

# WORLD LANGUAGES

## Program Description

Spanish, a transfer program, is an academic discipline necessary to keep pace with our globally interconnected world. In this age, where borders have been erased by digital media and fast-paced electronic interaction is the norm, Spanish provides skills sought after in many fields: Business, Medicine, Law, Science, Economics, Politics, Public Service, and more. More than ever, the Spanish language is a major piece of the foundation for academic and career success. The Spanish program empowers the individual through a structured and progressive study; from basic to advance skills in writing, reading, grammar, oral communication, Spanish culture, and history. The study of Spanish expands linguistic skills while enhancing intellectual growth, cultural literacy, and critical thinking.

## Transfer Preparation

MSJC offers a wide range of course work that prepares students for the workforce or for transfer to four-year colleges and universities. All four-year institutions prescribe their own standards for course evaluation and admissions. Courses that fulfill major requirements for an associate degree in a program at MSJC might not be the same as those required for transfer into a similar major at a four-year university. Please meet with a Counselor to confirm transfer requirements.

Transfer students are advised to do research on prospective majors and careers. The MSJC Transfer Center and MSJC catalog can be helpful tools. Students interested in transferring to CSU's or UC's can access major preparation by visiting ASSIST (<http://www.assist.org>). All students are advised to meet with a counselor at least once a semester to create or update their comprehensive education plan.

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## Degrees/Certificates

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#### Transfer Degrees

- Spanish, A.A.-T (<https://catalog.msjc.edu/instructional-programs/world-languages/world-languages-a.a.-t-in-spanish/>)

## Program Learning Outcomes

- Communicate a target language and be understood by native speakers.
- Listen and comprehend spoken target language.
- Read and comprehend written articles and assignments.
- Use critical thinking skills to create and compose simple conversation and academic research papers.

## Careers and Salaries

Discover in-demand careers and education options based on your interests! See the list of careers below or explore further by searching for **Careers or Programs** (<https://msjc.emsicc.com>).

Note: There are no guaranteed positions for students completing these programs. Education and work experience required will vary by employer. The salary and benefits for specific occupations will be dependent on work experience, education, background, and employer. Labor market statistics are from the Bureau of Labor Statistics, US Census Bureau, O-NET, EMSI.

Career/Industries	CA Annual Median Salary or Range	Employment Demand or Opening CA
Interpretation/ Translation (SC, B, M)	\$70,305	1,035
Secondary School Teacher (B)	\$92,850	3,824
Social and Human Service Assistants (A, B, M)	\$44,852	4,451

(degree required: SM some college, C: Certificate, A: Associate degree, B: Bachelor's degree, M: Master's degree, D: Doctorate)