

California State University General Education (GE) Breadth Requirements Los Angeles City College 2016 - 2017 (Effective Fall 2016)

N = NEED IP = IN PROGRESS C = COMPLETED

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AREA A: ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMMUNICATION AND CRITICAL THINKING

Select at least **1 course** from each Group below. Must be completed with a grade of C or better.

9 units min

A1: Oral Communication **Communication Studies** 101, 102, 121

A2: Written Communication **English** 101

A3: Critical Thinking **Communication Studies** 104 **English** 102, 103 **Philosophy** 5, 6, 8, 9
Psychology 66

AREA B: SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING

Select at least **1 course** from each Group listed below.

9 units min

B1: Physical Science

Astronomy 1, 5, 11
Chemistry 60, 101, 102, 211, 212, 221
Earth Science 1
Geography 1, 15
Geology 1, 2, 6
Oceanography 1
Physics 6, 7, 11, 12, 14, 21, 22, 101, 102, 103

B2: Life Science

Anatomy 1
Anthropology 101
Biology 3, 6, 7, 25
Microbiology 1, 20
Physiology 1
Psychology 2

B3: Laboratory Activity

At least one of the courses selected from group B1 or B2 must include a lab.

Lab courses are indicated by an underline.

The chosen lab must be associated with the lecture course.

B4: Mathematics/ Quantitative Reasoning

Select 1 course; must be completed with a grade of C or better.

Mathematics 215, 216, 227, 230, 236, 240, 245, 260, 261, 262, 263, 270, 272, 275

AREA C: ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Select **3 courses** from below, **1 course** from Arts, **1 course** from Humanities & **1** from either area

9 units min

C1: Arts Select at least **1 course** from below

African American Studies 60
Art 201, 209, 501
Art History 103, 110, 120, 130, 139, 140, 151, 171
Cinema 3, 4
Dance Studies 805
Music 101, 111, 121, 122, 135, 200
Photography 10, 34
Theater 100, 110, 338, 400

C2: Humanities Select at least **1 course** from below

African American Studies 20
American Sign Language 1, 2, 3
Arabic 1, 2 **Armenian** 1, 2
Chicano Studies 44 **Cinema** 18
Chinese 1, 2, 3, 4, 10 **Communication Studies** 130
English 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 211, 212, 214, 215, 216, 218, 219, 239, 240, 252, 255, 270
French 1, 2, 3, 4, 10 **History** 3, 4, 7, 86, 87
Humanities 6, 8, 30, 31, 61 **Italian** 1, 2
Japanese 1, 2, 3, 4, 9 **Korean** 1, 2, 3, 4, 10
Linguistics 1 **Philosophy** 1, 14, 20, 30, 32, 40
Political Science 5 **Russian** 1, 2, 3, 4, 10
Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 35, 36

AREA D: SOCIAL SCIENCES

Select **3 courses** from below, from at least **2 disciplines**.

9 units min

African American Studies 4, 5, 7
Anthropology 102, 103, 121, 151
Business 1
Chicano Studies 7, 8
Child Development 1, 11, 42
Computer Science 103
Communication Studies 121, 122
Economics 1, 2

Geography 2
History 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 11, 12, 13, 59, 73, 81, 82, 86, 87
Journalism 105
Law 3, 7
Linguistics 2, 3
Political Science 1, 2, 7, 14, 19
Psychology 1, 13, 74
Sociology 1, 2, 11, 12, 32

AREA E: LIFELONG LEARNING AND SELF DEVELOPMENT

Veterans with DD214 honorable discharge receive waiver for this area and 3 units toward CSU transfer.

3 units min

Child Development 1
Counseling 40

Family & Consumer Studies 21
Health 2, 8, 11
Psychology 41, 43, 60

US History, Constitution, and American Ideals: Complete **1 course** from each group below:
Completion of the United States History, Constitution, and American Ideals Requirement is required for graduation from any CSU Campus. (Note: Can also fulfill G.E. Breadth Requirements in Area D.)

GROUP 1 – **African American Studies** 4, 5 **Chicano Studies** 8 **History** 11, 12, 13, 81, 82

GROUP 2 – **African American Studies** 7 **Political Science** 1

PLEASE NOTE THIS IMPORTANT INFORMATION

1. Minimum of 60 CSU transferable units with a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or better.
2. Courses taken in A1, A2, A3, and B4 must be completed with a grade of "C-" or better.
3. Students are encouraged to meet with a counselor to discuss the G.E. and lower division major requirements for transfer.
4. Evaluation of transcripts from accredited colleges are not officially approved until signed off by Admissions and Records and the Articulation Office.

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CSU: Bakersfield, Channel Islands, Chico, Dominguez Hills, East Bay (formerly Hayward), Fresno, Fullerton, Humboldt, Long Beach, Los Angeles, Maritime Academy, Monterey Bay, Northridge, Pomona, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Francisco, San Jose, San Luis Obispo, San Marcos, Sonoma, Stanislaus

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: Courses on this list are approved for a specific academic year, which begins with the Fall 2016 semester and remains valid through Summer 2017.

The general education courses listed for the CSU system are specified within subject areas that satisfy lower division general education requirements for the CSU campuses. Students wishing to use a course to fulfill a CSU General Education requirement must be sure that the course is approved for the academic year in which it is taken. The CSU general education form changes each year. It is advised that students meet with a counselor regularly to review any changes. A course must be on the CSU GE Breadth during the term in which it is taken. If a course is taken before it is approved for inclusion, or after it is removed from the list, it cannot be used to meet the area requirement.

CSU GE Breadth certification is available to community college transfer students who satisfy the general education requirements in each area. "Certification" means that LACC has verified that a student has completed the lower division General Education requirements listed in each area of the CSU GE Breadth. *Certification* does not guarantee admission or admission eligibility. Students with full CSU GE Certification will only be responsible for an additional 9 semester units of upper division general education at the CSU campus. *CSU Certification is not required and is not automatic; it must be requested by the student at the time the final official transcript is sent.* Without certification, the student will be held to the specific general education requirements of the CSU campus of choice.

Students who have taken courses at other colleges can have these courses "passed along" in the certification process. Los Angeles City College will certify courses taken at other California Community Colleges in the areas designated by the offering college. Courses taken at California four-year colleges, or accredited out-of-state two-year, or four-year colleges, will be evaluated by the LACC Admissions Office Evaluators and/or Counseling Faculty. Courses from foreign institutions cannot be used in the certification process. Students requesting CSU GE "pass along" certification must complete at least 12 units in residency at Los Angeles City College.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. A course cannot satisfy more than one General Education area requirement (even if listed under multiple areas).
2. Courses used to satisfy General Education requirements may also satisfy Major Preparation requirements.
3. LACC recommends that students complete the lower division requirements for the major before transfer. Major preparation requirements can be accessed on www.assist.org, the official source for California articulation and student transfer information. Other lower division courses that are not offered at LACC may be required for the major after transfer.
4. Students who transfer to CSU may also complete an Associate degree at LACC by completing courses in the major (please see a counselor for major-specific information) and the CSU GE Pattern.
5. Completion of the General Education requirements will not guarantee admission into a university but can increase the student's chances for acceptance.
6. Areas A1, A2, A3 and B4 must be completed with a "C" or better for admissions eligibility to a CSU campus.
7. All coursework must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 ("C") or better.
8. The CSU GE Breadth pattern may not be the best general education preparation pathway for ALL majors (such as Engineering, Computer Science and Liberal Studies – Teacher Prep). Please consult with a counselor to determine the best plan to meet your educational goals.