

# GUIDE FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

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Welcome to Cal State East Bay! As a new transfer student, it can be challenging just getting started. We encourage you to **focus on your major courses first** and seek advising from your major department, especially since the majority of the coursework that you'll be completing here will be for your major. However, below are a few **non-major** requirements that we can share with you now to help you get started.

If you are **transferring from another CSU** and took upper division coursework there, you may have satisfied one or more of the upper division GE requirements. Be sure to check in with your major advisor if this applies to you.



All East Bay students need to complete 3 courses in Upper Division GE and 3 Overlay requirements, but the overlays can **double-count with GE and/or Major!** Yes, major courses can be used to also satisfy GE and the overlays if they are approved for those requirements!

Take ONE course from each Upper Division GE area:

- **B6-Science**
- **C4-Humanities**
- **D4-Social Science**

Satisfy each Overlay area:

- **Diversity (Div)**
- **Social Justice (SJ)**
- **Sustainability (Sus)**

## To search for GE/grad requirement classes when enrolling:

1. Go to MyCSUEB and select Search Class Listings
2. Next to Course Attribute, click on the drop-down menu and select Breadth Area(s)
3. Next to Course Attribute Value, click on the drop-down menu and select the corresponding GE/graduation requirement area (ex. Diversity, GE B1, GE Upper Division C, US3, etc.)
4. Add any additional filters (Show Open Classes Only, Mode of Instruction, etc.)
5. Click on Search to generate a list of selected GE/grad requirement courses

## All students must also complete the following general Graduation Requirements:

- *American Institutions/Code* – complete course(s) to cover US History (US1), US Government (US2), and CA state/local government (US3); all THREE areas must be satisfied
- *2<sup>nd</sup> English Composition* – Engl 200, Art 229, Engr 200, Hist 277, Phys 230, or an approved transfer course
- *Units* – MUST complete a minimum total of 120 semester units, of which 40 must be upper division (300/400-level); at least 30 must be completed at East Bay

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