



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

GOLDEN WEST COLLEGE'S AA DEGREE HAS A "NEW" LOOK

The Associate in Arts Degree at Golden West College has been updated and revised to meet the changes in Title 5 California Education Code and the recommendations from the California Community College Chancellor's System Office. The AA Degree student will notice there is now only one Associate Degree rather than 3 different options, but the student will still be able to take a wide variety of courses to attain the AA Degree. If the student has been in continuous attendance at GWC prior to Fall 2008, he/she may continue with the option that was started.

All AA candidates will be required to meet the Graduation Requirements which include completion of 60 units of acceptable course work with an overall GPA of 2.0. At least 12 units of the 60 must be completed at GWC. Courses meeting each area of the General Education Requirements must be satisfied as well as the requirements of Computer Competency and Information Literacy.

The AA Degree candidates must also choose a Major/Area of Emphasis, or complete a minimum 18 unit Certificate of Achievement in Career and Technical Education, or complete the Certificate of Achievement for CSU Breadth designed for students intending to transfer to the CSU system, or complete the Certificate of Achievement for IGETC designed for students intending to transfer to the UC system or students unsure of where they will transfer.

The new AA Degree and Certificates of Achievement for CSU Breadth and IGETC are still going through the State Approval process. They may need minor changes to what is published on the following pages, so please check for updates at MyGWC.com and with a GWC counselor for the most up to date information.

There are important differences between the Major/Area of Emphasis/Certificate options, so it is imperative that all students seeking the AA Degree see a GWC counselor as early as possible and continue seeking counseling advice on an ongoing basis.

The path is far shorter when the road is mapped out in advance.



ASSOCIATE IN ARTS DEGREE REQUIREMENTS (Pending State Approval)

(See website: www.goldenwestcollege.edu for most up-to-date information on AA Degree)

Graduation Requirements:

1. Completion of 60 units of acceptable college work.
2. 2.0 overall Grade Point Average for all colleges attended.
3. At least 12 units completed at GWC.
4. Satisfaction of Computer Competency.
5. Satisfaction of Information Literacy.
6. Completion of General Education Requirements—Areas A through E, listed below.
7. Completion of an Area of Emphasis (a minimum of 18 units).

General Education Requirements*

Area A Communication in the English Language and Critical Thinking

Completion of 3 units from each group.

Group 1 Learning Outcome: Demonstrate spoken communication skills that are appropriate to the audience, context and goal of the communication situation.

Group 2 Learning Outcome: Demonstrate the ability to write clear, well-organized papers using documentation and research when appropriate.

Group 3 Learning Outcome: Demonstrate the critical thinking skills of analysis, synthesis and evaluation.

Area B Physical Universe and Its Life Forms

Completion of 3 units in Group 1 and satisfy Group 2.

Group 1 Learning Outcome: Demonstrate a strong factual framework of knowledge about the natural world and be able to use critical thinking skills to build on that framework; incorporate new observations and use a variety of experimental and analytical techniques, as well as data collection and display methods, to construct this understanding.

Group 2 Learning Outcome: Demonstrate the ability to perform basic computations and to successfully apply both critical thinking skills and problem solving skills to practical problems using algebraic methodologies.

Area C Arts, Literature, Philosophy and Languages other than English

Completion of 3 units

Learning Outcome: Demonstrate an ability to understand, evaluate, interpret, and appreciate human creations in the visual, performing and/or linguistic arts.

Area D Social, Political and Economic Institutions

Completion of 3 units

Learning Outcome: Demonstrate an ability to comprehend and evaluate cultural, social, political and economic institutions from various perspectives.

Area E Lifelong Understanding and Self-Development

Completion of 3 units

Learning Outcome: Demonstrate an ability to self- assess progress and development in a specific area and to further design and pursue a course of action based on the self-assessment.

* See list of courses on the following page that fulfill these requirements.

Area of Emphasis Requirement

Learning Outcome: Demonstrate skills, abilities, and knowledge in a particular area of aptitude or study.

