

Student's Name

Last/First/Middle

Student I.D. #

Counselor/Date

Beginning Fall 2025, Cal-GETC is to be completed by students who plan to transfer to a CSU or UC campus. A grade of "C" or better or Pass is required for Cal-GETC courses with a maximum of 14 units in P/NP. Continuing students from Summer 2024 and prior, who have maintained continuous enrollment, may continue with CSUGE/IGETC. Please meet with a counselor for additional information.

Circle courses taken at SC • List courses taken at other colleges • Indicate name of test if requirement was met with AP or IB. CPL credit is limited to AP, IB and Credit by Exam only. CLEP is not allowed. C = COMPLETED IP = IN PROGRESS N = NEEDED				C	IP	N
AREA 1: ENGLISH COMMUNICATION (3 courses/min 3 units each; total 9 semester or 12 quarter units) — Complete ONE course in 1A, 1B, and 1C						
1A: ENGLISH COMPOSITION	ENGL C1000 or C1000H (formerly ENG 1A/1AH)					
1B: CRITICAL THINKING AND COMPOSITION	ENGL C1001, C1001H (formerly ENG 1B/1BH), ENG 2, 70					
1C: ORAL COMMUNICATION	COMM C1000, C1000H (formerly COMM 1/1H)					
AREA 2: MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING (1 course; 3 semester or 4 quarter units) — Complete ONE course.						
BUS 10 CS 30A/MATH 30A, 30B/MATH 30B	MATH 2, C2210 (formerly 3A), C2210H (formerly 3AH), C2220 (formerly 3B), 3C, 8, 11,	24, 26, 30A/CS 30A, 30B/CS 30B	STAT C1000, C1000H (formerly MATH 10) PSYC 44			
AREA 3: ARTS AND HUMANITIES (2 courses/min 3 units each; total 6 semester or 8 quarter units) — Complete ONE course each from 3A and 3B.						
3A: ARTS						
ARCH 12, 14 ART 4 ARTH 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, C1100 (formerly 25),	C1200 (formerly 26), 29, 30, 32 CTVR 2, 3, 3H, 4 [F26], 5, 7, 9 DANC 64, 74 FA 27, 27H	FASH 44 GD 1, 2 HORT 15 ID 22, 25	KNES 32 MUS 20, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 PHOT 25 TA 20, 22			
3B: HUMANITIES						
ARAB 2, 3, 4, 21 CHI 2, 3, 4, 21 ENG 15A, 15B, 17A, 17B, 18, 21A, 21B, 22, 22H, 24, 27A, 27AH, 42, 44, 52, 55	ENGL C1002 (formerly ENG 25) C1002H (formerly ENG 25H) FR 2, 3, 4, 21 GER 2, 3, 4, 21 HEBR 2	HIST 4, 5, C1001 (formerly 16), C1002 (formerly 17), 30, 70, 71, 72, 75 HON 11H, 12H, 13H, 14H HUM 1, 2, 21	ITA 2, 21 JA 2, 3, 4, 21 KOR 2, 3, 4, 21 PHIL 1, 1H, 5, 10, 14, 15, 16 [F26] PRSN 2, 3, 4, 21	SL 2, 3, 4 SPAN 2, 2H, 3, 4, 11, 20A, 20B, 21A, 21B, 21C		
AREA 4: SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (2 courses/min 3 units each; total 6 semester or 8 quarter units) — Complete TWO courses from two different disciplines.						
ANTH 2, 2H, 3, 4/ES 4, 5, 8, 9, 13, 22 CDE 15 CDEV C1000 (formerly CDE 7) COMM 20 CTVR 1/JRN 1, 1H/JRN 1H	ECON C2002, 2002H (formerly 2/2H), C2001, C2001H (formerly 4/4H), 11/PS 11 ENV 1, 1H, 6 ES 1, 3, 4/ANTH 4, 6, 7, 8, 9/SOC 9, 10/HIST 10, 11/GEOG 11, 33/HIST 33, 81/HIST 81 GEOG 2, 2H, 3, 11/ES 11, 38	GLST 1, 2 GSS 10, 10H, 11H, 15, 31, 60/PS 60 HIST 10/ES 10, 11, 12, 15, C1001 (formerly 16), C1002 (formerly 17), 19, 21, 22, 27, 28, 30, 32, 33/ES 33, 62, 63, 70, 71, 72, 74, 75, 78,	80/PS 80, 81/ES 81 JRN 1/CTVR 1, 1H/CTVR 1H KNES 46 POLS C1000, C1000H (formerly PS 1/1H) PS 4, 10H, 11/ECON 11, 12, 14, 45, 60/GSS 60, 65, 80/ES 80 PSYC C1000, C1000H (formerly 1/1H),	2, 2H, 4, 5, 7, 16, 21, 25, 30/SOC 30, 33, 37 SOC 2, 2H, 9/ES 9, 10, 12 15, 16, 18, 21, 23, 25, 30/PSYC 30 SOCI C1000, C1000H (formerly SOC 1/1H)		
Optional CSU Graduation Requirement: American Institutions (AI) certification may be added after full Cal-GETC is completed and upon successful completion of POLS C1000 or C1000H (formerly PS 1/1H) and one History course: HIST C1001, HIST C1002, or HIST 22.						
AREA 5: PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES (2 courses/min 3 units each and 1 lab; total 7 semester or 9 quarter units) — Complete ONE course each from 5A and 5B. One matching laboratory required to meet 5C.						
5A: PHYSICAL SCIENCE *denotes a course that includes laboratory (5C)						
ASTR C1001 (formerly 20), 21/ GEOL 21	CHEM 1A*, 1B*, 3*, 8*, 12A*, 12B* ENV 23*/GEOL 23*, 38	GEOG 1, 1H GEOL 1*, 2*, 3, 4, 7, 20*, 21/ASTR 21, 23*/ENV 23*	MS 4*, 20* PHYS 4A*, 4B*, 4C*, 20*, 2A*, 2B*, 30*			
5B: BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE *denotes a course that includes laboratory (5C)						
ANTH C1001, C1001H (formerly 1/1H)	BIO 3C*, 4A*, 4B*, 11*, 12*, 13*, 15*, 19*, 28, 30, 31*, 40, 43, 45	BIOL C1000 (formerly BIO 20*) ENV 5, 18*, 24* HORT 20*, 20H*	PSYC 3			
5C: LABORATORY Courses from 5A and 5B that have * meets the 5C requirement. However students may choose to take separate science lecture and laboratory courses.						
ANTH C1001L (formerly 1L)	ASTR 25	GEOG 1L				
AREA 6: ETHNIC STUDIES (1 course; 3 semester or 4 quarter units) — Complete ONE course.						
ES 1, 3, 4/ANTH 4						

