



Degree and Certificate Programs at Cañada College

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Degree or Certificate Program (126)	Award Type	Units
ACCOUNTING		
Accounting	AS	60 units
Accounting	CA	27.5 units
Entry Level Bookkeeper	CA	12 units
Payroll Specialist	CA	18 units
ANTHROPOLOGY		
Anthropology	AA-T	60 units
ART		
Art History	AA	60 units
Art History	AA-T	60 units
Studio Arts	AA-T	60 units
BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES		
Allied Health	AS	60 units
Biological Sciences	AS	60 units
Biology	AS-T	60 units
Nutrition and Dietetics	AS-T	60 units
Professional School Preparation: Pre-Dental, Pre-Medicine, Pre-Pharmacy, Pre-Veterinary, Pre-Optometry		N/A
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION/MANAGEMENT		
Business Administration	AS	60 units
Business Assistant	AS	60 units
Business Management	AS	60 units
Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management	AS	60 units
Marketing	AS	60 units
Business Administration 2.0	AS-T	60 units
Business Administration	CA	19 units
Business Assistant	CA	18 - 19 units
Business Information Worker	CA	18 units
Business Management	CA	19 units
Digital Marketing	CA	18 units
Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management	CA	21 - 22 units
Human Relations in the Workplace	CA	18 units
Marketing	CA	18 units
Business Information Worker	CS	7.5 units
Digital Marketing	CS	12 units
Entrepreneurship for Spanish Speakers	CS	13 units
CHEMISTRY		
Chemistry	AS	60 units
COMMUNICATION STUDIES		
Communication Studies	AA	60 units
Communication Studies 2.0	AA-T	60 units
COMPUTER BUSINESS OFFICE TECHNOLOGY		
Administrative Assistant	AS	60 units
Administrative Support Assistant	AS	60 units
Administrative Assistant	CA	27 units
Administrative Support Assistant	CA	23.5 units
General Office	CA	12 units
COMPUTER SCIENCE		
Computer Science	AS-T	60 units
Computer Science - C++	CA	16 units
Computer Science - Java	CA	16 units
Computer Science - Swift	CA	16 units
DIGITAL ART AND ANIMATION		
3D Animation and Videogame Art	AA	60 units
Digital Art and Animation	AA	60 units
3D Animation and Videogame Art	CA	42 units
Digital Art and Animation	CA	27 units
Graphic Design	CA	19.5 units
Video Game Design	CA	33 units
EARTH SCIENCE		
Earth Science	AS	60 units
ECONOMICS		
Economics	AA	60 units
Economics	AA-T	60 units
EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT: EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION/EDUCATION		
Child and Adolescent Development	AA-T	60 units
Early Childhood Education	AS	60 units
Early Childhood Education	AS-T	60 units
Early Childhood Education	CA	27 units
Inclusion Support	CA	10 units
Multilingual Learner Teaching	CA	10 units
Youth and School-Age	CA	10 units
Child Development Permits and Areas of Specialization		N/A
ENGINEERING		
Engineering	AS	60 units
Engineering	CA	32 - 36 units
Math for Surveying and Computer-Aided Design	CA	23 units
ENGLISH		
English	AA	60 units
English	AA-T	60 units
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY		
Environmental Science	AS	60 units
Environmental Science	AS-T	60 units
ETHNIC STUDIES		
Ethnic Studies	AA	60 units
FASHION DESIGN AND MERCHANDISING		
Custom Dressmaking/Small Business Oriented	AS	60 units
Fashion Design Merchandising	AS	60 units
Technical (Apparel Industry Oriented)	AS	60 units
Theater Costuming	AS	60 units
Custom Dressmaking/Small Business Oriented	CA	34 units
Fashion Design Merchandising	CA	18 units
Technical (Apparel Industry Oriented)	CA	33 units
Theater Costuming	CA	28 units
GENERAL STUDIES		
Pathways to Student Success	CA	16 units
Preparation for Academic Scholarship and Success (PASS)	CA	12 units
GEOGRAPHY		
Geography	AA	60 units
Geography	AA-T	60 units
HISTORY		
History	AA	60 units
History	AA-T	60 units
HUMAN SERVICES		
Social Work and Human Services	AA-T	60 units
INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES WITH AREAS OF EMPHASIS		
Interdisciplinary Studies: Arts and Humanities	AA	60 units
Interdisciplinary Studies: Natural Science and Mathematics	AA	60 units
Interdisciplinary Studies: Social and Behavioral Sciences	AA	60 units
INTERIOR DESIGN		
Interior Design	AS	60 units
Home Staging	CA	24 units
Interior Design	CA	41 units
Kitchen and Bath Design (Affiliated with NKBA, National Kitchen & Bath Association)	CA	42 units
KINESIOLOGY, ATHLETICS AND DANCE		
Dance	AA	60 units
Kinesiology	AA	60 units
Kinesiology	AA-T	60 units
LATIN AMERICAN AND LATINO/A STUDIES		
Latin American and Latino/a Studies	AA	60 units
Latin American and Latino/a Studies	CA	18 - 23 units
MATHEMATICS		
Mathematics	AS-T	60 units
MEDICAL ASSISTING		
Medical Assisting	AS	60 units
Medical Billing Specialist	AS	60 units
Medical Administrative Assistant	CA	21 units
Medical Assisting	CA	35 units
Medical Billing Specialist	CA	21 units
Medical Coding Specialist	CA	18 units
MUSIC		
Music	AA	60 units
PARALEGAL STUDIES		
Paralegal	AS	60 units
Litigation	CA	18 units
Paralegal	CA	27 units
PHILOSOPHY		
Philosophy	AA	60 units