Completion of one of the following**:

1. **Major/Area of Emphasis** — Minimum 18 units of study (See the Major/Area of Emphasis and their courses on the following page. See a GWC Counselor for appropriate classes.)
2. **Certificate of Achievement in Career and Technical Education** — Minimum 18 units of study (See the GWC Catalog for CTE Certificates of Achievement.)
3. **Certificate of Achievement in CSU Breadth** (See a GWC Counselor for details.)
4. **Certificate of Achievement in IGETC** (See a GWC Counselor for details.)

** All coursework in these areas must be completed with a grade “C” or better.

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GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:

Note: One course may not be used to satisfy more than one general education requirement; however, the same course may be used to satisfy a general education and a major/area of emphasis requirement.

Honor course credit limitation: Duplicate credit will not be awarded for both the honors and regular versions of a course.

AREA A:**Communication In The English Language And Critical Thinking:**

Completion of 3 units from each group:

Group 1: Communication Studies *G100, G108, G110 (or G110H), G112, G220;* English *G110 (or G110H);* Philosophy *G115*

Group 2: Business *G130, Business G139;* English *G100 (or G100H);* Journalism *G125, G185*

Group 3: A second course from Groups 1, 2, or Business *G125;* English *G280*

AREA B:**Physical Universe And Its Life Forms:**

Completion of at least three units in Group 1 and satisfy Group 2.

Group 1: Anthropology *G120, G121;* Astronomy *G100, G100L;* Biology *G100 (or G100H), G104 and G104L, G110, G120, G155, G170, G175, G180, G185, G190, G210;* Chemistry *G110, G130, G180, G185, G220, G225;* Geography *G180;* Geology *G100, G105, G106;* Physical Science *G100 (or G100H);* Physics *G110, G111, G120, G185;* Psychology *G250*

Group 2: Mathematics competency - Must satisfy one of the following:

1. A Math Competency Test placement recommendation of Geometry (Math G020), or a higher Math course.
2. Completion of intermediate (2nd year) algebra in high school with a "C" grade or better.
3. Completion of one college course in mathematics: *G010, G020, G030, G100, G103, G104, G106, G115, G120, G140, G150, G160, G160H, G170, G180, G180H, G185, G235, G280, G285*

AREA C:**Arts, Literature, Philosophy And Foreign Language:**

Complete at least three units from the following:

Anthropology *G100, G135, G136, G150;* Art *G100, G105 (or G105H), G106 (or G106H), G107, G116, G121, G125, G142, G144, G150, G152;* Broadcast & Video Production *G101;* Chinese *G180, G185, G280;* Communication Studies *G120, G175;* Dance *G100, G110, G120, G125;* Economics *G120;* English *G070, G110 (or G110H), G112, G114 (or G114H), G143, G150, G155, G156, G160 (or G160H), G165 (or G165H), G170, G171, G180, G280, G281, G290, G295;* Farsi *G180, G185;* French *G180, G185, G280, G285, G290;* History *G110, G120, G132, G135, G136, G150, G160, G165, G170, G175, G180 (or G180H), G185, (or G185H), G190, G195;* Humanities *G100 (or G100H), G101, G102, G103, G104, G108, G110 (or G110H), G120 (or G120H), G122, G126, G130, G132, G135, G137, G140, G145, G160, G170;* Journalism *G160;* Music *G101 (or G101H), G103, G104, G105, G108, G109, G110, G115, G120, G126, G132, G136, G141, G142, G145, G158, G165, G185, G210;* Philosophy *G101, G102, G110, G111, G120, G150;* Photography *G125, G150, G151, G152, G158;* Political Science *G150;* Portuguese *G180;* Sign *G180, G185, G280, G285;* Social Science *G134, G135, G136;* Sociology *G134;* Spanish *G110, G180 (or G180H), G185 (or G185H), G280, G285, G290;* Theater Arts *G100, G101, G102, G104, G106, G108, G120, G130, G142, G151, G171, G175, G176, G177, G178, G205;* Vietnamese *G180, G185, G280, G285, G290*

AREA D:**Social, Political, And Economic Institutions:**

Complete at least three units from the following:

