

Common Lower Division General Education (GE) Plan G Course List

GE Section A.1: Oral Communication

[AAS 151. Fundamentals of Public Speaking \(3\)](#)
[AFRS 151. Freshman Speech Communication \(3\)](#)
[CAS 151. Fundamentals of Public Speaking \(3\)](#)
[CHS 151. Freshman Speech Communication \(3\)](#)
[COMS 151. Fundamentals of Public Speaking \(3\)](#)
[QS 151. Fundamentals of Public Speaking \(3\)](#)

GE Section A.2: Freshman Writing

[AAS 113B](#), [AFRS 113B](#), [CAS 113B](#), [CHS 113B](#), [ENGL 113B](#), [LING 113B](#),
[QS 113B](#)

or

[AAS 114B](#), [AFRS 114B](#), [CAS 114B](#), [CHS 114B](#), [ENGL 114B](#), [QS 114B](#)

or

[AAS 115](#), [AFRS 115](#), [CAS 115](#), [CHS 115](#), [ENGL 115](#), [QS 115](#)

GE Section A.3: Critical Thinking*

Critical Thinking will be met by Math BA Teachers option and CECS majors.

[AAS 201. Race, Racism and Critical Thinking \(3\)](#)
[AFRS 204. Race and Critical Thinking \(3\)](#)
[CHS 202. Race, Racism and Critical Thinking \(3\)*](#)
[COMS 225/L. Argumentation and Lab \(2/1\)*](#)
[PHIL 100. General Logic \(4\)*+](#)
[PHIL 200. Critical Reasoning \(3\)*+](#)
[QS 201. Race and Ethnicity in Queer Studies \(3\)](#)
[RS 204. Religion, Logic and the Media \(3\)](#)

GE Section B.1: Physical Science

*Physical Sciences will be met by most CSM, CECS, and HHD majors.
 Consult with an advisor before enrolling.*

[ASTR 152. Elementary Astronomy \(3\)](#)
[ASTR 154. Elementary Astronomy \(2\)](#)
[CHEM 100. Principles of Chemistry \(3\)+](#)
[CHEM 110. Chemistry in Action \(3\)](#)
[GEOG 101. The Physical Environment \(3\)](#)
[GEOG 101A. The Physical Environment \(2\)](#)
[GEOG 103. Weather \(3\)](#)
[GEOG 103A. Weather \(2\)](#)
[GEOG/SCI/SUST 111 Understanding Climate Change \(3\)](#)
[GEOL 101. Geology of Planet Earth \(3\)](#)
[GEOL 107. Geology Goes Hollywood \(2\)](#)
[GEOL 110. The Fossil Record of Ancient Life on Earth \(3\)](#)
[GEOL 113. Earth and Life Through Time \(2\)](#)

GE Section B.2: Life Science

*Life Sciences will be met by most CSM, CECS, and HHD majors.
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[BIOL 100. Introductory Biology \(2\)](#)
[BIOL 101. General Biology \(3\)](#)
[BIOL 218. Microbes and People \(2\)](#)
[BIOL 292. Wild SoCal \(2\)](#)
[GEOL 110. The Fossil Record of Ancient Life on Earth \(3\)](#)
[GEOL 113. Earth and Life Through Time \(2\)](#)

GE Section B.3: Science Laboratory Activity

*Science Labs will be met by most CSM, CECS, and HHD majors.
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[ASTR 154L. Observational Astronomy \(1\)](#)
[BIOL 100L. Introductory Biology Lab \(1\)](#)
[BIOL 101L. General Biology Lab \(1\)](#)
[BIOL 218L. Microbes and People \(1\)](#)
[BIOL 292L. Wild SoCal \(1\)](#)
[CHEM 100L. Principles of Chemistry Laboratory \(1\)](#)
[CHEM 110L. Chemistry in Action Lab \(1\)](#)
[GEOG 101AL. The Physical Environment Lab \(1\)](#)
[GEOG 102. Physical Geography Lab \(1\)](#)
[GEOG 103AL. Weather Lab \(1\)](#)
[GEOG 105. Weather Lab \(1\)](#)
[GEOG/SCI/SUST 111L. Understanding Climate Change Lab \(1\)](#)
[GEOL 102. Geology of Planet Earth Lab \(1\)](#)
[GEOL 107L. Geology Goes Hollywood Lab \(1\)](#)
[GEOL 112. Earth and Life Through Time Lab \(1\)](#)

