### Area A
**COMMUNICATION IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND CRITICAL THINKING**
Select at least one course from Groups A1, A2 and A3. (9 semester units). Must be completed with a grade of C or better.
- **Group A1** Speech 1, 46
- **Group A2** English 1A
- **Group A3** English 4, 7, Speech 46

### Area B
**THE PHYSICAL AND LIFE SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS**
Select at least one course from Groups B1, B2, B3 and B4. (9/12 semester units)

#### B1 – PHYSICAL SCIENCES
- Astronomy 1, 10, 20, 30
- Chemistry 1A, 1B, 30A, 30B, 31
- Geography 1, 1L, 8
- Geology 1A, 1B, 10, 10L, 12, 12L, 21
- Physics 2A, 2B, 8A, 8B, 8C, 8D, 10, 10L

#### B2 – LIFE SCIENCES
- Anatomy 1
- Anthropology 1*
- Biology 1, 5, 10, 20, 25, 31, 40, 50
- Biotechnology 1
- Botany 1
- Ecology 10, 11
- Microbiology 1
- Physiology 1
- Psychology 4*
- Zoology 1
*Also listed in Area D but can only be used in one area.

### Area C
**ARTS, LITERATURE, PHILOSOPHY AND FOREIGN LANGUAGE**
Select at least one course from Groups C1 and C2. (9/12 semester units)

#### C1 – ARTS (Art, Dance, Music, Theater)
- Art 1, 2A, 3A, 4, 5, 10, 11
- Creative Arts 10
- Music 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8A, 8B, 12, 24, 44, 45
- Photography 67
- Theater Arts 1A, 5, 10, 11, 12, 14, 25, 40

#### C2 – HUMANITIES (Literature, Philosophy, Foreign Languages)
- American Sign Language 2A, 2B
- English 3, 11, 12, 13, 20, 23, 27, 32, 38, 44*, 45, 47
- French 2A, 2B
- History 1*, 2*
- Humanities 1, 3, 10, 28, 35, 40, 44
- Philosophy 1, 2, 4, 7, 25
- Religious Studies 1, 11
- Spanish 2A, 2B
- Speech 2A, 5
*Also listed in Area D but can only be used in one area.

### Area D
**HUMAN SOCIAL, POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC INSTITUTIONS AND BEHAVIOR**
Select courses from at least two different disciplines from groups D1 through D5. Courses in Area D may be listed in more than one discipline but may not be used in more than once. (9/12 semester units)

#### D1 - ANTHROPOLOGY AND ARCHEOLOGY
- Anthropology 1*, 2, 3, 5
*Also listed in Area A but can only be used in one area.

#### D2 – ECONOMICS
- Economic 1, 2, 5, 10

#### D3 - ETHNIC STUDIES
- Anthropology 5
- English 23, 44*
- History 14, 15, 16, 22, 25, 28
- Sociology 3
*Also listed in Area C but can only be used in one area.

#### D4 - GENDER STUDIES
- History 32
- Sociology 11

#### D5 – GEOGRAPHY
- Geography 2, 3, 5, 12, 15
**D6 – HISTORY**
History 1*, 2*, 7, 8, 14, 15, 16, 22, 25, 28, 32
*Also listed in Area C2 but can only be used in one area.

**D7 – INTERDISCIPLINARY SOCIAL OR BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES**
Business 30
Computer Information Systems 50
Marketing 50
Mass Communications 5

**D8 – POLITICAL SCIENCE, GOVERNMENT AND LEGAL INSTITUTIONS**
Political Science 7, 12, 20, 25, 30

**D9 – PSYCHOLOGY**
Early Childhood Development 15***
Psychology 1, 2, 3, 4*, 6, 12**, 15***
* Also listed in Area B but can only but used in one Area.
** Also listed in Area E but can only be used in one Area.
*** ECD 15 + Psych 15 max credit 3 units.

**D0 – SOCIOLOGY AND CRIMINOLOGY**
Sociology 1, 3, 4, 6, 11

**Area E**
UNDERSTANDING AND SELF DEVELOPMENT
(3 semester units)
Health 1, 2
Nutrition 1
Physical Education Activity 1****, 2****, 24**
Psychology 8, 10, 12*, 24**
Psychology-Counseling 7***, 10, 11, 14, 14L, 16, 20
Sociology 7
Speech 10

* Also listed in Area D but can only be used in one area.
** Psych 24 + PE 24, 3 units maximum credit.
*** For Area E credit, course must be taken once for 3 units.
**** Limit 2 units

**American Institutions Requirement**
Completion of the United States History, Constitution, and American Ideals Requirement is required for graduation from any CSU Campus (Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, Section 40404). All CSUs will allow up to six of the units taken to meet this requirement to be credited toward satisfying the General Education Breadth Requirements in Area D. Consult your counselor for clarification of this policy.

To satisfy the American Institutions requirement, complete one course from Group 1 and Group 2:

Group 1 – History 7, Political Science 7
Group 2 – History 8, 14, 15, 16, 25, 28, 32

**Additional Requirements for the Associate in Arts Degree**
The following requirements are specific to the AA Degree. Select from the list below in order to minimize the number of courses that you must take to complete both sets of requirements. Students are encouraged to meet with a counselor for help in selecting appropriate courses.

**English Composition**
Complete English 1A and 4 or 7 from CSU GE Area A2 & A3.

**American Cultures Requirement**
The following courses have been identified as meeting the American Cultures requirement. Complete one course with a grade of “C” or higher or “CR”.
Where it is appropriate, the course can simultaneously satisfy other graduation or disciplinary requirements.

Anthropology 5 (also satisfies Area D)
English 44 (also satisfies Area C2)
History 14, 28, 32 (also satisfies Area D)
Music 5, 24 (also satisfies Area C1)
Sociology 3 (also satisfies Area D)
Speech 11

**Health Education**
Health 1 (also satisfies Area E)

**Physical Education**
*Complete two semester units selected from:
PE 1, 2, 3, 12, 30-48
Dance 1

*Exemption is allowed for illness or physical disability by filing a physician's statement at the Admissions & Records Office. Students who hold an AA/AS Degree or higher are also exempt.

**American Institutions Requirement**
To satisfy the American Institutions requirement, complete one course from Group 1 and Group 2:

Group 1 – History 7, Political Science 7
Group 2 – History 8, 14, 15, 16, 25, 28, 32

**Important Notes:**
To earn a bachelor’s degree from the California State University, students must complete a 48 semester unit program of general education. Las Positas College students can complete 39 of these units by completing the requirements listed on this flyer. Completion of these requirements will permit a student to transfer from Las Positas College to the CSU without the need after transfer to take additional lower-division general education courses. Las Positas College will certify completion of 39 semester units of general education courses. The remaining 9 units (of the 48 required) must be completed after reaching upper-division status (completion of 60 semester units) and after transfer to the CSU.

**Certification is not automatic.** Students must request certification from the Las Positas College Admissions and Records Office at the end of the last semester of attendance. The final transcript should be ordered at this time. Failure to complete full certification will cause courses to be reviewed differently at the receiving campus.

Students are advised to work closely with a counselor. 9/29/04