

**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY**  
**General Education Breadth Requirements**  
**2004 - 2005**

**A. COMMUNICATION IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND CRITICAL THINKING - 9 UNITS**  
(One course required from 1, 2, & 3)

1. <b>Oral Communication:</b> Speech 1, 3, 6, 7, 9
2. <b>Written Communication:</b> English 1A
3. <b>Critical Thinking:</b> English 1B, 1C (formerly English 41); Philosophy 12, Speech 3

**B. PHYSICAL UNIVERSE AND ITS LIFE FORMS – 9 UNITS**  
(One course required from 1& 2 (including lab) & 4)

1. <b>Physical Science:</b> Astronomy 1, 10, 11*; Chemistry 1A*, 1B*, 2A*, 2B*, 3A, 3B, 8, 9*, 10; Ecology 10, 11*, 12; Geography 1; Geology 10, 10L*, 11L*; Physical Science 10A, 10B, 10C*; Physics 2A, 2B, 3A*, 3B*, 4A*, 4B*, 10, 10L*
2. <b>Life Science:</b> Anthropology 1; Biology 1*, 2*, 3*, 4*, 5*, 6*, 10, 10L*, 11*, 15*, 25; Ecology 10, 11*, 12; Plant Science 20, 20L*, 22, 22L*
3. <b>One Course from (1) or (2) must be a lab course (* denotes lab)</b>
4. <b>Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning:</b> Math 1A, 1B, 7, 9, 10, 15, 15B, 21, 25; Statistics 1

**C. ARTS, LITERATURE, PHILOSOPHY, AND FOREIGN LANGUAGE – 9 UNITS**  
(Must include courses from 1& 2. Courses must be taken in at least two disciplines)

1. <b>Arts (Art, Dance, Music Theatre):</b> Art 1A, 1B, 1C, 3A, 3B, 5, 31R; Asian American Studies 31; Early Childhood Education 21; English 2, 33, 34; Humanities 3, 5, 10, 11, 12, 15, 16, 26A, 26B, 31, 33, 34; Mass Communications 11R; Music 1, 1A, 1B, 3, 8A, 8B, 12, 15, 16; Speech 2; Theatre Arts 10, 33, 34; Women's Studies 26A, 26B
2. <b>Humanities (Literature, Philosophy, Foreign Language):</b> Afro American Studies 12A, 12B, 16A, 16B; Asian American Studies 14, 31; Early Childhood Education 39; English 1B, 2, 30A, 30B, 31A, 31B, 36, 37, 38, 39, 42, 44A, 44B, 46A, 46B, Foreign Language 1, 2, 3, 4; History 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 7, 8, 11, 12A, 12B, 14, 15, 16A, 16B, 17A, 17B, 29; Humanities 10, 11, 12, 20, 31; LaRaza Studies 15; Music 12; Native American Studies 7; Philosophy 1, 2, 3, 20; Spanish 10, 20A, 20B, 35, 36; Speech 2; Women's Studies 29, 37

**D. SOCIAL, POLITICAL, AND ECONOMIC INSTITUTIONS AND BEHAVIOR, HISTORICAL BACKGROUND – 9 UNITS**  
(Courses must be taken in at least two disciplines)

<b>U.S. History/Constitution/American Institutions Requirement (40404)– 6 Units</b> (Complete one course each from (1) and (2) OR two courses from (3). (1) Afro American Studies 16A, 16B; History 15, 16A, 16B, 17A, 17B; LaRaza Studies 15 (2) Political Science 1; Social Science 1 (3) History 17A and 17B
<b>Other Social Science Selections (one, two, or three courses):</b> Administration of Justice 10; Afro American Studies 12A, 12B, 16A, 16B; Anthropology 2, 3; Asian American Studies 14; Early Childhood Education 3, 31; Economics 1A, 1B; English 4; Family & Consumer Science 31; Geography 2; History 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 7, 8, 11, 12A, 12B, 14, 15, 16A, 16B, 17A, 17B, 29; LaRaza Studies 1, 15; Mass Communications 2; Native American Studies 7; Political Science 1; Psychology 1A, 1B, 12, 22, 31, 32, 33, 40, 41, 46; Speech 8; Social Science 1, 4; Sociology 1, 2, 5, 10, 30, 35; Women's Studies 29, 31, 35

**E. LIFELONG UNDERSTANDING AND SELF-DEVELOPMENT – 3 UNITS**

Counseling 10, 25; Family & Consumer Studies 10; Gen Bus 25; Health Ed 1; approved Physical Education activities (1.5 unit maximum); Psychology 1A, 1B, 12, 31, 32, 33, 41, 46; Sociology 30; Women's Studies 31
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A minimum of 48 semester units in General Education (G.E.) is required for a BA/BS degree, 9 semester units must be at the upper division level. This pattern is designed to satisfy the 39 units of lower division G.E. requirement to any of the CSU campuses. G.E. units in excess of 39 completed at Yuba College may transfer as lower division major and/or elective (70 C.C. units maximum). Minimum of 9 units in Areas B, C, and D required for full certification. **CSU campuses may have additional lower division graduation requirements outside of G.E.** See a **Yuba College counselor** for additional G.E. and major requirements for individual campuses.