

LANGUAGE ARTS EMPHASIS, AA LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

Degree A8987

An emphasis in Language Arts provides the student with an understanding of the acquisition of language with a focus on reading, writing, listening, and speaking with a diverse environment. In addition to the foundational language acquisition courses, students select personal options that will strengthen their individual interest and goals within Language Arts.

This degree requires the completion of General Education coursework plus the following:

Required Courses

Course Prefix	Course Name	Units
Language Acquisition		
Choose a minimum of nine units from the following:		9
CHLD 51	Early Literacy in Child Development	
ENGL 1C	Critical Thinking and Writing	
	or ENGL 1C Critical Thinking and Writing - Honors	
	or PHIL 9 Critical Thinking and Writing	
ENGL 81	Language Acquisition	
READ 100	Analysis and Critical Reading	
SIGN 210	American Sign Language Structure	
STDY 100	University-level Practices for Academic Success	
Language Arts Diversity		
Choose a minimum of six units from the following:		6
SPAN 1	Elementary Spanish	
SPAN 2	Continuing Elementary Spanish	
SPAN 3	Intermediate Spanish	
SPAN 4	Continuing Intermediate Spanish	
SPAN 1S	Spanish for the Spanish Speaking	
SPAN 2S	Continuing Spanish for the Spanish Speaking	
SPAN 53	Conversational Spanish	
SPAN 54	Continuing Conversational Spanish	
FRCH 1	Elementary French	
FRCH 2	Continuing Elementary French	
FRCH 3	Intermediate French	
FRCH 4	Continuing Intermediate French	
FRCH 53	Intermediate Conversational French	
FRCH 54	Continuing Intermediate Conversational French	
ITAL 1	Elementary Italian	
ITAL 2	Continuing Elementary Italian	
ITAL 3	Intermediate Italian	
ITAL 4	Continuing Intermediate Italian	
ITAL 52	Conversational Italian	
ITAL 53	Continuing Conversational Italian	
ITAL 54	Advanced Conversational Italian	

GERM 1	Elementary German
GERM 2	Continuing Elementary German
GERM 3	Intermediate German
CHIN 1	Elementary Chinese
CHIN 2	Continuing Elementary Chinese
CHIN 3	Intermediate Chinese
CHIN 4	Continuing Intermediate Chinese
JAPN 1	Elementary Japanese
JAPN 2	Continuing Elementary Japanese
JAPN 3	Intermediate Japanese
JAPN 4	Continuing Intermediate Japanese
JAPN 5	Advanced Japanese
LATN 1	Elementary Latin
LATN 2	Continuing Elementary Latin
ARAB 1	Elementary Arabic
ARAB 2	Continuing Elementary Arabic
SIGN 101	American Sign Language 1
SIGN 102	American Sign Language 2
SIGN 103	American Sign Language 3
SIGN 104	American Sign Language 4
SIGN 105	American Sign Language 5
LIT 3	Multicultural American Literature
LIT 11A	World Literature to 1650
	or LIT 11B World Literature from 1650
LIT 20	African American Literature
LIT 25	Contemporary Mexican American Literature
CHLD 50	Teaching in a Diverse Society
JOUR 100	Introduction to Mass Media
JOUR 107	Race, Culture, Gender, and Mass Media Images
R-TV 01	Introduction to Electronic Media
Personal Options	
Choose a minimum of three units from the following:	
BUSO 25	Business Communications
CHLD 61	Language Arts and Art Media for Young Children
ENGL 1B	English - Introduction to Literary Types
	or ENGL 1B English - Introduction to Literary Types - Honors
ENGL 8A	Creative Writing - Fiction
ENGL 8B	Creative Writing - Poetry
ENGL 8E	Creative Writing - Memoir
ENGL 8F	Creative Writing - Nonfiction
JOUR 101	Beginning Writing and Reporting for the Mass Media
	or JOUR 102 Intermediate Writing and Reporting for Mass Media
JOUR 108	Introduction to Public Relations
LIT 1	Early American Literature
	or LIT 2 Modern American Literature
LIT 6A	Survey of English Literature
	or LIT 6B Survey of English Literature
LIT 40	Children's Literature
R-TV 05	Radio-TV Newswriting
SPCH 4	Performance of Literature

For Area of Emphasis

Total Units 18

Language Arts Website (<http://www.mtsac.edu/languages>)

Program Learning Outcomes

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

- demonstrate language acquisition and usage through reading, writing, listening, signing, or speaking within a diverse environment

Review Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs) for this program.