College of the Siskiyous  
ASSOCIATE DEGREE MAJOR  

HISTORY

History is the study and research of major social, political, cultural, and economic events of the past that shaped the contemporary world. In its broadest sense history is the study of the human experience. The study of history contributes to cultural literacy and develops critical thinking and other useful skills while helping students use the past to understand today and plan for tomorrow. The History curriculum prepares the students for transfer to a university to complete a Baccalaureate degree in a related discipline. In addition, the History curriculum makes an excellent supplement to any number of other majors because it enhances an individual’s ability to think critically, communicate effectively and provides an understanding of the human experience which will enhance any profession. Please check with an advisor or counselor for specific transfer requirements.

___American History Core........................................................................................................9
Complete all of the following:
___HIST 1017– U.S. History to 1877 (3)
___HIST 1018 – U.S. History since 1877 (3)
___POLS 1001– Introduction to American Government (3)

___Western History / World History Core .................................................................................6
Complete two of the following:
___HIST 1004– Western Civilizations to 1600 (3)
___HIST 1005 – Western Civilizations since 1600 (3)
___HIST 1009– World Civilizations to 1450 (3)
___HIST 1010– World Civilizations since 1450 (3)

___History Electives..................................................................................................................6
Complete two of the following:
___ANTH 1070 – Indians of California (3)
___HIST 1004– Western Civilizations to 1600 (3) if not used for Western / World Core
___HIST 1005 – Western Civilizations since 1600 (3) if not used for Western / World Core
___HIST 1006– California History and Politics (3)
___HIST 1008 – History of Women in the U.S. (3)
___HIST 1009– World Civilizations to 1450 (3) if not used for Western / World Core
___HIST 1010– World Civilizations since 1450 (3) if not used for Western / World Core
___HIST 1022 – Environmental History of North America (3)
___HIST 1043 – Latin American History (3)
___HIST 1044 – African-American History (3)
___HIST 1046 – Eastern Civilizations to 1800 (3)
___HIST 1047 – Eastern Civilizations since 1800 (3)
___HIST 1049- History of the Middle East (3)

Total Units ...................................................................................................................................21

A grade of C or better is required for all major courses.