Anthropology *G100, G130, G135, G136, G140, G150;* Communication Studies *G175, G190, G260;* Criminal Justice *G123, G140;* Economics *G110, G120, G180, G285;* Education *G180;* Environmental Studies *G100;* Geography *G100, G104, G195;* History *G110, G120, G132, G135, G136, G150, G160, G165, G170, G175, G180 (or G180H), G185 (or G185H), G190, G195;* Peace Studies *G100, G110;* Philosophy *G150;* Political Science *G100, G101, G110, G120 (or G120H), G121, G121H, G130, G150, G180 (or G180H), G185;* Psychology *G100 (or G100H), G110, G150, G158, G160, G165, G185, G250;* Social Science *G133, G134, G135, G136;* Sociology *G100 (or G100H), G110, G133, G134, G150;* Spanish *G290*

AREA E:**Lifelong Understanding And Self-Development**

Complete at least three units from the following:

Accounting *G100;* Business *G121;* College *G100;* Communication Studies *G175;* Counseling *G100, G103, G104, G199;* Dance *G100, G105, G106, G110, G112, G115, G120, G125, G130, G135, G136, G145, G150, G155, G160, G200, G215, G220, G225, G230, G235, G240, G245, G250, G260, G270;* Ecology *G100;* Health Education *G100, G107, G120, G125, Marketing G121;* Physical Education: *G103, G105, G106, G107, G108, G109, G110, G111, G112, G114, G130, G131, G132, G134, G136, G137, G138, G139, G140, G141, G149, G150, G154, G158, G159, G161, G164, G166, G167, G168, G169, G172, G173, G176, G178, G180, G181, G186, G192, G194, G195, G196, G201, G202, G203, G204, G207, G209, G240, G244, G246, G248, G250, G252, G256, G258, G260, G264, G270, G272, G273, G274, G275, G277, G278, G280, G282, G283, G285, G286, G287, G288, G290, G298;* Psychology *G110, G160, G165, G250*

Italicized – CSU Certificate

Underlined – IGETC Certificate

Notes:

- Students must file a graduation petition with the Admissions and Records Office to obtain the degree.
- The above degree requirements apply to students entering Fall, 2008 semester. Students who enrolled prior to Fall, 2008 and who have maintained continuous attendance at Golden West College, have the option of completing under the former degree requirements.
- All Golden West College courses numbered between G001-G299 are counted toward the 60 units required, except for the following which includes basic skills, non-credit and remedial courses:
College G090; ESL G011, G012, G013, G021, G022, G023, G028, G031, G032, G033, G038, G041, G042, G043, G048, G051, G052, G053, G058, G061, G062, G063, G068, G071, G073; English Reading & Writing Center G001, G002, G03, G011, G012, G013, G014, G020, G021, G022, G023, G024, G025, G030, G031, G32, G034, G035; ESL Writing Center G011, G012, G013, G015, G025, G026, G027, G044, G054, G055, G056, G057, G058, G059; English G009, G032, G037, G038, G039, G042; Health Education G851, G852; Learning Skills G005, G921, G922, G927, G928; Mathematics G005, G008; Theater G821
- Changes to requirements in English and Mathematics will take effect in Fall 2009

Continuous Attendance Policy

Continuous attendance at Golden West College is defined as the completion of at least one course during a regular term in an academic year.

COMPUTER COMPETENCY REQUIREMENT:

Learning Outcome: *Demonstrate the ability to understand basic computing concepts and principles, and to successfully utilize common software applications.*

This requirement may be met by completing one of the following:

- A. Completion of one of the Computer Science or Computer Business Application courses with a grade of “C” or better, or “Pass” grade:
 - Computer Business Applications G145
 - Computer Business Applications G181
 - Computer Business Applications G182
 - Computer Science G101
 - Computer Science G130
- B. Completion of a course that requires competency in basic computing concepts and principles. Courses such as the following are acceptable:
 - Accounting G119, G130
 - Architectural Technology G130, G160, G162
 - Art G170, G177, G178, G179, G222
 - Biology G200
 - Broadcast & Video Production G130, G131, G160, G162, G164
 - Business G170
 - Computer Science G170
 - Digital Arts G100, G103, G115, G170, G177, G178, G179, G200, G222, G230
 - Drafting G101, G105, G110, G170
 - Education G103
 - Engineering Technology G125
 - Nursing G100, G150, G200, G250
 - Management G170
- C. Completion of an equivalent course at another regionally accredited institution.
- D. Completion of this requirement may be accomplished using alternative methods. See a GWC Counselor for details.

