## Napa Valley College CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION (GE) REQUIREMENTS Effective Fall 2007 through Summer 2008 (revised April 2008)

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 CSU GE is not required before transfer but for most students it is <u>highly recommended</u>. For some students, in high unit majors, completing the pre-major course requirements will be a priority over completing GE requirements. Napa Valley College 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.

NVC CSU-GE Certification Process:

• Students wishing to have CSU GE certification accompany their transcripts when they are sent to the CSU, must complete an official request and submit it to the Napa Vsatisfied. An example would be when a student completes Speech 122, English each of the 3 categories of Area A. The student qualifies for certification of Area A. If a student has

<u>not fully</u>

completed the requirements of an area, that area may not be certified.

All CSU campuses allow applicants who submit full or area certifications to double count courses for general education and major requirements, but most campuses have limitations. See a counselor for the limitation imposed by each campus.

Legend: R= Required Minimum Units; C = Completed; P = In Progress; N = Need		R	С	Ρ	N
А.	COMMUNICATION IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND CRITICAL THINKING (A minimum of 9 units is				
	required) Select one course from A-1, A-2 and A-3.				
A-1.	Oral Communication (Grade of "C" or higher required.)	3			
1 2	Speech 120, 122, 124 Written Communication (Grade of "C" or higher required.)	3			
A-2.	English 120	5			
A-3.	Critical Thinking (Grade of "C" or higher required.)	3			
11.01	English 123, 125 Humanities 100, 101	5			
	Philosophy 120, 121, 126, 130 Speech 128				
В.	<b>NATURAL SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS</b> (A minimum of 9 units is required) Select one Physical Universe course (Area B-1) and one Life Forms course (Area B-2). At least one of the courses must include a laboratory, indicated by a star (*). In addition, select one Mathematics course from Area B-4.				
B-1.	Physical Universe	2.5			
D-1.	Astronomy 110, 111 Geography 110	3-5			
	Chemistry *110, *111, *120, *121, *240, *241, *242 Geology 110, 112 (add Geology 111 for lab)				
<b>D A</b>	Earth Science *110 Physics 105, 110 (add Physics 111 for lab), *120,*140				
<b>B-2.</b>	Life Forms	3-5			
	Anthropology 120				
B-3.	Biology *105, *110, 112, 117, *120, *218, *219, *220, *240, *241 <b>Laboratory Activity</b> (Select at least one course in Area B-1 or B-2 with a star {*})				
	Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning (Grade of "C" or higher required.) Broadcast Television 109; Mathematics 106, 108, 115, 120, 121, 220, 221, 222, 232, 235; Technology 107	3-5			
Note:					
Math	103 completed prior to Fall 1988 with a "C" grade or better is transferable to CSU and acceptable for General Education,				
Area E	3-4				

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C. ARTS, LITERATURE, PHILOSOPHYAND FOREIGN LANGUAGES (A minimum of 9 units is required) At least 3 units must be selected from Arts, Area C-1, and at least 3 units must be selected from Humanities, Area C-2. The remaining units may be selected from either Area C-1 or Area C-2, for a total of at least 9 units.

C-1. Arts

Art 110, 115, 116, 117, 119, 121, 138, 154, 158, 180, 210, 212, 216, 217, 218, 219, 260 (ART 260 will be removed effective fall 2008) Drama 110, 114, 115, 116, 120, 125, 150, 153, 155, 160, 170, 186, 189A, 189B, 189C, 189D, 190, 191, 203, 220 English 208 Humanities 125, 170, 174, 175, 180, 185, 186, 189A, 189B, 189C, 189D Music 110, 112, 114, 121, 122, 130, 135, 137, 140, 145, 150, 155, 158, 160, 163, 166, 170, 185, 196, 221, 222 Photography 120, 121 Physical Education 134, 138, 142 C-2. Humanities American Sign Language 120, 121

Child Family Studies 145 Drama 188 English 121, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 220, 221, 222, 223

Humanities 100, 101, 104, 125, 151, 160, 188 Italian 120, 121, 240 Latin 120, 121 Philosophy 120, 121, 125, 126, 133, 134 Russian 120