The California State University system requires a transfer student seeking a bachelor’s degree to complete a forty-eight-unit breadth requirement, distributed among five academic areas. Thirty-nine of the units are lower-division courses and may be completed at this community college. The five breadth requirement areas and the courses that will satisfy the requirements of each area are listed below.

For more specific information, please see a counselor before enrolling in these courses.

### AREA A – COMMUNICATION in the ENGLISH LANGUAGE, CRITICAL THINKING

*Minimum of nine semester units – one course from each sub-group*

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### AREA B – PHYSICAL and LIFE SCIENCES, MATHEMATICS

*Minimum of nine semester-units – one course from each sub-group. At least one course in Area B-1 or B-2 must be a laboratory course.*

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### AREA C – ARTS, LITERATURE, PHILOSOPHY, FOREIGN LANGUAGES
(Minimum of nine semester-units – at least one course from both areas C-1 and C-2)

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### AREA D – SOCIAL, POLITICAL, and ECONOMIC INSTITUTIONS
(Minimum of nine semester-units – distributed between at least two disciplines)

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### AREA E – LIFELONG UNDERSTANDING and SELF-DEVELOPMENT
(Minimum of three semester-units)

| Biology 27 (same as Psychology 12 and Health Ed. 27 – receive credit for only one) |
| Health Education 1, 27(same as Biology 27 and Psychology 12 – receive credit for only one) |
| Learning Resources 57 |
| Psychology 6, 10, 12 (same as Biology 27 and Health Ed. 27 – receive credit for only one), 21, 30 |

### AMERICAN INSTITUTION REQUIREMENT

CSU graduation requires completion of a U.S. History, Constitution and American Ideals requirement. To complete this requirement take:

**Political Science 1 or 5 and History 7A or 7B or 40**

Students must request certification of CSU General Education requirements from Admissions and Records prior to transfer.

For full certification of GE requirements students must complete 9 units from Area A, a minimum of 9 units from Areas B, C, and D, and 3 units from Area E (total 39 units).

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**SPECIAL NOTE** – Please consult a counselor for further information.