

California State University General Education-Breadth (CSU GE-B) Worksheet

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Courses may be listed in more than one area but will NOT be certified more than once, unless stated otherwise. For a course to meet a CSU GE-B requirement, the course must be on the CSU GE-B pattern during the academic year it is taken. 				
Area A. English Language Communication and Critical Thinking (at least 9 units required with at least 1 course each from Oral Communication, Written Communication, and Critical Thinking) All courses must be completed with a grade of 'C' or better				
A1 - Oral Communication (at least 3 units required)				
Communication Studies 1, 10 (F16), 46	A1:	Oral		
A2 - Written Communication (at least 3 units required)				
English 1A, 1AEX English as a Second Language (ESL) 1A	A2:	Written		
A3 - Critical Thinking (at least 3 units required)				
Communication Studies 46 English 4, 7 Philosophy 6, 8 Theater Arts 53 (F20)	A3:	Critical Thinking		
Area B. Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning (at least 9 units required with at least 1 course course each from Physical Science, Life Science (at least 1 to contain a laboratory component), and Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning)				
B1 - Physical Science (at least 3 units required)				
Astronomy 31, 32 Chemistry 1A ¹ , 1B ¹ , 12A ¹ , 12B ¹ , 30A ¹ , 30B ¹ , 31 ¹ Environmental Studies 5 Geography 1, 8, 12 (F16) Geology 1, 2 ¹ , 5, 7, 12, 20 ¹ Physics 1A ¹ , 1B ¹ , 1C ¹ , 1D ¹ , 2A ¹ , 2B ¹ , 10	B1:	Physical Science		
B2 - Life Science (at least 3 units required)				
Anthropology 1, 13 Biological Sciences 1A ¹ , 1B ¹ , 1C ¹ , 7A ¹ , 7B ¹ , 7C ¹ , 10 ¹ , 20, 30 ¹ , 40, 50 ¹ , 60 ¹ , 70 ¹ Psychology 4	B2:	Life Science		
B3 - Laboratory Activity (at least 1 course from below or from Physical Science or Life Science marked with an ¹)				
Anthropology 1L, 2L Astronomy 30L Geography 1L Geology 1L, 12L Physics 10L	B3:	Lab Activity		
B4 - Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (at least 3 units required) Must be completed with a grade of 'C' or better				
Business 33 Computer Science 17 Mathematics 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 10, 27, 30, 33, 34, 39, 40, 47	B4:	Math Quantitative		
Area C. Arts and Humanities (at least 9 units required with at least 1 course course each from Arts and Humanities)				
C1 - Arts (at least 3 units required)				
Art History 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8 Art 2A, 3A, 4A (F19), 7A (F19), 12A (F19) Graphic Design & Digital Media 3 Humanities 2, 3 (F21), 4, 11, 12 Music 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8A, 8B, 13, 34 Photography 67 Theater Arts 4, 10, 11, 14, 25, 51, 53 (F20) Welding Technology 71	C1:	Arts		
C2 - Humanities (at least 3 units required)				
American Sign Language 2A, 2B Communications Studies 2, 5 Early Care and Education 61 (F16) English 4 (F16), 7 (F16), 11, 12A, 12B, 13B, 20, 32, 35, 41, 42, 44, 45 History 1, 2, 3, 4, 7 (F15), 8 (F15), 14 (F15), 25 (F16), 32 (F16) Humanities 2, 3, 4, 6, 10, 11, 12, 28 Music 34 Philosophy 1, 1H, 2, 2H, 3, 4, 5, 6 (F19), 8 (F19) Religious Studies 1, 2, 3, 11 Spanish 2A, 2B, 21 (F19), 22, 23	C2:	Humanities		
Area D. Social and Behavioral Sciences (at least 6 units required (2 courses))				
Administration of Justice 50 (F12), 56 (F15), 60 (F12), 66 (F15), 78 Anthropology 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12 Business 30 Communication Studies 4, 10 (F16), 11 (F12) Early Care and Education 10, 56, 62, 79 Economics 1, 2, 5, 10 English 44 Ethnic Studies 5, 6 Geography 2, 5, 12 (F16), 15 Global Studies 1, 2 Health 3 (F15), 7, 11 History 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 14, 25, 28, 32 Journalism and Media Studies 1, 2 Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies 1, 2 Marketing 50 Political Science 7, 12, 20, 25, 26, 30 Psychology-Counseling 3, 13 Psychology 1, 3, 4, 6, 10 (F21), 12, 13, 15 (F16), 21, 25, 27 Sociology 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 (F20), 11, 12, 13 Women's Studies 1, 2	D:	Social and Behavioral Sciences		
Area E. Lifelong Learning and Self Development (at least 3 units required) Veterans with DD214 honorable discharge receive a waiver for this area and 3 units toward CSU				
Biological Sciences 55 Communication Studies 3 (F15), 10, 11 (F15) Dance 2A, 2B, 3A, 4A (F19), 4B (F19), 6A, 6B Early Care and Education 54, 56 Fire Service Technology 7 Health 1, 3 Kinesiology 22A, 24, 26, 30, 32A-65*, AF1-ZUM1* Nutrition 1 Psychology-Counseling 10, 18, 30 Psychology 10, 12 Sociology 4, 7 * KIN 32A-65, AF1-ZUM1 maximum credit 2 units	E:	Lifelong Learning Self Development		
Area F. Ethnic Studies (at least 3 units required)				
Ethnic Studies 5, 6 Psychology 21 Sociology 3	F:	Ethnic		
American Institutions US History, Constitution, and American Ideals (CSU Graduation Requirement - NOT required to certify CSU GE-B) Complete 1 group Up to 6 units of these courses may also be applied to GE-B requirements in Area C2 or D if applicable				
Group 1				
History 7, 8			American Institutions	
Group 2				
History 7, 14				
Group 3				
Political Science 7 and at least one of the following: History 7, 8, 25, 32				

