

Geography Program Map – 2023-24\ Catalog

NPC does not offer a geography degree, but students interested in pursuing a degree in history should fulfill the Arizona General Education Curriculum (AGEC) requirements for an Associate of Arts degree (AGEC-A) and plan to transfer to another institution to complete a bachelor's degree in geography.

Fifteen to Sixteen-credit-hour blocks are suggested for full-time students but these may be adjusted based on individual needs.

First Fifteen to Sixteen-Credit-Hour block

X	Course	Notes	Credits
	GEO 110 World Regional Geography		3
	ENL 101 College Composition I		3
	Math 152 Advanced Algebra	Prerequisite: MAT 112 or satisfactory placement	3
	Elective: Consider taking a language class		3-4
	Arts and Humanities requirement (see notes)		3

Second Fifteen to Sixteen-Credit-Hour block

X	Course	Notes	Credits
	GEO 120 Human Geography		3
	ENL 102 College Composition II	Prerequisite: ENL 101	3
	Elective: Consider taking a language class		3-4
	Science requirement (see notes)		4
	SBS Elective from a non-Geography field (see notes)		3-4

Third Fifteen to Sixteen-Credit-Hour block

X	Course	Notes	Credits
	GEO 111 Physical Geography	(Lab science may fulfill science requirement-see above)	4
	Arts and Humanities requirement (see notes)		3
	Elective: Consider taking a language class		3-4
	SBS elective from a non-Geography field (see notes)		3
	Elective		3

Fourth Fifteen to Sixteen-Credit-Hour block

X	Course	Notes	Credits
	SBS Elective from a non-Geography field (see notes)		3
	Elective: Consider taking a language class		3-4
	Arts and Humanities requirement (see notes)		3
	Elective		3
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		Total Required Credits for AA degree	64

Recommended Arts and Humanities electives (9 credits):

Note: 2 different disciplines from Arts and Humanities are required for AA degree

ART 115 Art History I
ART 116 Art History II
ART 215 Native American Art
ENL 220 World Literature I
ENL 221 World Literature II
HUM 150 Humanities in the Western World I
HUM 151 Humanities in the Western World II
PHL 150 Comparative World Religions

Recommended Physical and Biological Science electives (8 credits):

ANT104 Biological Anthropology and Human Origins (4 credits)
GEO 111 Physical Geography (4 credits)

Recommended Social and Behavioral Science electives (9 credits):

Anthropology (ANT) classes
ECN 211 and 212 Macro and Microeconomics
Psychology (PSY) classes
History (HIS) classes
Political Science (POS)
Sociology (SOC) classes

Note: at least one of the following SBS classes is required for AA degree to complete the State Contemporary Global and International or Historical Awareness Requirement:

ANT 102 Cultural Anthropology
GEO 110 World Regional Geography
HIS 105 U.S. History to 1877
HIS 106 U.S. History Since 1877
HIS 114 Introduction to Mexican-American History
HIS 155 European History to 1700
HIS 156 European History since 1700