

Advanced Placement Exams (AP)

Column 1 - With a score of 3, 4, or 5, AP credit may be applied to [Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum \(IGETC\)](#) certification.

Column 2 – With a score of 3, 4, or 5, AP credit may be applied to [California State University General Education \(CSU GE\)](#) certification.

Column 3 – With a score of 3, 4, or 5, AP credit may be applied to [Associate Degree general education](#) area requirements at Cañada College, College of San Mateo, and Skyline College.

AP Exam	Column 1 Application to IGETC Certification (Use the IGETC and UC information links above to view credit value applied to IGETC and UC admissions.)	Column 2 Application to CSU GE Certification 3 semester units awarded toward GE unless otherwise indicated (*Some AP results generate different credit value if taken BEFORE Fall 2009. See CSU memo referenced above.)	Column 3 Application to SMCCCD Associate Degree General Education 3 semester units awarded toward GE unless otherwise indicated
ART HISTORY	IGETC Area 3A or Area 3B	CSU GE Area C1 or Area C2	Arts or Humanities Area
ART – STU/2-D Design	NA	NA	NA
ART – STU/3-D Design	NA	NA	NA
ART – STU/Drawing	NA	NA	NA
BIOLOGY	IGETC Area 5B & Area 5C	CSU GE Area B2 & Area B3 4 semester units	Natural Science/Scientific Inquiry Area 4 semester units
CHEMISTRY * Taken Fall 2009 or after	IGETC Area 5A & Area 5C	CSU GE Area B1 & Area B3 4 semester units	Natural Science/Scientific Inquiry Area 4 semester units
COMP SCI A & AB	NA	NA	NA
ECONOMICS/Macro	IGETC Area 4	CSU GE Area D	Social Science Area
ECONOMICS/Micro	IGETC Area 4	CSU GE Area D	Social Science Area
ENGLISH Language/Comp	IGETC Area 1A	CSU GE Area A2	English/Reading Basic Competency & Written Composition
ENGLISH Literature/Comp	IGETC Area 1A or Area 3B	CSU GE Area A2 & Area C2 6 semester units	English/Reading Basic Competency & Written Composition & Humanities Area 6 semester units
ENVIRON. SCIENCE * Taken FALL 2009 or later	IGETC Area 5A & Area 5C	CSU GE Area B1 & Area B3 4 semester units	Natural Science/Scientific Inquiry Area 4 semester units
GOVERNMENT Comparative Government and Politics	IGETC Area 4	CSU GE Area D	Social Science Area
GOVERNMENT US Government/Politics	IGETC Area 4 & US – 2 US Constitution	CSU GE Area D & US – 2 US Constitution	Social Science Area US Government Specific Area
HISTORY European	IGETC Area 3B or 4	CSU GE Area C2 or Area D	Social Science Area or Humanities Area
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HISTORY United States	IGETC Area 3B or Area 4 & US – 1 US History	CSU GE Area C2 or Area D & US – 1 US History	Social Science Area US History Specific Area
HISTORY World	IGETC Area 3B or Area 4	CSU GE Area C2 or Area D	Social Science Area or Humanities Area
HUMAN GEOGRAPHY	IGETC Area 4	CSU GE Area D	Social Science Area
CHINESE Language/Culture	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
FRENCH Language * Taken Fall 2009 or after	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
FRENCH Literature * Taken before Fall 2009	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area

GERMAN Language * Taken Fall 2009 or after	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
ITALIAN Lang/Culture * Taken before Fall 2010	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
JAPANESE Language/Culture	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
LATIN – Literature * Taken before Fall 2009	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
LATIN - Vergil	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
SPANISH Language * Taken Fall 2009 or after	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
SPANISH Literature * Taken Fall 2009 of after	IGETC Area 3B & Area 6A	CSU GE Area C2	Humanities Area
MATH Calculus AB	IGETC Area 2	CSU GE Area B4	Math Competency & Critical Thinking/Analytical Thinking Area
MATH Calculus BC	IGETC Area 2	CSU GE Area B4	Math Competency & Critical Thinking/Analytical Thinking Area
MATH Calculus BC/AB	IGETC Area 2	CSU GE Area B4	Math Competency & Critical Thinking/Analytical Thinking Area
MUSIC THEORY * Taken before FALL 2009	NA	CSU GE Area C1	Humanities Area
PHYSICS B * Taken Fall 2009 or after	IGETC Areas 5A & Area 5C	CSU GE Area B1 & Area B3 4 semester units	Natural Science/Scientific Inquiry Area 4 semester units
PHYSICS C Mechanics	IGETC Areas 5A & Area 5C	CSU GE Area B1 & Area B3 4 semester units	Natural Science/Scientific Inquiry Area 4 semester units
PHYSICS C Electricity/magnetism	IGETC Areas 5A & Area 5C	CSU GE Area B1 & Area B3 4 semester units	Natural Science/Scientific Inquiry Area 4 semester units
PSYCHOLOGY	IGETC Area 4	CSU GE Area D	Social Science Area
STATISTICS	IGETC Area 2	CSU GE Area B4	Math Competency & Critical Thinking/Analytical Thinking Area