

CHICANA/O STUDIES, ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

The Associate in Arts in Chicana/o Studies advances a critical understanding of the Chicana/o and Latina/o experience in the United States. The curriculum is designed to provide an awareness, knowledge, and appreciation of the language, history, culture, politics, and creative accomplishments and contributions of Chicana/o and Latina/o communities. Whether completing the AA in preparation for transfer to a Bachelor's degree program in Chicana/o Studies or to deepen one's understanding of Chicana/o culture, students pursuing the AA in Chicana/o Studies will have the opportunity to select from a wide range of courses that reflect the multidisciplinary approach of the major.

Course ID	Title	Units/ Hours
Required Core Courses		
CHST R101	Introduction to Chicana/o Studies	3
CHST R102	Chicana/o Cultural Identity	3
CHST/SOC R108	Sociology of the Chicano Community	3
Restricted Electives - Complete a minimum of 9 units from the following:		
CHST/HIST R107	History of Mexicans in the United States	3
BRS R101/ ANTH R119/ETHS R119	Introduction to Border Studies	3
SOC R103	Race and Ethnic Relations	3
ART R174 or ART R174H	Latin American Art Honors: Latin American Art	3
DANC R110A	Mexican Folklorico Dance I	2
DANC R110B	Mexican Folklorico Dance II	2
ENGL R126	Introduction to Chicana/o Literature	3
HIST R109	History of Mexico	3
HIST R126	History of Latin America	3
MUS R109	Music of Latin America	3
MUS R126	Mariachi Ensemble	1
SPAN R200	Intermediate Spanish I	4
SPAN R210	Intermediate Spanish II	4
SPAN R232 or SPAN R232H	Latin American Literature Honors: Latin American Literature	3
SPAN R234	Latin American and Spanish Film	3
SPAN R236 or SPAN R236H	Cultures of Latin America Honors: Cultures of Latin America	3
SPAN R220 or SPAN R220H	Spanish for Heritage Speakers I Honors: Spanish for Heritage Speakers I	4
SPAN R230 or SPAN R230H	Spanish for Heritage Speakers II Honors: Spanish for Heritage Speakers II	4
Total Required Major Units		18-20
Oxnard College General Education		29
Double-Counted Units		- 17
Free Electives Required		30
Total Required Units for A.A. Degree		60
OR		

Total Required Major Units	18-20
CSU GE-Breadth	39
Health (can be taken within CSU GE)	3
Physical Education	1
Double-Counted Units	- 9-18
Free Electives Required	8-17
Total Required Units for A.A. Degree	60
OR	
Total Required Major Units	18-20
IGETC	37
Health	3
Physical Education	1
Double-Counted Units	- 9-18
Free Electives Required	10-19
Total Required Units for A.A. Degree	60

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Students will critically analyze the Chicana/o experience from a variety of cultural, historical, and socio-political theories and perspectives.
- Students will apply historical and cultural knowledge of the Chicana/o experience in the analysis of contemporary socio-political issues facing the Chicana/o communities.
- Students will develop and articulate effective plans for promoting culturally-responsive social change in the Chicana/o communities and broader society.