

HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM (LODGING & TOURISM) - ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE

Doña Ana Community College 2026-2027 Catalog (61-62 credits)

NOTE: Students must earn a final grade of C- or better in all required Professional Requirements, Major Requirements, and Concentration courses and achieve a cumulative grade-point average of at least 2.0.

A grade of C- or better is required in ENGL 1110G Composition I and designated Mathematics courses.

Students must complete all University degree requirements, which include: General Education requirements and program-specific credits to total at least 61-62 credits. Developmental coursework will not count towards the degree requirements and/or elective credits but may be needed in order to take the necessary English and Mathematics coursework.

Prefix	Title	Credits
General Education		
<i>Select one course from four of the following six content areas for a total of 12-14 credits</i> ^{1,2}		12-14
This degree requires courses from Areas I, II, IV, and V; students need to take ONE ADDITIONAL course to complete the General Education requirements.		
Area I: Communications		
ENGL 1110G	Composition I (or ENGL 2110G; grade of C- or better required) ³	
Area II: Mathematics		
MATH 1130G	Survey of Mathematics (or higher MATH; grade of C- or better required) ^{3,4}	
Area IV: Social/Behavioral Sciences		
ECON 1110G	Survey of Economics (or higher ECON)	
Area V: Humanities		
PHIL 1115G	Introduction to Philosophy (or other AREA V course)	
<i>General Education Elective</i> ²		3-4
Core Requirements (3 credits)		
BUSA 2230G	Human Relations in Business	3
Related/Professional Requirements (15 Credits)		
BMGT 201	Work Readiness and Preparation	3
BLAW 2110	Business Law I	3
ACCT 1115 or ACCT 2110	Accounting Principles I Principles of Accounting I	3
BCIS 1110	Introduction to Information Systems	3
Major Requirements (15 Credits)		
HOST 201	Introduction to Hospitality Industry	3
HOST 203	Hospitality Operations Cost Control	3
HOST 208	Hospitality Supervision	3
HOST 219	Safety, Security and Sanitation in Hospitality Operations	3
HOST 221 or BMGT 221	Internship I (restricted to HOST majors) Internship I	3

Concentration Coursework (15 Credits)	
Select 15 credits from the following: ⁴	
HOST 202	Front Office Operations
HOST 204	Promotion of Hospitality Services
HOST 205	Housekeeping, Maintenance, and Security
HOST 206	Travel and Tourism Operations
HOST 216	Event, Conference and Convention Operations
HOST 239	Introduction to Hotel Management
Total Credits	61-62

¹ Each course selected must be from a different area and students cannot take multiple courses in the same area.

² See the General Education (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/dona-ana/general-education-and-transfer-options/transfer-new-mexico-institutions/>) section of the catalog for a full list of courses.

³ Courses are identical to those offered at New Mexico State University Las Cruces (main) Campus.

⁴ Work with your Faculty Advisor to select Concentration courses that meet your career goals.