

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS FOR DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES

The District grants the degrees of Associate in Arts (AA), Associate in Arts for Transfer (AAT), Associate in Science (AS), and Associate in Science for Transfer (AST) to those students who have completed the major requirements for graduation and who have attained a 2.0 grade point average or higher in courses applicable to the degree. Students must also complete the general education, residency, and (as applicable) competency requirements set forth in State regulations.

Students may be awarded a Certificate of Achievement upon successful completion of a State-approved pattern of degree-applicable coursework.

The Chancellor, in consultation with the faculty, shall establish regulations to determine degree and certificate requirements that include appropriate involvement of the local curriculum committees. The regulations shall ensure that graduation requirements are published in the colleges' catalogs and included in other resources that are convenient for students.

### *References:*

*Education Code Section 70902(b)(3)*

*California Code of Regulations Title 5, Sections 55060 et seq.*

*Board Policy – 2511 Delegation of Authority to Academic Senate*