

SPANISH FOR NON-NATIVE SPEAKERS ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

The Spanish for Non-Native Speakers major leads to the Associate of Arts degree and prepares the student for transfer to a four-year institution. Students completing the baccalaureate program or graduate work may be hired in the major or allied fields as an international business executive, civil service officer, immigration specialist, peace corps volunteer, foreign correspondent, teacher, travel agent, interpreter, foreign trade agent or foreign service officer. As with all programs, students who intend to transfer to a four-year institution should research the transfer institution's requirements and plan to complete with the Cal-GETC pattern.

Required Courses – Major

Course Number	Course Name	Units
SPN 100	Conversational Spanish: Level I	2
SPN 101	Conversational Spanish: Level II	2
SPN 200	Elementary Spanish: Level I	4
SPN 201	Elementary Spanish: Level II	4
SPN 202	Intermediate Spanish: Level I	4

Plus 2 – 3 additional units selected from the following

Course Number	Course Name	Units
ETH 235	Mexican American Culture	3
HST 207	Mexican American History	3
SPN 102	Conversational Spanish: Level III	2

Total Major Units

18 – 19

Total Degree Units

60

Program Level Student Learning Outcomes:

1. Demonstrate that they can speak and understand in extended conversations on concrete and abstract topics.
2. Demonstrate an ability to hypothesize and speculate.
3. Demonstrate a command of an active vocabulary supportive of the skills described above.
4. Demonstrate familiarity with all verb tenses and modes.
5. Demonstrate that they can correctly use grammar for the structures and concepts presented.
6. Write a composition expressing and supporting an opinion.
7. Communicate with grammatical errors that may be frequent but do not inhibit the communication.
8. Demonstrate that they comprehend a wide variety of texts appropriate to the level, with ability to track nuance and detail.
9. Summarize, analyze and critique texts in Spanish.
10. Demonstrate that they can analyze, predict, and react appropriately to the cultural diversity and history of Spanish-speaking peoples, and the geography of Spanish speaking countries.