

# Napa Valley College 2024-2025

## General Education

Associate of Arts (A.A.) and Associate of Science (A.S.) degrees

Effective fall 2024 through summer 2025

The following are the General Education, Kinesiology, Dance & Health Education, and American History and Institutions requirements for the Associate of Arts and/or an Associate of Science degree from Napa Valley College. If you are a transfer student, choose only courses that appear both here and on the appropriate transfer general education/breadth sheet (either the CSU-GE or IGETC advising sheet). Students who have already earned a bachelor's degree or higher from a regionally accredited university are exempted from NVC GE and graduation requirements. For the complete list of graduation requirements and deadlines which include units, scholarship, residency, major, competencies, petition for graduation, and GE certification, please refer to the Napa Valley College Catalog. A course may be used for only one general education category. Students are required to complete a minimum of **21** semester units in Areas A through E below per updated [Title 5 Sec. 55061](#). Legend: C = Completed units; IP = In Progress units; N = Needed units. New courses are in bold and lab courses are underlined. Consult with an [Academic Counselor](#) for more information.

<b>Area A: NATURAL SCIENCE</b> Select 1 course, minimum 3 units			
Anthropology 120 Astronomy 110, Biology 103, 105, 110, 112, 117, 120, 218 Chemistry 110, 111, 120 Earth Science 110 <b>NVC courses completed:</b>	Environmental Science 115 Geography 110 Geology 110 Health Occupations 100 Physics 110, 120, 140 <b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>
<b>Area B: SOCIAL &amp; BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE</b> Select 1 course, minimum 3 units + indicates A.A. degree only: courses chosen to satisfy the American History and Institutions requirement cannot be used to satisfy Area B. An additional course must be selected from the area above (not including +) to satisfy Area B requirements.			
Administration of Justice 121, 122, 125 Anthropology 121, 122, 130, 131, 145, 150, 180, 200 Child Family Studies 120, 140, 180 Communication Studies 126 Economics 100, 101, 120 Engineering 110 Geography 101 <b>NVC courses completed:</b>	History 120+, 121+, 122, 123, 140, 142, 145, 150+, 152+, 165 Humanities <b>166</b> Human Services 120 Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender 120, 121 Political Science 120+, 125, 135, 140 Psychology 120, 123, 124, 125, 126, 128, 135, 220 Sociology 120, 122, 130, 140, 150, 190 <b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>
<b>Area C: HUMANITIES</b> Select 1 course, minimum 3 units.			
American Sign Language 120, 121 Anthropology 150 Arts 100 Art History 101, 105, 106, 118, 130, 145, 180 Child Family Studies 145 Dance 160, 170 Digital Art & Design 101, 120 English 121, 123, 213, 214, 215, 216, 220, 224, 226, 228, 231 Ethnic Studies 100, 101, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 160, 161 Film 100, 101, 102, 105 110, 115, 120, 121, 125A, 125B, 125C, 125D <b>NVC courses completed:</b>	French 120, 121 History 122, 123 Humanities 125, 151, 174 Italian 120, 121 Music 110, 112, 113, 114, 121, 122 Philosophy 120, 121, 125, 127, 128, 129, 131, 133, 134, 137 Photography 120, 180 Spanish 111, 120, 121, 240, 241, <b>270</b> , 280, 281, 282 Theater 100, 174 <b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>

<b>Area D: LANGUAGE &amp; RATIONALITY</b> Select 1 course from D1, D2, & D3; minimum 9 units				
<b>Area D1: ENGLISH COMPOSITION</b> Select 1 course, minimum 3 units				
English 120, 120B <b>NVC courses completed:</b>	<b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>Area D2: MATHEMATICS</b> Select 1 course, minimum 3 units				
Math 106, 108, 115, 120, 121, 130, 220, 221, 222, 232, 235 <b>NVC courses completed:</b>	Technical Math 107 <b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>Area D3: COMMUNICATION &amp; ANALYTICAL THINKING</b> Select 1 course, minimum 3 units (Courses with * may be less than 3 units)				
Administration of Justice 123, 124 American Sign Language 120 Anthropology 150, 200 Biology 103, 110, 112, 120, 219, 220, 240, 241 Business 103, 297 Chemistry 110, 111, 120, 121 Child Family Studies 123, 135, 140, 155 Communication Studies 120, 122, 124, 126, 128 Counseling 100 Earth Science 110 Economics 100, 101 English 121, 123, 125, 200, 201, 202, 213, 214, 215, 216, 220 English as a Second Language 106 Ethnic Studies 100, 101 <b>NVC courses completed:</b>	Film 110 Health Occupations 101 Humanities 125, Library 100* Math 106, 108, 115, 120, 121, 220, 221, 222, 232, 235 Philosophy 120, 121, 125, 126, 131 Physics 110, 120, 121, 140, 240 Political Science 125, 135, 140 Psychology 124, 135, 220 Respiratory Therapy 120 Sociology 122, 190 Spanish 240, 241, 280, 281 Technical Math 92, 107 Theater 110, 140*, 210, 244 <b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>Area E: Ethnic Studies</b> Select 1 course, minimum 3 units. Effective fall 2024, all courses that satisfy the Ethnic Studies general education requirement also satisfy the Cultural Competency requirement.				
Ethnic Studies 100, 101, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 160, 161 <b>NVC courses completed</b>	<b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>ADDITIONAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:</b> Required for A.A/A.S.				
<b>Kinesiology, Dance &amp; Health Education</b> Select 3 units				
Any combination of Kinesiology, Dance courses or Health 106 <b>NVC courses completed:</b>	Exemptions: 1. Students majoring in Health Occupations. 2. Veterans with 6 months of service receive unit credit <b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>American History / Institutions:</b> Required for A.A. Degrees Only. Courses chosen to satisfy this requirement cannot be double-counted to satisfy Area B-Social Sciences. Select one course from Group 1 <b>and</b> one course from Group 2.				
Group 1: History 120, 121, 150, 152, 165 <b>NVC courses completed:</b>	Group 2: Political Science 120 <b>Course(s) from other Colleges:</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>N</b>