

## AMERICAN INDIAN STUDIES

- This worksheet is intended for supplemental use only. The University will use your [Academic Requirements Report \(ARR\)](#) to track your graduation requirements, including those for your major. Please continue to check your ARR for accuracy. If your ARR requires a correction, please submit an [ARR Correction Form](#).
- Your [Degree Planner](#) will display the following requirements in the University’s recommended sequence.
- All courses used for the minor and preparation for the major must be completed with a grade of C (2.0) or higher.
- All non-articulated courses MUST be reviewed and approved by a faculty advisor.
- A Minimum of 27 units in the Major must be completed at CSUSM.
- Upper-division coursework and electives must total a minimum of 24 units.

### PREPARATION FOR THE MAJOR (15 UNITS)

#### Lower-division Required Courses (6 units):

✓	Course	Units
<input type="checkbox"/>	AIS 101: Introduction to American Indian Studies	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	AIS 150: Introduction to Federal Indian Law and Policy	3

#### Lower-division Critical/Theoretical/Cultural Courses (9 units):

Select 3 courses from the following:

- AIS 125: Decolonizing the Narrative: American Indian and Indigenous Film and Filmmakers
- AIS 220: American Indian Religion
- AIS 230: American Indian Art and Contemporary Issues
- AIS 240: American Indians and Environmental Issues
- AIS 280: American Indian Culture and Language Preservation and Revitalization
- AIS 290: American Indian Education: Equity and Social Justice

✓	Course	Units
<input type="checkbox"/>		3
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### LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY (0-9 UNITS):

Please discuss the Language Proficiency Requirement for the American Indian Studies major with your [Academic Advisor](#).

✓	Proficiency met via:
<input type="checkbox"/>	

### UPPER-DIVISION REQUIREMENTS (27 UNITS)

#### Core Requirements (18 units):

✓	Course	Units
<input type="checkbox"/>	AIS/SOC 348: American Indian Communities	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	AIS/SOC 350: Imagining Indians: American Indians, Mass Media, Film and Society	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	AIS 400: Contemporary American Indian Health and Wellness	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	AIS 468/PSCI 418: American Indian Political and Economic Development	3

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<input type="checkbox"/>	AIS 490: American Indian Studies: Research, Methods, and Applications	3
<input type="checkbox"/>	AIS 498: Internship in an American Indian Community (*instructor consent)	3

**Elective Requirements (9 units):**

Select 3 courses from the following:

- AIS 370: American Indian Women and Activism
- AIS 390: Independent Study in American Indian Themes (\*instructor consent)
- AIS 440: American Indian Traditional Ecological Knowledge and Practice
- AMD 412: Advanced Digital Photography Fieldwork
- LTWR 345: Native American Literatures

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course	Units
<input type="checkbox"/>		3
<input type="checkbox"/>		3
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**BREADTH REQUIREMENT (3 UNITS):**

Select an upper-division Social and Behavioral Science (DD/UD4 designated) course outside of the major and in a discipline other than American Indian Studies.

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<input type="checkbox"/>		3