

# PROGRAMS A-Z

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## Academic Programs

### Associate Degree Programs

NMSU awards both designated and undesignated associate degrees following completion of at least 60 semester credits (excluding "N" suffix courses). Please see the NMSU System Academic Regulations & Policies (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/nmsu/regulations-policies/#academicprogramsofstudyttext>) section of the catalog for specific information about Associate Degree Program graduation requirements. (Service personnel enrolled under the two-year Servicemembers Opportunity College Program may be exempt from this requirement.)

The designation Meritorious Graduate is awarded to the top 15 percent of the students receiving associate degrees within each college in any one academic year; the students must have completed 45 or more credits with computable grades at NMSU.

### Las Cruces Campus

Detailed information on admission requirements, curricula, and associate degree or certificate requirements will be found in the section of this catalog devoted to the administering department/college.

- **Associate of Arts**  
Administered by the Community Colleges
- **Associate of Fine Arts**  
Administered by the Community Colleges
- **Associate of Science**  
Administered by the Community Colleges
- **Associate of Science in Engineering Technology**  
Administered by the College of Engineering

### Designated Associate Degrees

The following designated associate degrees are granted to students completing the specified requirements of the degree.

- **Associate in Art and Graphic Design**  
Administered by the Community Colleges
- **Associate in Criminal Justice**  
Administered by the Community Colleges
- **Associate in Education**  
Administered by the Community Colleges
- **Associate in Pre-business**  
Administered by the College of Business
- **Associate of Arts in Heritage Interpretation**  
Administered by the Community Colleges

### Community Colleges

Many of the associate degrees offered on Las Cruces campus, as well as other programs, are available at NMSU's three community college campuses. For more information on community college campus offerings, refer to the "Community Colleges (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/nmsu/nmsu-community-colleges/>)" chapter in this catalog and to their respective catalogs or admissions offices.

Please see the Community College Catalogs for more information about the Associate Degree Programs.

- Alamogordo Catalog (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/alamogordo/>)
- Dona Ana Catalog (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/dona-ana/>)
- Grants Catalog (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/grants/>)

### Undergraduate Programs

For a full listing of all Undergraduate Programs offered at New Mexico State University, please see the Undergraduate Admissions webpage <http://admissions.nmsu.edu/academics/>.

### Graduate Degree Programs

For a full listing of the Graduate Programs offered at New Mexico State University, please see the Graduate Admissions webpage (<https://gradschool.nmsu.edu/future-students/>)

### Academic Minors

Students seeking a degree may elect to complete one or more minors from those available, and the minor will be designated on their transcripts. Minors cannot be earned after the degree has been conferred. The minor may be in a single department or may be interdepartmental. Specific requirements for these minors are available in printed form in departmental and deans' offices. See the College sections for a each Colleges complete list of the minors they offer.