INFORMATION LITERACY REQUIREMENT:

Learning Outcome: *Demonstrate the ability to recognize when information is needed and have the ability to locate, evaluate, and effectively use the necessary information.*

This requirement may be met by completing one of the following:

- A. Completion of one of the Library Science courses with a grade of “C” or better, or “Pass” grade:
 - Library G110
 - Library G120
 - Library G125
- B. Completion of a course that requires competency in research methods and/or the writing of a research paper. Courses such as the following are acceptable:
 - Architectural Technology G185
 - Art G100
 - Art G105H/Humanities G100H
 - Art G106H/Humanities G110H
 - Criminal Justice G150
 - Criminal Justice G151
 - College G100
 - Communications G110
 - Communications G220
 - English G100 / English G100H
 - English G110 / English G110H
 - English G114 / English G114H
 - Nursing G150
 - Nursing G200
 - Nursing G250
 - Peace Studies G110
 - Sociology G100
- C. Completion of an equivalent course at another regionally accredited institution.
- D. Completion of this requirement may be accomplished using alternative methods. See a GWC Counselor for details.



GWC CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT FOR CSU BREADTH (Pending state approval)

This Certificate of Achievement is designed specifically for students intending to transfer to the California State University System. Students who complete this certificate will complete the maximum lower-division general education units allowed by the 23 California State University (CSU) campuses. Courses on this list are approved for a specific academic year. A course cannot be certified by GWC unless it was on the CSU/GE list when it was taken by the student. General education courses may be added to the approved GE list during the year. You must request certification at the GWC Admissions & Records office when requesting your final transcript.

Note: Completion of this certificate assures certification of the maximum amount of general education course work permitted by the CSU System. Students must complete at least 9 units of general education courses at the CSU campus during their junior/senior years.

Students who follow this certificate must complete 39 units of courses listed in Areas A through E below, including the specific requirements indicated for each area.

A grade of "C" or better is required for:

- all courses in Area A
- the Math course in Area B
- at least 30 of the units completed in Areas A through E

Note: One course may not be used to satisfy more than one general education requirement.

AREA A:

Communication In The English Language And Critical Thinking:

9 semester units (or 12 - 15 quarter units) – One course from each group below:

Group 1: Communication Studies G100, G108, G110 (or G110H), G112

Group 2: English G100 (or G100H)

Group 3: Communication Studies G220
English G110 (or G110H)
Philosophy G115

AREA B:

Physical Universe And Its Life Forms:

9 semester units (or 12 - 15 quarter units) – At least one course each from Group 1 - 4.

Group 1: Physical Science

Astronomy G100, G100L*
Chemistry G110*, G130*, G180*, G220*, G225*
Geography G180
Geology G100*, G105, G106*
Physical Science G100* (or G100H*)
Physics G110, G111*, G120*, G185*

Group 2: Life Science

Anthropology G120, G121*
Biology G100* (or G100H*), G104, G104L*, G110*, G120*,
G155*, G170*, G175*, G180*, G185*, G190*, G210*
Psychology G250

Group 3: Laboratory Courses

Any course identified by * in Groups 1 and 2 above

Group 4: Mathematics

Mathematics G100, G103, G104, G106, G115, G120, G140, G150, G160
or G160H), G170, G180 (or G180H), G185, G230, G235, G240, G280,
G285

AREA C:

Arts, Literature, Philosophy And Foreign Language:

9 semester units (or 12 - 15 quarter units) – At least one course from each group. A maximum of three units of activity courses (identified by *) may be used toward satisfaction of Area C.

