



## 2025-2026 Cal-GETC Advisement Sheet (Effective Fall 2025 through Summer 2026)

A minimum "C" grade is required in each college course for Cal-GETC. A "C" is defined as a minimum 2.0 grade points on a 4.0 scale. Courses with **superscripts** indicate the year effective (articulated). Courses with **superscripts** in parentheses indicate the year ineffective (archived). For all effective and ineffective dates of ECC and other California Community College (CCC) courses articulated visit [assist.org](http://assist.org).

**AP = Advanced Placement IB = International Baccalaureate C = Completed IP = In Progress N = Needs**

The California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) is the singular general education pathway for California Community College (CCC) students to fulfill lower-division general education requirements necessary for transfer and admission to both the California State University (CSU) and the University of California (UC). Completion of the Cal-GETC is not an admission requirement or admission guarantee for transfer to the CSU or UC, nor is it the only way to fulfill the lower-division general education requirements for students at the CSU or UC. However, Cal-GETC may be a requirement for some programs (e.g., if an ADT is required). Students may choose to complete coursework to meet the CSU or UC campus-specific breadth requirements of the university program to which they plan to transfer.

- All courses taken to meet Cal-GETC requirements must be completed with a grade of "C" or better. A grade of Credit or Pass may be used if the college's policy states it is equivalent to a grade of C or better.
- No more than 14 semester units (21 quarter units) of Pass/No Pass (Credit/No Credit), excluding credit by examination, may be used toward Cal-GETC certification
- Although courses may be listed in multiple general education areas (1-6), a course can be given credit in only one GE subject area.
- Courses from foreign institutions cannot be used for Cal-GETC certification, however, international courses can be evaluated at the receiving CSU or UC and applied to their campus-specific breadth requirements.
- This advisement sheet can be modified or updated from time to time. All CSU/UC transferable courses can be verified at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org).
- Consult with a counselor regarding which catalog year may be most beneficial and appropriate (i.e., if you are eligible to use previous CSU GE-Breadth or IGETC patterns).

### AREA 1 – ENGLISH COMMUNICATION (three courses; one each from 1A, 1B and 1C — 9 semester or 12 quarter units)

#### 1A ENGLISH COMPOSITION (one course — 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP (No IB score accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_

**English** C1000 (formerly 1A), C1000H (formerly 1AH), 1AE (for English Language Learners)

#### 1B CRITICAL THINKING AND COMPOSITION (one course – 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College (No AP or IB score accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_

**English** C1001 (formerly 1C), C10001H (formerly 1CH); **Philosophy** 105, 105H; **Psychology** 103 (formerly 3), 103H (formerly 3H)

#### 1C ORAL COMMUNICATION (one course – 3 semester or 4-5 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College (No AP or IB score accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_

**Communication Studies** C1000 (formerly 100 (Formerly 1)), C1000H

### AREA 2 – MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING (one course — 3 semester or 4 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_

**Math** 115<sup>03</sup>, 120, 130, 140, (150), (150H), (160), (161), 165, 180, 190, 191, 210, 220, 270;

**Business** 116; **Communication Studies** 180; **Psychology** 109A<sup>SP07</sup>; **Sociology** 109A<sup>07</sup>; **Statistics** C1000 (formerly Math 150), C1000H (formerly Math 150H)

**AREA 3 – ARTS AND HUMANITIES** (two courses; one course from 3A, one course from 3B — 6 semester or 9 quarter units)**3A ARTS** (one course — 3 semester or 4 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_\_

**Architecture** 104<sup>21</sup>, 107<sup>19</sup>, 108<sup>19</sup>; **Art History** 101, 102A, 102AH, 102B, 102C, 106, 109, 205A, 205B, 207, 208, 208H, 209<sup>04</sup>, 210; **Dance** 101<sup>99</sup>, 103<sup>00</sup>; **Film** 105, 110<sup>04</sup>, 154; **Music** 111, 112, 112H, 113, 115, 116, 117, 215A, 215B; **Photography** 150 (same as Art 150); **Theater** 103, 104

