

**Transfer to All Campuses - California State University (CSU)**  
**CSU General Education-Breadth Requirements for 2022-2023**

Effective: Fall 2022 through Summer 2023

DeAnza College  
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The CSU General Education-Breadth is a series of courses that California community college (CCC) students may complete to satisfy the lower-division general education/breadth requirements before transferring to the California State University. CCC can certify completion of CSU GE-Breadth. **A course can only be certified if it was approved for CSU GE-Breadth when it was taken. Courses on this list are approved for academic year 2022-2023.** For a complete listing of courses, their approval dates, and transfer credit limitations, visit **ASSIST.org**. Upon enrolling in final course requirements and receiving conditional admission to the university, students must submit a request for certification to the De Anza College Admissions and Records Office. G.E. Certification Request forms are available online at **deanza.edu/admissions/forms.html**. For CSU transfer information, go to: **calstate.edu/apply/transfer**.

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<b>AREA A: ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMMUNICATION AND CRITICAL THINKING</b> <b>12-15 Quarter Units</b> At least <b>1 course each</b> from <b>Areas A1, A2 and A3</b> . All courses must be completed with a grade of C or better.			
<b>A1 – Oral Communication</b> <b>COMM 1, 1H, 10, 10H</b>  Other Course: _____ College: _____ <b>No AP/IB Exam Credit for Area A1</b>			
<b>A2 – Written Communication</b> <b>EWRT 1A, 1AH or (1AS &amp; 1AT - if this option is selected, both courses must be completed for Area A2 credit; 5 units will be applied towards GE credit)</b> <b>ESL 5</b>  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP Exam Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____			
<b>A3 – Critical Thinking</b> <b>COMM 8, 8H, 9, 9H, 15, 15H</b> <b>EWRT 2, 2H</b> <b>PHIL 3, 4, 7, 7H</b> <b>READ 10</b>  Other Course: _____ College: _____ <b>No AP/IB Exam Credit for Area A3</b>			
<b>AREA B: SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING</b> <b>12-15 Quarter Units</b> At least <b>1 course each</b> from <b>Physical Science, Life Science and Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning</b> . At least <b>1 science course</b> must contain a laboratory component. Courses with a laboratory are <u>underlined</u> .			
<b>B1 – Physical Science</b> <b>ASTR 4, 4/15L, 10, 10/15L</b> <b>CHEM 1A, 1AH, 1B, 1BH, 1C, 1CH, 10, 25, 30A, 30B</b> <b>GEO 1</b> <b>GEOL 10, 20</b> <b>MET 10, 10/10L, 10/20L, 12, 12/20L</b> <b>PHYS 2A, 4A, 10</b>  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP/IB Exam/CLEP Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____			
<b>B2 – Life Science</b> <b>ANTH 1, 1H, 1/1L, 1H/1L, 7, BIOL 6A, 6AH, 6B, 6C, 6CH, 10, 10H, 11, 13, 15, 26, 40C</b> <b>ESCI 1, 1/1L, 19, 60</b>  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP/IB Exam/CLEP Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____			
<b>B3 – Laboratory Activity</b> ( <u>Underlined</u> courses in Areas B1 and B2 include an approved lab.)		<b>Check if lab requirement met</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>B4 – Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning</b> (A grade of C or better is required.) Select <b>1 course</b> from the following: <b>BUS 54</b> <b>EDUC 46</b> <b>MATH 1A, 1AH, 1B, 1BH, 1C, 1CH, 1D, 1DH, 2A, 2AH, 2B, 2BH, 10, 10H, 11, 11H, 12, 17, 22, 22H, 23, 31, 31H,</b> (31A & 31B - if this option is selected, both courses must be completed for Area B4 credit; 5 units will be applied towards GE credit), <b>32, 32H, 44, 46</b> <b>PSYC 15</b> <b>SOC 15</b>  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP/IB Exam/CLEP Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____			

