



Associate Degree for TransferSM

HISTORY FOR TRANSFER (AA-T)



In support of the established SB 1440, the Student Transfer Achievement Reform (STAR) Act, and the college's mission, vision and values, Grossmont College has created the **Associate in Arts in History for Transfer** degree. Students earning this Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) will have fulfilled the lower-division major preparation requirements for a degree considered similar at a participating California State University (CSU) campus.

History is the study of the human past. As a discipline, history remains a chief foundation within the humanities and social sciences. Its broad and interdisciplinary approach offers many theoretical and practical applications for interpreting and understanding human society. The study of history emphasizes reading, writing, critical thinking, research, thesis formulation, and debate. The history major prepares students to transfer to a four-year institution for continued and advanced study in the field of history or its related disciplines. In turn, a major in history provides knowledge and training for planning careers in history, education, law, archival work, historic sites and museums, library studies, journalism, research, documentary filmmaking, government, non-profit organizations, record and information management.

The following is required for an Associate Degree for Transfer:

1. Minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU-transferable units.
2. Minimum grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.
3. Minimum of 18 semester or 27 quarter units in the major.
4. A grade of "C" or higher or "Pass" in all courses required for the major.
5. Certified completion of the California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) pattern; see Degree Requirements, General Education & Transfer Information section for more information.

Program Learning Outcomes

1. Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:
 1. Analyze primary and secondary sources and explain how they support a thesis statement.
 2. Explain relationships between the causes of historical events and their effects.
 3. Describe a relevant individual involved in an historical event and explain his/her significance in this event.

Associate in Arts for Transfer Degree Requirements

Code	Title	Units
Required Core		
HIST-C1001	United States History to 1877	3
HIST-C1002	United States History since 1865	3
List A		
Select two of the following:		6
HIST-100 or HIST-105	Early World History Early Western Civilization	
HIST-101 or HIST-106	Modern World History Modern Western Civilization	
List B		
Select one (1) course from each area:		6
Area 1: Select one of the following courses:		
HIST-103	Twentieth Century World History	
HIST-114	Comparative History of the Early Americas	
HIST-115	Comparative History of the Modern Americas	
HIST-118 or ETHN-118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I	
HIST-119 or ETHN-119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives II U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives II	
HIST-122	Women in Early American History	
HIST-123	Women in Modern American History	
HIST-130 or ETHN-130	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives I U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives I	
HIST-131 or ETHN-131	U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives II U.S. History and Cultures: Native American Perspectives II	
HIST-137	History of East Asia	
HIST-148	The Modern Middle East	
HIST-154 or GEND-154	Early History of Women in World Civilization Early History of Women in World Civilization	
HIST-155 or GEND-155	Modern History of Women in World Civilization Modern History of Women in World Civilization	
HIST-180 or ETHN-180	U.S. History: Black Perspectives I U.S. History: Black Perspectives I	
HIST-181 or ETHN-181	U.S. History: Black Perspectives II U.S. History: Black Perspectives II	
or if not selected above:		
HIST-100 or HIST-101	Early World History Modern World History	
Area 2: Select one of the following courses:		
HIST-113	American Military History	
HIST-124	History of California	

HIST-126	History of Mexico	
HIST-135	Ancient History of Western Civilization	
HIST-136	Survey of Medieval History	
Any course not used above.		
Units for the major		18
Plus General Education Requirements (Cal-GETC) (https://catalog.gcccd.edu/grossmont/admission-information/general-education-transfer/)		34
Total Units		60

Complete transferable units as needed to reach 60.

Additional Information:

SDSU accepts AA-T degrees in History and requires letter grades for major preparation courses. The major requires a minimum of 2.40 Cumulative G.P.A. and a language requirement for graduation. Check with a Counselor for applicability to other CSU's.

Students applying with the AA-T in History will receive priority in the admissions process but are not guaranteed admittance into the CSU of their choice. Admission is highly competitive for most CSU's. Students are strongly advised to go above and beyond minimum G.P.A requirements and apply for admission at multiple campuses.

*Every effort has been made to ensure this information is accurate. However, the official document the San Diego State Catalog. For additional information specific to SDSU visit the following SDSU website: <https://admissions.sdsu.edu/transfers>.