COMMON LOWER DIVISION MAJOR PREPARATION FOR CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY

SOC 101 Introductory Sociology Principles 3
*MATH 112 Elementary Statistics 4
or PSYC 210 Elementary Statistics (4)

ADDITIONAL LOWER DIVISION MAJOR PREPARATION FOR SPECIFIC TRANSFER INSTITUTIONS

California State University – Dominguez Hills
No other requirements other than the common lower-division preparation.

California State University – Fullerton
A total of 9 units of Lower-Division Sociology course work may be transferred.

All courses counting toward the major must be taken for a letter grade.

California State University – Los Angeles
No other requirement other than the common lower division preparation.

California State University – Long Beach
This CSULB major has “major-specific admission requirements” which means that CSULB will require the specified courses to be completed for admission if a student is not completing an AAT or AST in the major. These criteria apply for Spring, 2018 admission consideration only; admission criteria are subject to change for future admission cycles. In addition, other admission criteria may apply. See your counselor for details. Here is the link: http://web.csulb.edu/depts/enrollment/admissions/transfer-major-criteria/index.html.

SOC 201 Social Problems 3

A grade of “C” or better is required for lower division major requirements.

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UC Transfer Pathways
If you’re starting out at a California community college and know which major you want to study but haven’t decided which UC campuses to apply to, you can follow the UC Transfer Pathways to keep your options open as you prepare for your major. These Pathways provide a single set of courses you can take to prepare for your major on any of the nine UC
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undergraduate campuses. The pathways guide students who want to make themselves competitive across the UC system; some UC campuses may want fewer courses for admission, but none will expect more. Here is the link:

SOC 101 Introductory Sociology Principles 3
SOC 201 Social Problems 3
MATH 112 Elementary Statistics 4

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University of California – Irvine
MATH 170 Analytic Geometry and Calculus I 4

Two courses from:
SOC 110 Marriage and the Family 3
SOC 210 American Minority Relations 3
PSYC 261 Social Psychology 3

Two additional Social Science courses are required.
Approved lists of courses are available at www.assist.org.

University of California – Los Angeles
This is a highly selective major

The Sociology Department at UCLA requires you complete all major preparation courses available at Cerritos by the spring prior to fall transfer. All courses must be taken for a letter grade with a minimum grade of “C”. After transfer to UCLA, students may not change their major to Sociology if they were originally admitted to another major. Students who repeat any preparation course more than once are automatically denied admission to the major. Transfer students must be admitted as Pre-Sociology majors in order to major in sociology.

University of California – Riverside
SOC 205 Introduction to Social Research Methods 3

In addition, complete one additional UC transferable lower division Sociology courses. Any UC transferable Sociology course is acceptable. All five courses in the major must be completed with a grade of “C” or better.

*MATH 112 or PSYC 210 listed as a common lower division major preparation course is not articulated to meet the requirement for UCR’s SOC 5.

See www.assist.org for lower division preparation requirements for the Sociology/Administrative Studies and Sociology/Law and Society majors.
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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:
Employment opportunities for those holding the B.A. will be somewhat limited, although placement in Departments of Public Welfare and Probation and Parole are occasionally available. Persons with graduate degrees – M.A., Ph.D. – will qualify for teaching and research positions.

See State University General Education List.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:
The requirements listed for major are subject to change without notice. It is the student’s responsibility to check for the most recent information with a Cerritos College counselor or by consulting ASSIST at www.assist.org.

NOTE: Courses listed may require prerequisite coursework.
ASSIST

How to use ASSIST to find your major preparation for CSU/UC:

1. **Log on:** [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org)
2. **Select an Institution:** select “Cerritos College” or other community college from pull-down menu
3. **Select:** “Type of Transfer Institution” such as “UC Los Angeles”
4. **Select a major from pull-down menu**
   Report will show the university courses on the left and comparable community college classes on the right.
5. **PRINT:**-print by clicking on gold “PRINT THIS REPORT” button on top.
   Then use the ASSIST screen menu on the top toolbar or click on the printer icon that will appear at the bottom of the page.

How to use ASSIST to explore the majors available at University of California and California State University campuses

- Click on “EXPLORE MAJORS”

How to use ASSIST to figure out whether courses from the community college are transferable to the CSU/UC.

- Select the community college of interest (Cerritos College)
- Select either CSU transferable courses or UC Transferable courses
- Select a department for the courses in question

*USC Articulation available at: [www.usc.edu/articulation](http://www.usc.edu/articulation) and Select: “TRANSFER PLANNING GUIDE.”*

**IMPORTANT:**
Students are advised to contact a Cerritos College counselor for more information & for details regarding other transfer agreements & options not available on ASSIST. Students can stop by the counseling desk to make an appointment or call (562) 467-5231.