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<b>AREA C: ARTS AND HUMANITIES</b>		<b>12-15 Quarter Units</b>	
Select <b>3 courses</b> , with at least <b>1</b> course in the <b>Arts</b> and <b>1</b> course in the <b>Humanities</b> . <b>EWRT</b> 1B, 1BH or <b>ESL</b> 6 is strongly recommended for students who do not select <b>COMM</b> 9, 9H or <b>EWRT</b> 2, 2H or <b>PHIL</b> 3 in <b>Area A3</b> .			
See <b>CSU U.S. History, Constitution, and American Ideals graduation requirement</b> at the end of this document.			
<b>C1 – Arts: (Arts, Cinema, Dance, Music, Theater)</b> <b>ARTS</b> 1A, 1B, 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, 2F#, 2G, 2H, 2J, 3TC#, 3TE <b>ASAM</b> 40 <b>CHLX</b> 13 <b>CETH</b> 13# <b>DANC</b> 38A <b>E S</b> 3# <b>F/TV</b> 1#, 1H#, 2A#, 2AH#, 2AW#, 2AWH#, 2B#, 2BH#, 2BW#, 2BWH#, 2C#, 2CH#, 2CW#, 2CWH#, 75G  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP/IB Exam Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____			
<b>C2 – Humanities: (Literature, Philosophy, Languages Other than English)</b> <b>AFAM</b> 11#, 25# <b>ASAM</b> 20, 21, 22#, 32, 41 <b>CHLX</b> 26# <b>CETH</b> 8#, 19# <b>ESL</b> 6 <b>ELIT</b> 8, 10, 10H, 11, 12, 17, 17H, 19, 21, 22, 24, 28, 38, 39, 40, 41, 41H, 46A, 46AH, 46B, 46BH, 46C, 46CH, 47A, 47B, 48A, 48AH, 48B, 48BH, 48C, 48CH <b>EWRT</b> 1B, 1BH, 1C, 30, 40, 41, 42 <b>F/TV</b> 1#, 1H#, 2A#, 2AH#, 2AW#, 2AWH#, 2B#, 2BH#, 2BW#, 2BWH#, 2C#, 2CH#, 2CW#, 2CWH# <b>FREN</b> 1, 2, 3 <b>GERM</b> 1, 2, 3, 4 <b>HNDI</b> 1, 2, 3 <b>HIST</b> 3A#, 3AH#, 3B#, 3BH#, 3C#, 3CH#, 6A#, 6AH#, 6B#, 6BH#, 6C#, 6CH#, 17A#, 17AH#, 17B#, 17BH#, 17C#, 17CH#  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP Exam/CLEP Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____ (C1 or C2) Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP/IB Exam (C1/C2)/CLEP Credit (C2): _____ Qtr. Units: _____			
<b>AREA D: SOCIAL SCIENCES<sup>A</sup></b>		<b>Minimum 8 Quarter Units</b>	
Select <b>2 courses</b>			
See <b>CSU U.S. History, Constitution, and American Ideals graduation requirement</b> at the end of this document.			
<b>ADMJ</b> 29# <b>AFAM</b> 10#, 11#, 12A, 12B, 25# <b>ANTH</b> 2, 2H, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 12 <b>ARTS</b> 2F#, 3TC# <b>ASAM</b> 1, 10, 11#, 12, 13, 22#, 30, 42A, 42B <b>BUS</b> 21 <b>C D</b> 10G, 10H, 12 <b>CETH</b> 8#, 10#, 11, 13#, 19#, 29#, 50 <b>CHLX</b> 10#, 11, 12, 26# <b>CIS</b> 2# <b>COMM</b> 7, 7H, 70, 70H <b>ECON</b> 1, 1H, 2, 2H, 3, 3H, 4, 5 <b>E S</b> 1, 3#, 4 <b>F/TV</b> 10, 10H <b>GEO</b> 4, 5, 10  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP Exam/CLEP Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____ Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP Exam/CLEP Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____		<b>HIST</b> 3A#, 3AH#, 3B#, 3BH#, 3C#, 3CH#, 6A#, 6AH#, 6B#, 6BH#, 6C#, 6CH#, 7A, 7B, 9#, 9H#, 10, 10H, 16A, 16B, 17A#, 17AH#, 17B#, 17BH#, 17C#, 17CH#, 18A, 18B, 19A, 19B <b>HUMA</b> 10#, 10H#, 30# <b>ICS</b> 7, 7H, 16A, 16B, 17, 17H, 19, 25, 26, 27, 27H, 36, 37, 38A, 38B, 47 <b>INTL</b> 5, 8, 33 <b>JOUR</b> 2 <b>KNES</b> 47#, 54 <b>NAIS</b> 11, 12#, 16, 31 <b>POLI</b> 1, 1H, 2, 3, 5, 15, 16, 17, 17H, 60A, 60B, 60C <b>PSYC</b> 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8#, 9#, 10G, 10H, 12#, 14#, 24, 51# <b>SOSC</b> 60A, 60B, 60C <b>SOC</b> 1, 5, 14, 20, 28, 29, 35 <b>WMST</b> 1#, 3C#, 8#, 9#, 9H#, 12#, 22#, 24, 25#, 26#, 27#, 28, 29#, 31#  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *AP Exam/CLEP Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____	