ASSOCIATE DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

To earn an Associate Degree at Saddleback College, students must meet the following requirements:

- Complete ONE of the General Education patterns: Saddleback College General Education OR California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC).
NOTE: To earn an Associate Degree for Transfer (AA-T/AS-T), Cal-GETC must be completed, minimum "C" grade or better or a "P" (pass) is required.
- Complete major requirements as listed in the College Catalog. A "C" grade or better or a "P" (pass) is required.
- Complete 12 units in residency.
- Complete a minimum of 60 degree applicable units with an overall 2.0 grade point average in all units attempted.

Note to student

- Apply for degree and Cal-GETC certification by the stated deadlines <https://www.saddleback.edu/learning-saddleback/graduation-degree-and-certificate-information>
- Courses numbered 1-199 as well as Common Course Numbering (CXXXX) are degree applicable towards Associate Degree for Transfer (AA-T/AS-T). For more course numbering information please visit <https://saddleback.curriqnet.com/catalog/iq/21685/25189>.
- Courses numbered 1-299 as well as Common Course Numbering (CXXXX) at Saddleback are degree applicable towards the AA and AS degree. For course numbering information, please visit <https://saddleback.curriqnet.com/catalog/iq/21685/25189>.
- Check with transfer institution for their admissions/transfer policy as they may not be aligned with Cal-GETC.
- High school students must consult with transfer institution regarding completion of Cal-GETC prior to high school graduation. TAG is not available to high school students who graduate and apply directly to a UC campus.
- Credits earned at institutionally accredited colleges and universities may be accepted toward Saddleback College associate degrees and certificates.
- Credits used for Cal-GETC certification, UC or CSU transfer, or Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) are accepted only from colleges and universities accredited by ICAS-approved institutional accrediting agencies (formerly recognized as regional accreditors). See list below.
- Evaluated international coursework may be used only for Saddleback College local degrees and certificates; it does not apply to Cal-GETC, ADTs, or transfer requirements. Check with your transfer institution for applicability.
- Coursework from Irvine Valley College or other community colleges with the same course number and/or title may NOT always be certified in the same category at Saddleback College for Cal-GETC. Also, similar coursework from accredited independent or private colleges or out-of-state institutions will NOT always be certified unless the course content is deemed comparable to community college courses approved for Cal-GETC.
- Students wishing to use a course to meet Cal-GETC requirement MUST be sure that the course is on the list during the academic year when it is taken. While completion of 60 transferable units including all Cal-GETC certification requirements will satisfy CSU and/or UC admission requirements, transfer admission is not guaranteed. Competitive campuses or majors for which more applications are received than can be accommodated, may screen for admissions based on meeting application deadlines, courses required in preparation for the major and/or grade point average.

