

Suggested Course Sequence: Liberal Studies major (Traditional)
San Diego State University—Academic Year 2006-07

**For Students Who Transfer From a Community College
that Doesn't Offer the 9.5 units of *Special Courses Unique to SDSU*
(See italicized courses listed under Junior Semester I)**

Liberal Studies majors earn a Bachelor of Arts in Applied Arts and Sciences degree. Each student must pass a senior assessment in LS 498 and must pay the required fee to the Test Office early in the semester. Save tests, papers, labs, and other projects.

When choosing lower division courses, students should consider prerequisites for specializations.

The Liberal Studies major (listed below) specifies 106 units of the 120 required for graduation. **Elective units** may be used for *foreign language* (if necessary), prerequisites for a credential program, or courses of the student's choice.

Courses in Preparation for the Major

Freshman Semester I		Units	Freshman Semester II		Units
LANG-1	Oral Communication **	3	LANG-3	Intermediate Composition/Critical Thinking**	3
LANG-2	Freshman Composition++	3	HIST-2	American Institutions I (see choices, p 2)	3
MATH-1	Math 210**+ and VPA-2	3	HIST-4	History 100	3
DHP-2	Health and Human Services 280*** equivalent	1-3	SCI-1	Geology 104	3
	Extra course 1 (elective)	3		Extra course 2 (elective)	3
		13-15			15
Sophomore Semester I		Units	Sophomore Semester II		Units
HIST-3	American Institutions II	3	LANG-4	English 220 (special section most semesters)	3
SCI-4	Natural Science 100	3	HIST-1	Geography 106	3
	(if not available, take introduction to chemistry)		SCI-2	Biology 100	3
VPA-1	Art 157 or Theatre 120	3	SCI-3	Biology 100L or Geology 101	1
DHP-3	Child and Family Development 270 equivalent OR	3-6	HUM-1	GE category C-4 or C-5 (See catalog or adviser)	3
	Psychology 101 and 230			Extra course 3 (elective)	3
EDUC	ED 200 Teaching as a Profession	3			
		15			16

** These courses must be completed with a grade of C or higher, and students must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher before they can be advanced from the pre-major to the major. Upper division courses labeled UD are not open to pre-majors. Footnotes in the *Class Schedule* contain information on enrollment restrictions for various courses.

*** Do NOT take courses equivalent to Public Health Education 101, which replaced Community Health Education 101 in 2006-2007. The course content has been changed and will not be accepted for Liberal Studies or as a prerequisite for the credential program.

Courses in Major

Junior Semester I		Units	Junior Semester II		Units
LANG-5	Linguistics 420	3	LS-1	Liberal Studies 300 (field experience)	3
DHP-4	CFD 375A or Psychology 380	2-3		(Education 200 is a prerequisite)	
For distant transfer students (and change of major students):			LANG-6	Linguistics 452 (UD)	3
SP-1	First specialization course	0	HIST-6	History 413 (UD)	3
	(Gain 3 units by choosing a specialization that double counts a course in the major.)		MATH-4	Mathematics 311 (UD)	2
MATH-2	Math Education 212+ (not available at distant com col)	1.5	VPA-3/4	Depth/Breadth in Visual and Performing Arts	3
MATH-3	Mathematics 211** (not available at distant com col)	3		Credential prerequisite (SDSU only)(SPED 450)	2
VPA-2	Music 102, Dance 102 (not available at distant com col)	3			
DHP-1	Exercise & Nutritional Sciences 241A and B**	2			
[ED-1	Education 200 (if it wasn't available)]	0			
During the semester, e-mail the program asking to be changed to the UD major code as soon as grades are posted.		14.5-15.5			16
Senior Semester I		Units	Senior Semester II		Units
LANG-7	English 306W (UD)	3	SCI-5	Natural Science 412 (UD)	4
LANG-8	English 306A (UD)	3	VPA-4/3	Breadth/Depth in Visual and Performing Arts	3
HIST-5	History 411 (UD)	3	SP-3	Third specialization course	3
MATH-5	Math 313 or 315 (UD)	3-2	SP-4	Fourth specialization course	3
LS-2	Liberal Studies 498 (UD)	.5		Credential prerequisite (SDSU) (ED 451)	3
SP-2	Second specialization course	3			
		15.5			16

CUMULATIVE UNITS: Incoming _____

Semester	Earned	Total	Semester	Earned	Total	Semester	Earned	Total

Elective Units Needed: _____