

California State University General Education (GE) Breadth Requirements Los Angeles City College 2024 - 2025 (Effective Fall 2024)

N = NEED IP = IN PROGRESS C = COMPLETED

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AREA A: ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMMUNICATION AND CRITICAL THINKING

Select at least 1 course listed below from each group. Must be completed with a grade of C- or better.

9 sem / 12 qt units min

A1: Oral Communication **Communication Studies** 101, 104²³, 121, 151²¹

A2: Written Communication **English** 101, 101Z²³ **E.S.L.** 110²²

A3: Critical Thinking **Communication Studies** 104¹³, 105¹⁷ **English** 102, 103
 Philosophy 005, 006, 008, 009 **Psychology** 066

AREA B: SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING

Select at least 1 course listed below from each group. B4 must be completed with a grade of C- or better.

For B1 and B2 at least one course must include a lab component. If the lab is a stand-alone course it must correspond to the related lecture course (e.g., Anthropology 001 & 111, Astronomy 001 or 011 & 005, Chemistry 058 & 058L, Geography 001 & 015, Geology 001 & 006, Geology 002 & 007, Physics 012 & 014).

9 sem / 12 qt units min

B1: Physical Science

Astronomy 001, 011
Chemistry 058²¹, 060, 065⁽²³⁾
 101, 102¹³, 211¹³, 212¹³, 221
Earth Science 001
Environmental Science
 001¹⁷
Geography 001
Geology 001, 002¹³
Oceanography 001⁽²⁰⁾
Physical Science 010¹⁷
Physics 006, 007²¹, 011,
 012, 021, 022¹⁴, 101, 102,
 103, 161²¹

B2: Life Science

Anatomy 001
Anthropology 101
Biology 003, 006, 007,
 025, 046⁽²¹⁾
Microbiology 001, 020
Physiology 001
Psychology 002

B3: Laboratory Activity

Anatomy 001
Anthropology 111⁽¹⁵⁾
Astronomy 005
Biology 003, 006, 007, 046⁽²¹⁾
Chemistry 058L²², 060, 065¹⁷
 101, 102¹³, 211¹³, 212¹³, 221
Geography 015
Geology 006, 007²¹
Microbiology 001, 020
Physics 006, 007²¹, 011,
 014, 021, 022¹⁴, 101,
 102, 103
Physiology 001

**B4: Mathematics/
Quantitative Reasoning**

Business 015²⁰
Mathematics 215, 216,
 227, 227S²¹, 229²², 230,
 236, 240⁽²⁰⁾, 245, 258²⁰,
 260, 260S²¹, 261, 261S²⁴,
 262, 263, 270, 272, 275,
 279²⁴
Sociology 125²²

AREA C: ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Select 3 courses listed below (one from C1, one from C2, and 1 additional course from either C1 or C2)

9 sem / 12 qt units min

C1: Arts

Select at least 1 course from below
African American Studies 060 (same as MUSIC 135)
Animation 118²²
Art 201, 209, 501
Art History 103, 110, 120, 130, 139¹³, 140, 151¹³, 171¹³
Cinema 003, 004, 018¹⁶, 501¹⁶
Dance Studies 805
Music 101, 111, 116¹⁶, 118²⁴, 121, 122, 135 (same as
 AFRO AM 60), 136¹⁶, 141¹⁷, 200
Photography 010, 034, 501¹⁷ (Same as Cinema 501)
Theater 100, 110, 338, 400

C2: Humanities

Select at least 1 course from below
African American Studies 004²¹, 005²¹, 007²¹, 020
American Sign Language 001, 002, 003, 040⁽¹⁵⁾
Armenian 001, 002, 011²², 012²², 035¹⁷, 036¹⁹
Arabic 001²⁰, 002²⁰ **Asian-American Studies** 001²²
Chicano Studies 004²², 007²¹, 008²¹, 044, 047²²
Chinese 001, 002, 003, 004, 010, 021¹⁷, 022¹⁷
Cinema 018¹⁵ **Comm Studies** 130¹³
English 102²², 203, 204, 205, 206, 207¹⁵, 208, 211, 212,
 214, 215, 216, 218, 219, 239, 240, 252, 255, 270
French 001, 002, 003, 004, 010, 021⁽²³⁾
History 003⁽²³⁾, 004⁽²³⁾, 006²¹, 007, 011²², 012²², 40²¹, 086,
 087 **Humanities** 006, 008, 030, 031, 061
Japan 001, 002, 003, 004, 009, 014²³, 021^(S23), 022^(S23)
Korean 001, 002, 003, 004, 010, 013²², 021¹⁷, 022¹⁷, 026²²
Linguistics 001 **Philosophy** 001, 014, 020, 030, 032, 040
Political Science 005¹² **Russian** 001, 002, 003, 004, 010
Spanish 001, 002, 003, 004, 006, 009, 010, 011¹⁷, 015¹⁷,
 021¹⁶, 022¹⁶, 035, 036

AREA D: SOCIAL SCIENCES

Select 2 courses listed below

6 sem / 8 qt units min

Administration of Justice 067²²
African American Studies 004, 005, 007
Anthropology 102, 103, 121¹¹, 151¹¹
Asian-American Studies 001²² **Business** 001
Chicano Studies 004²², 007, 008, 047²²
Child Development 001, 011¹², 042¹²
Cinema 103²²
Computer Science 101 (formerly Co Sci 103)⁽²²⁾
Communication Studies 100²², 121, 122
Economics 001, 002