**3B HUMANITIES** (one course — 3 semester or 4 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_\_

**American Studies** 7<sup>08</sup>; **Anthropology** 4<sup>17</sup>, 4H, 11<sup>17</sup>; **Chinese** 2<sup>07</sup>, 3, 24<sup>08</sup>; **English** 1B, 1BH, 12, 15A, 15B, 18, 20, 21, 27<sup>10</sup>, 28, 30, 31, 34<sup>09</sup>, 35, 36, 39, 40A, 40B, 41B (if taken between 02-13, or fall 2015 or later), 42, 43, 44, 46, 47<sup>04</sup>, 48, 90; **Film** 100, 153, **French** 2<sup>13</sup>, 3<sup>13</sup>, 4<sup>13</sup>; **History** 101, 101H, 102, 102H, 105<sup>09</sup>, 106<sup>09</sup>, 108<sup>09</sup>, 110<sup>09</sup>, 111<sup>09</sup>, 112<sup>09</sup>, 114, 122, 122H, 128, 129<sup>10</sup>, 140, 141, 143<sup>00</sup>, 145, 152, 154, 162, 163, 175, 176, 178, 183<sup>10</sup>, 184<sup>09</sup>, 190<sup>19</sup>; **German** 2<sup>11</sup>, 3<sup>21</sup>; **Humanities** 1<sup>07</sup>; **Italian** 2<sup>17</sup>, 24; **Japanese** 2<sup>08</sup>, 3<sup>10</sup>, 4<sup>10</sup>, 25<sup>09</sup>; **Philosophy** 101, 101H, 103, 107, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 117 (same as Political Science 7), 120; **Political Science** 7<sup>95</sup> (same as Philosophy 117); **Sign language** 112, 113, 114, (115<sup>14</sup>), 130; **Spanish** 2<sup>13</sup>, 3<sup>11</sup>, 4<sup>11</sup>, 5<sup>20</sup>, 6<sup>20</sup>, 24<sup>20</sup>, 52A<sup>02</sup>, 52B<sup>02</sup>

**AREA 4 – SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES** (Select two courses from two academic disciplines/groups — 6 semester or 8 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_\_

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**Administration of Justice** 100<sup>20</sup>, 103<sup>20</sup>, 115<sup>20</sup>; **American Studies** 7<sup>97</sup>; **Anthropology** 2, 2H, 3, 4, 4H, 6, 7<sup>01</sup>, 8<sup>02</sup>, 9<sup>01</sup>, 11<sup>01</sup>, 12; **Child Development** 103<sup>04</sup>; **Communication Studies** 260 (formerly 14<sup>07</sup>), 265 (formerly 5<sup>07</sup>), 265H, 275; **Economics** 100 (formerly 5), 101 (formerly 1), 101H (formerly 1H), 102 (formerly 2); **Ethnic Studies** 1, 3, 5, 9; **Geography** 2, 5, 5H, 7; **History** 101<sup>09</sup>, 101H, 102<sup>09</sup>, 102H, 105<sup>97</sup>, 106<sup>97</sup>, 108, 110<sup>97</sup>, 111<sup>97</sup>, 112<sup>97</sup>, 114, 122<sup>09</sup>, 122H, 128<sup>07</sup>, 129, 140<sup>08</sup>, 141<sup>08</sup>, 143<sup>09</sup>, 145, 152, 154<sup>09</sup>, (courses no longer offered 162<sup>09</sup>, 163<sup>09</sup>, 175<sup>09</sup>, 176<sup>09</sup>, 178<sup>09</sup>, 178<sup>09</sup>, 183<sup>06</sup>, 184<sup>07</sup>, 190<sup>19</sup>); **Journalism** 12<sup>08</sup>; **LGBT** 101; **Physical Education** 212, 275<sup>21</sup>; **Political Science** C1000 (formerly 1), C1000H (formerly 1H), 2, 3, 5, 6<sup>06</sup>, 7<sup>95</sup> (same as Philosophy 117), 10, 10H; **Psychology** C1000 (formerly 101 (formerly 5)), C1000H (formerly 101H (formerly 5H)), 102<sup>09</sup> (formerly 2), 108 (formerly 8), 110<sup>97</sup> (formerly 10), 112<sup>07</sup> (formerly 12), 115<sup>01</sup> (formerly 15), 116<sup>02</sup> (formerly 16), 116H, 117 (formerly 17), 119<sup>19</sup> (formerly 19<sup>07</sup>), 125<sup>19</sup> (formerly 25), 21 (taken between 07-14); **Social Sciences** 101<sup>19</sup>, 103<sup>19</sup>, 103H; **Sociology** 101, 101H, 102, 104, 107<sup>07</sup>, 107H, 108<sup>09</sup>, 112<sup>07</sup>, 113<sup>21</sup>, 115, 118<sup>19</sup>; **Women Studies** 1

