

SONOMA STATE UNIVERSITY 51 UNIT GE PATTERN

Students Who Entered As Freshman Prior To Fall 2011

Met Semester

Students may begin their Upper Division GE course-work during or after the semester in which they achieve upper division junior standing (i.e., 60 sem. units) but NOT before.

A. COMMUNICATION & CRITICAL THINKING (9 units) Complete one course from each of the following groups:

- _____ **1. Written and Oral Analysis (3 units) (Prerequisites: Area A2 and Area A3)**
AMCS 200 (3) ENG 200 (3) ENGL 201(3) HUM 200 (3) PHIL 201 (3) UNIV 302 (3) UNIV 150 A/B (9)
- _____ **2. Fundamentals of Communication (3 units)**
ENGL100B(4) ENGL 101 (4)
- _____ **3. Critical Thinking (3 units)**
PHIL 101 (4) PHIL 102 (4) UNIV150 A/B (9)

B. NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS (12 units) (9 in science, 3 in math)

Include lab activity (# indicates lab course). Must complete a course in groups 1, 2 and 4.

- _____ **1. Physical Sciences**
ASTR 100 (3) CHEM 102 (3)# CHEM 110 (3) CHEM 125AB (5)# GEOL 102 (3)# PHYS 100 (3) PHYS 114 (4) PHYS 209AB (1)#
ASTR 231 (2)# CHEM 105 (5)# CHEM 115AB (5)# GEOG 201 (4) GEOL 105 (3) PHYS 102 (1)# PHYS 116 (1)# PHYS 210AB (3)
- _____ **2. Biological Sciences**
ANTH 201 (3) BIOL 110 (4)# BIOL 115 (3) BIOL 121 (4)# BIOL 122 (4)#
- _____ To complete a minimum of 9 units in science, select additional units from groups B1, B2 or B3:
3. Specific Emphasis
ASTR 303 (3) BIOL 121 (4)# BIOL 224 (4)# BIOL 312 (3) CS 101 (3) ES 101A (3) GEOL 110 (3) PHYS 300 (3)
ASTR 305 (3) BIOL 122 (4)# BIOL 308 (3) BIOL 314 (4)# CS 115 (4) ES 101B (1)# GEOL 120 (3)# PHYS 342 (3)
ASTR 350 (3) BIOL 123 (4)# BIOL 309 (3) BIOL 315 (3) GEOG 204 (4) GEOL 301 (3)
BIOL 220 (4)# BIOL 311 (3) BIOL 385 (3) GEOL 303 (4)#
- _____ **4. Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning**
MATH 103 (3) MATH 105 (3) MATH 131 (3) MATH 150 (3) MATH 161(4)
MATH 104 (3) MATH 111 (3) MATH 141 (3) MATH 160 (4) (formerly MATH 107) MATH 165 (4)

C. HUMANITIES (12 units) Choose any of the Area "C" courses listed below with at least one course in the Arts (3 units) and one in the Humanities (3 units) to reach a minimum of 12 units.

- _____ **Arts**
AMCS 225 (4)* ArtH 211 (3-4) ArtH 460 (3-4) CALS 393 (4)* LIBS 204 (4)* MUS 250 (3) NAMS 205 (4)* THAR 202 (4)
AMCS 260 (4)* ArtH 212AB (3) ArtH 464 (3-4) CALS 479 (4)* MUS 105 (3) MUS 343 (3) NAMS 338 (4)* THAR 203 (4)
AMCS 392 (4)* ArtH 270AB (3-4) ArtH 465 (3-4) ENGL 207 (4) MUS 150 (3) MUS 344 (3) THAR 101 (3) THAR 300 (3)
ArtH 210 (3-4) ArtH 454 (3-4) CALS 368 (4)*
- _____ **Humanities**
AMCS 350 (4)* CALS 374 (4)* ENGL 345 (4) FR 314(4) GER 102 (4)+ NAMS 346 (4)* SPAN 102 (4)+ SPAN 400 (4)
AMCS 355 (4)* CALS 426 (4)* FL 214 (4) FR 320 (4) GER 200 (4) NAMS 354 (4)* SPAN 201 (4) SPAN 401 (4)
AMCS 360 (4)* CALS 451 (4)* FL 314 (4) FR 321 (4) GER 210 (4) PHIL 120 (4) SPAN 202 (4) SPAN 402 (4)
ARTH 363 (3) ENGL 214 (4) FR 101 (4)+ FR 410 (4) GER 300 (4) PHIL 201 (4) SPAN 300 (4) SPAN 410 (4)
CALS 220 (4)* ENGL 215 (3) FR 102 (4)+ FR 411 (4) GER 314 (4) PHIL 275 (4)* SPAN 301 (4) SPAN 490 (4)
CALS 225 (4) ENGL 280 (4) FR 201 (4) FR 415 (4) MUS 101(3-4) PHIL 302 (4) SPAN 305 (4) SPAN 491 (4)
CALS 314 (4)* ENGL 314 (4) FR 202 (4) FR 475 (4) MUS 201 (4) SOCI 431 (4) SPAN 306 (4) THAR 200 (4)
CALS 352 (4)* ENGL 315 (4)* FR 300 (4) GER 101 (4)+ MUS 350 (4) SPAN 101(4)+ SPAN 307 (4) THAR 373 (4)
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Additional Area C course (Arts and Humanities) as needed to reach 12 min. units

