



LOS ANGELES SOUTHWEST COLLEGE
INTERSEGMENTAL GENERAL EDUCATION TRANSFER CURRICULUM

Student's Name: _____ ID# _____ DATE: _____

Certified by: _____ Signature: _____ Title: _____

The IGETC curriculum is recommended for transfer to a UC or CSU. All Areas must be completed with "C" or better. Legend: C=Completed, IP=In Progress, R=Remaining						
Area 1 - ENGLISH COMMUNICATION		UC - 2 courses required one each from group A and B. CSU - 3 courses required, one each from group A, B and C.	AP Credit Or Other College Course(s)	C	IP	R
A	English Composition (1 course, 3 semester units) English 101					
B	Critical Thinking - English Composition (1 course, 3 semester units) English 102 or English 103					
C	Oral Communication - CSU requirement only (1 course, 3 semester units) Communication Studies 101					
AREA 2 - MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS & QUANTITATIVE REASONING		1 courses, 3 semester units minimum				
Mathematics 227, 230, 235◊, 236◊, 245◊, 260◊, 265◊, 266◊, 267, 270, 275						
AREA 3 - ARTS AND HUMANITIES		3 courses, 9 semester units minimum At least one course from the Arts and one course from Humanities.				
A	Arts: Art 101, 102, 103, 104; Art History 126; Music 111, 116, 141; Theater 100, Theater 110					
B	Humanities: American Sign Language 3; Anthropology 104; English 102, 207, 211, 212, 213, 215, 234; French 2; History 1, 2, 5, 11, 12; Humanities 1, 31; Philosophy 1; Spanish 2, 3, 4					
AREA 4 - SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES		3 courses, 9 semester units At least 2 disciplines				
A	Administration of Justice 63; Anthropology 102, 103, 104, 133; African American Studies 2, 7;					
B	Chicano Studies 2, 4; Economics 1, 2; Environmental Studies 101; Geography 2, 7, 14; Health 21;					
C	History 1*, 2*, 5*, 11*, 12*, 41*, 42*, 43*, 52; Political Science 1, 2, 5, 7, 19, 20, 30, 50, 60; Psychology 1, 41◊; Sociology 1, 2, 4, 11, 45					
AREA 5 - PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES		2 courses, 7-9 semester units One Physical Science course and one Biological Science course; one must include a laboratory; courses that include a laboratory class are underlined.				
A	Physical Science: Chemistry <u>51◊, 101, 102, 211, 212</u> ; Physics <u>6◊, 7◊, 37◊, 38◊, 39◊</u> ; Astronomy 1; Environmental Science 1; Geography 1; Geology 1; Physical Science 1◊					
B	Biological Science: Anatomy <u>1◊</u> ; Biology <u>3◊, 5◊, 6, 7, 20◊</u> ; Microbiology <u>1</u> ; Physiology <u>1◊</u> ; Anthropology 101; Environmental Science 2; Psychology 2					
C	Science Laboratory: Anthropology 111; Astronomy 5; Geography 15; Geology 6, Physical Science 14 This requirement may also be satisfied by completion of any lecture with lab course listed in Area 5A or 5B above that is underlined.					
AREA 6 - LANGUAGES OTHER THAN ENGLISH (UC Requirement ONLY)		Proficiency equivalent to two years of high school study in the same language				
American Sign Language 1, 2, 3; French 1, 2; Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4						
CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENT U.S. HISTORY, CONSTITUTION AND AMERICAN IDEALS		2 courses, 6 units - One course from Group 1 and one course from Group 2. These courses are not part of IGETC and may be completed prior to transfer.				
Group 1	Historical Development of American Institutions and Ideals: History 5, 11◊*, 12◊*, 41◊*, 42◊*, 43◊*					
Group 2	US Constitution & Government/California State & Local Government: Political Science 1*					

◊ Transfer credit is limited by either UC or CSU or both. Please consult with a counselor.

* Courses listed in multiple areas shall not be certified in more than one area except for courses in *Languages Other Than English*, which can be certified in both areas 3B and 6A.

LOS ANGELES SOUTHWEST COLLEGE IGETC 2018-2019 INFORMATION

What is the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum certification plan? The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) is a program of coursework that allows students to fulfill 37 units of lower-division general education requirements for either the UC or CSU system prior to transfer.

What is IGETC certification? IGETC Certification is the process used by Los Angeles Southwest College to verify the completion of the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum for transfer to either the University of California or the California State University system. In order to be fully certified by this college, students must complete the entire IGETC curriculum. Although not part of the IGETC, Los Angeles Southwest College will also certify the completion of the CSU US History, Constitution and American Ideals graduation requirement.

What is the value of transferring with certification? Completion of the IGETC requirements will allow a student to transfer from a California community college to a UC or CSU without the need, after transfer, to take additional lower division general education courses. At the discretion of the university granting the degree, the course may be counted as Fulfilling this requirement and counted toward General Education.

Must the entire IGETC program be completed in order for a student to be certified under IGETC? Yes. All coursework applicable to the IGETC must be completed and certified prior to transfer in order for it to be accepted by the UC and CSU system. Certification for CSU must include completion of the oral communication requirement (COMM 101). For UC certification, the foreign language requirement must be satisfied.

Is a minimum grade required in all courses used for IGETC certification? Yes. Both the UC and CSU require a grade of "C" or better in all courses used for the IGETC. Up to 15 units of coursework in which a "credit" or "pass" is received may be certified, providing either is equivalent to a grade of "C" or better.

What will happen if the IGETC is not completed prior to transferring to a UC or CSU campus? If the IGETC is not completed prior to transfer, students will be subject to the lower-division transfer requirements of the campus to which they transfer. These requirements vary from campus to campus but may require that the student take additional general education classes.

Do courses taken at another college count toward certification? If courses taken at another college are being used towards certification, Los Angeles Southwest College will place the courses in the IGETC areas identified by the offering college. Courses taken at 4-year institutions must be equivalent to courses offered at Los Angeles Southwest College. These courses will be placed in the subject areas in which the comparable LASC courses fit into this IGETC pattern. Courses completed at foreign institutions are not acceptable except for certification of competence in a language other than English. Students using two years of high school foreign language to satisfy the UC "Language Other Than English" requirement (IGETC Area 6) must have official copies of high school transcripts on file. This requirement may also be met by providing official documentation showing satisfactory completion, with the equivalent of a "C" grade or better, of two years of formal schooling at the sixth grade level or higher at an institution where the language of instruction was not English. Exam results used to meet this requirement must be on file at Los Angeles Southwest College.

When do students apply for certification? Students should apply for IGETC certification at the end of their last semester; students should generally not request certification until all IGETC requirements have been completed. The last college attended completes the certification.

Where do students apply for certification? Students complete the IGETC certification form with a Counselor; the student is responsible for turning the certification form in to the Office of Admissions and Records.

What do students do to notify the CSU or UC of the certification? Students must complete the Transcript Request form in the Office of Admissions and Records, requesting the final transcript to be sent to their chosen CSU or UC. They must check the box "State College Certification/IGETC." The record of the areas of certification will then be listed on the transcript that is sent to the university.

NOTE: Completion of IGETC is not the same as completing major preparatory coursework.

For further information, please see a counselor.

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