**AREA 5 – PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES**

Two courses and a minimum of 7–9 semester or 9–12 quarter units required; one course from 5A and one course from 5B. One course must include a laboratory; the laboratory course must correspond to a lecture course in 5A or 5B (i.e., Anthropology 1 and 5)

*Underlined courses include a laboratory, if the course is a one-unit lab; you must take the corresponding lecture course.*

**5A PHYSICAL SCIENCE** (one course — 3 semester or 4 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_\_

**Astronomy** 12, 15, 20, 20H, 25, 25H; **Chemistry** 1A, 1B, 4, 4H, 7A, 7B, 20, 21A, 21B; **Geography** 1, 6, 9; **Geology** 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 15, 30<sup>09</sup>, 32<sup>09</sup>, 34<sup>09</sup>, 36<sup>09</sup>; **Oceanography** 10, 10H; **Physical Science** 25<sup>07</sup>; **Physics** 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B<sup>99</sup>, 11, 12

**5B BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE** (one course — 3 semester or 4 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_\_

**Anatomy** 30, 32; **Anatomy and Physiology** 34A, 34B; **Anthropology** 1, 1H, 5; **Biology** 8<sup>99</sup>, 10, 10H, 11<sup>98</sup>, 15, 16, 17 (accepted as a laboratory science course only if taken during FA 1997, SP 1998 and SU 1998), 18<sup>99</sup>, 75, 76, 110, 110H, 120, 120H, 130<sup>99</sup>; **Microbiology** 33; **Physiology** 31; **Psychology** 107 (formerly 7)

**5C LABORATORY** (1 semester or 1 quarter unit)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_\_

Courses underlined in group 5A and 5B include a laboratory. One-unit lab courses must have a corresponding lecture course

**AREA 6 – ETHNIC STUDIES** (one course — 3 semester or 4 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College (No AP or IB score accepted) \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_\_

**Ethnic Studies** 1<sup>23</sup>, 3<sup>23</sup>

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**(OPTIONAL) CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENT ONLY IN U.S. HISTORY, CONSTITUTION & AMERICAN IDEALS**

Not part of CAL-GETC; may be completed prior to transfer (6 semester or 8 quarter units)

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_

**History 101, 101H, 102, 102H, 105, 106, 108, 110, 111, 112, 114, 122, 122H**

Course \_\_\_\_\_ College/AP/IB \_\_\_\_\_ Units \_\_\_\_ C/IP/N \_\_\_\_

**Political Science C1000 (formerly 1), C1000H (formerly 1H)**

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**(OPTIONAL) University of California (UC) Requirement ONLY: Language Other than English Requirement:**

Not part of Cal-GETC; may be completed prior to transfer; each UC campus has its own guidelines for the language other than English requirement.

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**UC Credit Limitations** the University of California specifies how many units of credit will be granted by the UC. Students should pay special attention to courses and number of units granted when applying the units to meet the minimum 60 units for admission. Below are the credit limitations for El Camino College courses.

**Anatomy 30** No credit for 30 if taken after Anatomy 32 or Physiology 31

**Architecture 199** maximum credit, one course; course was not approved prior to F00 by UC

**Art 142** (formerly was repeatable 142abcd, maximum credit is 3 units)

**Astronomy 20 or 20H or 25 or 25H and 12;** Astronomy 12 must be taken after or concurrently with 20 or 20H or 25 or 25H to receive transfer credit

**Biology 10 or 10H;** No credit for 10 if taken after BIOL 110 (formerly Biology 102) or 110H (formerly 102H) or 120 (formerly 101) or 120H (formerly 101H)

**Chemistry 4 or 4H and 20 and 21A** combined in any combination: maximum credit, one course, no credit for 4 or 4H or 20 or 21A if taken after 1A

**Chemistry 21A** No credit for 21A if taken after 1A or 7A

**Chemistry 21B** No credit for 21B if taken after 7B

**Communication Studies 265** (formerly 5) combined with **Journalism 12**: maximum credit, one course

**Contemporary Health 1 and 5**, maximum credit, one course

**Dance 250** combined with PE activity units, the maximum credit is four units toward the 60

**Economics 100** (formerly 5) No credit for 100 (formerly 5) if taken after Economics 101 (formerly 1) or 101H (formerly 1H) or 102 (formerly 2)

