

PALOMAR COLLEGE

Associate Degree General Education Requirements

Fall 2024 - Summer 2025

The following list will assist you in choosing courses to fulfill general education requirements for the Associate in Arts or Associate in Science Degree.

- The course must be on the list at the time it was completed
- No course may be used in more than one General Education Area
- Consult a counselor for specific information regarding major prep and additional GE requirements

Major: Complete a program as outlined in the Palomar College catalog. Major course work must be completed with a “C” or better.

Grade Point Average: A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 (“C” average) or higher is required. Some programs may require a higher GPA.

Residency: A minimum of 12 units in residence as an officially enrolled student at Palomar College is required.

Total Units: A minimum of 60 degree applicable semester units are required. Courses numbered 1-49 are non-degree applicable and do not count toward the degree.

DISTRICT REQUIREMENTS

C = Complete **IP** = In Progress **N** = Need

Competence in American History and Institutions/California Government - A “C” grade or higher is required.

Option I: Choose a pair:

AIS 101*+102*; AS 101*+102*; CS 101*+102*; HIST 101+102; HIST 140+141; POSC 101+102; RS 102+(F08)+RS 103+(F19)

-OR-

Option II: Choose two courses to complete US Areas 1, 2, and 3.

- Courses may be used in more than one US area
- Courses may be used to satisfy Area D

*Ethnic Studies: The following courses fulfill the ethnic studies requirement - AIS 101, 102; AS 101, 102; CS 101, 102

US - 1		US - 2		US - 3	
AIS 101, 102	POSC 101+(F16)	AIS 101+(F16)	LS 240+(F16)	AIS 102	HIST 102, 141
AS 101, 102	RS 102+(F08)	AS 101+(F16)	POSC 101, 102,	AS 102	POSC 102, 120+(F09)
CS 101, 102		CS 101	240+(F16)	CS 102	RS 103+(F19)
HIST 101, 102, 140, 141		HIST 101+(F16), 140+(F16)	RS 103+(F19)		

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Competence in Health and Fitness - A “C” grade or higher is required.

Complete **HE 100** and one fitness activity course: **HE 100L**; **KINE 105, 128ABCD, 135ABC, 140ABC, 150ABC**; **ACS 100** level intercollegiate sport; **DNCE 115+(F20), 149+(F20), 151+(F20), 153+(F20), 210+(F20)**; **FIRE 151**; or completion of the **Police Academy**. See supplemental guide for exceptions, including military service.

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Competence in Mathematics

Complete intermediate algebra or the equivalent or any transfer-level math course*, or **BUS 204**, or **CSIT 128+(F22)**, or **PSYC/SOC 205**, or **SOC 180**, or high school algebra II, or high school integrated math III with a grade of “C” or better (documentation required).

*Transfer level math is MATH 100-245 (excluding MATH 197)

Course: _____ C IP N

Ethnic Studies Requirement – Complete one course, 3 semester units.

AIS 100+*[F21], AIS 101+*[F21], AIS 102+*[F21], AIS 125+*[F21], AS 100+[F24], AS 101+*[F21], AS 102+*[F21], CS 100+*[F21], CS 101+*[F21], CS 102+*[F21], CS 140+*[F21] CS 160+*[F24]

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General Education Requirements

Minimum 18 semester units required. No course may be used to satisfy more than one General Education Requirement

C = Complete IP = In Progress N = Need

Area A: Language and Rationality - Minimum of 3 semester units from each group:

A1. English Composition – “C” grade or higher is required.