FAQS: Frequency Asked Questions about CSU GE-B**Q What is the California State University General Education-Breadth (CSU GE-B)**

A CSU GE-B is a general education pattern which community college transfer students can follow to fulfill lower-division general education requirements for the CSU systems.

Q Is CSU GE-B an admission requirement?

A NO. If appropriate for the major, students may complete the minimum eligibility requirements for admission to a CSU – see a counselor for details and advisement.

Q What are the minimum CSU Transfer Eligibility Requirements for junior-level transfer students?

- 60 CSU transferable units
- 2.0 cumulative GPA (impacted campuses and majors may require higher GPAs)
- "Golden Four" transferable GE courses as follows:
 - 1 course in Oral Communication (CSU GE-B Area A1)
 - 1 course in Written Communication (CSU GE-B Area A2)
 - 1 course in Critical Thinking (CSU GE-B Area A3)
 - 1 course in Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (CSU GE-B Area B4)

Q Can I use Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), and College Level Examination Program (CLEP) exams for CSU GE-B?

A YES. AP, IB, and CLEP exams may be applied to CSU GE-B with passing scores. For details, see the AP, IB, and CLEP Charts in the LPC Catalog. However, application of AP, IB, and CLEP exams to major requirements can vary at each CSU campus.

Q What is "CSU GE-B Certification" and how do I request it?

A CSU GE-B certification is the process by which the community college verifies that a student has completed all of the required coursework for the CSU GE-B pattern (39 units and partial completion is possible), which is sent directly to the transfer institution. If CSU GE-B is not certified, students may be subject to the lower-division GE requirements of the campus to which they transfer. Request a CSU GE-B Certification in the Admissions & Records Office at the end of the last semester before transferring.

Please note that Las Positas and Chabot College DO NOT share CSU GE-B or IGETC patterns. If you are interested in taking a course at Chabot College please be sure to see a counselor.