

- Completion of **Cal-GETC** will permit a student to transfer from a community college to a campus in either the University of California (UC) or the California State University (CSU) without the need, after transfer, to take additional lower division general education courses.
- A minimum of 60 UC/CSU transferable units is generally required for transfer. For other transfer requirements, please see a counselor.
- Cal-GETC may not be recommended for some majors.
- Completion of **ALL** areas (i.e., full certification) is required for AA-T or AS-T degrees. CSU campuses only accept full certification.
- All courses must be completed with a **grade of “C” or better**.
- **Note:** Students with catalog rights prior to 2025-2026 may wish to use a different transfer GE pattern. Speak with a counselor for guidance.

AREA 1 - ENGLISH COMMUNICATION	N	IP	C
<i>3 courses (9 semester or 12 quarter units) - One course from each: 1A, 1B, and 1C</i>			
A. English Composition – 1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units) English (ENGL) C1000, C1000E English for Multilingual Students (EMLS) 180 Course from other college: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____			
B. Critical Thinking and Composition – 1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units) Communication Studies (COMM) 103 English (ENGL) C1001, C1003 Philosophy (PHIL) 103 Psychology (PSYC) 103 Reading (READ) 103 Course from other college: _____ College: _____			
C. Oral Communication – 1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units) Communication Studies (COMM) C1000, 100 Course from other college: _____ College: _____			
AREA 2 - MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING	N	IP	C
<i>1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units)</i>			
Business (BA) ^{CL} 130+ Economics (ECON) 210+ Mathematics (MATH) 114+, 114S+, 115, 116+, ^{CL} 130+, 155S+, 155+, 160+, 170+, 190, 225, 250 Statistics (STAT) C1000+, C1000E+ Psychology (PSYC) 210+ Course from other college: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____			
AREA 3 - ARTS AND HUMANITIES	N	IP	C
<i>2 courses (6 semester or 8 quarter units) - One course from each: 3A and 3B</i>			
A. Arts – 1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units) Architecture (ARCH) 112 Art (ART) 100, 102, 103, 104, 105A, 105B, 106, 107, * ^{CL} 108, * ^{CL} 109, 110A, 113, ^{CL} 118, 123, ^{CL} 126, 127, 193A Art History (ARTH) C1100 Dance (DANC) 100, 101 Film (FILM) 159 Humanities (HUM) * ^{CL} 108, * ^{CL} 109 Music (MUS) 100, 101, 104B, 105, 180 Photography (PHOT) 160 Theatre Arts (TH) 101, 102, 103, 104, 150 Women’s and Gender Studies (WGS) ^{CL} 118 Woodworking Manufacturing Technology (WMT) ^{CL} 126 Course from other college: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____			
B. Humanities – 1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units) Africana Studies (AFRS) 111, 222, 230 American Sign Language (ASL) 111, *220 Art (ART) * ^{CL} 108, * ^{CL} 109, 124, ^{CL} 125, ^{CL} 207 Chinese (CHIN) 201, 202, 260 Education (EDEL) ^{CL} 215 English (ENGL) C1002, 106, 221A, 221B, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 230A, 230B, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 239, 245, 246A, 246B, 248A, 248B, 249, 257 French (FREN) 201, 202, 281, 282, 283, ^{CL} 285 German (GERM) 102, 201, 202 History (HIST) *C1001, *C1002+, *101, *110, *120, *210+, *230, *235, *241, *242, *245, *246, *250, *255, *260, *265, *275 Humanities (HUM) 102, * ^{CL} 108, * ^{CL} 109, ^{CL} 125 Japanese (JAPN) 102 Philosophy (PHIL) 100, 102, 104, 105, 107, 108, ^{CL} 109, 130, 140, 200, 201, 203, 204, 205, 206, ^{CL} 215 Photography (PHOT) 150 Political Science (POLS) *240 Spanish (SPAN) 102+, 112+, 201, 202, 210, 245, 260, ^{CL} 285 Visual and Cultural Studies (VCS) 100 Women’s and Gender Studies (WGS) 102, ^{CL} 109, ^{CL} 207 Course from other college: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____			

