

**Napa Valley College**  
**Program Planning for the A.A. and A.S. Degree**  
**Effective Fall 2015 Through Summer 2016**  
**(Revised May 2016)**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

A.A. Major: \_\_\_\_\_ A.S. Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Transfer Units to be used from: \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of Institutions)

Graduation Date: Fall 20 \_\_\_\_ Spring 20 \_\_\_\_ Summer 20 \_\_\_\_ Military used for PE \_\_\_\_

**The following are the minimum requirements to be filled for graduation with an 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). Consult a Counselor for more information.

**Petition:** Students must meet with a Counselor to complete a Graduation Petition, and then file the petition with the Admissions and Records Office in the semester prior to the semester in which graduation is anticipated.

**Grade Average:** Students must complete at least 60 degree applicable semester units with a grade point average of at least a 2.0. Only courses numbered 90 through 399 may be counted towards the 60 units (**except for Math 92**). Total semester units completed \_\_\_\_\_ as of \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_. Units still required: \_\_\_\_\_.

**Residence:** Residence semester units completed \_\_\_\_\_ as of \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_. Units still required: \_\_\_\_\_. Candidates must complete at least 12 semester units at Napa Valley College and be in attendance during the semester prior to graduation or have completed 30 units of work at Napa Valley College. (See "Grade Average" above for additional clarification of units required.)

**Major Requirements:** For an A.A. degree, students must complete at least 18 units in one discipline or related disciplines as listed in the Napa Valley College catalog. For an A.S. degree, the requirement is usually 30 or more semester units in the major, as listed in the Napa Valley College catalog. Along with major course requirements, all students pursuing an A.A./A.S. degree must also complete general education course requirements for graduation.

<b>GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS for A.A. or A.S. degrees</b>	<b>Met</b>	<b>Need</b>
A course may be used for only one category except in the case of Area E for the AS degree. Students are required to complete 18-21 semester units in Areas A through E below.		
<b>Area A: NATURAL SCIENCE - Select 1 course (minimum 3 units)</b>  Anthropology 120 Astronomy 110, 111 Biology 103, 105, 110, 112, 117, 120, 218 Chemistry 110, 111, 120 Earth Science 110  Environmental Science 115 Geography 110, 114 Geology 110 Health Occupations 100 Physics 110, 120, 140	A	
<b>Area B: SOCIAL &amp; BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE - Select 1 course (minimum 3 units)</b>  Administration of Justice 121, 122, 125 Anthropology 121, 122, 130, 131, 145, 150, 180, 200 Child Family Studies 120, 140, 180 Counseling 120 Economics 100, 101, 120 Engineering 110  History 120+, 121+, 122, 123, 140, 142, 145, 150, 152 Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender 120 Political Science 120+, 121+, 125, 130, 135, 140 Psychology 120, 123, 124, 125, 126, 128, 135, 220 Sociology 120, 122, 123, 220 Speech Communications 126  +A.A. degree only: courses chosen to satisfy the History and Institutions requirement cannot be used to satisfy Area B.	B	
<b>Area C: HUMANITIES - Select 1 course (minimum 3 units)</b>  American Sign Language 120, 121 Anthropology 150 Art History 105, 106, 118, 130, 135 Arts 100 Child Family Studies 145 Dance 160 Digital Art & Graphic Design 120 English 121, 123, 213, 214, 215, 216, 220, 223, 224, 225, 226 Film 100, 110, 125A, 125B, 125C, 125D  French 120, 121 History 122, 123 Humanities 100, 101, 112, 113, 125, 151, 160, 170, 174, 185, 186, 189A, 189B, 189C, 189D Italian 120, 121 Music 110, 112, 114, 121, 122 Philosophy 120, 121, 125, 127, 128, 129, 131, 133, 134, 137 Photo 120 Spanish 111, 120, 121, 240, 241, 280, 281, 282 Theater 100, 105, 215	C	

Area D: LANGUAGE & RATIONALITY - Select 3 courses, one each from D1, D2, & D3 (minimum 9 units)	Met	Need
<p><b>Area D1: ENGLISH COMPOSITION</b> - Select 1 course (minimum 3 units with a “C” grade or better)</p> <p>Business 105 English 120</p>	D1	
<p><b>Area D2: MATHEMATICS</b> - Select 1 course (minimum 3 units with a “C” grade or better; may demonstrate competency with a test)</p> <p>Math 94, 99, 106, 108, 115, 120, 121, 220, 221, 222, 232, 235 Tech 107</p>	D2	
<p><b>Area D3: COMMUNICATION AND ANALYTICAL THINKING</b> - Select 1 course (minimum 3 units with a “C” grade or better). Note: Courses with (*) may be less than 3 units.</p> <p>Administration of Justice 123, 124 American Sign Language 120 Anthropology 150, 200 Astronomy 111 Biology 103, 110, 112, 120, 219, 220, 240, 241 Business 103, 143 Chemistry 110, 111, 120, 121 Child Family Studies 123, 135, 140, 155 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</p> <p>Film 110 Health Occupations 101 Humanities 100, 101, 125, 185, 186 Math 90, 94, 97, 99, 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, 220 Spanish 240, 241, 280, 281 Speech Communications 120, 122, 124, 126, 128 Technical Math 92, 107 Theater 110, 140*, 156, 210, 244</p>	D3	
<p><b>Area E: MULTICULTURAL/GENDER STUDIES</b> - Select 1 course (minimum 3 units)</p> <p>Effective Fall 2001 for the A.S. Degree only, select 3 units from courses below which may double count for one other area of GE, providing the course is listed in that area. (Effective Fall 1995 for the AA Degree, select 3 units in addition to other GE area requirements.)</p> <p>Administration of Justice 123 Anthropology 121, 145, 150, 180 Child Family Studies 140, 180 Counseling 124 English 224</p> <p>Film 110 History 145, 150, 152 Humanities 100, 101, 112, 113, 151, 174, 186 Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender 120 Photo 182</p> <p>Psychology 128 Speech Communications 126 Theater 105</p>	E	
<p><b>ADDITIONAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:</b></p> <p><b>PE/Health Education:</b> Required for A.S. or A.A. Degrees</p> <p>Select 3 units of: Physical Education /Dance courses <b>OR</b> Health Education 106</p> <p><b>Exemptions:</b> 1. Students majoring in Health Occupations 2. Veterans with six months service receive unit credit for P.E./Health Education 106. 3. Completion of Police Academy.</p>	PE/ Dance/ Helh 106	
<p><b>American History / Institutions: Required for A.A. Degrees Only.</b></p> <p>Select one course from Group 1 and one course from Group 2:</p> <p>Group 1: U.S. History (HIST 120, 121, 150 or 152) <b>AND</b> Group 2: Political Science (POLI 120 or 121).</p> <p>Courses chosen to satisfy this requirement cannot be used to satisfy Area B.</p>	1  2	
<p><b>Math, Reading, and Writing Competencies</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Math competency</b> can be demonstrated through tests offered by the Assessment Center, or with completion of the Mathematics requirements under GE Area D2 with a “C” or better.</li> <li>• <b>Reading competency</b> can be demonstrated with a grade of “C” or better in a transferable course with a strong reading component.</li> <li>• <b>Writing competency</b> can be demonstrated through the completion of the English composition requirements under GE Area D1 with a “C” or better.</li> </ul> <p><b>Information on this form is subject to change, please check with the Counseling Office for details.</b></p>		