Upper Division Transfer Students

Students are eligible for admission with 60 or more CSU transferable semester units (90 quarter units) if the student:

- Has a college grade point average of 2.0 or better (2.4 for non-California residents) in all transferable college units attempted.
- Is in good standing at the last college or university attended, i.e., is eligible to re-enroll.
- Has completed or will complete prior to transfer at least 30 semester units (45 quarter units) of courses equivalent to CSU general education requirements with a grade of "C" or better. The 30 units must include all of the general education requirements in communication in the English language (English composition, oral communication, and critical thinking) and at least one course of at least 3 semester units (4 quarter units) required in college-level mathematics.

General Education Requirements
For California State University Certification (CSU-GE)

The CSU General Education-Breadth program allows California community college transfer students to fulfill lower-division general education requirements for any CSU campus prior to transfer. This curriculum provides an alternative to IGETC requirements and to the campus specific university GE-Breadth requirements. It is important to note that CSU GE-Breadth certification is not an admission requirement, nor does completion guarantee admission to the campus or program of choice.

Up to 39 of the 48 GE-Breadth units required can be transferred from and certified by a California community college. Students who are certified with 39 semester units of lower division GE-Breadth units cannot be held to additional lower division GE courses at the CSU campus. Upon enrollment at CSU, all transfer students will be required to complete a minimum of 9 semester units of upper division general education. Students without certification may be held to the general education pattern developed for CSU students which may vary greatly from the community college CSU-GE Breadth pattern.

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Area A: English Language Communication and Critical Thinking
Nine semester units minimum with one course from A1, A2, and A3 ("C" or better grade required in A1, A2, and A3).

- Area A1, Oral Communication
  Communication 1, 2, 4, 8
- Area A2, Written Communication
  English 1A/1AH
- Area A3, Critical Thinking
  Communication 25
  Criminology 13
  English 3/3H
  Philosophy 2, 6
  Political Science 13

Area B: Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning
Nine semester units minimum with at least one course in B1, B2, and B4 ("C" or better grade required in B4.) One course in B1 or B2 must contain a lab component indicated by (L) or be accompanied by a course in B3.

- Area B1, Physical Science
  Astronomy 10(L)
  Chemistry 1A(L), 1B(L), 3A(L), 3B(L), 8A, 28A, 28B
  Geography 1(L), 7(L), 8(L)
  Geology 1(L), 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 12
  Natural Science 1A(L)
  Physical Science 11
  Physics 2A(L), 2B(L), 4A(L), 4B(L), 4C(L)

- Area B2, Life Science
  Anthropology 1
  Biology 3(L), 4(L), 5(L), 6(L), 7(L), 11A/11AH(L), 11B(L), 14, 20(L), 21A(L), 21B(L), 22(L), 31(L), 55

- Area B3, Laboratory Activity
  Anthropology 1L
  Chemistry 29A, 29B
  Geography 1
  Geology 2L

- Area B4, Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning
  Computer Science 26
  Decision Science 21, 23
  Mathematics 3A, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6, 10A, 10B, 11/11H, 21, 26, 42, 45
  Psychology 42
Area C: Arts and Humanities
Nine semester units minimum with at least one course each from C1 and C2.

• Area C1, Arts
  African-American Studies 3, 8, 15
  American Indian Studies 35
  Architecture 15A, 15B
  Art 2, 3, 5/5H, 6/6H, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12A, 12B, 14, 15, 17, 55, 60, 70
  Asian-American Studies 55
  Chicoano-Latino Studies 17A, 20, 22, +27B
  Communication 12
  Dance +17A, 20A, +27B, 30
  Film 1, 2A, 2B, 6
  Music 3, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17
  Photography 5
  Theatre Arts 12, 30, 31, 44A
  *Only one course can be used to satisfy this area.

• Area C2, Humanities
  African-American Studies 17
  American Sign Language 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8
  Armenian 1, 2
  Asian-American Studies 8
  Chicoano-Latino Studies 21
  Chinese 1, 2
  English 1B, 12, 14, 15A, 15B, 17, 36, 40, 42, 44A, 44B, 45, 46A, 46B, 47, 48A, 48B
  Film 1, 2A, 2B, 3
  French 1, 2, 3
  German 1, 2
  History 1/1H, 2/2H
  Hmong 1, 2
  Humanities 10/10H, 11/11H, 42
  Japanese 1, 2
  Linguistics 10/10H
  Philosophy 1A/1AH, 1B, 1C/1CH, 1D, 3A, 3B, 5
  Political Science 3
  Portuguese 1, 2
  Spanish 1, 2, 2NS, 3, 3NS, 4, 4NS, 5, 6, 7, 9, 41, 42
  Theatre Arts 32
  Women's Studies 36
  Area D: Social Sciences
Nine semester units minimum from at least two disciplines.
  African-American Studies 1, 4, 34
  American Indian Studies 20, 31, 34
  American Studies 10, 11
  Anthropology 2/2H, 3, 4, 8
  Asian-American Studies 1, 10, 15, 25, 30
  Business Administration 20
  Chicoano-Latino Studies 11, 12, 29, 30
  Child Development 30, 38, 39
  Economics 25, 40/40H, 50/50H
  Geography 2, 4A, 4B, 20
  Global Studies 1, 2
  History 1/1H, 2/2H, 3, 11, 12/12H, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 29, 30, 34
  Human Services 10
  Journalism 1, 16
  Political Science 1, 2/2H, 3, 5, 24
  Psychology 2/2H, 38, 39
  Sociology 1A/1AH, 1B, 2, 10, 32
  Women's Studies 10, 22, 30, 47

Area E: Lifelong Learning and Self-Development
Three semester units minimum. *Three units of physical education alone is insufficient to fulfill AREA E.
  Child Development 38, 39
  Food and Nutrition 35, 40
  Health Science 1
  Theatre Arts 2/2H, 25, 33, 38, 39

Total Minimum Units Required for Certification ........................... 39
Notes: Courses listed in more than one area or sub-area may only be used one time.