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AREA 4 - SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES	N	IP	C
<p>2 courses (6 semester or 8 quarter units) from two academic disciplines or in an interdisciplinary sequence</p> <p>Africana Studies (AFRS) *100, 101, 103, 104, 106, 107, *108, 113, 220 American Sign Language (ASL) *220 Anthropology (ANTH) 100, 120, 170, 200, 202, 203, ^{CL}205, 206 Chicano Studies (CS) 100, 101, ^{CL}108 Child Development (CDEV) C1000 Communication Studies (COMM) 110, ^{CL}115 Economics (ECON) C2001, C2002, 101, ^{CL}102, Education (EDEL) 210 Environmental Policy (ENVS) 200 Ethnic Studies (ETHN) *^{CL}105, *^{CL}135, *^{CL}210, ^{CL}262, ^{CL}280, *^{CL}281, *^{CL}282 Geography (GEOG) 102, 105, *^{CL}135, 140 History (HIST) *C1001, *C1002+, *101, ^{CL}108, *110, *120, ^{CL}204, *210+, *230, *235, *241, *242, *245, *246, *250, *255, *260, *265, *275 Kinesiology (KIN) ^{CL}108 Native American and Indigenous Studies (NAIS) 100, 101, 110, 201 Political Science (POLS) C1000+, 201+, 210, 220, 230, *240, 250, 255, ^{CL}280, *^{CL}281, *^{CL}282 Psychology (PSYC) C1000, 150, 251, 261, ^{CL}262, 265+, 271, 275 Sociology (SOCI/SOC) C1000, 110, 120, 201, ^{CL}202+, 205, *^{CL}210, 215 Women's and Gender Studies (WGS) 101, *^{CL}105, 107, ^{CL}108, ^{CL}115, 140, ^{CL}202+, ^{CL}204, ^{CL}205, ^{CL}206, 209, 250 Course from other college: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____</p>			

AREA 5 - PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES	N	IP	C
<p>2 courses (7 semester or 9 quarter units) - One course from each: 5A and 5B. One of the two courses must include a laboratory</p> <p>A. Physical Science – 1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units) Astronomy (ASTR) 102+, 103+, 104, 105L (lab), 106 Chemistry (CHEM) 100+ (lab), 101, 101L (lab), 110+ (lab), 111 (lab), 112 (lab) Earth Science (ESCI) 104, 104L (lab), 106, 106L (lab), 110+ (lab) Geography (GEOG) 101, 101L (lab), 103, 115 (lab) Geology (GEOL) 101 (lab), 102, 102L (lab), 103, 103L (lab), 104 (lab), 106, 201 (lab), 207 (lab), 208, 209 Physical Science (PS) 100+ Physics (PHYS) 100+ (lab), 101+ (lab), 102+ (lab), 201+ (lab), 202+ (lab), 203+ (lab) Course from other college: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____</p> <p>B. Biological Science – 1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units) Anatomy and Physiology (A&P) 120+ (lab), 150+ (lab), 151+ (lab), 200+ (lab), 201+ (lab) Anthropology (ANTH) 115, 115L (lab) Biology (BIOL) 105, 115 (LAB; 3-unit course), 120+ (lab), 200 (lab), 201 (lab), 202 Biotechnology (BTEC) 120 (lab) Botany (BOT) 120 (lab) Microbiology (MICR) 200 (lab) Psychology (PSYC) 241 Zoology (ZOO) 120 (lab) Course from other college: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____</p> <p>C. Laboratory – (1 semester or 1 quarter unit) At least one of the two science courses from 5A or 5B above must be associated with a lab. Courses identified as "LAB" above meet this requirement. Course from other college: _____ College: _____</p>			

AREA 6 - ETHNIC STUDIES	N	IP	C
<p>1 course (3 semester or 4 quarter units) in ethnic studies or similar field provided that the course is cross-listed with ethnic studies</p> <p>Africana Studies (AFRS) *100, *108 Asian American Studies (ASAM) 100 Chicano Studies (CS) 100 Ethnic Studies (ETHN) *^{CL}105, *^{CL}135, *^{CL}210, *^{CL}281, *^{CL}282 Geography (GEOG) *^{CL}135 Political Science (POLS) *^{CL}281, *^{CL}282 Sociology (SOC) *^{CL}210 Women's and Gender Studies (WGS) *^{CL}105 Course from other college: _____ College: _____</p>			

OPTIONAL CSU Graduation Requirement (Not part of CAL-GETC): United States History, Constitution and American Ideals

The CSU has an American Institutions requirement that is separate from general education. Courses used to meet this requirement may be also used to satisfy requirements for Cal-GETC, depending on the receiving CSU campus's policy. It is recommended that this requirement be met prior to transfer. The following will meet the CSU American Institutions requirements: 6 units, one course from Group 1 and one course from Group 2:

Group 1

Chicano Studies (CS) ^{CL}108; History (HIST) 101, *C1001, *C1002+, ^{CL}108

Course: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____

Course: _____ College: _____ AP exam: _____

Group 2

Political Science (POLS) C1000+, 201+

UC-bound students should be aware of American history and institution requirements vary by campus. See a counselor for details.

OPTIONAL UC Graduation Requirement (Not part of CAL-GETC): Language Other Than English

Some UC campuses or programs have a LOTE requirement: <https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/uc-graduation-requirements/>

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