



PLAN B

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION CERTIFICATION AA DEGREE REQUIREMENTS 2019-2020

Cerritos College
Counseling

- PLAN B is designed primarily for students who intend to transfer to the California State University (CSU). A student may use PLAN B to combine fulfillment of the Associate in Arts general education requirements and the CSU General Education Certification pattern, which is acceptable for the lower division general education requirements for a bachelor's degree at all campuses of the CSU. To complete an A.A. using PLAN B, students must also meet the Health & Wellness Proficiency requirement, specific coursework toward a major, and electives as needed to complete a minimum of 60 degree applicable units with a 2.0 GPA.
- If a student wishes only to transfer and is not seeking an A.A. degree, there are no proficiencies required for CSU General Education (GE) certification. A minimum of 60 CSU transferable units is required for transfer. For other transfer requirement, please see a counselor.
- A maximum of **39 units** of lower division general education may be certified with the units to be distributed as follows: 9 units in Area A; 9 units in Areas B, C, and D, with no more than 30 units in Areas B through D combined; and 3 units in Area E. For students who have completed the course requirements specified, Cerritos College will send official certification of CSU general education completion upon written request through the Admissions and Records office.
- Completion of this pattern is not a requirement for transfer to CSU, nor is it the only way to fulfill the lower division requirements of the CSU. Depending on a student's major field of interest, the student may find it advantageous to take courses fulfilling the general education requirements of the CSU campus to which the student plans to transfer.
- Courses in Area A1 (Oral Communication), A2 (Written Communication), A3 (Critical Thinking), and B3 (Mathematical Concepts) require a grade of C or better
- Courses asterisked, although listed in more than one category, may be used to satisfy only one category.
- Courses marked with a CL are cross-listed with another course. See individual cross-listed course descriptions in the Cerritos College catalog. Cross-listed courses may only receive credit once.
- Courses must have been considered applicable to CSU GE when they were completed. Some courses in previous years for CSU GE certification have been deleted; others have been added. See www.assist.org for effective dates. Students do not have catalog rights to a certification pattern, regardless of their continuous attendance status.
- Courses in **BOLD** and UNDERLINED have no prerequisites but may have course recommendations. Please refer to the catalog for course recommendations.

Courses	Needed	In Progress	Completed
AREA A COMMUNICATIONS: 9 units minimum <i>1 course from each category below</i>			
1) ORAL COMMUNICATION			
Communication Studies 100, 120, <u>125</u> , 130, 132			
2) WRITTEN COMMUNICATION			
English 100, 100S			
3) CRITICAL THINKING			
Communication Studies 103			
English 103, 110			
Philosophy 103, 106			
Psychology 103			
Reading 200			
AREA B NATURAL SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS: 9 units minimum <i>1 course from each category below; at least 1 lab (LAB) must be included in category 1 or 2</i>			
1) PHYSICAL SCIENCES			
Astronomy <u>102</u> , <u>103</u> , <u>104</u> , 105L (LAB), <u>106</u>			
Chemistry 100 (LAB), 110 (LAB), 111 (LAB), 112 (LAB)			
Earth Science <u>101</u> , 102 (LAB), <u>104</u> , 104L (LAB), <u>106</u> , <u>110 (LAB)</u>			
Energy <u>100</u>			
Geography <u>101</u> , 101L (LAB), <u>103</u>			
Geology 101 (LAB), <u>102</u> , 102L (LAB), <u>103</u> , 103L (LAB) <u>201 (LAB)</u> , <u>204</u> , <u>207 (LAB)</u> , <u>208</u> , 209			
Physical Science 100, 112 (not considered a LAB science for CSU GE)			
Physics 100 (LAB), 101 (LAB), 102 (LAB), 201 (LAB), 202 (LAB), 203 (LAB)			
2) BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES			
Anatomy and Physiology 120 (LAB), 150 (LAB), 151 (LAB), 200 (LAB), 201 (LAB)			
Anthropology <u>115</u> , 115L (LAB)			
Biology <u>105</u> , 110 (LAB), <u>115 (LAB)</u> , 120 (LAB), 200 (LAB), 201 (LAB), 202			
Botany 120 (LAB)			
Microbiology 200 (LAB)			
Psychology 241			
Zoology 120 (LAB)			
3) MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS			
+Finance 125M			
Mathematics 110A, 110B, 112, 114, 115, 116, 140, 155, 160, 170, 190, 225, 250			
Psychology 210			
+May not be used to meet math proficiency for any regular (non-AAT/ AST) degree. Please see a counselor for more information			