GE Section B.4: Mathematics

*MATH 210 required for Liberal Studies Pre-credential students only.
 Some Math courses require a concurrent lab.*

[MATH 102. Pre-Calculus I \(3\)](#)
[MATH 103. Mathematical Methods for Business \(3\)](#)
[MATH 105. Pre-Calculus II \(5\)](#)
[MATH 106. Mathematical Foundations for Non-Calculus Physics \(5\)](#)
[MATH 131. Mathematical Ideas \(3\)](#)
[MATH 140. Introductory Statistics \(4\)](#)
[MATH 150A. Calculus I \(5\)](#)
[MATH 210 Basic Numbers Concepts \(3\)](#)
[MATH 255A. Calculus for the Life Sciences I \(3\)](#)

Key

*Required prerequisite freshman writing | +Required or recommended prerequisite GE math

CAMC-College of Arts, Media, and Communication | CSM-College of Science and Math | DNCBE-David Nazarian College of Business and Economics
 HHD-College of Health and Human Development | SBS-College of Social and Behavioral Sciences | HUM-College of Humanities

Important Reminders

All Oral Communication GE require eligibility for freshman writing.

All Critical Thinking GE require or recommend completion of freshman writing.

All 2 unit Physical Science and Life Science courses must be taken with the corresponding 1 unit science lab in the same semester.

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GE Section C.1: Arts

Arts **will be met** by CAMC majors and some HHD and HUM majors.
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[AFRS 246. Introduction to African-American Drama \(3\)](#)
[AFRS 280. Workshop in Creative Writing for Minority Students \(3\)*](#)
[ANTH 232. Expressive Culture \(3\)](#)
[ART 100/L. Introduction to Art Processes and Lab \(1/2\)](#)
[ART 110. World Arts: The Western Tradition \(3\)](#)
[ART 114. World Arts: Asia \(3\)](#)
[ART 124A. Drawing I \(3\)](#)
[ART 140. Beginning Two-Dimensional Design \(3\)](#)
[ART 141. Beginning Three-Dimensional Design \(3\)](#)
[CHS 111. The Chicana/o and the Arts \(3\)](#)
[CHS 280/SL. Workshop in Minority Creative Writing \(2/1\)](#)
[COMS 104/L. Literature in Performance and Lab \(2/1\)](#)
[CTVA 210. Television-Film Aesthetics \(3\)](#)
[ENGL 208. Creative Writing \(3\)*](#)
[FLIT 250. Traditional Culture of Japan \(3\)*](#)
[HUM 101. Forms and Ideas in Humanities \(3\)*](#)
[KIN 236. Introduction to Choreography \(2\)](#)
[KIN 236L. Introduction to Choreography Lab \(1\)](#)
[MUS 105. Understanding Music \(3\)](#)
[MUS 106HH. Hip Hop Music \(3\)](#)
[MUS 107. Music Today \(3\)](#)
[MUS 108. Music in Film \(3\)](#)
[TH 110. Introduction to Theatre: Text/Drama/Performance \(3\)](#)
[TH 111. Actors and Acting \(3\)](#)

GE Section C.2: Humanities

[AAS 220. Survey of Asian American Literature \(3\)*](#)
[AFRS 245. African-American Literature Since 1930 \(3\)](#)
[AFRS 282. African Religion in the New World \(3\)](#)
[ANTH 222. Visions of the Sacred \(3\)](#)
[CAS 201. Survey of Central American Literature \(3\)](#)
[CHS 201. Survey of Mexican Literature in Translation \(3\)*](#)
[ENGL 254. Popular Literary Genres \(3\)*](#)
[ENGL 255. Introduction to Literature \(3\)*](#)
[ENGL 258. Major English Writers I \(3\)*](#)
[FLIT 295A. Masterpieces of European Literature I \(3\)*](#)
[HIST 150. Western Civilization to 1500 \(3\)](#)
[HIST 151. Western Civilization since 1500 \(3\)](#)
[HUM 101. Forms and Ideas in Humanities \(3\)*](#)
[JS 200. Jewish Religion and Culture \(3\)*](#)
[LING 200. \(How\) Language Matters \(3\)](#)
[PHIL 150. Introduction to Philosophical Thought \(3\)*](#)
[PHIL 165. Today's Moral Issues \(3\)*](#)
[PHIL 170. Philosophy and Popular Culture \(3\)](#)
[RS 100. Introduction to Religious Studies \(3\)](#)
[RS 101. The Bible \(3\)](#)

GE Section C.HIST (C3): American History, US Institutions and Ideals

Section C.HIST **will be met** by some SBS majors.
Consult with your advisor before enrolling.