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AA and AS Degrees

The Associate in Arts Degree (AA) and the Associate in Science Degree (AS) are designed for students who want a two-year degree or plan to transfer to another college or university and work towards a bachelor's degree.

AA-T and AS-T Degrees

The Associate in Arts Degree for Transfer (AA-T) and the Associate in Science Degree for Transfer (AS-T) both provide a pathway to the California State University (CSU). Students awarded an AA-T or AS-T degree are guaranteed admission with Junior standing in the CSU system and given priority admission consideration to their local CSU campus or to a program that is deemed similar to their community college major. This priority does not guarantee admission to specific majors or campuses.

Certificates

Cañada College awards two types of certificates (only certificates of 16 or more semester units are eligible for federal Title IV aid):

1. Certificates of Achievement

Certificate programs are designed for students looking for short-term programs of instruction with a high degree of specialization. They are designed to prepare individuals to enter a particular field of employment or provide a level of in-service training or education for those already employed.

Title 5, section 55070 defines Certificate of Achievement as a credit certificate that appears by name on a student transcript, diploma, or completion award. Chancellor's Office approval is required. The college can develop and propose a Certificate of Achievement that includes coursework taken to satisfy transfer patterns established by the UC, CSU, or accredited public postsecondary institutions in adjacent states. Certificates of Achievement that consist solely of basic skills and/or ESL courses are not permitted.

Certificates of Achievement represent a well-defined pattern of learning experiences designed to develop certain capabilities that may be oriented to career or GE. All Certificates of Achievement programs of 8 or more semester units of degree-applicable coursework must be submitted for Chancellor's Office approval.

Cañada College awards two thresholds of Certificates of Achievement (only certificates of 16 or more semester units are eligible for federal Title IV aid):

- 10 to less than 16 semester units** of degree-applicable credit coursework that have been approved by the State of California as a program leading to a higher level certificate of achievement, and will be posted to the student's transcript. These certificates are **NOT** eligible for federal Title IV aid.
- 16 or more semester units** of degree-applicable credit coursework that have been approved by the State of California, and will be posted to the student's transcript. These certificates are eligible for federal Title IV aid.

The Certificates of Achievement are designed on the career ladder concept; all of the course work applied to the certificates can also be applied to Associate Degrees. If no Associate Degree major exists in the area, all of the units can be counted as electives toward any Associate Degree.

2. Skills Certificates

Skills Certificates are CTE credit programs from 6 to less than 10 semester units of course work. These skills certificates have **NOT** been approved by the State of California, and will **NOT** be posted to the students' transcript. These skills certificates are also **NOT** eligible for federal Title IV aid, and are omitted from the College's yearly commencement program.

	AA-T	60 units
	CA	18 units
Biology	CA	27 units
	AS	60 units
	AS-T	60 units
	AA	60 units
	AA-T	60 units
	AA-T	60 units
	AA	60 units
	AA-T	60 units
	AS	70.5 units
	AA	60 units
	AA	60 units
	AA-T	60 units
	AA	60 units
	AA-T	60 units
Spanish	CA	13 - 15 units
	AA	60 units
	AA-T	60 units
Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC)	CA	34 - 44 units