

### Reminders & Recommendations

The Liberal Arts degree is not an Associate Degree for Transfer.

If you are thinking about completing an Associate Degree for Transfer -

- Review De Anza's ADT major requirements, transfer benefits, and limitations.
- Attend a Transfer Center ADT Workshop to learn more about degree requirements.
- When applicable, request to have transcripts sent from ALL colleges previously attended (except Foothill) to De Anza's Admissions & Records Office.
- Meet with a De Anza counselor/advising staff to determine if the ADT pathway supports your transfer goals.
- If applying to CSU, attend a Transfer Center CSU Application Workshop. See schedule at: [www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/transfer-events/workshops.html](http://www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/transfer-events/workshops.html)
- If applying to CSU, submit your CSU application during the filing period AND indicate you will be transferring with an ADT.

### Online Resources:

#### De Anza Associate Degrees for Transfer

[www.deanza.edu/articulation/apply-adt.html](http://www.deanza.edu/articulation/apply-adt.html)

(A primary source for information on De Anza's AA-T/AS-T majors, ADT requirements, and how to apply for an ADT)

#### De Anza College Transfer Center

[www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/](http://www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/)

#### De Anza College Counseling & Advising Center

[www.deanza.edu/counseling/](http://www.deanza.edu/counseling/)

#### ASSIST

[www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org)

#### A Degree with a Guarantee

<https://icangotocollege.com/associate-degree-for-transfer>

#### CSU - ADT Major & Campus Search

<https://www.calstate.edu/apply/transfer/Pages/associate-degree-for-transfer-major-and-campus-search.aspx>

#### SJSU ADT Roadmaps and FAQs

<https://catalog.sjsu.edu/content.php?catoid=10&navoid=756>

(A list of similar majors and coursework required after transfer to SJSU)

## Associate Degrees for Transfer (AA-T and AS-T Degrees)



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[www.deanza.edu/articulation/apply-adt.html](http://www.deanza.edu/articulation/apply-adt.html)



# Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT)

## What is an Associate Degree for Transfer?

California community colleges offer Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT) [*Associate in Arts (AA-T) and Associate in Science (AS-T) for Transfer degree*] which are primarily designed to provide a transfer pathway to a California State University (CSU) baccalaureate degree program. Students can earn an associate degree while also completing CSU transfer requirements.

NOTE: Students can earn this degree if all requirements are met regardless of their transfer goals.

### Benefits

Students who fulfill the requirements for an ADT and meet all CSU admission requirements, CSU application and ADT completion and verification deadlines may be eligible:

- to receive guaranteed admission with junior standing to the CSU system.
- to receive “priority admission consideration” (or a GPA advantage) when applying to a major/concentration that is determined by a CSU campus to be *similar to* the ADT.
- for winter/spring admission to CSU campuses that require completion of the ADT (for a *similar* major/concentration, assuming the major is available for the specified transfer term)
- to have only 90 additional prescribed quarter units to earn their BA/BS degree after transferring to a CSU campus that accepted the ADT.

### Limitations

- An ADT does **NOT** guarantee admission to a specific CSU campus or major.
- The admission and graduation benefits associated with the ADT are limited to CSU campuses that

have determined their majors/concentrations are *similar to* an ADT (AA-T or AS-T degree).

NOTE: *Similar* majors may be limited to specific concentrations (e.g. the Business Administration ADT may be accepted towards a Marketing concentration at a CSU campus, but not towards an Accounting concentration).

### How to find a CSU with a Similar Major/Concentration

1. Use the CSU ADT Major and Campus Search Tool at: <https://www.calstate.edu/apply/transfer/Pages/associate-degree-for-transfer-major-and-campus-search.aspx>
2. Check for periodic updates by visiting the CSU campus ADT website.

### Working with ASSIST

Students interested in the ADT should continue to refer to ASSIST ([www.ASSIST.org](http://www.ASSIST.org)) because:

- while ADT prescribed courses fulfill requirements to be considered for **admission** to CSU, for *similar* majors/concentrations, a campus could still require remaining major coursework on ASSIST to be completed after transfer, within the 90 quarter units for the BA/BS degree. This knowledge may help with course planning (e.g. the Business Administration ADT requires one course from STAT C1000 (formerly MATH 10), MATH 11 and 12, but a CSU campus could require two or all three courses for their BA/BS degree).
- those planning to apply to more than one CSU campus may find some accept the ADT while others don't, so ASSIST information is critical for course planning purposes.

Many CSU campuses post ADT information on their websites, including “roadmaps” which list required courses after transfer.

## Steps to determine if the ADT supports your transfer goals

1. Review the degree requirements for your specific AA-T/AS-T major available at: [www.deanza.edu/academics/degrees-and-certificates.html](http://www.deanza.edu/academics/degrees-and-certificates.html)
2. If applicable, request to have transcripts from ALL colleges you previously attended (except Foothill) and AP/IB scores sent to De Anza's Admissions & Records Office immediately and request to have them officially evaluated. Processing time may take 4 weeks or longer and advising may be limited until this step has been completed.
3. Attend an ADT Workshop offered through the Transfer Center. To view the schedule, visit: [www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/transfer-events/workshops.html](http://www.deanza.edu/transfercenter/transfer-events/workshops.html)
4. Research your major and/or career options. Resources and services at De Anza include Career Life Planning (CLP) 5 course and the Career Resources website at: [www.deanza.edu/counseling/](http://www.deanza.edu/counseling/)
5. Review CSU campus and ADT websites for general information and to determine which CSU campus has identified *similar* majors/concentrations. Develop a list of questions in preparation for your academic advising session.
6. Meet with a De Anza College counselor or advising staff to discuss your options and review your educational plan.

## ADTs Available at De Anza College<sup>1</sup>

- Administration of Justice<sup>2</sup>
- Anthropology
- Art History<sup>2</sup>
- Biology<sup>2</sup>
- Business Administration 2.0<sup>2</sup>
- Communication Studies 2.0<sup>2</sup>
- Computer Science<sup>2</sup>
- Early Childhood Education<sup>2</sup>
- Economics
- English<sup>2</sup>
- Environmental Science
- Film, TV & Electronic Media<sup>2</sup>
- Global Studies
- History
- Journalism<sup>2</sup>
- Kinesiology
- Law, Public Policy, and Society
- Mathematics
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Social Justice Studies: General
- Sociology
- Studio Arts<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> List is current at time of publication. Additional ADTs may be added in the future.

<sup>2</sup> Local (associate) degrees, unrelated to ADT, are also offered at De Anza. Be sure to select the appropriate associate degree program.

## Associate Degree for Transfer General Requirements

### Requirements for all ADTs:

- ◆ Completion of all major course requirements with grades of “C” or higher in each course\*.
- ◆ Completion of Cal-GETC. NOTE: Coursework for the AA-T or AS-T major may be used to satisfy GE requirements where applicable.
- ◆ Completion of a minimum of 90 CSU-transferable quarter units.
- ◆ A minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework.

\* See a counselor for more information