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<b>AREA E: LIFELONG LEARNING AND SELF-DEVELOPMENT</b>		<b>4-5 Quarter Units</b>	
No more than 2 units of DANC/KNES/P E/PEA activity courses may apply.			
<b>Non-Activity Courses:</b> <b>BUS</b> 56 <b>CLP</b> 7 <b>C D</b> 64 <b>COMM</b> 16, 16H <b>CIS</b> 2# <b>E S</b> 2 <b>ESCI</b> 30 <b>HLTH</b> 21  <b>HIST</b> 9#, 9H# <b>HUMA</b> 10#, 10H#, 20, 30# <b>HUMI</b> 16# <b>KNES</b> 45, 47#, 50A (3 units), 51A (3 units), 52 (3 units), 53, 55, 90, 91 <b>NUTR</b> 10 <b>PSYC</b> 8#, 9#, 12#, 14#, 51# <b>WMST</b> 1#, 9#, 9H#, 12#			
<b>Dance (DANC) Activity Courses:</b> <b>DANC</b> 22,K,L,M; 23A,B,C,L,M,N; 24A,B,C; 25A,B; 37A,B,C  <b>Kinesiology (KNES)/Physical Education (P E) Activity Courses:</b> <b>KNES</b> 1A,B,C,CX,D,DX; 2A,AX,B,BX; 5A,AX,B,BX; 6A,AX; 7A,AX; 9A,AX,B,BX; 11A,AX,B,BX; 12D,DX,E,EX,G,H,HX, J,JX; 15A,AX,C,CX,E,EX,EY,F,FX; 16A,AX,AY; 17A,AX; 19A,AX,B,BX,D,DX,E,EX,G,GX; 20A,AX; 22A,AX,B,BX, C,CX, D,DX,E,EX; 25A,AX,B,BX; 26A,AX,B,BX; 29A,B; 30A,B,BX,C; 31A,AX,B,BX,C,CX,J,JX,K,KX; 32A,AX,B,BX,C,CX, D,DX,E,EX,F,FX; 36A,AX; 37A,AX,B,BX,C,CX,D,DX,E; 38A,AX,B,BX,C,CX,D,DX; 39A,AX,B,BX,C,CX,DX; 40A,AX,B,BX,C,CX; 41A,AX,B,BX,C,CX; 42C,CX; 50AL; 51AL  <b>P E</b> 32B,BX,F,G,H,HX,I,IX,J,JX,K,L,LX,M,MX,N,P,S,SX,T,W; 38W,WX,WY; 39M,MX,MY,W,WX,WY; 40,X,Y; 41,X,Y; 42W,WX,WY; 43,X,Y; 44M,MX,MY,W,WX,WY; 45,X,Y; 46,X,Y; 47M, MX,MY,W,WX,WY; 48M,MX,MY,W,WX,WY  <b>Physical Education - Adapted (PEA) Activity Courses:</b> <b>PEA</b> 1,X,Y,Z; 2,X,Y,Z; 4,X,Y,Z; 5,X,Y,Z; 6Y; 15,X,Y,Z  Other Course: _____ College: _____ *CLEP Credit: _____ Qtr. Units: _____			
<b>AREA F: ETHNIC STUDIES<sup>▲</sup></b>		<b>4 Quarter Units</b>	
Select <b>1 course</b> Students with fall 2021 or later catalog rights are required to complete <b>Area F</b> for full CSUGE certification. Those with catalog rights prior to fall 2021 are not required to complete <b>Area F</b> , but 12-15 quarter units in <b>Area D</b> (from at least 2 disciplines) are required if <b>Area F</b> is not completed.			
<b>ADMJ</b> 29#, <b>AFAM</b> 10#, 11#, <b>ASAM</b> 11#, <b>CETH</b> 10#, 29#, <b>CHLX</b> 10#, <b>NAIS</b> 12#			
Other Course <sup>+</sup> : _____ College: _____		Qtr. Units: _____	
<b>UNIT REQUIREMENT:</b> If needed, select additional course(s) from <b>Areas A - F</b> above to meet the 58 quarter units required for full certification.			
<b>Total Units for Areas A - F (58 Quarter Units):</b>			
<p># - Course is listed in more than one GE Area, but it can only be certified in one Area.</p> <p>* - For the CSU External Exam Credit information, go to: <a href="https://www2.calstate.edu/attend/student-services/casper/Pages/external-exam-credit.aspx">https://www2.calstate.edu/attend/student-services/casper/Pages/external-exam-credit.aspx</a></p> <p>▲ - The new Area F requirement and changes to Area D are effective Fall 2021 and subsequent catalog years for students who have not previously been enrolled continuously at a campus of CSU or the California community colleges (CCC). For purposes of this section, continuous enrollment is defined as attendance in at least one semester or two quarters per calendar year at a CSU or CCC or a combination of the two.</p> <p>+ - Courses from other colleges must be approved by CSU for Area F.</p>			
<b>CSU Graduation Requirement: U.S. History, Constitution, and American Ideals</b> - not part of CSU GE Breadth, but may be completed prior to transfer. 8 quarter units. Complete US-1, US-2, and US-3. <b>For US-1</b> select one course: AFAM 12A, 12B, HIST 17A, 17AH, 17B, 17BH, 17C, 17CH, 18A, 18B <b>For US-2 &amp; US-3</b> select one course: POLI 1, 1H Courses taken to satisfy this requirement may also be used to satisfy CSU GE-Breadth subject area requirements at the discretion of the receiving campus; check with Admissions at the receiving CSU campus to confirm double-counting allowance.			
<b>CSU GE Breadth for STEM</b> - Students earning an Associate Degree for Transfer in a high-unit STEM major may be eligible to complete CSU GE Breadth for STEM, deferring two lower-division GE courses until after transfer. At De Anza College, the Biology AS-T allows CSU GE Breadth for STEM. CSU GE Breadth for STEM certification as part of the Biology AS-T requires completion of: a. All courses in Areas A, B, E, and F; and b. One course in Area C1 (Arts); one course in Area C2 (Humanities); and one course in Area D. <i>Consult with a counselor or academic adviser to discuss which general education pattern is the best option for you.</i>			