[AFRS 271. African-American History to 1865 \(3\)](#)
[AFRS 272. African-American History Since 1865 \(3\)](#)
[CHS 245. History of the Americas \(3\)](#)
[ECON 175. Introduction to U.S. Economic History \(3\)](#)
[HIST 270. The United States to 1865 \(3\)](#)
[HIST 271. The United States Since 1865 \(3\)](#)
[RS 256. American Religious History and Ideals \(3\)](#)

GE Section D: Social Sciences

Social Sciences **will be met** by DNCBE majors and some SBS and HUM majors.

[AAS 210. History of Asians in America \(3\)](#)
[AFRS 201. Economics of the African-American Community I \(3\)](#)
[AFRS 220. Psychological Environment of the African-American \(3\)](#)
[AFRS 221. Social Environment of the African-American \(3\)](#)
[ANTH 150. The Human Adventure: Introduction to Anthropology \(3\)](#)
[ANTH 151. Introduction to Biological Anthropology \(3\)](#)
[ANTH 152. Introduction to Cultural Anthropology \(3\)](#)
[ANTH 153. Temples, Tombs and Treasures? An Introduction to Archaeology \(3\)](#)
[ANTH 212. Anthropology of Sex \(3\)](#)
[ANTH 250. Archaeology of Warfare \(3\)](#)
[ANTH 262. Forensic Anthropology \(3\)](#)
[CADV 150. Foundations of Child and Adolescent Development \(3\)](#)
[CHS 261. Race, Racism and the Sciences \(3\)](#)
[ECON 101. Economics for Everyday Life \(3\)](#)
[ECON 156. Introduction to Economic Analysis and Policy \(3\)*](#)
[GEOG 107. Introduction to Human Geography \(3\)](#)
[GEOG 150. World Geography \(3\)](#)
[GEOG 170. Water Resources of California \(3\)](#)
[HHD 185. Public Health for Social Justice \(1\)](#)
[HIST 110. World History to 1500 \(3\)](#)
[HIST 111. World History Since 1500 \(3\)](#)
[HSCI 132. History of Preventive Medicine and Public Health \(3\)](#)
[POLS 156. Introduction to Comparative Politics \(3\)](#)
[POLS 225. Elements of International Relations \(3\)](#)
[PSY 150. Introduction to Psychology \(3\)](#)
[PSY 200. Introduction to Lifespan Psychology \(3\)](#)
[RS 240. Approaches to the History of Religions \(3\)](#)
[SOC 150. Introductory Sociology \(3\)](#)
[SOC 200. Social Crises of Today \(3\)](#)
[URBS 150. Discover the City \(3\)](#)

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GE Section D.GVT2/3 (D3/4): Constitution of the United States/California State and Local Government

Section D.GVT2/3 **will be met** by some SBS majors.

Consult your advisor before enrolling.

[AFRS 161. American Political Institutions: A Black Perspective \(3\)](#)

[CHS 260. Constitutional Issues and the Chicana/o \(3\)](#)

[POLS 155. American Political Institutions \(3\)](#)

[RS 255. American Political Institutions and Religion \(3\)](#)

GE Section E: Lifelong Learning

Consult with an advisor before enrolling.

[AAS 230. Asian Americans and the Media \(3\)](#)

[AFRS 210. Consumer Behavior in the African American Community \(3\)](#)

[ART 151. Photography as Art \(3\)](#)

[ART 201. Introduction to Web Art \(3\)](#)

[BLAW 108. The Citizen and Civil Law \(3\)](#)

[BUS 104. Introduction to Business \(3\)](#)

[CCE 200. Introduction to Civic and Community Engagement \(3\)*](#)

[CHS 270SOC/F. Fieldwork in Barrio Studies \(1/2\)](#)

[COMP 100. Computers: Their Impact and Use \(3\)](#)

[COMP 102/L. Programming for Data Applications and Lab \(2/1\)+](#)

[COMS 150. Introduction to Communication Studies \(3\)](#)

[COMS 251. Introduction to Interpersonal Communication \(3\)](#)

[CTVA 100. Introduction to Mass Communication Arts \(3\)](#)

[ENGL 253. Bestselling Literature \(3\)*](#)

[EOH 101. Introduction to Environmental Health \(3\)](#)

