakespeare
ENGL 080 World Literature: To 17th Century
ENGL 081 World Lit: 17th Century to Present
ENGL 140 Exploring the World of Science Fiction
ENGL 141 Mystery and Detective Fiction
ENGL 151 Freshman Comp & Literature
ENGL 151H Freshman Comp & Literature Honors
ENGL 153 Literature & Film

HUMANITIES, APPLIED COURSES (MAX-3 UNITS):

ART 120 Two-Dimensional Design
ART 121 Three-Dimensional Design
ART 124A, B, C Drawing
ART 126A, B, C Painting
ART 132A, B, C Life Drawing
ART 145 Fundamentals of Graphic Design
ART 148 Beg Computer Graphic Design
ART 149 Inter Computer Graphic Design
ART 161 Digital Photography
ART 175A, B, C Sculpture

ENGL 155 Children's Literature
ENGL 161 Women Writers
ENGL 163 Chicano Literature
ENGL 165 African-American Literature
ENGL 175 The Literature & Religion of the Bible
ENGL 232 Creative Writing
ENGL 260 American Literature to Mid-19th Century
ENGL 261 American Literature from 1865 -Present
ENGL 270 English Lit: Middle Ages to 18th Century
ENGL 270H English Lit: Middle Ages- 18th Cent Hon
ENGL 271 English Lit: 18th Century to Present
ENGL 271H English Lit: 18th Century- Present Hon
ENGL 275 Shakespeare
ENGL 280 World Literature: To the 17th Century
ENGL 281 World Lit: 17th Century to Present
FTVM 102 Intro to Media Aesth & CinemaArt
FRENCH 101 College French I
FRENCH 102 College French II
HIST 100 United States History to 1877
HIST 100H United States History to 1877 Honors
HIST 101 U.S. History: 1865 to the Present
HIST 101H U.S. History: 1865 to Present Honors
HIST 107 U.S. and the North American Indians
HIST 107H Native American History Honors
HIST 137 Racial & Ethnic Groups in U.S. History
HIST 138 African-American History to 1877
HIST 139 African-American History 1877 - Present
HIST 140 Chicano History
HIST 140H Chicano History Honors
HIST 141 Asian American History
HIST 145 History of California
HIST 145H History of California Honors
HIST 150 Introduction to Latin American History
HIST 170 World History to 1500
HIST 171 World History Since 1500
HIST 176 Compare Hist of Genocide & War Crimes
HIST 185 Women in United States History
MUS 100 Introduction to Music
MUS 101 Music Theory I: Fundamentals

ART 180 Beg 3D Computer Animation
ART 212A, B, C, D Ceramics
ART 240A, B, C, D Glassblowing
ART 270A, B, C, D Design in Glass
FTVM 122 Acting & Directing for TV & Film
FTVM 131 Lighting & Cinematography
MUS 101L Musicianship I
MUS 102L Musicianship II
MUS 117A, B, C, D Acoustic Guitar
MUS 123 Electronic Music I

MUS 102 Music Theory II: Scales & Modes
MUS 104 History of Rock & Roll
MUS 105 American Popular Music
MUS 106 History of Jazz
MUS 107 Music of the World
MUS 108 History of Hip Hop Music
MUS 121 Music Hist & Lit-Middle Ages to Baroque
MUS 121H Music Hist & Lit-M. Ages-BaroqHonors
MUS 122 Mus Hist/ Lit-Classic – Contemporary
MUS 122H Mus Hist/Lit Classic-Contemp Honors
MUS 201 Music Theory III: Basic Harmony
MUS 202 Music Theory IV: Harmony
PHIL 101 Introduction to Philosophy
PHIL 101H Introduction to Philosophy Honors
PHIL 105 Introduction to Ethics
PHIL 112 Philosophy in Literature
PHIL 180 Death & Dying (same as RELIG 180)
RELIG 100 Introduction to Religious Studies
RELIG 100H Intro to Relig Studies Honors
RELIG 101 Introduction to World Religions
RELIG 110 Magic, Witchcraft, and Relig (ANTHRO 110)
RELIG 135 Religion in America
RELIG 150 Introduction to Mythology
RELIG 175 The Literature & Religion of the Bible
RELIG 176 Jesus & His Interpreters
RELIG 180 Death & Dying (same as PHIL 180)
SPAN 101 College Spanish I
SPAN 101H College Spanish I-Honors
SPAN 102 College Spanish II
SPAN 102H College Spanish II-Honors
SPAN 103 College Spanish III
SPAN 103H College Spanish III-Honors
SPAN 104 College Spanish IV
SPAN 157 Spanish for Heritage Speakers I
SPAN 158 Spanish for Heritage Speakers II
THART 100 Introduction to Theatre
THART 105 Script Analysis
THART 110 Voice & Diction for Actors