Group 1: Arts (Art, Dance, Music, Theater)

Art G100, G105 (or G105H), G106 (or G106H), G107, G116, G121*,
G125*, G142*, G144*, G150*, G152*
Broadcast & Video Production G101
Dance G100*, G110*, G120*, G125*, G165
Humanities G100 (or G100H), G101, G102, G103, G104, G108, G110
(or G110H), G120 (or G120H), G126, G130, G132, G135, G140, G145,
G165 Music G101 (or G101H), G103, G104, G105*, G108, G109*,
G110*, G115, G120*, G126, G132*, G136, G141*, G142*, G145*,
G185, G210*
Photography G125*, G150, G158
Theater Arts G100, G101, G102, G104, G106, G108, G120*, G130,
G131, G142*, G151, G171*, G175, G176, G177, G178

Group 2: Humanities (Literature, Philosophy, Foreign Language)

Arabic G180,
Chinese G180, G185
Communication Studies G120, G175
Economics G120
English G110, G112, G114 (or G114H), G143, G150, G155, G160 (or
G160H), G165 or G165H), G170, G171, G180, G280, G281, G290,
G295
Farsi G180, G185
French G180, G185, G280, G285, G290
German G180, G185, G280, G285
History G110, G120, G132, G135, G150, G160, G165, G170**, G175**,
G180 (or G180H), G185 (or G185H), G190, G195
Humanities G160, G170
Italian G180, G185, G280, G285
Japanese G180, G185
Journalism G160
Philosophy G101, G102, G110, G111, G120, G150
Political Science G150
Portuguese G180
Russian G180, G185, G280
Sign Language G180, G185, G280, G285
Spanish G110, G180, G185, G280, G285, G290
Theater Arts G205
Vietnamese G180, G185, G280, G285, G290

AREA D:**Social, Political And Economic Institutions:**

9 semester units (or 12 - 15 quarter units) – With courses in at least two disciplines.

Group 0: Sociology and Criminology

Criminal Justice G123, G140
Social Science G133
Sociology G100 (or G100H), G133, G150

Group 1: Anthropology

Anthropology G100, G130, G135, G140
Social Science G135, G180

Group 2: Economics

Economics G110, G120, G180, G285
History G110

Group 3: Ethnic Studies

Anthropology G135, G136
Communication Studies G175
Education G180
History G136, G150, G190, G195
Social Science G133, G134, G135, G136, G180
Sociology G133, G134
Spanish G290

Group 4: Gender Studies

History G165

Group 5: Geography

Geography G100, G104, G195

Group 6: History

Economics G120
History G110, G120, G132, G135, G150, G160, G165, G170**, G175**, G180 (or G180H), G185 (or G185H), G190, G195

Group 7: Interdisciplinary Social/Behavioral Science

Anthropology G135
Communication Studies G190, G260
Environmental Studies G100
History G120, G160
Peace Studies 100, G110
Psychology G185
Social Science G135, G180

Group 8: Political Science

Philosophy G150
Political Science G100, G101, G110, G120, G120H, G121, G121H, G130, G150, G180** (or G180H**), G185

Group 9: Psychology

Psychology G100 (or G100H), G150, G158, G160, G165, G250

**All C.S.U. campuses require that a student demonstrate competence in the Constitution of the United States and in American History. This may be satisfied by taking Political Science G180 (or G180H) and History G170 or G175 at Golden West College, or by taking a test at the CSU.

AREA E:**Lifelong Understanding And Self-Development:**

3 semester units (or 4 - 5 quarter units) – No more than 1 unit of activity courses may be used to meet this requirement.

Non-Activity

College G100
Counseling G104
Ecology G100
Health Education G100, G107, G201
Physical Education G103 and one course from the list of activity courses
Psychology G110, G160, G165

