

# Choosing a College Major

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## San Diego County majors that relate to your Career Theme

<b>REALISTIC</b>	<b>INVESTIGATIVE</b>	<b>ARTISTIC</b>	<b>SOCIAL</b>	<b>ENTERPRISING</b>	<b>CONVENTIONAL</b>
Architecture	Astronomy	Archeology	American Sign Lang	Accounting	Accounting
Agriculture	Biology	Art History	Behavioral Science	Admin of Justice	Computer Bus Tech
Animal Health Tech	Biotechnology	Communication	Black Studies	Business Studies	Legal Assistant
Anthropology	Cardiovascular Tech	Creative Writing	Chicano Studies	Consumer Studies	Mathematics
Aviation Mainten	Chemistry	Culinary Arts	Child Development	Economics	Office Skills
Automotive Tech	Computer Program	Graphic Design	Communication	Hotel Management	Paralegal
Building Construct.	Computer Sciences	Fashion	Cosmetology	Hospitality & Tourism	Statistics
Construct. Inspect.	Dental Assisting	Interior Design	Counseling	Finance	
Engineering	Dental Hygiene	Languages	Cross Cultural Study	Internat. Business	
Environmental Std	Geology	Literature	Dance	Journalism	
Fire Protection Tech	Geographic Info Sys	Multimedia	Dramatic Arts	Law	
Kinesiology	Law	Music	Education	Marketing	
Law Enforcement	Library Science	Theater	English	Public Relations	
Physical Education	Nursing Education		Human Services	Real Estate	
Radio & Television	Nutrition		Medical Assisting	Sports Management	
Security Mngmnt	Mathematics		Psychology		
Skilled Trades	Pharmacology		Sociology		
	Physical Therapy		Teacher Education		
	Radiology Tech		Women's Studies		

It is important to remember that most colleges offer a choice of earning an Associate's Degree or a Certificate of Achievement, depending on the college and program.

Earning a degree requires completion of General Education classes, i.e., Arts and Humanities, English, History, Languages other than English, Mathematics, Physical and Biological Sciences, Social and Behavioral Sciences. If you think you want to transfer to a four-year college or university and earn a Bachelor's degree, you would need to take General Education courses plus major-related courses.

Certificates of Achievement allow you to take those courses related to the major without the addition of the General Education courses that would lead you to a degree.