

General Education/Graduation Requirements Checklist

<p>General Education requirements cover a breadth of areas spanning A. Basic Subjects, B. Physical Universe & Its Life Forms, C. Arts & Humanities, D. The Individual and Society, E. Understanding Personal Development, and F. Ethnic Studies.</p> <p>For a list of courses that satisfy each Area and Requirement, please see the University Catalog.</p>		Units
General Education Requirements:		48
Lower Division: A total of 39 units of General Education Courses must be taken at the lower-division level (courses numbered 1-99) covering Areas A, B, C, D, and E.		39
Upper Division: A total of 9 units of General Education Courses must be taken at the upper-division level (courses numbered 100-199) from Areas B, C, and D. Upper Division GE courses must be taken within the CSU.		9
GE Area A.	Basic Subjects: 9 Lower Division Units	9
A1. Oral Communication (C- or better required)		3
A2. Written Communication (C- or better required)		3
A3. Critical Thinking (C- or better required)		3
GE Area B.	Physical Universe & Its Life Forms: 9 Lower Division Units and 3 Upper Division Units	12
B1. Physical Science		3
B2. Life Forms		3
B3. Lab (NOTE: Lab must be taken with one of the following: B1, B2 or B5.)		
B4. Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (C- or better required)		3
B5. Upper Division Area B		3
GE Area C.	Arts & Humanities: 9 Lower Division Units and 3 Upper Division Units	12
C1. Arts		3
C2. Humanities. C2 courses may also satisfy the Foreign Language Graduation Requirement.		3
C1/C2. Additional course from Area C1 or C2.		3
C1/C2. Upper Division Area C.		3
GE Area D.	The Individual & Society: 6 Lower Division Units and 3 Upper Division Units.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area D courses must be taken in a minimum of 2 separate disciplines (e.g. ANTH, ECON, ETHN, HIST, RPTA, etc.). • No more than three units completed in Area D can also be used to satisfy the CSU American Institutions Graduation Requirements in US History the US Constitution and California Government. 		9
D. Any Area D Course		3
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D. Upper Division Area D		3
GE Area E.	Understanding Personal Development: 3 Lower Division Units	3
E. Any Area E Course		3
GE Area F.	Ethnic Studies: 3 Lower Division Units	3
F. Any Area F Course		3

Graduation Requirements:		
Minimum 2.0 GPA required for GE		
Graduation Requirements (required by CSU)		
American Institutions (AI): U.S. History. The following Area D courses also satisfy this requirement: HIST 17A, 17B, 159, 161, 162, 167, 177; ANTH 101, WOMS 110. (Note: Only one AI course can double count with GE Area Requirements).		3
American Institutions (AI): U.S. Constitution & California Government. The following Area D courses also satisfy this requirement: POLS 1, 113, 150. (Note: Only one AI course can double count with GE Area Requirements).		3
Writing Intensive (WI) WI courses may also satisfy an Upper Division GE or Major Requirement (C- or better required).		3
Graduation Requirements (required by California State University, Sacramento)		
English Composition II: ENGL 20 (C- or better required)		3
Race & Ethnicity in American Society (R&E). R&E courses may also satisfy a GE Area C, D, or E Requirement		3
Foreign Language Graduation Requirement (FLGR). If not satisfied before entering CSUS, 4-5 units towards the FLGR may also satisfy a GE Area C2 Requirement. (C- or better required). The Foreign Language Graduation Requirement is described here: https://www.csus.edu/college/arts-letters/world-languages-literatures/foreign-language-requirement.html .		0-8

It is possible to use single courses to meet multiple requirements. Please complete this checklist with a professional advisor. The Academic Advising Center can be visited at www.csus.edu/acad or please call: (916) 278-6351 or email at advising@csus.edu.