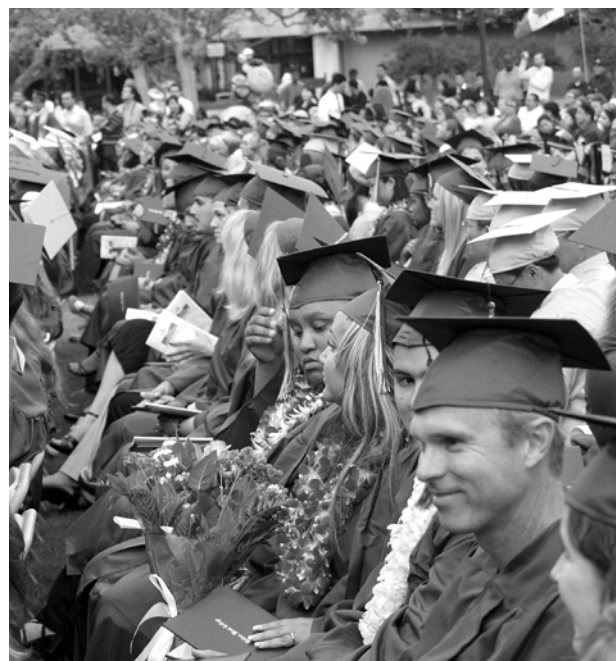
Activity

Dance G106, G115, G135, G230
Physical Education G105, G106, G107, G108, G109, G111, G112, G115, G129, G130, G131, G132, G134, G136, G140, G150, G154, G158, G160, G161, G162, G164, G165, G166, G168, G173, G176, G177, G186, G192, G194, G195, G196, G240, G242, G244, G246, G248, G250, G252, G256, G258, G260, G262, G264, G272, G274, G275, G276, G277, G278, G283, G285, G286, G287, G290, G296, G298

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Continuous Attendance Policy. Continuous attendance at Golden West College is defined as the completion of at least one course during a regular term in an academic year.

Note: This list was current at the time of printing. See a GWC Counselor for the most up to date transfer information.



GWC CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT FOR IGETC (Pending state approval)

This Certificate of Achievement is designed for students who intend to transfer to California State University (CSU) or the University of California (UC), or who are unsure if they will transfer to a CSU or UC campus. Students who complete this certificate with a grade of "C" or better in each course, will complete the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) with which all lower division general education units required by the CSU and UC (except Eleanor Roosevelt and Revelle Colleges at UCSD which require additional GE course work) are met. This certificate may not be advisable for some majors at certain CSU and UC campuses. Students should consult a GWC Counselor to make sure this is their best option.

To be eligible to transfer to a UC campus, students must complete 60 units of UC transferable courses with at least a 2.4 gpa. For this certificate a minimum of 12 residency units must be completed at GWC. Courses on this list are approved for a specific academic year. A course cannot be certified by GWC unless it was on the GWC IGETC list when it was taken by the student. General education courses may be added to the approved IGETC list during the year. You must request certification at the GWC Admissions & Records office when requesting your final transcript.

Honor Course Credit Limitation

Duplicate credit will not be awarded for both the honors and regular versions of a course. Credit will only be awarded to the first course completed with a grade of C or better.

AREA 1:

English Communication:

CSU: Complete all three groups. 9 semester units (or 12-15 quarter units).

UC: Complete Group A and Group B. Two courses, 6 semester units (or 8-10 quarter units).

Group A: English Composition

English G100* (or G100H*)

Group B: Critical Thinking-English Composition

English G110 (or G110H*)

Group C: Oral Communication (CSU ONLY)

Communication Studies G110* (or G110H*)

*Transfer Credit is limited by either UC or CSU or both; see Golden West College Counselor.

AREA 2:

Mathematical Concepts And Quantitative Reasoning:

One course, 3 - 5 semester units (or 4-5 quarter units).

Mathematics G100, G115*, G140, G150, G160* (or G160H*), G170*, G180* (or G180H*), G185, G230, G235, G240, G280, G285

*Transfer Credit is limited by either UC or CSU or both; see Golden West College Counselor.

AREA 3:

Arts And Humanities:

Three courses, with at least one from Group A and one from Group B for a total of 9 semester units (or 12-15 quarter units).

