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California General Education Transfer Curriculum - CalGETC

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Lake Tahoe Community College 2026-2027

The California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) is a general education pattern designed to make transferring from a California Community College to a California State University (CSU) or University of California (UC) easier and more efficient. Starting in Fall 2025, Cal-GETC will be the only lower-division general education pathway for students pursuing an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) or planning to transfer to CSU or UC.

While we work to update our courses to reflect the Cal-GETC pattern, we advise students to meet with a counselor for GE guidance. Contact a counselor at counselor@ltcc.edu .

AREA 1: ENGLISH LANGUAGE & CRITICAL THINKING

Minimum 4 units, completed with a grade of 'C' or higher

Code	Course Name
A. English Composition	
ENG 101	Reading and Composition
OR	
ENGL C1000	Academic Reading and Writing
B. Critical Thinking/English Composition	
ENG103	Critical Reasoning: Writing the Research Paper
OR	
ENGL C1001	Critical Thinking and Writing
C. Oral Communication	
SPE101	Public Speaking
OR	
COMM C1000	Introduction to Public Speaking

AREA 2: MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS & QUANTITATIVE REASONING

1 course, minimum 4 units, completed with a grade of 'C-' or higher

Code	Course Name
MAT105	Calculus and Analytic Geometry (Part I)
MAT106	Calculus and Analytic Geometry (Part II)
MAT107	Calculus and Analytic Geometry (Part III)
MAT110	College Algebra for STEM
MAT118	Calculus for Business and Social Sciences
MAT201	Elementary Statistics
OR	
STAT C1000	Introduction to Statistics
MAT202	Calculus and Analytic Geometry (Part IV)
MAT203	Linear Algebra
MAT204	Differential Equations

AREA 3: ARTS & HUMANITIES

Code	Course Name

1 course, minimum 4 units

Code	Course Name

A. Arts

ART101	Art History: Prehistoric - Islamic
ART102	Art History: Medieval Europe - Renaissance
ART103	Art History: Baroque - Contemporary
ART107	Art of the Americas
ART110	Introduction to Asian Art History
ART141	The History of Photography
ENG218	Literature into Film
MUS101	Music Listening and Appreciation
MUS104B	History of Rock Music
MUS104C	Music of the World
MUS104E	The Beatles
MUS104F	History of Jazz
THE101	Introduction to Theatre
THE105A	Introduction to Acting
THE112C	History of Film: 1965 to Present
THE116	Film Appreciation

B. Humanities

ANT107	Magic, Witchcraft, and Religion
ANT112	The Anthropology of the Unexplained
ASL108	American Deaf Culture I
ASL201	American Sign Language - Level IV
ENG102	Introduction to Literature
OR	
ENGL C1002	Introduction to Literature
ENG108	Women in Literature
ENG200	Masterpieces of the Ancient and Medieval Worlds
ENG201	Masterpieces of the Renaissance and Modern World
ENG202	Masterpieces of the Modern World
ENG206	The Short Story
ENG212	English Literature I: From Beowulf's Monsters to Milton's Paradise
ENG213	English Literature II: From Swift's Satire to the Passions of the Romantics
ENG214	English Literature III: Victorian Values and Modern Masterpieces
ENG215	American Literature I: Beginnings - 1820
ENG216	American Literature II: 1820 - 1914
ENG217	American Literature III: 1914 - Present
ETH202C	Mexican-American History - 1960 to Present
HIS109	Women in American History
HIS110	Multicultural History of the United States
HIS111	U.S. History, Part I
HIS112	U.S. History, Part II
HIS113	U.S History, Part III
HIS118	California History
HIS127A	World Civilizations, Part A
HIS127B	World Civilizations, Part B
HIS127C	World Civilizations, Part C
HUM101	Ancient Western World
HUM102	The Middle Ages, Renaissance, and Baroque Eras
HUM103	The Modern World
HUM105	Mythology
JPN201	Intermediate Japanese I
JPN202	Intermediate Japanese II
JPN203	Intermediate Japanese III
PHI101	Introduction to Philosophy
PHI205	Contemporary Moral Issues
REL103	World Religions
REL107	The Principle Teachings of Buddhism
SPA110	Hispanic Civilization and Culture
SPA201	Intermediate Spanish I

SPA202	Intermediate Spanish II
SPA203	Intermediate Spanish III
SPA214	Latin American and Spanish Cinema and Culture