## California State University General Education - Breadth (CSU GE)

[www.deanza.edu/articulation/ge-requirements.html](http://www.deanza.edu/articulation/ge-requirements.html)

All students must meet general education (GE) requirements to receive a bachelor's degree from the California State University (CSU). The CSU requires a minimum of 72 quarter units of GE which includes lower-division and upper-division courses. Students may complete all of the lower-division GE requirements at a California community college (CCC) before transferring to the CSU.

**The CSU GE - Breadth (CSU GE) is a lower-division, 58 quarter unit pattern.** Up to 58 of the 72 general education units required can be certified by a CCC. Students who complete all areas of CSU GE with at least 58 quarter units and are certified will not be required to complete any additional lower-division GE coursework after transfer to the CSU. Full certification does not exempt students from fulfilling any unmet lower division graduation requirements for the campus awarding the B.A./B.S. degree. A CCC can certify each Subject Area (Areas A, B, C, D, E, F) or the entire pattern. CSU provides CCC transfer students with two system-wide options for fulfilling its lower-division GE requirements: CSU GE and the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) for CSU. Students should meet with a counselor or academic adviser to determine which pattern is most appropriate for their educational goals.

Though completion of CSU GE (or IGETC) is not a CSU transfer admission requirement, most students should make completion of all or most of CSU GE (or IGETC) a priority along with completion of lower-division major coursework. Students pursuing high-unit majors such as engineering, some mathematics-based fields, sciences and technical majors are generally advised to focus on fulfilling lower-division major course requirements over GE requirements. These students should work closely with a counselor or academic adviser to determine the extent to which CSU GE (or IGETC) should be completed before transfer.

**To be eligible for upper-division transfer to the CSU**, students must successfully complete 90 CSU-transferable quarter units with a grade point average of 2.0 or better\* in all transferable college units attempted. At least 45 of these units must be courses applicable towards CSU GE (see below), and must include Areas A1, A2, A3, and B4. CSU campuses may limit the required 45-units to CSU GE Area-unit requirements so these campuses could, for example, only apply 12-15 units from Area B towards the 45 required units. **For admission purposes**, the 45-units of CSU GE courses must be completed with a grade of C- or better in each course. However, with the exception of Areas A1, A2, A3, and B4, CSU campuses may utilize different grading policies. Students are advised to check with the campus they are interested in for further details.

