

SOUTHWEST STUDIES
Certificate of Completion (Through Department)
Catalog 2009-2010

Southwest Studies is an interdepartment concentration designed to educate and to inform students about the Four Corners region and the Southwest in general. The concentration provides a wide range of instruction in the environment, histories, languages, cultures, arts and contemporary situations of the peoples of the Southwest. The concentration not only stresses sound academic instructions but also encourages active involvement through research, internships, and field experiences. Those wishing to transfer to a baccalaureate-granting institution and pursue academic training in Southwest Studies are strongly encouraged to check with their advisor. In general, however, it is suggested that students fulfill a portion of their elective credit requirements with the following courses. Upon completion of 18 semester credits in designated Southwest Studies courses, students shall be granted a Certificate of Completion of Southwest Studies. To be eligible for the certificate, students must obtain a "C" or above in all courses taken within the concentration. For further information contact the School of Humanities.

18 credits are required for the concentration to be distributed as follows:

Required of all students completing the Native Studies/Navajo Studies concentration:

				Credit Hours	Grade
___ SWST	290	Capstone Project in Southwest Studies		2	___
Social and Behavioral Science, minimum of 3 credits:					
___ ANTH	111	Navajo Culture (offered in collaboration with Diné College, NIS 111)		3	___
___ ANTH	215	Native Peoples of North America		3	___
___ ANTH	254	Contemporary Cultures of the Four Corners		3	___
___ ANTH	255	Ancient People of the Southwest		3	___
___ SOCI	230	The Contemporary Native American (Cross-listed as TGOV 210)		3	___
Science, minimum of 3 credits:					
___ BIOL	237	Ethnobotany		4	___
___ GEOL	115	Geology of the Four Corners		4	___
Humanities and Fine Arts, minimum of 3 credits:					
___ ENGL	230	Southwest Literature		3	___
___ ENGL	245	Native American Literature		3	___
___ HIST	260	New Mexico History		3	___
___ HIST	270	Native American History		3	___
___ HIST	272	Navajo History (offered in collaboration with Diné College, NIS 221)		3	___
Language, minimum of 4 credits:					
___ NAVA	111	Elementary Navajo I		4	___
___ NAVA	112	Elementary Navajo II		4	___
___ SPAN	111	Elementary Spanish I		4	___
___ SPAN	112	Elementary Spanish II		4	___

Total credits required for concentration 18

(one course from each content areas, plus additional credits of choice, for a minimum of 18 credits)