# GLENDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS 2011-2012

Glendale Community College shall confer the degree of Associate of Arts or Associate of Science upon a student who has satisfactorily completed all of the requirements for graduation. A student may receive only one A.S. and one A.A. degree.

The Associate degree is granted to persons who file a Petition for Graduation in the Office of Admissions and Records, who are not on academic probation, and who have completed a **minimum of 12 of the last 18 semester units** of the required college curriculum of 60 degree applicable semester units at Glendale Community College. The completion of the required 60 semester units must include all of the following:

## **MAJOR**

1. The requirement for the **Associate in Arts** degree may be met by completing an approved *Area of Emphasis or Major* with a minimum of **18 semester units**. Courses meeting the specific Emphasis or Major requirements are found in the Glendale Community College Catalog.

#### **List of AA Majors**

Biological Sciences Mathematics Business Administration Music

Choreographic Studies Physical Education and Dance Technique Physical Sciences
English Social Sciences

Foreign Language Speech/Communications

Health Science Theatre Arts Interdisciplinary Visual Arts

Humanities

Mass Communications

## List of AA Emphasis

Arts and Humanities Science and Mathematics Social and Behavioral Science

The requirement for the **Associate in Science** degree may be met by completing an approved major/certificate program of **24 semester units or more.** The approved majors/certificate programs are found in the Glendale Community College Catalog.

When a course required for an Area of Emphasis or Major is also an approved general education course, the course may be double-counted. However, units are only counted once to satisfy the 60-unit requirement for the Associate Degree.

#### **AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS**

2. **Two semester units** in American Institutions are required. Courses which satisfy this requirement include Political Science 101, 105, 151\*\*\*; Social Science 125-126\*\*, 132\*\*\*.

#### STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT

3. **One semester unit** in State and Local Government is required. Courses which satisfy this requirement include Political Science 106, 151\*\*\*; Social Science 125-126\*\*, 132\*\*\*.

#### U.S. HISTORY

 Three semester units in American History are required. Courses which satisfy this requirement include Economics 111, History 116; History 110, 111(CD), 117, 118, 150, 151; Social Science 125-126\*\*, 131.

### **MATHEMATICS**

5. Satisfactory evidence of proficiency in mathematics must be given. Proficiency may be demonstrated by completion with a grade of "C" or better in Mathematics 101, 120, or 220 (2 units).

#### **HEALTH**

6. **Three semester units** of community and personal hygiene are required. Health 104, 106; Psychology 111(CD)\* or equivalent will satisfy this requirement.

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION

7. **Two semester units** of physical education activity classes and/or dance activity classes must be completed unless exempted by established policy. Consult the catalog for a list of the exemptions.

## **FIRST AID**

8. **One semester unit** in first aid and CPR is required. Courses that satisfy this requirement include Health 101, 102 or 109.

## **CULTURAL DIVERSITY**

9. Three semester units in Cultural Diversity are required. Courses that satisfy this requirement have been marked by (CD) and appear throughout the graduation requirements. The requirement may be satisfied by completing any one of the graduation requirements with a course marked (CD) or by completing Child Development 156.

#### **GENERAL EDUCATION**

- 10. Eighteen (18) semester units in each of the following areas:
  - a. **Natural Science**. At least one course (**3 semester units**) must be selected:

Anthropology 101, 111; Astronomy 102, 103, 110, 110H, 120; Biology 101, 101H, 102, 102H, 103, 103H, 112, 115, 120, 121, 122, 123, 125, 125H, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 145, 146; Chemistry 101, 101H, 102, 102H, 103, 105, 106, 107, 110, 115, 120, 121, 143; Geography 101, 107, 111; Geology 101, 101H 102, 103, 104, 105, 111, 111H, 112, 120; Oceanography 115, 116; Paleontology 101; Physics 101, 101H, 102, 102H, 103, 103H, 105, 106, 110; Physical Science 131; Psychology 103 Technical Education 145.

b. **Social Sciences**. At least one course (**3 semester units**) must be selected:

Anthropology 102(CD), 102H, 103, Business 105(CD); Administration Economics 101, 102, 102H, 105; Ethnic Studies 101(CD), 102(CD), 110(CD), 111(CD), 120(CD), 121(CD), 122(CD), 123(CD), 125(CD), 124(CD), 132(CD), 164(CD); Geography 102(CD), 103, 105, 106, 110, 114; History 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 113, 114, 115(CD), 119, 120, 121, 109, 112, 122, 131, 132, 133, 135, 136; Interdisciplinary Studies 110; Mass Communications 101; Political Science 102, 103, 103H, 109, 110, 111; Psychology 101, 101H, 104, 105, 106, 108, 109, 110, 111(CD)\*, 113(CD), 114, 115, 131, 150; Social Science 101, 124, 127(CD), 134, 136; Sociology 101, 102, 104, 105, 131; Speech 108.

- c. Humanities. At least two courses (6 semester units)—one from each of the two areas below must be selected.
  - 1. Interdisciplinary Humanities 3 units required:
    Humanities 101(CD), 102(CD), 105(CD), 105H(CD), 106, 110, 111, 115(CD), 117, 120, 125(CD), 130, 135(CD).

3. Arts, Foreign Language, Literature and Philosophy – 3 semester units:

Armenian 101, 102, 103, 104, 115, 116, 125, 126, 127; Art 101, 101H, 102, 102H, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 115, 116, 118, 119, 120, 121, 125, 199; Chinese 101, 102, 103, 104; Dance 100, 102; Egyptian Hieroglyphs 101, 102; English 102\*, 103, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 114, 115, 116, 117, 121, 122, 123, 124(CD), 125, 126, 127, 128, 130, 141(CD), 142(CD); French 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 121, 124, 125, 126; German 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106; Italian 101, 102, 103, 104; Japanese 101, 102, 103, 104; Korean 101, 102, 103, 104, 115, 116; Linguistics 101; Music 101, 102, 110, 120, 121, 122, 125, 126, 127, 128(CD); Philosophy 101, 112, 113(CD), 114(CD), 116, 118(CD), 119, 120, 121, 122; Russian 101, 102, 115, 116; Spanish 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 115, 124, 125, 126; Speech 106, Theatre Arts 101, 102, 107.

- d. Language and Rationality. At least two courses (6 semester units) from Language and Rationality must be selected.
  - 1. English Composition—3 semester units required. Evidence of proficiency in written English is required. This requirement may be fulfilled with a grade of "C" or better in English 101 or 101H.
  - 2. Communication and Analytical Thinking 3 semester units required.

Accounting 101, 102, 105, 106; Business Administration 120, 125; CABOT 102, 105; CS/IS 101, 110, 120, 125, 130, 135, 137, 139, 140, 150, 156, 165, 172, 180; English 102\*, 102H, 104, 118; English as a Second Language 133, 141; Journalism 102, 107; Mathematics 100, 101, 102, 103, 103H, 104, 104H, 105, 105H, 107, 107H, 108, 108H, 110, 111, 112, 119, 120, 128, 130, 135, 136, 138, 139, 219, 220; Philosophy 117, 123; Speech 100, 101, 103, 104, 105, 107, 111; Technical Education 143.

NOTE: Graduation requirements 2, 3, 4, 6, and 8 can be satisfied by examination. See a counselor for details.

<sup>\*</sup>Courses with an asterisk may be counted in one area only.

<sup>\*\*</sup>These courses satisfy requirements 2, 3, and 4.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>This course satisfies 2 and 3.