General information

Completion of the California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) will permit a student to transfer from a California Community College (CCC) to a California State University (CSU) and/or University of California (UC) campus or program without the need, after transfer, to take additional lower division, general education courses to satisfy campus general education requirements. For most students, it is strongly recommended that they complete Cal-GETC prior to transfer. All CSUs and most UC campuses and programs will accept certified Cal-GETC completion as satisfying lower-division general education requirements. Some UC colleges and majors within the UC campus may not accept or recommend Cal-GETC to fulfill all of their general education requirements. Students who wish to apply international coursework toward transfer should consult their intended transfer institution to determine applicability. A list of those UC colleges and majors is found on the UC Admissions web page (under "general education"). <https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/admission-requirements/transfer-requirements/preparing-to-transfer/general-education-igetc/igetc/campus-guidance.html>

Completion of the Cal-GETC is not an admission requirement or admission guarantee for transfer to the CSU or UC, nor is it the only way to fulfill the lower-division, general education requirements for students at the CSU or UC. It is however required for conferral of an Associate Degree for Transfers (ADT: AA-T/AS-T). There is no limit on the number of external exams (Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate) that can be applied to Cal-GETC. External exams may be used regardless of when the exam was taken. Cal-GETC certification does not determine applicability towards meeting program requirements at the receiving institution. College Level Examination Program (CLEP) and other College Board and ACT exams (SAT I/II, Subject Tests, Achievement Tests) cannot be used for Cal-GETC. Please see CSU systemwide Credit for External Examinations resource below.

Students who initially enroll at a UC campus, then leave and attend a community college, and subsequently return to the same campus are considered "readmits" by the UC. Such students cannot use Cal-GETC. CSU does not have a system-wide policy that addresses these students and/or this reverse-transfer situation and thus there is no prohibition on use of Cal-GETC for students returning to the CSU from a CCC. Certification of coursework completed for Cal-GETC will be honored provided that a course was on a college's approved Cal-GETC list when it was completed. Although California Community College courses may be listed in more than one area, they can only be applied to one area during Cal-GETC certification for each individual student. A "C-" grade valued at less than 2.0 grade points on a 4.0 scale cannot be used for Cal-GETC certification. No more than 14 semester units (21 quarter units) of Pass/No Pass (Credit/No Credit), excluding credit by examination, may be used toward Cal-GETC certification. Students who complete full Cal-GETC certification may also request for optional CSU American Institutions (AI) and UC Language other than English (LOTE) certifications when appropriate documentation is provided. LOTE certification does not guarantee completion of UC graduation requirements, as requirements vary by UC campus and may differ by college or major. Students should consult their intended UC campus to confirm specific LOTE and graduation requirements. CSU AI graduation requirement can be met by completing POLS C1000/C1000H (formerly PS 1/1H) and one History course: HIST C1001 (formerly 16), C1002 (formerly 17), or 22.

ICAS-Approved Accrediting Agencies (formerly Regional Accreditors) for Cal-GETC Certification, UC or CSU Transfer, or Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT):

- Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC)
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Higher Learning Commission (HLC)
- Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE)
- New England Commission of Higher Education (NECHE)
- Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU)
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC)
- WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC)

Resources:

UC AP <https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/admission-requirements/ap-exam-credits/ap-credits/>

UC IB <https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/admission-requirements/ap-exam-credits/ib-credits.html>

CSU Systemwide Credit for External Examinations <https://calstate.policystat.com/policy/13340146/latest/>

College Catalog <https://saddleback.curriqnet.com/catalog/iq/21682>

Common Course Numbering <https://www.cccco.edu/About-Us/Chancellors-Office/Divisions/Educational-Services-and-Support/common-course-numbering-project>

CSU Associate Degree for Transfer <https://www.calstate.edu/apply/transfer/Pages/associate-degree-for-transfer-major-and-campus-search.aspx>

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