

CERRITOS COLLEGE

CHEMISTRY (AS-T)

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE DEGREE IN CHEMISTRY FOR TRANSFER

Upon completion of the Associate in Science in Chemistry for Transfer degree, students will have gained an understanding of the fundamental principles of chemistry and of the scientific process and will be able to demonstrate the analytical, critical thinking, and communication skills needed for continuing academic achievement and professional success. This Associate in Science Degree for Transfer in Chemistry is for seamless transfer to a CSU.

REQUIRED COURSES:

Course Number	Course Name	UNITS
CHEM 111	General Chemistry	5
CHEM 112	General Chemistry	5
CHEM 211	Organic Chemistry	5
CHEM 212	Organic Chemistry	5
MATH 170	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	4
MATH 190	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	4
PHYS 201	Engineering Physics	4
PHYS 202	Engineering Physics	4
Total Units:		36

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE IN CHEMISTRY FOR TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS:

1. Completion of 60 CSU-transferable semester units.
2. Achievement of a minimum GPA of at least 2.0 in all CSU-transferable coursework. (Some majors may require a higher GPA. Students should consult with a counselor for more information.)
3. Completion of the major with a grade of "C" or better in each course or a "P" if the course was taken on a Pass/No Pass basis and the "P" is equal to a "C" or better.
4. Completion of the California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC).

Note: The CSU GE (California State University General Education-Breadth) or IGETC (Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum) pattern may be used in some cases; please see a counselor for details.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:

After transfer to a four-year college or university and completion of the bachelor's degree program, graduates qualify for graduate study and for professional careers in government, education, and private industry, including agrochemistry, analytical chemistry, astrochemistry, atmospheric chemistry, biochemistry, biomedical technology, biotechnology, catalysis, ceramics industry, chemical engineering, chemical information, chemical sales, chemical technology, chemistry, colloid science, consulting, consumer product research and development,

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