



International Studies A.A. Degree

This program map represents one possible path for completing this program. **Please see a counselor** to create an educational plan that is customized to meet your needs. This path is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

Catalog: 2024-25

Total Units: 60.5-65

First Year

Semester 1

16-17 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	AA/AS GE
Maj	COMM 325	Intercultural Communication	3	VI
GE	ENGWR 300* / 488 ^H / ESLW 340	College Composition	3-4	IIA
ME		**Major Elective	4	I
GE	INDIS 313***	Freshman Seminar	3	IIIB
Elec		****Elective	3	

*If you don't place directly in ENGWR 300 (check your e-Services account), you will need to take ENGWR 80/ENGWR 300 combo course.

**Major Elective - A minimum of 8 units from the following (choose 4 units this semester): ARABIC 401 & 402, CANT 401 or 402 or 411 or 412, FREN 401 or 402, 411 or 412, GREEK 401 & 402, ITAL 401 & 402, JAPAN 401 or 402 or 411 or 412, KOREAN 401 & 402, MAND 401 or 402 or 411 or 412, PRSIAN 401 & 402, PNJABI 401 & 402, RUSS 401 or 402 or 411 or 412, TGLG 401 & 402, VIET 401 & 402

+Prerequisite for all languages 402 level: 401 with a grade of "C" or better, or two years of high school in the same language with a "C" grade or better, or by instructor permission

+Prerequisite for all languages 411 level: 402 with a grade of "C" or better, or three years of high school in the same language with a "C" grade or better, or by instructor permission

+Prerequisite for all languages 412 level: 411 with a grade of "C" or better, or four years of high school in the same language with a "C" grade or better, or by instructor permission

***INDIS 313 - Freshman Seminar is specifically designed for First Time in College students. If you're not a First Time in College student, please select a GE course from SCC General Education Area IIIB, such as HCD 310-College Success.

****Electives may include any courses numbered 100-499.

Semester 2

16 Units

Legend

- (H) - Honors
- Elec - Elective
- GE - General Education
- Maj - Required Core
- ME - Major Elective

Disclaimer

Every effort has been made to ensure that what is listed in the SCC Program Paths are accurate. The courses, the course sequencing, and the programs are subject to change without notice by the administration of the Los Rios Community College District and Sacramento City College at the discretion of the district and Sacramento City College. Further, Sacramento City College reserves the right to amend any course or program.

PLEASE SEE AN SCC COUNSELOR.

AA/AS Requirements

Associate Degrees require the following:

1. Completion of a minimum of 60 degree-applicable units with an overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 ("C" average). A minimum of 12 units must be completed at Sacramento City College.
2. Completion of each required course with a grade of "C" or better for a major offered at Sacramento City College.
3. Completion of Sacramento City College's general education requirements – Area I; Area II(a) and II(b); Area III(a) and III(b), or Area III(c); Area IV; Area V; and Area VI – with an overall 2.0 GPA.
4. Completion of all three competency requirements (reading, writing, and mathematics).

Students with Advanced Placement (AP) and International Baccalaureate Credit (IB) test scores should notify their Counselor to learn more about how test scores may be used for credit.

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	AA/AS GE
Maj	ANTH 310 / 481 ^H	Cultural Anthropology	3	
Maj	GEOG 320	World Regional Geography	3	
GE	MATH 300 [*]	Introduction to Mathematical Ideas	3	IIB
ME		**Major Elective	4	
Maj	HIST 311 / 484 ^H	History of the United States (1865 - Present)	3	VA

*If you don't place directly in MATH 300 (check your e-Services account), you will need to take MATHS 95/MATH 300 combo course.

**Major Elective - A minimum of 8 units from the following (choose 4 units this semester in the same language taken in the previous term): ARABIC 401 & 402, CANT 401 or 402 or 411 or 412, FREN 401 or 402, 411 or 412, GREEK 401 & 402, ITAL 401 & 402, JAPAN 401 or 402 or 411 or 412, KOREAN 401 & 402, MAND 401 or 402 or 411 or 412, PRSIAN 401 & 402, PNJABI 401 & 402, RUSS 401 or 402 or 411 or 412, TGLG 401 & 402, VIET 401 & 402

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+Prerequisite for all languages 411 level: 402 with a grade of "C" or better, or three years of high school in the same language with a "C" grade or better, or by instructor permission

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Exception: Students who possess a bachelor's (BA/BS) or higher degree from a college or university accredited through a regional accrediting agency recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) are deemed to have satisfied both the general education and graduation competency requirements for an AA/AS degree. Degrees from accredited institutions outside of the US will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis.

Placement Information

Support courses required for English and math per placement; *check your e-Services account to determine placements*. Support courses required for English and Math per placement. **Check your e-Services account under "Academic Records" to determine your placements.**

Important Links

[SCC General Counseling](#)

[International Studies](#)

[People & Society Meta Majors](#)

Second Year

Semester 3

15 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	AA/AS GE
Maj	HIST 308	History of World Civilizations, 1500 to Present	3	VB
Maj	POLS 310 / 480 ^H	Introduction to International Relations	3	
Maj	ECON 302	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	
Elec		*Elective	3	
Elec		*Elective	3	

*Electives may include any courses numbered 100-499.

Semester 4

13.5-17 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	AA/AS GE
Maj	IS 494	Topics in International Studies	0.5-4	
GE		Physical Education	1	IIIA

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	AA/AS GE
GE		Natural Sciences	3	IV
Elec		*Elective	3	
Elec		*Elective	3	
Elec		*Elective	3	

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