

Subject Area Categories for the CUNY Common Core

Subject Area	Description
AMER	American Studies
ANTH	Anthropology
ARST	Area Studies
ART	Art
ASTR	Astronomy
BIOL	Biology
CHEM	Chemistry
CLAS	Classics
COMM	Communications/Speech
COMP	Computer Science
CRIM	Criminal Justice
ERSC	Earth Science
ECON	Economics
LIT	English and Literature
ENSC	Environmental Science/Studies
ETHS	Ethnic Studies
FILM	Film
FORL	Foreign Language
FOSC	Forensic Science
GEST	Gender Studies
GEOG	Geography
GEOL	Geology
HIST	History
INTE	Interdisciplinary Studies
LBST	Labor Studies
LAW	Law/ Law and Society
LING	Linguistics
MATH	Mathematics
MEST	Media Studies
MUSI	Music
PHIL	Philosophy

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PHYS	Physics
PLSC	Political Science
PSYC	Psychology
PUAD	Public Administration
RELI	Religion Studies
SOC	Sociology
STAT	Statistics
THEA	Theatre
UBST	Urban Studies
VSPA	Visual and Performing Arts (unless otherwise specified)

*If the category is math or science, user will see questions about applying t

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Subdisciplines	Math or Science?*
Asian Studies, Caribbean Studies, Latin American Studies	
	X
	X
	X
	X
Comparative Literature, English, English Literature, World Literature	
	X
African American Studies, Asian American Studies, Black Studies, Hispanic Studies, Italian-American Studies, Irish Studies, Jewish Studies, Puerto Rican Studies	
American Sign Language, Arabic, Chinese, Creole, French, German, Greek, Haitian, Hebrew, Hindi, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Latin, Portuguese, Polish, Russian, Slavic languages, Spanish, Swahili, Ukrainian, Yiddish, Yoruba	
	X
	X
	X

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Subdisciplines	Math or Science?*
	X
	X

for a waiver for a 4-credit math or science course.