Family & Consumer Studies 031
Geography 002, 007²⁴, 014²⁰
History 001⁽²⁰⁾, 002⁽²⁰⁾, 003⁽²³⁾, 004⁽²³⁾, 005²¹, 006²¹, 007,
 011, 012, 013⁽²⁰⁾, 059¹⁰, 73¹⁰, 081¹⁰, 082¹⁰, 086, 087
Journalism 105
Law 003, 007¹⁵
Linguistics 002, 003¹³
Political Science 001, 002, 007, 014¹², 019¹², 060²²
Psychology 001, 013, 014¹⁹, 041¹⁹, 052²², 074¹³, 075²⁴
Sociology 001, 002, 004²³, 011, 012²¹, 022¹⁹, 031¹⁷, 032

US History, Constitution, and American Ideals: Complete one course listed from Group 1 and Group 2:
 Completion of the United States History, Constitution, and American Ideals is a CSU graduation requirement at all campuses.
 (Note: Courses listed below can also fulfill G.E. Breadth Requirements in Area C2, Area D, or Area F)

GROUP 1 – African American Studies 004,005	Chicano Studies 007 ²¹ ,008	History 011,012,013 ⁽²⁰⁾ , 081 ¹¹ ,082 ¹¹			
GROUP 2 – African American Studies 007	Political Science 001				
AREA E: LIFELONG LEARNING AND SELF DEVELOPMENT					
Select 1 course listed below				3 sem / 4 qt units min	
Child Development 001	Psychology 003 ²¹ , 041, 043, 060				
Counseling 020 ¹⁹ , 040	Sociology 012				
Dance Studies 301, 302 ¹⁷ , 303 ¹⁷ , 304 ²² , 822 ²⁰					
Family & Consumer Studies 021, 031	KIN, KIN ATH or DANCETQ				
Health 002, 008, 011, 021 ²¹ , 043 ²³ , 101 ²⁰	(Up to 2 units of PE activity approved for Area E)				
Kinesiology Major 115 ²³ , 135 ²³ , 175 ²³ , 225 ²⁴					
**Veterans with a DD214 honorable discharge will receive a waiver for this area and 3 units toward CSU transfer.					
AREA F: ETHNIC STUDIES					
Select 1 course listed below (Consult with a counselor regarding catalog rights for new and continuous students)				3 sem / 4 qt units min	
Asian-American Studies 001 ²²	Chicano Studies 004 ²² , 008 ²¹ , 047 ²²				

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: Courses on this list are approved for a specific academic year, which begins with the fall 2024 semester and remains valid through summer 2025. CSU GE-Breadth certification is available to community college transfer students who satisfy the general education requirements in each subject area. To be certified means that LACC counseling faculty have determined that a student has completed the lower-division General Education requirements listed in each A-F subject area of the CSUGE pattern. Students who are CSUGE certified will only be responsible for an additional 9 semester units of upper-division general education at their transfer CSU campus. To request full or partial CSU GE-Breadth certification, students should consult with a counselor for proper curricular review and sign-off.

Students who have taken courses at other California community colleges (CCCs) can have these courses “passed along” in the certification process. Los Angeles City College will certify courses taken at other CCCs in the subject areas designated by the offering college. Courses taken at other regionally accredited colleges (in-state, out-of-state, private, public) will be evaluated by counseling faculty or the Articulation Officer. Courses from foreign institutions cannot be used for CSUGE certification. The Articulation Officer has final review and determination of all courses and catalog rights applied toward CSU GE-Breadth certification.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- A course cannot satisfy more than one General Education area (A-F) requirements (even if they are listed under multiple areas).
- Courses used to satisfy General Education requirements may also satisfy Major Preparation requirements.
- LACC recommends that students complete as many lower division requirements for the major before transfer. Major preparation requirements are listed at www.assist.org which is 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.
- Students who certify using the full CSU-GE Breadth pattern are eligible to earn a local certificate of achievement.
- Completion of the CSUGE requirements is not a guarantee of admission into a university but can increase the student’s chances for acceptance. Some CSU campuses and majors may require full CSUGE as part of their admission’s criteria.
- Courses from foreign institutions cannot be used for CSUGE certification, however, international courses can be evaluated at the receiving CSU and applied to CSU campus-specific requirements.
- 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 discuss an appropriate plan to meet your educational goals.
- Eligible students who transfer with the CSU GE-Breadth for STEM will need to complete 6 semester units of lower-division GE and 9 units of upper-division GE after transfer. Students may be held to other campus specific graduation requirements outside of general education and major coursework.
- Students who are first-time students as of fall 2021 or later will need to complete the Area F Ethnic Studies requirement for full certification. Consult with a counselor for more information regarding which catalog rights you are allowed to assert (i.e., if you maintained continuous enrollment at a CCC or CSU).

SUMMARY

1. A minimum of 60 semester or 90 quarter CSU transferable units with a minimum 2.0 GPA is required for CSU transfer admissions.
2. Courses satisfying Areas A1, A2, A3, and B4 (The “Golden Four”) 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. CSU GE certification is governed by the CSU system. The Articulation Officer has final review and determination of all courses applied to CSUGE.
5. This advisement sheet can be modified or updated from time to time. All CSU articulated courses can be verified at www.assist.org