MUS 124 Electronic Music II
MUS 130 Elementary Voice
MUS 131 Intermediate Voice
MUS 133 Elementary Piano
MUS 134 Intermediate Piano
MUS 135 Advanced Piano
MUS 141X2 Applied Music
MUS 150X4 Mixed Chorus
MUS 152X4 Chamber Singers
MUS 153X4 Chamber Chorale

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MUS 154X4 College Singers	MUS 202L Musicianship IV	THART 147 Theatre Movement
MUS 156X4 Concert Choir	MUS 210 Conducting	THART 160X4 Technical Theatre in Production
MUS 158X4 Gospel Choir	MUS 241X2 Applied Music II	THART 165 Stage Makeup
MUS 159X4 Theatrical Music Workshop	THART 114X4 Rehearsal & Performance	THART 166 Improvisational Acting
MUS 162X4 Wind Ensemble	THART 120 Acting Fundamentals I	
MUS 166X4 Concert Band	THART 121 Acting Fundamentals II	
MUS 170X2 Jazz Improvisation and Theory I	THART 132 Lighting Design Fundamentals	
MUS 171X2 Jazz Improvisation and Theory II	THART 135 Directing Fundamentals	
MUS 180 Instrumental Chamber Music	THART 136 Intro to Theatre Design	
MUS 201L Musicianship III	THART 139 Fundamentals of Costume Design	

CATEGORY IV: COMMUNICATION & ANALYTICAL THINKING

(MINIMUM: SIX (6) SEMESTER UNITS).

**ENGL 101 Freshman Composition or ENGL 101H Freshman Composition Honors
(earn grade of "C" or higher)**

Select course from below

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SELECT FROM THE FOLLOWING COURSES TO COMPLETE SIX (6) UNITS IN CATEGORY IV: CHOOSE ONE

COMMST 100 Elements of Public Speaking	ECON 208 Business & Economics Statistics	PHIL 103 Intro To Logic: Argument & Evidence
COMMST 100H Elements of Pub Speaking Honors	ENGL 102 Interm Comp & Critical Thinking	PSYCH 105 Statistics for Behavioral Science (Completed Fall 2009 or later)
COMMST 111 Interpersonal Communication	ENGL 102H Interm Comp & Critical Think Honors	READ 100 College Academic Reading
COMMST 125 Critical Think Through Arg & Debate	MATH 102 College Algebra OR ANY MATH ABOVE	READ 102 Critical Reading as Critical Thinking
COMMST 140 Small Group Communication	PHIL 102 Critical Thinking & Writing	

CATEGORY V: LIFELONG LEARNING AND SELF-DEVELOPMENT

(MINIMUM: TWO (2) SEMESTER UNITS).

(Note: A maximum of four semester units of Kinesiology activity courses can apply for graduation requirements.)

Course 1

Course 2 (if applicable)

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Programs of study at SBVC exempted from this requirement include the following: Nursing, Psychiatric Technology or Police 002 (Basic Law Enforcement Academy).
KIN 231 First Aid & CPR does not satisfy this graduation requirement. **A DD-214 waives this requirement for former military personnel.**

BIOL 140 Bio of Sexually Transmitted Diseases	DANCE 114X4 Dance Rehearsal & Performance	PSYCH 100H General Psychology Honors
BUSAD 039 Strategies for Successful Employment	DANCE 206X4 Dance Production	PSYCH 102 Personal & Social Adjustment
CD 101 Parent-Child Interaction	FN 162 Nutrition	PSYCH 111 Developmental Psychology: Lifespan
CD 105 Child Growth and Development	GEOG 106 Geo Perspectives on the Environment	PSYCH 118 Human Sexual Behavior
CD 105H Child Growth and Development Honors	HEALTH 101 Health Education	SDEV 001 Orientation to College
CD 126 Child, Family & the Community	HEALTH 103 Introduction to Holistic Health	SDEV 015 Puente: Strategies for College Success
DANCE 101A, B Begin-Intermed Modern Dance	KIN 236 Stress Management & Wellness	SDEV 102 Pathways for College & Life Success
DANCE 102A, B Interme-Advanced Modern Dance	KINA (all courses)	SDEV 103 Career Exploration & Life Planning
DANCE 103A, B Beginning-Intermediate Ballet	KINF (all courses)	SOC 130 Family Sociology
DANCE 105A, B Beginning-Intermed Jazz Dance	KINS (all courses)	SOC 150 Aging and the Life Course
DANCE 106A, B Intermediate-Advanced Jazz Dance	KINX (all courses)	
DANCE 107X2 Beginning Tap Dance	PSYCH 100 General Psychology	

CATEGORY VI: ETHNIC STUDIES

(MINIMUM: THREE (3) SEMESTER UNITS).

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This category is a new requirement effective Fall 2021. **SBVC approved courses to satisfy this area will not be available until Fall 2022.** Students following the 2021-2022 requirements will be allowed to utilize one of the approved courses at that time to complete this category. Please speak with a Counselor if you have questions.

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