## Selection of Classes

During the next two years of your stay at Palomar College, you will complete a list of courses to achieve your educational goal.

To graduate from Palomar College with an Associate in Arts degree or transfer to a university, you must complete a minimum of 60 units (credits) that consist of the general education and major courses.


Select your educational program:

## Associates in Arts Degree

- AA degree advising guide and course list
- Major requirement - Palomar College catalog


## Transfer Program

- UC (University of California) system - IGETC (Intersegmental General Education Curriculum)
- CSU (California State University) system - CSU General Education Advising Guide and Course List
- Major preparation requirement (www.assist.org)

PLAN YOUR SCHEDULE

|  | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| $7: 00$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $7: 30$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $8: 00$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $8: 30$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| $9: 00$ |  |  |  | BSYC 100 |  |
| $9: 30$ |  | BES-1 |  | San Marcos |  |
| $10: 00$ |  | San Marcos |  |  |  |
| $10: 30$ |  |  |  | MCS 100 |  |
| $11: 00$ |  |  |  | SU-17 |  |
| $11: 30$ |  | MCS 100 |  |  |  |
| $12: 00$ |  | SU-17 |  |  |  |
| $12: 30$ |  |  | ESL 101 |  |  |
| $1: 00$ |  |  | San Marcos |  |  |
| $1: 30$ | ESL 101 |  |  |  |  |
| $2: 00$ | A-12 |  |  |  |  |
| $2: 30$ | San Marcos |  |  |  |  |
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| Class\# | Class | Credit | Days | Times | Room/Location |
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| 31399 | ESL 101 | 5 | MW | $1: 30-3: 50$ | A-12 San Marcos |
| 30196 | MCS 100 | 3 | TTH | $12: 30-1: 50$ | SU-17 San <br> Marcos |
| 30342 | PSYC 100 | 3 | TTH | $9: 30-10: 50$ | BES-1 San <br> Marcos |
| 32274 | BUS 190 | 1 | Self Paced* |  | B-22 |
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ESL - English as Second Language
MCS - Multicultural Studies
PSYC - Psychology
BUS - Business

- Self-Paced Classes: Courses which allow flexibility in scheduling where a student may enroll at any time up to a designated


## Example

## AA degree in Psychological and Social Services

| Program Requirements | Units |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| COUN 100 | Introduction to Basic Counseling Skills | 3 |
| PSYC 100 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 |
| PSYC/SOC/ |  |  |
| AODS 140 | Intro to Psychological and Social Services | 4 |
| PSYC 225 | Psychology of Abnormal Behavior | 3 |
| PSYC 235 | Learning/Behavior Modification | 3 |
| PSYC/SOC/ |  |  |
| AODS 298 | Directed Field Experience I | 5 |
| SOC 100 | Introduction to Sociology | 3 |
| SOC 110 S | Social Problems | 3 |
| Electives (Select 3 units) |  |  |
| PSYC/SOC 105 | Marriage, Family and Intimate Relationships | 3 |
| PSYC 110 | Developmental Psychology - Child/Adult | 3 |
| PSYC 115 | Psychology of Personal Growth | 3 |
| PSYC/SOC | 120 Social Psychology | 3 |
| PSYC/SOC | 145 Psychology and Sociology of Aging | 3 |
| PSYC/SOC/ |  |  |
| AODS 155 | Physiology/Pharmacology of Psychoactive Drugs 3 |  |

TOTAL UNI TS 30

## AA Degree Advising Guide and Course List (General Education Requirement)

- Competence in American History and Institutions/California Government - choose one pair
- Competence in Health and Physical Education - Health 100 \& 100L
- Competence in Mathematics - Math 56, 60 or higher level math
- Multicultural Requirement - choose one class from the list (Supplemental AA degree advising guide)
- Area A1: Language and Rationality - English 100
- Area A2: Analytical Thinking/Oral Communication - when you meet the math competency, you will also meet the Area A2 requirement.
- Area B: Natural Sciences - choose one class
- Area C: Humanities - choose one class - pay attention that when you complete an academic ESL, you will meet the Area C requirement.
- Area D: Social and Behavioral Sciences - when you meet the American History and Institutions/California Government competence, you will also meet the Area D requirement.
- Area E: Integrated Self and Lifelong Learning - when you meet the Health and Physical Education competence, you will also meet the Area E requirement.

The total units from your AA major are 30, while the general education units range between 21 and 29.

## Items You Need

1. College catalog (online at http://www.palomar.edu/catalog/2011/contents.htm)
2. Class Schedule (e-services)
3. Plan your schedule form
4. Your major requirement
a. If your educational program is an AA degree, refer to the college catalog for the major requirement)
b. If you are in the transfer program and know where you want to transfer to, go to www.assist.org to get the major requirement information.
5. Appropriate general education requirement sheet

## Issues to Consider

1. Read the course description in the college catalog to see if the course is right for you.
2. Make sure you know where the classes are held. Be reminded that Palomar College has multiple "satellite" campuses.
3. Plan your schedule carefully so your classes won't overlap.
4. Enter the class information on the "plan your schedule" form.
5. You must enroll in a minimum of 12 units.
6. You must pay the total fees immediately after the registration or you will be dropped from the classes you have registered for.
7. Look at the example in the following pages to help you understand how to select classes.
8. If you received an email message from the Office of International Education about your ESL placement, make sure to enroll in that class.
