

# SPANISH ASSOCIATE IN ARTS AND CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT



This program is designed to provide students with skills in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing Spanish. It also gives students a greater understanding of Spanish culture and civilization and prepares them for greater international and domestic career opportunities.

For the suggested sequence of courses to be taken and/or for assistance in transferring to a four-year institution, students should consult the Counseling Center or the Department of World Languages.

## Career Opportunities

<https://www.grossmont.edu/student-support/career-center/resources.php>

Bilingual Aide  
 Border Patrol Officer  
 Buyer  
 Court Interpreter<sup>1</sup>  
 Counseling  
 Customs Agent / Inspector  
 Foreign Exchange Clerk  
 Foreign Student Advisor<sup>1</sup>  
 Interpreter<sup>1</sup>  
 Journalist<sup>1</sup>  
 Museum Curator<sup>1</sup>  
 Physician<sup>1</sup>  
 Scientific Linguist<sup>1</sup>  
 Tour Guide  
 Tutor

<sup>1</sup> Bachelor's Degree or higher required.

The Program-level Student Learning Outcomes (PSLOs) below are outcomes that students will achieve after completing specific degree / certificate requirements in this program. Students will:

1. Utilize more complex vocabulary and grammatical structures to communicate and discuss hypothetical situations dealing with nature, city, life, health, and well-being, professions and occupations, the arts, current events, and politics.
2. Utilize more complex vocabulary and grammatical structures to write about situations dealing with nature, city life, health and well-being, profession, and occupations, the arts, current events, and politics.
3. Use language and vocabulary skills developed in class to read, analyze, and interpret authentic texts.

## Associate Degree Major Requirements

Code	Title	Units
SPAN-120	Spanish I	5
SPAN-121	Spanish II	5

SPAN-220 or SPAN-122	Spanish III Spanish for the Native Speaker I	5
SPAN-221 or SPAN-123	Spanish IV Spanish for the Native Speaker II	5
SPAN-250	Conversational Spanish I	3
SPAN-251	Conversational Spanish II	3
Select one of the following:		3
HIST-114	Comparative History of the Early Americas	
HIST-115	Comparative History of the Modern Americas	
HIST-126	History of Mexico	
SPAN-141	Spanish and Latin American Cultures	
SPAN-145	Hispanic Civilizations	
ETHN-118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I	
or HIST-118	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives I	
ETHN-119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspective II	
or HIST-119	U.S. History: Chicano/Chicana Perspectives II	

**Total Units** **29**

Plus General Education (<https://catalog.gcccd.edu/grossmont/admission-information/general-education-transfer/>) and Elective Requirements

## Certificate of Achievement

Any student who wishes to complete only the requirements listed above qualifies for a Certificate of Achievement in Spanish. An official request must be filed with the Admissions and Records Office prior to the deadline as stated in the Academic Calendar.