Courses	Needed	In Progress	Completed
AREA C FINE ARTS AND HUMANITIES: 9 units minimum <i>3 courses with at least one from category 1 and at least one from category 2</i> 1) FINE ARTS Architecture <u>112</u> Art <u>100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105A, 105B, 106, 107, *^{CL}108, *^{CL}109, 110, 113, 116, ^{CL}118, 120, 130A, 150, 193</u> Dance <u>100, 101</u> Film <u>159</u> Humanities * ^{CL} 108, * ^{CL} 109 Music <u>100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 104B, 105, 180</u> Photography <u>100, 160</u> RTV/TH <u>151, RTV 152</u> Theatre <u>101, 102, 103, 104, 150</u> Women's and Gender Studies ^{CL} 118 2) HUMANITIES American Sign Language <u>110, 111, 210, 211, *220</u> Art * ^{CL} 108, * ^{CL} 109, <u>124, ^{CL}125, ^{CL}207</u> Chinese <u>101, 102, 201, 202, 260</u> Communication Studies 140 English 102, <u>106, 221A, 221B, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 230A, 230B, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 245, 246A, 246B, 248A, 248B, 249</u> French <u>101, 102, 201, 202, 203, 281, 282, 283, ^{CL}285</u> German <u>101, 102, 201, 202</u> History*101, *102, *103, * <u>110, *120, *210, *220, *221, *230, *235, *241, *242, *245, *246, *250, *255, *260, *265, *275</u> Humanities <u>100, *^{CL}108, *^{CL}109, ^{CL}125</u> Japanese <u>101, 102, 201, 202</u> Philosophy 100, 102, 104, 105, 107, 108, ^{CL} 109, 130, 140, <u>200, 201, 203, 204, 205, 206</u> Photography <u>150</u> Political Science * <u>240</u> Spanish <u>101, 102, 111, 112, 201, 202, 205, 206, 210, 245, 260, ^{CL}285</u> Women's and Gender Studies <u>102, ^{CL}109, ^{CL}207</u>			
AREA D SOCIAL SCIENCES: 9 units minimum <i>1 course from each category below</i> 1) AMERICAN HISTORY History*101,*102, *103 2) AMERICAN GOVERNMENT Political Science <u>101, 201</u> 3) SOCIAL, POLITICAL, HISTORICAL AND ECONOMIC INSTITUTIONS Administration of Justice <u>101</u> American Sign Language * <u>220</u> Anthropology 100, 120, <u>170, 200, 201, 202, 203, *^{CL}205, 206</u> Child Development * <u>110</u> Communication Studies 110, ^{CL} 115 Economics <u>101, ^{CL}102, 201, 201M, 202, 202M, 204</u> Environmental Policy <u>200</u> Geography <u>102, 105, 140</u> History * <u>110, *120, ^{CL}204, *210, *220, *221, *230, *235, *241, *242, *245, *246, *250, *255, *260, *265, *275</u> Humanities ^{CL} 107 Journalism <u>100</u> Kinesiology * ^{CL} 108, <u>211</u> Political Science <u>110, 210, 220, 230, *240, 250, 260</u> Psychology <u>101, *150, 251, 261, 265, 271</u> Sociology <u>101, *110, *120, 201, ^{CL}202, 205, 210, 215, 230, 250</u> Women's and Gender Studies <u>101, 105, ^{CL}107, *^{CL}108, ^{CL}115, ^{CL}202, ^{CL}204, *^{CL}205, ^{CL}206, 209, 250</u>			
AREA E SELF DEVELOPMENT: 3 units minimum; <i>1 course from the following</i> Anthropology * ^{CL} 205 Child Development * <u>110</u> Counseling <u>200</u> Health Education <u>100, 101, ^{CL}103, 105</u> Health Occupations <u>152</u> Kinesiology <u>104, *^{CL}108</u> Psychology * <u>150, 245</u> Reading 101 Sociology * <u>110, *120</u> Women's and Gender Studies ^{CL} 103, * ^{CL} 108, * ^{CL} 205			

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE ONLY:

- HEALTH & WELLNESS PROFICIENCY
 - Complete at least 1 unit of a course from college approved list
(See list in schedule of classes, Plan A or the Cerritos College General Catalog, Plan A)
 - Complete HED 100, 101, 103, 105 or 200; HO 100 or 152; CDEC 161, or WGS103
 - Complete an Allied Health program (DA, DH, RN, PTA, Pharm Tech, MA)

- For other options, see your counselor
- MAJOR: complete all requirements for the chosen major under "Major Requirements" in General Catalog
- 60 DEGREE APPLICABLE UNITS
- 2.0 GRADE POINT AVERAGE