D. SOCIAL SCIENCES (15 units) Complete one course in each of the following five groups:

- _____ **1. Individual and Society**
AMCS 210 (4)* CALS 219 (3)* ECON 205 (4) GERN 319 (3-4) PSY 250 (3) SOCI 201 (3) SOCI 326 (4) WGS 375 (3)*
AMCS 339 (3)* CALS 339 (3-4)* ENGL 203 (4) GLBL 300 (3) PSY 303 (3) SOCI 263 (4)* SOCI 375 (4)
ANTH 203 (3) CCJS 201 (4) EDUC 417 (3) NAMS 200 (3)* PSY 326 (4) SOCI 319 (4) WGS 255 (3-4)
- _____ **2. World History and Civilization (History prerequisite: ENGL 101/ENGL 100B)**
ANTH 341 (3) GEOG 203 (3) HIST 201 (3) HIST 202 (3) HIST 380 (3)
- _____ **3. United States History (Prerequisite: ENGL 101/ENGL 100B)**
HIST 241 (3) HIST 242 (3) HIST 251 (3) HIST 252 (3)
- _____ **4. U.S. Constitution and California State and Local Government**
POLS 200 (3) POLS 202 (4)
- _____ **5. Contemporary International Perspectives**
ANTH 200 (3) ECON 204 (4) ENSP 200 (3) GEOG 302 (4) POLS 315 (3-4)
CALS 432 (4)* ECON 426 (4) GEOG 202 (3) POLS 201 (4) SOCI 305 (4)

E. THE INTEGRATED PERSON (3 units)

- _____ ANTH 318 (3) BIOL 318 (3) EDEC 420 (3) GERN 300 (3) KIN 217 (3) NURS 480 (3) SOCI 317 (4) WGS 285 (3)
ANTH 340 (3) CALS 403 (3-4)* GEOG 338 (3) GERN 317 (4) KIN 316 (3) PSY 302 (3) UNIV 238 (3) WGS 280 (3)
WGS 350 (3-4)

Checklist

Lab WEPT Ethnic Studies 9 Units UD GE (300-499, in at least 2 different areas)

Indicates lab course * Meets Ethnic Studies requirement. +Note: A first-year language course may only be selected if the student has met the high school subject requirement (2 years) in a different language or if the student has completed one year of a different foreign language at the college level.

Examinations

Various examination options (AP, CLEP, course challenge examinations, Credit by Examination) are available to meet some of the GE requirements. Contact the appropriate department or the Testing Office, Salazar Hall 1070, (707) 664-2947.

Foreign Language Course Options

A foreign language course at the intermediate level, 201 or above. A first year course may be selected if the student has met the high school subject requirement (2 years) in a different language. A first year course may also be selected if the student has completed one year of a different foreign language at the college level. Selections include courses in French, German, Italian and Spanish in the Modern Languages and Literatures Department; CALS 225, Spanish for Bilinguals, in the Chicano and Latino Studies Department. Foreign language courses do not meet the Ethnic Studies requirement.

Some upper division language courses are offered at various times which meet upper division GE requirements. Consult the Modern Languages and Literatures Department or the General Education courses listed in the Schedule under C-4.

How to Obtain an Academic Advisor

If you have a major, contact your major department office for your assigned advisor.

If you are an undeclared major, contact Advising, Career and EOP Services, Salazar Hall 1070, (707) 664-2427.

Consult your academic advisor regularly.

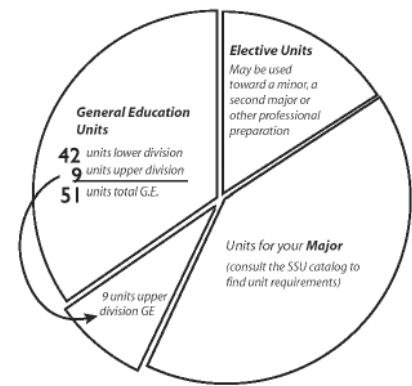
Graduation

Graduation is not automatic. We recommend filing your application one year in advance of graduation. This allows you to obtain an official evaluation from the Admissions and Records Office (Salazar Hall 2030) and to work with your academic advisor to resolve any problems before your final semester. The deadline to apply for graduation for each semester is published in the SSU online Catalog/Class Schedule.

If you are denied graduation, you must reapply unless all deficiencies are made up during the same semester.

Total semester units in General education are 51 units including:

- ☞ 9 upper division units from at least 2 different areas of GE, taken no sooner than the term in which upper division standing (60 units) is attained
- ☞ 9 units in residence at Sonoma State University
- ☞ an approved science laboratory
- ☞ one course in ethnic studies



Note:

The minimum number of units needed to graduate are 120-132 units

- 12 units x 8 semesters = 96 units
- 14 units x 8 semesters = 112 units
- 15 units x 8 semesters = 120 units
- 16 units x 8 semesters = 128 units

Graduation Checklist

Unit Totals

120-132 total units
40 upper division units

Units in Residence

min. total of 30
min. 24 upper division
min. 12 in major

Unit Maximums

max. 70 community college units
max. 24 extension/correspondence
max. 30 ALL test credit, CLEP, AP, etc.
max. 24 CR/NC units
max. 12 Spec.Instr.units
max. 12 Spec.Stud.units
max. 6 CIP units
max. 30 FEPL units

Lab Science (in Science & Technology)

One **Ethnic Studies** Course from GE area C,D or E

Pass the **Wept** or passage of ENG 275 after failure of passing the WEPT

Statutory Requirements

U.S. History
U.S. Constitution
State and Local Govt.

Minimum GPA of 2.0

Overall (cumulative)
At SSU
In Major