**Note: For certification purposes**, CSU GE Areas A1, A2, A3 and B4 must be completed with a **C** grade or better (see below).

**Note:** Some CSU campuses do not allow courses in Areas A1, A2, A3 and B4 to be completed during the last term prior to transfer.

Students must also be in good standing at the last college or university attended. For more information and to learn about lower-division transfer requirements, go to:

<https://www2.calstate.edu/apply/transfer/Pages/lower-division-transfer.aspx>

\* These are minimum requirements to be considered for admission. In the case of high-demand and impacted majors/campuses or when enrollment restrictions are enforced by a campus, a 2.0 GPA may not be competitive (or a higher GPA may be required) and the level of transfer preparedness may also be considered.

### COURSES ON CSU GE

- A course must be on CSU GE (in the specified Subject Area) the term it is completed in order to apply. Courses may be added to CSU GE mid-academic year, so students should always refer to the most up-to-date CSU GE pattern when selecting courses each term. Check [www.ASSIST.org](http://www.ASSIST.org) and [www.deanza.edu/articulation/ge-requirements.html](http://www.deanza.edu/articulation/ge-requirements.html) on a regular basis for any updates.

- **Areas A1, A2, A3 and B4 must be completed with a C or better for certification.** Though not recommended, a grade of “Credit” or “Pass” may be used if the community college’s policy states that it is equivalent to a grade of C or better. A “Pass” at DAC is achieved with a grade of C or better. Students are advised to consult with a counselor or academic adviser before selecting this grading option.
- Though a course may be listed in more than one Subject Area, it can only be counted in one Subject Area for certification.

**A few things to consider:** Some CSU campuses set limits on the number of units that may be taken for Credit/Pass. Courses used towards a major should be taken for a letter grade, unless otherwise specified. CSU has campus-specific policies which may not allow courses to be double-counted for major and GE. Consult CSU college catalogs and websites for campus-specific policies.

### **COURSEWORK FROM OTHER COLLEGES**

- Courses taken at another CCC will be applied in the approved Subject Areas designated by that college when the courses were completed. Visit [www.ASSIST.org](http://www.ASSIST.org) for more information.
- Courses from regionally accredited institutions could apply towards CSU GE provided they meet CSU GE criteria and standards.
- Only foreign coursework from U.S. regionally accredited institutions may be applied towards CSU GE. Although De Anza College will not certify other foreign coursework, a CSU campus may elect to apply them towards GE after a student has transferred.

Students must arrange to have official transcripts sent to the DAC Admissions and Records (A&R) Office. Evaluation time varies so this process should be initiated by the student as soon as possible. If DAC is unable to determine the applicability of a non-CCC course towards CSU GE, it is the student’s responsibility to provide additional information about the course. Writing samples may be needed for courses reviewed for Areas A2 and A3 and, if applicable, for Area C, if a second writing course was completed.

### **CSU GE CERTIFICATION**

The CSU GE certification is an official document sent directly from DAC to another institution verifying the courses/exams applied towards CSU GE. This is not an automatic process. Upon enrolling in final required courses and receiving conditional admission to the university, students must submit a request for certification to the DAC A&R Office. All necessary documentation (transcripts, exams) must be received and evaluated by DAC prior to this request. NOTE: The certification process may be delayed if transcripts/exams have not been previously evaluated. (See section on **Coursework from Other Colleges** above.) The GE Certification Request form is available online at [www.deanza.edu/admissions/forms.html](http://www.deanza.edu/admissions/forms.html)

### **EXAMS**

- Advanced Placement (AP) – official reports must be sent to the DAC A&R Office directly from the College Board in order to apply.
- College Level Examination Program (CLEP) – official reports must be sent to the DAC A&R Office directly from College Board in order to apply.
- International Baccalaureate (IB) – official reports must be sent to the DAC A&R Office directly from the IB Organization in order to apply. The CSU System- wide Credit for AP/CLEP/IB Exams Charts are available at [www.deanza.edu/articulation/ge-csu-transfer.html](http://www.deanza.edu/articulation/ge-csu-transfer.html)