

ARABIC STUDIES ASSOCIATE IN ARTS AND CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT



The Associate in Arts in Arabic Studies is designed to provide a greater understanding of Arabic language, history, culture and heritage, with particular emphasis on reading, writing and speaking the Arabic language. The Arabic Studies degree prepares students for career opportunities that require competency in the Arabic language. Through specific coursework for this degree, students will have a deeper appreciation and understanding of Arabic heritage and civilization.

Program Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this program, students will be able to:

- Communicate clearly and effectively in a variety of media and/or contexts (speech, writing, and/or sign language).
- Apply discipline-specific theories about language and communication to students' own practice or work.
- Navigate norms related to communicating in diverse environments, including professional, intercultural, and/or specialized settings.

Associate in Arts Degree Requirements

Code	Title	Units
ARBC-120	Arabic I	5
ARBC-121	Arabic II	5
ARBC-130	Arabic Literature and Culture	3
ARBC-145	Arabic Civilizations	3
ARBC-122 or ARBC-220	Arabic for the Arabic Speaker I Arabic III	5
ARBC-180/BOT-180	Basic Computer Skills for Arabic Learners	1
ARBC-123 or ARBC-221	Arabic for the Arabic Speaker II Arabic IV	5
ARBC-250 or ARBC-254	Conversational Arabic I Conversational Iraqi Dialect	3
ARBC-251	Conversational Arabic II	3
Total Units		33

Plus General Education Requirements (<https://catalog.gcccd.edu/cuyamaca/degree-requirements-transfer-information/>)

Certificate of Achievement

Students who complete only the major requirements above qualify for a Certificate in Arabic Studies. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.