

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE (AA)

The Associate of Arts Degree with History emphasis builds a foundation of knowledge as preparation for further academic work in history or related fields. The history faculty has also designed the program to expose students to various historical interpretations and the interplay of world, national, state, and local events. Students pursuing the degree for its own sake will explore the social, political, economic, constitutional, and cultural trends that have shaped the world in which we live.

**STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES - Graduates of this program will have the opportunity to:**

- Demonstrate an understanding of the contours of history as a varied field of study encompassing social, political, economic, constitutional, and cultural history.
- Demonstrate an understanding of history in general, and the interplay of world, national, and/or local events in the shaping of the world in which we live, and a better appreciation of the student's role in society.
- Demonstrate appropriate oral and written communications skills.
- Demonstrate critical thinking skills.
- Demonstrate abilities to do research and find information on historical and current events.

Courses with "H" suffixes are designated Honors level courses and can be used to fulfill equivalent general education requirements.

**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (35 Credits):**

	CR	SEMESTER
<b>ENGLISH:</b> ENG 100 or 101 or 113 and 102 or 114	6-8	_____
<b>LITERATURE:</b> ENG 223 or above	3	_____
<b>ANALYTICAL THINKING:</b> PHIL 102	3	_____
<b>MATHEMATICS:</b> MATH 120, 124 or above	3	_____
<b>LIFE AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES:</b> (Two courses from the following, one must include a lab): AST, BIOL, CHEM 105 or above, ENV, GEOG 103, 104, 117, GEOL, PHYS	7	_____
<b>SOCIAL SCIENCES:</b> (Nine credits must be from three different disciplines) ANTH, CRJ 104, ECON 103, PSC, PSY, SOC, WMST 113	9	_____
<b>U.S. AND NEVADA CONSTITUTIONS:</b> PSC 101	4	_____

**SPECIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (27 Credits):**

	CR	SEMESTER
<b>FINE ARTS:</b> ART, DAN 101, Music, THTR	3	_____
<b>HUMANITIES:</b> COM 101, International Languages 111 or above, PHIL	3	_____
<b>HIST 101</b> U.S. History I	3	_____
<b>HIST 102</b> U.S. History II	3	_____
<b>HIST 105</b> European Civilization to 1648 <b>or</b> <b>HIST 208</b> World History I	3	_____
<b>HIST 106</b> European Civilization Since 1648 <b>or</b> <b>HIST 209</b> World History II	3	_____
<b>HIST 217</b> Nevada History	3	_____
<b>HIST 251</b> Historical Investigation	3	_____
<b>Plus 3 credits from the following:</b> <b>HIST</b>	3	_____

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Total Credits

Students may elect to graduate using the degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation, or when they declared or changed major or the current catalog. If a program is official after a student has matriculated, the student may choose the degree requirements of the new program. In no case may a student use a catalog which is more than six years old at the time of graduation.