ENG 100, 100E or **ESL** 110

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A2. Communication and Analytical Thinking

BUS 110, 204+(F18), 205+(F22)

CSIT 128+(F22)

ENG 202, 203

GEOG 150

MATH 56, 60, 100, 100E, 101, 101E, 105, 106, 110, 110E, 115, 115E, 120, 120E, 126, 127, 130, 130E, 135, 140, 141, 200, 205, 206, 245

PHIL 113, 116, 200

PSYC 205

READ 120+(F04)

SOC 180, 205

SPCH 100, 105, 170

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Area B: Natural Sciences – Minimum of 3 semester units (underlined courses include a lab):

ANTH 100, 101

ASTR 100, 120

BIOL 100, 101, 102, 110, 118, 120, 125, 126, 130, 131, 135+(F09), 140, 141, 145, 200, 201, 210, 211+(F93), 212

CHEM 100, 104, 105, 110, 115, 205+(F07), 220, 221

ENGR 210

ES 100, 115

GEOG 100, 110, 115+(F95),

GEOL 100, 110, 120, 150

NUTR 185

OCN 100

PHSC 101

PHYS 101, 102, 120, 121, 200, 201, 230, 231, 232

PSYC 210

Course: _____ C IP N

Area C: Humanities – Minimum of 3 semester units:

AIS 100*[F21], 104, 105, 108A, 108B, 135, 145, 146, 150, 166A, 166B, 167A, 167B, 180B,

181A+(F22), 181B+(F22), 207A, 207B, 266A, 266B, 282A, 282B

AMS 100, 105

ANTH 135, 155

ARAB 101, 102, 201

ARCH 120, 121, 122

ART 100, 102, 104, 105, 163+(F96), 164+(F96), 165, 166, 169

ASL 100, 101, 110, 205, 206

CHIN 101, 102, 201

CINE 100, 102, 103, 106, 110, 120, 122, 123

CS 100*[F21], 140*[F21], 155

DBA 100, 230

DNCE 100, 101, 102, 105

ENG 205, 210, 211, 220, 221, 225, 226, 230, 250, 255, 260, 270+(F92), 280, 290

ESL 101, 103, 106+(F19)

FASH 130

FREN 101, 102, 201, 202

GC 115

GERM 101, 102, 201, 202, 225

HIST 105, 106

HUM 100, 101

ITAL 101+(F97), 102, 201, 202, 225

JAPN 101, 102, 130, 201+(F97), 202+(F97)

MUS 100, 101, 102, 103, 169+(F17), 171+(F96)

PHIL 111, 114, 121, 122, 125, 126, 140, 141, 142+(F22), 250

PHOT 125

RS 101, 104, 105, 108, 110

SPAN 101, 101A, 101B, 102, 201, 202, 211, 212, 235+(F14)

TA 100, 150

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Area D: Social and Behavioral Sciences – Minimum of 3 semester units:

AAS 100

AIS 101*[F21], 102*[F21], 110, 115, 121*[F24], 125*[F21], 130, 140, 165+(F96)

AJ 100

AMS 200+(F95)

ANTH 105, 107, 110, 115, 125, 126+(F96), 130, 137, 140

AS 100, 101*[F21], 102*[F21], 120, 126+(F96)

CHDV 100, 110, 115, 172+(F20)

COMM 100, 105

CS 101*[F21], 102*[F21], 140*[F21], 160

ECON 100, 101, 102, 110, 115, 120, 125

EDUC 172+(F22)

ENG 150

GBST 101, 102

GEOG 103, 105

HIST 101, 102, 107, 108, 121+(F07), 130, 140, 141, 150+(F94), 151+(F94), 160

LS 121+(F05), 240+(F05)

MCS 100, 200+(F95)

POSC 100, 101, 102, 110, 121, 240

PSYC 100, 105+(F05), 110, 120, 125, 130+(F95), 211, 225+(F07), 235+(F07)

RS 102,

103+(F08-F10; F18), 108

SOC 100, 105+(F05), 110, 115, 125, 130, 135, 165, 175, 200+(F05)

SPCH 120, 131

Course: _____ C IP N

Area E: Lifelong Learning and Self-Development – Minimum of 3 semester units:

AODS 150+(F08)

BUS 100, 136

CHDV 100+(F05)

COUN 100, 110, 115, 120, 148

CSIT 105

FCS 136

HE 100

LT 120

NUTR 120, 165, 185

PSYC 105, 115, 125, 145, 150+(F08)

READ 105, 110

SOC 105, 125, 130, 145, 150+(F08)

SPCH 115

*Military Credit

Course: _____ C IP N

*A minimum of 3 semester units of ACE recommended credit for completion of Basic/Recruit Training is required.