[FCS 207. Nutrition for Life \(3\)](#)

[FIN 102. Financial Literacy \(3\)](#)

[FLIT 234. Virtual Study Abroad \(3\)*](#)

[GEOG 108. Earth From Above \(3\)](#)

[GEOG 206/L. Introduction to Geographical Information Science and Lab \(2/1\)](#)

[GEOL 104. Living with Earthquakes in California \(3\)](#)

[HSCI 131. Health and Society \(3\)](#)

[HSCI 170. Emergency Health Procedures \(2\)](#)

[HSCI 231. Women and Health \(3\)](#)

[IS 212. Information Systems for Business Users \(3\)+](#)

[JOUR 100. Mass Communication \(3\)](#)

[PHIL 180. Human Nature and the Meaning of Life \(3\)](#)

[RTM 251. Recreation and the Natural Environment \(3\)](#)

[RTM 278. Recreation and Leisure in Contemporary Society \(3\)](#)

[SCI 100. Science for Life \(3\)](#)

[UNIV 100. Freshman Seminar \(3\)](#)

GE Section F: Comparative Culture/Gender Studies, Race, Class, Ethnic Studies and Foreign Languages

Will be met by some HUM majors. Consult with an advisor before enrolling.

[AAS 100. Introduction to Asian American Studies \(3\)](#)

[AFRS 100. Introduction to Black Studies and Culture \(3\)](#)

[AFRS 165. Introduction to Pan Africanism \(3\)](#)

[AFRS 226. Traditional African Cultures \(3\)](#)

[AIS 101. Introduction to American Indian Studies \(3\)](#)

[ANTH 108. Latin American Cultures \(3\)](#)

[ARAB 101. Elementary Arabic I \(4\)](#)

[ARMN 101. Elementary Armenian I \(3\)](#)

[ARMN 102. Elementary Armenian II \(3\)](#)

[ART 112. World Arts: Africa, Oceania and the Americas \(3\)](#)

[CAS 100. Introduction to Central American Studies \(3\)](#)

[CAS 102. The Salvadoran Experience \(3\)](#)

[CHIN 101. Elementary Mandarin Chinese I \(4\)](#)

[CHIN 102. Elementary Mandarin Chinese II \(4\)](#)

[CHS 100. Chicana/o Culture \(3\)](#)

[CHS 101. Spanish for Chicanos I \(3\)](#)

[CHS 102. Spanish for Chicanos II \(3\)](#)

[CHS 246. Contemporary Issues of the Chicana \(3\)](#)

[CLAS 101L. Elementary Latin I \(3\)](#)

[FLIT 150. Gateways to Western Civilization: Greece and Rome \(3\)](#)

[FREN 101. Elementary French I \(4\)](#)

[FREN 102. Elementary French II \(4\)](#)

[GWS 100. Introduction to Gender and Women's Studies \(3\)](#)

[GWS 110. Women, Work and Family \(3\)](#)

[HEBR 101. Elementary Hebrew I \(4\)](#)

[HEBR 102. Elementary Hebrew II \(4\)](#)

[HIST 161. Survey of the History of Latin America \(3\)](#)

[HIST 185. Civilization of the Middle East \(3\)](#)

[HIST 192. History of Modern East Asia \(3\)](#)

[HIST 210. A History of the Jewish People \(3\)](#)

[ITAL 101. Elementary Italian I \(4\)](#)

[ITAL 102. Elementary Italian II \(4\)](#)

[JAPN 101. Elementary Japanese I \(4\)](#)

[JAPN 102. Elementary Japanese II \(4\)](#)

[JS 210. History of the Jewish People \(3\)](#)

[KOR 101. Elementary Korean I \(4\)](#)

[KOR 102. Elementary Korean II \(4\)](#)

[LING 250. Language\(s\) in California \(3\)](#)

[PERS 101. Elementary Persian I \(4\)](#)

[PERS 102. Elementary Persian II \(4\)](#)

[POLS 197. Racial and Ethnic Politics \(3\)](#)

[QS 208. Issues in Queer Health \(3\)](#)

[RS 150. World Religions \(3\)](#)

[RUSS 101. Elementary Russian I \(4\)](#)

[RUSS 102. Elementary Russian II \(4\)](#)

[SPAN 101. Elementary Spanish I \(4\)](#)

[SPAN 102. Elementary Spanish II \(4\)](#)

[SPED 200SL. Introduction to Disability Studies \(3\)](#)

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