AREA 4: SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

At least 2 courses, minimum 8 units from at least 2 subjects

Code	Course Name
ANT101	Introduction to Archaeology
ANT102	Cultural Anthropology
ANT107	Magic, Witchcraft, and Religion
ANT108	Introduction to Language and Culture
ANT109	Anthropology of Native America
ANT112	The Anthropology of the Unexplained
COM122	Mass Media and Society
CRJ101	Introduction to Criminal Justice
ECE102	Child and Adolescent Growth and Development
ECO101	Principles of Economics (MACRO)
OR	
ECON C2002	Principles of Macroeconomics
ECO102	Principles of Economics (MICRO)
OR	
ECON C2001	Principles of Microeconomics
ETH102	Human Geography
ETH107	Racial and Ethnic Relations
ETH109	Anthropology of Native America
ETH202C	Mexican-American History - 1960 to Present
FOR111	Forest Resources and Society
GEG102	Human Geography
GEG103	World Regional Geography
GEG106	California Geography
HIS109	Women in American History
HIS110	Multicultural History of the United States
HIS111	U.S. History, Part I
HIS112	U.S. History, Part II
HIS113	U.S. History, Part III
HIS118	California History
HIS127A	World Civilizations, Part A
HIS127B	World Civilizations, Part B
HIS127C	World Civilizations, Part C
POL100	Introduction to Political Science
POL101	American Government

OR	
POLS C1000	American Government and Politics
POL107	Introduction to Political Theory
POL204	Introduction to International Relations
POL206	Introduction to Comparative Politics
PSY101	General Psychology
OR	
PSYC C1000	Introduction to Psychology
PSY102	Child and Adolescent Growth and Development
PSY103	Adult Development
PSY104	Social Psychology
PSY107	Theories of Personality
PSY109	Lifespan Development
PSY202	Abnormal Psychology
PSY210	Introduction to Biological Psychology
PSY211	Introduction to Biological Psychology
SOC101	Introduction to Sociology
SOC102	Marriage, Families, and Intimate Relationships
SOC103	Social Problems
SOC104	Deviance
SOC106	Crime and Society
SOC107	Race and Ethnic Relations
SOC111	Sociology of Popular Culture
SOC114	Gender

AREA 5: PHYSICAL & BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

1 course, minimum 4 units

Courses with a lab component are underlined

Code	Course Name

A. Physical Science

CHM100	Introduction to General Chemistry
CHM101	General Chemistry I
CHM102	General Chemistry II
CHM103	General Chemistry III
GEG101	Physical Geography
GEG113	Meteorology
GEL101	Geology of California
GEL102	Physical Geology
GEL103	History of the Earth and its Life
GEL110	Geology of National Parks and Monuments

GEL110L	Geology of National Parks and Monuments Lab
GEL114	Introduction to Earth Sciences
PHS102	Survey of Concepts in Chemistry and Physics
PHS111	Astronomy
PHS117	Oceanography
PHY104	General Physics I
PHY105	General Physics II
PHY106	General Physics III
PHY107	General Physics (Calculus) - Mechanics
PHY108	General Physics (Calculus) - Waves, Thermodynamics, and Light
PHY207	General Physics (Calculus) - Electricity and Magnetism
PHY208	General Physics (Calculus) - Optics and Modern Physics

B. Biological Science

ANT103	Physical/Biological Anthropology
BIO101	rinciples of Biology I
BIO102	Principles of Biology II
BIO103	Principles of Biology III
BIO110	Introduction to Cell and Molecular Biology
BIO111	Introduction to Plant and Animal Biology
BIO149	Ecology
BIO201	Botany
BIO203	Human Anatomy and Physiology I
BIO204	Human Anatomy and Physiology II
BIO205	Human Anatomy and Physiology III
BIO210	Microbiology
BIO212	Zoology
EVS101	Environmental Science
AND	
EVS101L	Environmental Science Lab
FOR110	Introduction to Forestry
AND	
FOR110L	Introduction to Forestry (Lab)
PSY210	Introduction to Biological Psychology

AREA 6: ETHNIC STUDIES

1 course, minimum 4 units

Code	Course Name
ANT109	Anthropology of Native America
ETH107	Racial and Ethnic Relations

ETH109	Anthropology of Native America
SOC107	Race and Ethnic Relations

OPTIONAL TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS - NOT REQUIRED FOR LTCC DEGREE OF TO TRANSFER

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UC REQUIREMENT ONLY: Language other than English

This requirement may be fulfilled by completion of two years of foreign language in high school with a grade of C or better, or equivalent proficiency demonstrated by college courses or performance on tests. See a counselor for more details.

Code	Course Name
ASL102	American Sign Language - Level II
JPN102	Elementary Japanese II
SPA102	Elementary Spanish II

CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENT ONLY: US History, Constitution & American Ideals

2 courses, minimum 8 unis; courses in Areas C and D double count in this area at all CSUs.

Code	Course Name
POL101	American Government
OR	
POLS C1000	American Government and Politics

AND one of the following:

Code	Course Name
HIS111	U.S. History, Part I
HIS112	U.S. History, Part II
HIS113	U.S History, Part III

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