



GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Major: **Communication, Media Studies, Psychological Science or Sociology**

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LOWER-DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION (LDGE)

A grade of C- or higher is required for courses used to satisfy the "Golden Four" courses: A1, A2, A3 and B4. If any general education courses are also counting towards a student's major and/or minor, a C or higher is required.

Choose one (1) course from each attribute (row) below:

Area	Attribute	Topic	Units	Courses	MET	IP
A. Basic Skills	A1	Oral Communication	3	GEO 102		
	A2	Written Communication	3	GEW 101B*		
	A3	Critical Thinking	3	CS 200-4; LTWR 115; MATH 110; PHIL 110; PSYC 110		
B. Mathematics and Natural Sciences Only one lab (B3) is required for general education.	B1	Physical Science	3	GEOG 110; GES 100, 101 (includes lab), 105		
	B2	Life Science	3	GES 102 (includes lab), 103		
	B3	Laboratory	0-1	GES 101, 102, 110 (lab only)		
	B4	Mathematics/Quantitative Reasoning	3-5	MATH 100*, 101*		
C. Arts and Humanities Area C courses must be selected from 3 different disciplines.	C1	Arts	3	AH 111; DNCE 101, 124, 200; FMST 100; LTWR 225; MUSC 120; TA 101, 120, 222; VPA 101; VSAR 102, 110, 120, 121, 123, 130, 131, 180-1, 222, 251		
	C2	Humanities	3	AH 111; AIS 220, 230, 280; HIST 101, 102; LTWR 100, 103, 105, 107, 203, 206, 208B, 210, 211; MLAN 115, 116; PHIL 101; WMST 205, 211		
	C3	Arts and/or Humanities	3	Select a C3 designated course from the following disciplines: ARAB, CHIN, DNCE, FMST, FREN, GRMN, HIST, LTWR, MUSC, PHIL, SPAN, TA, VPA, VSAR, MLAN, or approved CC course. Coursework taken for the LOTER may also be used to fulfill C3, if taken for a letter grade.		
D. Social Sciences	D7	Interdisciplinary Social Science	3	AIS 101; ANTH 200; BRS 100; ENVS 100; ETST 101; GBST 100; HD 101; LBST 100; LING 255; PSYC 210; SOC 105, 205; WMST 101		
	Dh	U.S. History	3	HIST 130 or 131		
	Dc, Dg	U.S. Constitution and California Government	3	AIS 150; PSCI 100 (Dg only: GEOG 341; HIST 347; PSCI 415)		
E. Lifelong Learning	E	Lifelong Learning and Information Literacy	3	GEL 101 ⁺ , 110, 120, 200; CHEM 312; HSCI 200; KINE 306, 310; NURS 210*, 211*; PE 203; PSYC 104; SOC 204, 303, 307, 309, 315, 317 *GEL 101 is only available to first-time freshmen.		



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LANGUAGE–OTHER-THAN ENGLISH REQUIREMENT (LOTTER)

Requirement	# of units	Courses	MET	IP	
3rd semester (intermediate level) language course OR Verified proficiency via exam or test score	0-11	101 (4 units) <i>Take if it has been more than 2 years since you took the language, or you are new to it, or you want to review your first class.</i>			
		102* (4 units) <i>Take if you took only 1 year in high school or 1 college semester of the language, or you want to review your second class.</i>			
		201* or 201C* or 250* (3 units) <i>Satisfies the LOTER requirement.</i>			
	OR				
	The LOTER can also be satisfied by completing one of the following:			MET	IP
	LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY EXAM Contact the Language Learning Center to schedule an exam: Kellogg 1107, (760) 750-8058, www.csusm.edu/loter/exam				
	TOEFL or Other CSUSM-Approved English Exam				
AP LANGUAGE EXAM with a score of 3 or higher					
IB score of 4 or higher on a Higher Level language other than English exam					
CLEP with the following minimum score: French Level II: 58 German Level II: 59 Spanish Level II: 62					
Languages offered at CSUSM: ARABIC, FRENCH, GERMAN, CHINESE and SPANISH. High school coursework will not clear the LOTER.					

UPPER-DIVISION GENERAL EDUCATION (UDGE)

UDGE should be taken after you have completed 60 units.

Requirement		
BB Upper-division Mathematics or Science (3 units) _____	CC Upper-division Arts or Humanities (3 units) _____	DD Upper-division Social Sciences (3 units) _____

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