The same course, e.g. CLS/DANCE 27, can be counted only once.

Some CSU campuses have restrictions on when courses in AREAS A and B4 must be completed prior to transfer.

Additional courses may be added to the Fresno City College CSU GE-Breadth. An updated CSU General Education Sheet may be obtained from the Counseling Center, the Transfer Center, the Fresno City College Website, or www.assist.org.

Students transferring into Engineering and Liberal Studies majors may be required to complete specific courses in each area of CSU GE-Breadth or they may be waived/exempted from specific areas. See a counselor for assistance.

Students who have credit from other colleges should meet with a counselor regarding General Education Certification.

A maximum of 70 semester units earned at community college may be transferred to CSU. Course work completed above the 70 units may be used to satisfy GE and major preparation even though the units will not count toward the bachelor's degree.
U.S. History, Constitution, and American Ideals

To graduate from a California State University a student must complete, with a "D" or better grades, a combination of courses which are identified as meeting the U. S. History, Constitution, and American Ideals requirements. Courses at Fresno City College which meet this requirement are: one course from History 11 or 12 combined with one course from Political Science 2 or 2H. These courses may also be used simultaneously to satisfy course requirements on the CSU GE-Breadth pattern. (See page 47).

California State University Transfer Course List (CSU)

The following courses are baccalaureate-level courses transferable to all California State University campuses. Their acceptance in meeting general education or major requirements will vary among the campuses. Consult the appropriate catalog, major sheet or with a counselor for specific information.

Note: A number of courses are cross-referenced—the same course is listed in more than one area, department or discipline—usually with the same course number. Credit can be earned only once for cross-referenced courses. See the individual course listings in the "Course Descriptions" section of the catalog.

Accounting 4A, 4B, 19, 51, 52, 53, 54A, 56, 57, 61, 70, 73
Aerospace Studies 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B, 3, 5
African-American Studies 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 15, 17, 34, 41
Allied Health 1, 2, 19, 20, 21
American Indian Studies 20, 31, 32, 34, 35
American Sign Language 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 20, 21
American Studies 10, 11
Anthropology 1, 1L, 2/2H, 3, 4, 8, 12, 13, 15, 16A, 16B, 24, 28, 30
Applied Technology 10, 11, 19, 21, 40
Architecture 10, 11, 12, 14, 15A, 15B, 20, 21, 22, 24, 30, 31, 32, 34, 40, 41A, 42
Armenian 1, 2, 3
Asian-American Studies 1, 8, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 55
Astronomy 10
Automotive Technology 9, 10, 19, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 58A, 58B, 58C, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 68A, 68B, 68C
Automotive Technology – General Motors ASEP 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57
Biology 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11A/11AH, 11B, 14, 20, 21A, 21B, 22, 31, 46, 47, 55
Business Administration 5, 10, 10H, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 27, 28, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 38, 40, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 58
Business & Technology 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11, 13, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 33, 43
Chemistry 1A, 1B, 3A, 3B, 8A, 18L, 20, 28A, 28B, 29A, 29B
Chicano-Latino Studies 11, 12, 13, 14, 17A, 17B, 18, 20, 21, 22, 24, 27A, 27B, 28, 29, 30, 33
Child Development 1, 3, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16A, 17A, 17B, 19, 20, 30, 37A, 37B, 38, 39, 40A, 40B, 42, 43, 45, 47, 48, 53, 60
Chinese 1, 2
Communication 1, 2, 4, 8/8H, 12, 20, 25, 26
Computer Aided Drafting and Design 6A, 14, 16, 22, 24, 26A, 28, 32, 36A, 42
Computer Aided Manufacturing 5, 10, 15, 20, 26, 31
Computer Information Technology 12, 15, 17, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 28, 31, 40, 45, 48A, 48B, 50, 54A, 54B, 55, 57, 58B, 58C, 58D, 58E, 58F, 60, 63, 65, 66, 69, 70, 80, 81, 82, 84, 85, 90, 93, 94, 95, 97, 99
Computer Science 1, 26, 40, 41, 45
Construction 14, 18, 50, 50A, 50B, 51, 52A, 52B, 53, 55, 56A, 56AL, 56B, 56BL, 60, 65
Counseling 43, 48, 53, 54
Criminology 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 36
Decision Science 21, 23
Dental Hygiene 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 2, 3A, 3B, 4, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 8A, 8B, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14
Developmental Services 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55
Drafting 12
Economics 25, 40/40H, 50/50H
Education 6, 7, 19, 19X, 30
Engineering 1A, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12
English 1A/1AH, 1B, 3/3H, 12, 14, 15A, 15B, 15C, 15D, 17, 20, 36, 40, 42, 44A, 44B, 45, 46A, 46B, 47, 48A, 48B
Fashion Merchandising 19, 26, 27, 28
Film 1, 2A, 2B, 3, 5, 6, 7