**Education 101 and 201;** maximum credit is one course

**English as a Second Language (ESL) 53B, 53C** ESL courses combined, maximum of 8 units

**Geology 30, 32, 34, 36** combined: maximum credit, one course

**Human Development 110, 110H and 115** combined, maximum credit, one course

**Journalism 12** and **Communication Studies 265** (formerly 5) combined: maximum credit, one course

**Math 110, 111, 115, and 116** combined: maximum credit, one course

**Math 130 and 180** combined: maximum credit, one course

**Math 115, Statistics C1000 (formerly Math 150) Statistics C1000H (formerly Math 150H), Psychology 109A (formerly 9A), and Sociology 109A** combined: maximum credit, one course

**Math 180** maximum credit 4 units (if taken before fall 2006, if taken fall 2006 or thereafter, students will receive 5 units for the course)

**Math 160, 165, 190:** maximum credit, one course (student takes Math 165 and then takes Math 190, the student will receive UC transfer unit credit for one course)

**Math 161 and 191:** maximum credit, one course

**Photography 101 and 102** combined: maximum credit, one course

**PE Activity-** maximum of four units transfer to the UC; **PE 217--** Any theory course: maximum credit 8 units

**Physical Science 25** no credit if taken after a college level physics or chemistry course

**Physics 1ABCD and 2AB and 3AB** combined maximum credit, one series/one course (student takes Physics 2A and then takes Physics 1A, student will receive credit for one course); **Physics 11, 12**, no credit if taken after 1A or 2A

**Psychology 109A (formerly 9A), Sociology 109A, Math 115, Statistics C1000 (Math 150), C1000H (Math 150H)** combined: maximum credit, one course

**Spanish 1 and 52A and 52B**, no credit for Spanish 1 if taken after 52A or 52B

**Statistics C1000** (formerly Math 150), **C1000H** (formerly Math 150H), **Math 115, Psychology 109A, Sociology 109A** combined: maximum credit, one course

**Advanced Placement Examinations (AP):** A score of 3, 4, or 5 is required for Cal-GETC certification. Each AP exam may be applied to one Cal-GETC area as satisfying one course requirement. Note: Students must check the transfer institution's college catalog or website for units awarded toward the minimum 60 units required for admission and credit toward major preparation.

AP Exam	Cal-GETC Area	AP Exam	Cal-GETC Area
Art History*	3A or 3B*	Macroeconomics	4
Biology	5B and 5C	Microeconomics	4
Calculus AB	2	Physics 1 Algebra based	5A and 5C
Calculus BC	2	Physics 2 Algebra based	5A and 5C
Calculus BC/AB sub score	2	Physics C Mechanics**	5A and 5C
Chemistry	5A and 5C	Physics C Electricity/Magnetism**	5A and 5C
Chinese Language & Culture	3B	Psychology	4
English Language/Composition	1A	Spanish Language and Culture	3B
English Literature*/Composition	1A or 3B*	Spanish Literature and Culture	3B
Environmental Science**	5A and 5C	Statistics	2
European History*	3B or 4*	U.S. Government & Politics	4 and US2 (for US 3, student will need to take course at a CCC or at a CSU)
French Language and Culture	3B	U.S. History*	(3B or 4*) and US1
German Language and Culture	3B	World History*	3B or 4*
Comparative Government & Politics	4		
Human Geography	4		
Italian Language & Culture	3B	*Each AP exam may only be applied to one area as satisfying one course requirement	
Japanese Language & Culture	3B	**These courses which count as a science with a lab will be granted 3 units toward certification. Students will need to complete a 4- unit course to fulfill certification Area 5	
Latin	3B		

### International Baccalaureate Exams (IB)

A score of 5, 6 or 7 on Higher Level (HL) exams is required for Cal-GETC certification. Students who have earned credit from an IB exam should not take a comparable college course because transfer credit will not be granted for both. \*IB exams may be used in either area regardless of where the certifying CCC's discipline is located.

International Baccalaureate (IB)	Cal-GETC Area
IB Biology HL	5B (without lab)
IB Chemistry HL	5A (without lab)
IB Economics HL	4
IB Geography HL	4
IB History (any region) HL	3B or 4*
IB Language A: Language and Literature (any language, except English) HL	3B
IB Language A: Literature (any language, except English) HL	3B
IB Language A: Literature (any language) HL	3B
IB Language A: Language and Literature 2 (any language) HL	3B
IB Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches HL	2
IB Physics HL	5A (without lab)
IB Psychology HL	4
IB Theatre HL	3A