

**LIBERAL ARTS**  
**EMPHASIS:**  
**SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES**

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San José City College offers an Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts with 3 different possible areas of emphasis: Arts and Humanities, Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning or Social and Behavioral Sciences. A grade of “C” or better is required in all coursework for the major.

Courses in the Social and Behavioral Sciences emphasize the perspective, concepts, theories and methodologies of the disciplines typically found in the vast variety of disciplines. Students will study about themselves and others as members of a larger society. Topics and discussion to stimulate critical thinking about ways people have acted in response to their societies will allow students to evaluate how societies and social subgroups operate.

Upon successful completion of program students will be able to:

- Describe the method of inquiry used by the social and behavioral sciences.
- Evaluate the operation of societies and social sub-groups

**TRANSFERABILITY:**

This major can prepare students with either a narrow or interdisciplinary focus in the Social and Behavioral sciences in order to pursue similar majors at four-year institutions. Student should refer to the catalog of their prospective transfer institution and consult a counselor. General Education courses for the A.A. degree should be selected carefully to meet the requirements of the intended transfer institution.

**MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: CHOOSE 18 UNITS FROM THE COURSES LISTED BELOW**

AJ 010, 011, 013, 014, 015, 016, 019, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 116	GLOBL 001, 002, 007
ANTH 062, 063	HIST 001, 009, 010A, 010B, 011A, 011B, 017A, 017B, 021, 024
COMS 035	JOURN 021
CIS 041	KIN 010
ECE 107	LABOR 015
ECON 010A, 010B	POLSC 001, 002, 004, 005
ENGL 033, 080	PSYCH 010, 012, 020, 022, 031, 035, 060, 092, 099, 100
ETH 020, 026, 027, 030, 031, 037A, 037B, 041	SL 015
FCS 070	SOC 010, 011
GEOG 010, 011, 012	

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, SEE A COUNSELOR, VISIT THE CAREER/TRANSFER CENTER, OR CONTACT THE FOLLOWING:**

Counseling Department  
San José City College Web Page

408-288-3750  
[www.sjcc.edu](http://www.sjcc.edu)

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<b><u>A.A. DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:</u></b>	<b><u>UNITS</u></b>
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	18
GENERAL ELECTIVES if necessary to reach 60	2
GENERAL EDUCATION PATTERN/GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS	39
PHYSICAL ACTIVITY	<u>1</u>
<b>TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS</b>	<b>60</b>