Group A: Arts

Art G100, G105* (or G105H*), G106* (or G106H*)
 Humanities G100* (or G100H*), G102, G103, G104, G108, G110* (or G110H*), G120* (or G120H*), G122, G126, G130, G132, G135, G140, G145, G170
 Music G101* (or G101H*), G103, G104, G108, G126, G136, G165, G185
 Photography G158
 Theater Arts G100, G101, G102, G108

Group B: Humanities

Anthropology G135
 Chinese G280
 Economics G120
 English G112, G114* (G114H*), G143, G150, G155, G160 (or G160H), G165 or G165H), G170, G171, G180, G280, G290, G295
 Farsi G185 French G185, G280, G285, G290

German G280, G285

History G110, G120, G132, G135, G150, G160, G165, G170#, G175#, G180* (or G180H*), G185* (G185H*), G190, G195

Italian G185, G280, G285

Philosophy G101, G102, G110, G111, G120, G150

Political Science G150

Social Science G135

Spanish G185, G280, G285, G290

Vietnamese G185, G280, G285, G290

*Transfer Credit is limited by either UC or CSU or both; see Golden West College Counselor.

#If this course is being used to meet the CSU American Institutions requirement, it cannot be used to satisfy this area.

AREA 4:

Social And Behavioral Sciences:

Three courses, from at least two disciplines, for a total of 9 semester units (or 12-15 quarter units).

Anthropology G100, G130, G136, G140, G150

Communication Studies G175, G190

Criminal Justice G123

Economics G110, G120, G180, G285

Environmental Studies G100

Geography G100, G104, G195

History G110, G132, G135, G136, G185H

Peace Studies G100, G110

Philosophy G150

Political Science G100, G101, G110, G120* (or G120H*), G130, G150, G180#* (or G180H#*), G185

Psychology G100* (or G100H*), G150, G158, G160, G165, G185, G250

Social Science G133, G134, G136, G180

Sociology G100* (or G100H*), G133, G134, G150

*Transfer Credit is limited by either UC or CSU or both; see Golden West College Counselor.

#If this course is being used to meet the CSU American Institutions requirement, it cannot be used to satisfy this area.

AREA 5:**Physical And Biological Sciences:**

Two courses, with one from Group A and one from Group B, for a total of 7 - 9 semester units (or 9-12 quarter units). One of the courses must include a lab. Underlining designates courses with a laboratory.

Group A: Physical Science

Astronomy G100, G100L

Chemistry G110*, G130*, G180, G185, G220*, G225*

Geography G180

Geology G100, G105*

Physical Science G100*, G100H*

Physics G110*, G111*, G120*, G125*, G185*, G280*, G285*, G290

Group B: Biological Science

Anthropology G120, G121

Biology G100* (or G100H*), G104, G104L, G110, G120, G155*,

G170*, G175*, G180, G185, G190, G210

Psychology G250

*Transfer Credit is limited by either UC or CSU or both; see Golden West College Counselor.

AREA 6:**Language Other Than English (UC ONLY):**

1. Complete two years of a high school foreign language with grades of "C" or better (high school transcripts must be on file at GWC)

OR

2. Earn a minimum score in SAT II Subject Test in languages other than English. (test results must be on file at GWC)

OR

3. Complete at least one language course (OTHER THAN ENGLISH) at GWC numbered G180, or Spanish G110

OR

4. Complete with "C" grades or better, two years of formal schooling at the sixth grade level or higher in an institution where the language of instruction is not English

OR

5. See a GWC Counselor for other options for completing this requirement, including AP, IB, and credit by examination.

Note: This list was current at the time of printing. See a GWC Counselor for the most up to date transfer information.

GOLDEN WEST COLLEGE MAJORS (Pending state approval)

(See a GWC Counselor for requirements for each major.)

Accounting	English
Anthropology	French Language
Architectural Technology	Global Logistics and Supply Chain Management
Art	International Trade Marketing & Management
Biology, General	Management
Business Administration	Marketing Management
Chemistry	Mathematics
Communication Studies	Music: Performance or Education Preparation
Computer Business Applications	Nursing: Registered Nursing
Computer Science: Software Development Track 1	Physical Education
Computer Science: Software development Track 2	Physics
Computer Science: Video Game Development	Political Science
Cosmetology	Psychology
Criminal Justice: Administration of Justice	Retail Management and Entrepreneurship
Criminal Justice: Forensics, Evidence, and Investigation	Sign Language
Criminal Justice: Corrections	Social Sciences
Criminal Justice: Police Academy	Spanish Language
Dance	Theater Arts
Design	Vietnamese Language
Drafting Technology: Computer Aided Design Drafting	World Language
Ecology	