Kinesiology

Kinesiology AA Degree

The term kinesiology means the study of movement and the associate of arts degree program emphasizes major preparation courses for students seeking transfer to a four-year university. Students entering the field of kinesiology can look forward to career prospects in the areas of fitness, health and wellness, athletic training, exercise science, education/coaching, and sports administration.

Students who have selected the particular four-year college to which they wish to transfer should use the catalog of that institution as the principle guide for determining additional coursework.

Program student learning outcomes:

- 1. Students will identify the structure and function of the human body as it relates to physical activity.
- 2. Students will identify the theoretical framework used in sports and exercise.
- 3. Students will identify safety measures in various physical activities.
- 4. Students will identify, describe, or demonstrate a specific sports skill.
- 5. Students will demonstrate proper exercise skills.
- 6. Students will identify or describe the rules of a specific sport.

Students must fulfill the following requirements to qualify for an Associate Degree:

- Complete the Local General Education, CSU General Education (CSUGE) or Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) requirements,
- Complete a minimum of 18 additional units from the major list below,
- Complete electives to reach a total of 60-degree applicable units,
- Earn a grade of C or better in each major course,
- Maintain a minimum cumulative G.P.A. of 2.00, and
- Complete the English and math proficiency requirements with a C or better

Course #	Title	Units
Required Core Courses (20 Units)		
BIO 032	Human Anatomy	4
BIO 035	Human Physiology	4
NUT 001	Basic Nutrition	3
KINES 001.	Introduction to Kinesiology	3
PSYCH 029.	Introduction to Sport & Exercise Psychology	3
*PE-046	Care & Prevention of Athletic Injury	3
Plus 2 Units from two different PE activity courses below:		
PE 006	Body Conditioning	1
PE 011	Golf	1
PE 020	Tennis	1
PE 021A	Introductory Fitness Lab	1
PE 021B	Beginning Fitness Lab	1
PE 021C	Intermediate Fitness Lab	1
PE 021D	Advanced Fitness Lab	1
PE 023	Weight Training	1
PE 024	Circuit Training	0.5 - 1
PE 025A	Introductory Soccer	1
	Total	21

^{*}PE-046 is no longer offered - KINES 046 should be substituted for this course.