

Napa Valley College CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION (GE) REQUIREMENTS

Effective Fall 2005 through Summer 2006



NOTICE: Courses on the CSU General Education List change from year to year. Courses taken to meet General Education requirements will be honored only if they are approved for the academic year in which they are taken. It is therefore a wise practice for students to obtain a new CSU General Education list for each academic year in which they are registered at Napa Valley College.

Introduction

The General Education Requirements for the California State University (CSU) system specifies courses within subject areas which will satisfy the 39 lower division GE requirements for any campus of the California State University System. Completion of lower division GE is not required before transfer but for most students it is highly recommended. If completed prior to transfer students will be responsible for only an additional 9 upper division semester units in GE. For some students, in high unit majors, completing the pre-major course requirements will be a priority over completing GE requirements. Napa Valley Colege courses with a number designation of 100 through 299 are transferable to all CSU campuses, but only a select group of these courses qualify for CSU GE.

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CSU Admission Requirements:

A Napa Valley College student who is planning to transfer to one of the campuses of the CSU system may qualify for admission by meeting the following requirements:

Lower Division Transfer: (1-59 transferable semester units) Undergraduate transfer applicants with fewer than 59 transferable semester units may qualify for admission if they:

- Meet the eligibility index required of freshman
- Successfully completed necessary courses to make up deficiencies from high school if the 15 unit pattern of college preparatory subjects were not completed.
- Maintained at least a 2.0 g.p.a. in college transferable course work
- Are in good standing at the last college attended, i.e. are eligible to re-enroll.

NOTE: Contact the campus of choice to determine whether there are limits on admission as a lower division transfer.

Upper Division Transfer: (60 or more transferable semester units) Students who will transfer with 60 or more transferable semester units may fulfill admission requirements by:

- Completing a minimum of 30 semester units with a "C" or better in each course, to include:
 - Courses that satisfy CSU GE Areas A-1, Oral Communication; A-2, Written Communication; A-3, Critical Thinking; and B-4, Mathematics/ Quantitative Reasoning
 - Additional CSU transferable courses from Physical Universe; Life Forms; Mathematics; Arts and Humanities; and Social and Behavioral Sciences of at least equivalent level to courses that meet general education requirements.

NOTE: Students are advised to complete as many of the lower division requirements for their major as possible prior to transfer. Admission to some majors at some CSU campuses may have additional requirements beyond those listed in this section. Consult with a counselor for details on your major.

Although not required for admission to the CSU, students are encouraged to complete 60 transferable units and an Associates Degree prior to transfer

CSU Graduation Requirements:

Most CSU campuses have graduation requirements in addition to general education requirements that may be taken at NVC prior to transfer. They include but are not limited to:

- Foreign Language
- Second Semester English Composition
- Ethnic Studies/Multicultural
- Computer Competency

Consult with a counselor for details on the graduation requirements for individual CSU campuses.

NVC CSU-GE Certification Process:

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	Name	Social Security	AA			
Lege	nd: R= Required Minimum Units; C = Completed; F	P = In Progress; N = Need	AA			
Α.	COMMUNICATION IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE					
A-1.	units is required) Select one course from A-1, A-2 and Oral Communication (Grade of "C" or higher required Speech 120, 122, 124					
A-2.	Speech 120, 122, 124 Written Communication (Grade of "C" or higher requience English 120	red.)				
A-3.	Critical Thinking (Grade of "C" or higher required.)	Humanities 100, 101				
	Philosophy 120, 121, 126, 130;	Speech 128				
B.	course (Area B-1) and one Life Forms course (Area B indicated by a star (*). In addition, select one Mathem	ninimum of 9 units is required) Select one Physical Universe -2). At least one of the courses must include a laboratory, natics course from Area B-4.				
B-1.	Physical Universe Astronomy 110, 111 Chemistry *110, *111, *120, *121, *240, *241, *242 Earth Science *110	Geography 110 Geology 110, 112 (add Geology 111 for lab) Physics 105, 110 (add Physics 111 for lab), *120,*140				
B-2.	Life Forms Anthropology 120					
	Biology *105, *110, 112, 117, *120, *150, *218, *219 Laboratory Activity (Select at least one course in Area Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (Grade of "C" of Broadcast Television 109; Mathematics 106, 108, 115	B-1 or B-2 with a star {*}) or higher required.)				
	103 completed prior to Fall 1988 with a "C" grade or be ation, Area B-4	etter is transferable to CSU and acceptable for General				
C.		and at least 3 units must be selected from Humanities,				
C-1.	ě ,	n either Area C-1 or Area C-2 for a total of at least 9 units.				
	Art 110, 115, 116, 120, 121, 137, 154, 155, 158, 180, 216, 260 Drama 110, 114, 115, 116, 120, 125, 150, 153, 155, 160, 170, 190, 191, 203, 220 English 208 Humanities 125, 170, 174, 175, 180, 185, 186 Music 110, 112, 114, 121, 122, 130, 135, 137, 140, 145, 150, 155, 158, 160, 163, 166, 170, 185, 196, 221, 222					
C-2.	Photography 120, 121, 180 Physical Education 134, 138, 142 Humanities	145, 150, 155, 158, 160, 163, 166, 170, 185, 196, 221, 222				
	American Sign Language 120, 121 Child Family Studies 145 English 121, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214,	Humanities 100, 101, 104, 125, 188 Italian 120, 121, 240 Latin 120, 121 Philosophy 120, 121, 125, 126, 133, 134				
	French 120, 121, 240, 241 German 120, 121, 240, 241 History 122, 123	Russian 120 Spanish 114, 116, 120 (or SPAN 110 & 111**), 121, 240, 241, 280, 281				
Note: Sever	al courses in category C-1 are less than 3 units or are v	variable unit courses.				
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 D. SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (A minimum of 9 units is required) A maximum of 2 courses may be selected from one of the following categories. Some courses may be listed in more than one category but may only count toward satisfying one category. D-1. Anthropology 121, 130, 131 D-2. Economics 100, 101, 120 D-3. Ethnic Studies: History 145, Psychology 128 D-4. Gender Studies: Anthropology 150, History 150, 152 D-5. Geography 101, 102, 114 D-6. History 120, 121, 122, 123, 135, 140, 142, 145, 150, 152; Humanities 100, 101, 104 D-7. Interdisciplinary Social or Behavioral Science: Anthropology 180; Child Family Studies 120, 140, 180; Humanities 104, 188; Psychology 185, 186; Speech 126 D-8. Political Science 120, 121, 125, 130, 135, 140 D-9. Child Family Studies 120, 140; Health Occupations 200; Psychology 120, 123, 124, 125, 126, 135, 175, 185, 186, 200; Sociology 123, 135 D-10. Sociology and Criminology: Administration of Justice 120; Health Occupations 200; Psychology 123, 135, 200; Sociology 120, 122, 123, 135 Note: History 120, 121, 150 or 152 and Political Science 120 or 121 may double count for this area as well as satisfying CSU graduation requirements for American History and Institutions. 					
E. LIFELONG UNDERSTANDING AND SELF-DEVELOPMENT (A minimum of Integrated Organism: Child Family Studies 120 Psychology 120, 124 Counseling 100 Sociology 122, 130, Health 106, 110 E-2. Activity: Physical Education courses Physical Education 100, 102, 108, 109, 110, 112, 113, 116, 118, 120, 121 134, 136, 137, 138, 140, 142, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 151, 153, 156, 160, 1 205, 255, 284, 285, 286, 287, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298 Note: Effective Fall 2001, a maximum of 1.5 units in Physical Education activity co	, 135 135 , 122, 123, 125, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 69, 171, 172, 173, 176, 178, 199, 200, 204,	3			
AMERICAN HISTORY AND INSTITUTIONS GRADUATION REQUIREMENT FOR American History category and one course from the American Government category and the American History: American History: History 120, 121, 150 or 152 Note: Courses selected for this requirement may also be used for Area D, Social and Beta American History American Government History: Political Science 120	ory. ent: or 121	6			

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