

# What Can I Do with a Major in **HUMANITIES**?

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The humanities can be described as the study of how people process and document the human experience. Since humans have been able, we have used philosophy, literature, religion, art, music, history and language to understand and record our world. These modes of expression have become some of the subjects that traditionally fall under the humanities umbrella. Knowledge of these records of human experience gives us the opportunity to feel a sense of connection to those who have come before us, as well as to our contemporaries.

## **Typical Coursework**

Art and Music History

Classics

Computers, Technology, and Society

English Literature

Humanities

Philosophy and Religion

Social Science

Biology and Ethics

Communication

Critical Theory

History of the Western World

Languages

Political Science

Technology and Society

## **Related Major Skills**

Research

Global Understanding

Problem Solving

Writing

Cultural Sensitivity

Persuasion

Independent Learning

Historical Understanding

Question Formulation

Speaking

Interdisciplinary Skills

Aesthetic Understanding

Adaptability

Linguistic Skills

## **Related Occupations- some may require advanced education**

Anthropologist

Broadcaster (Radio/TV)

Business Manager

Community/Organizational Worker

College/University Faculty Counselor

Critic (print/media/radio)

Editor/Publisher

Government Services Rep.

Human Resource Director

Fundraising Director

Intl. Relations Spec. Journalist

Lawyer

Librarian

Lobbyist

Novelist

Paralegal

Physician

Public Administrator

Public Relations Spec.

Reporter

Researcher

Special Agent/FBI

Teacher

Translator/Interpreter

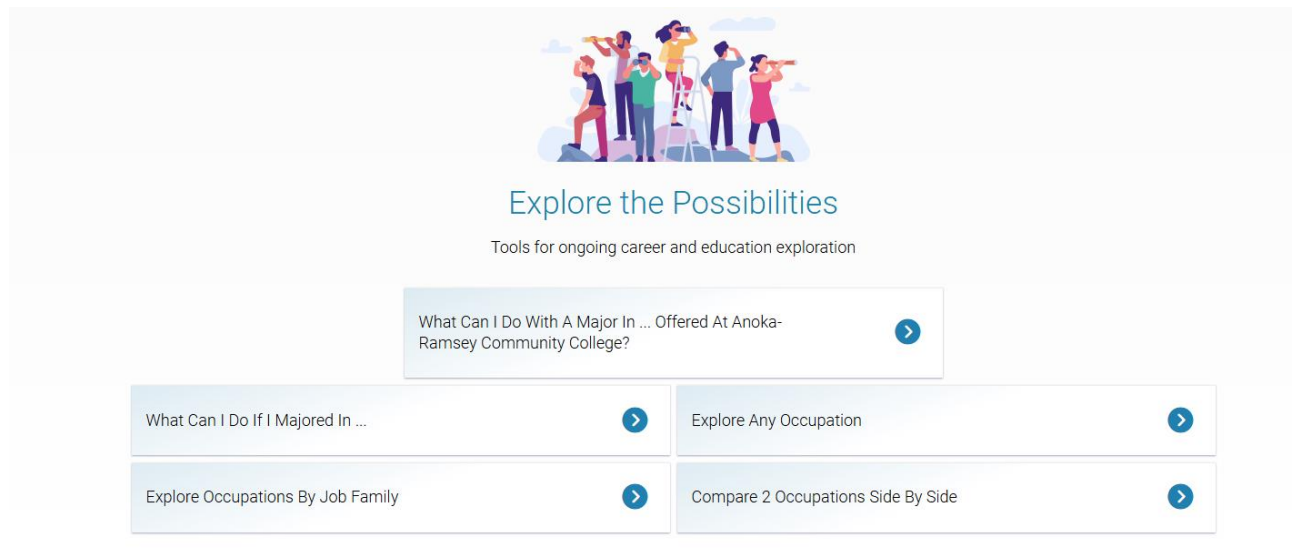
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## **Who Hires for this Occupation?**

Advertising Agencies, Non-Profit Organizations, Consulting Firms, Media, Colleges & Universities, State & Federal Government, Religious Associations, Business & Industry, Newspapers & Magazines, Government, Political Parties, Hospitals, & Publishing Companies

## **Focus2**

Visit [FOCUS2](#) (use ARCC credentials to sign-in) for more information regarding related occupations and average salaries and explore other related majors. You can also take assessments to match your skills, interests, and values to potential careers and majors.



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## **MN Colleges & Universities with a major in HUMANITIES**

Bemidji State University  
College of Saint Benedict  
College of Saint Scholastica  
Concordia College

Minnesota State University, Mankato  
Minnesota State, Moorhead  
Saint John's University  
Saint Mary's  
University of Minnesota

Anoka-Ramsey Community College offers an [Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts and Sciences Degree](#) with general education courses that typically transfer as all or part of the first two years of a baccalaureate degree.

Search for majors and colleges at [Minnesota State System Colleges and University](#).

## **Professional Association**

[National Humanities Alliance](#)

## **For More Information**

Contact ARCC Counseling (Coon Rapids and Cambridge) at (763) 433-1100 or stop by the campus Information Desk

*Information adapted from:*

[Minnesota Career Information System](#)

[Occupational Outlook Handbook](#)

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[Career Center at the University of North Carolina at Wilmington](#)