

PALOMAR COLLEGE
The California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC)
Fall 2026 - Summer 2027

Completion of Cal-GETC will permit a student to transfer from a California Community College to a California State University or a University of California campus or program generally without the need, after transfer, to take additional lower-division, general education courses to satisfy campus general education requirements. Although it is strongly recommended to complete Cal-GETC prior to transfer, completion of Cal-GETC may not be appropriate for some engineering, math, science, or other high unit majors. Please see a counselor for details.

A course must have a minimum unit value of 3 semester units to meet the requirements for Cal-GETC.

A minimum "C" grade is required in each college course for Cal-GETC. A "C" is defined as a minimum of 2.0 grade points on a 4.0 scale.

C: Complete IP: In Progress N: Need

AREA 1: ENGLISH COMMUNICATION – 3 courses required. 9 semester units.

1A. English Composition - ENGL C1000, 1000E or ESL 110	Course: _____	C	IP	N
1B. Critical Thinking and Composition - ENGL C1001, C1003; PHIL 200	Course: _____	C	IP	N
1C. Oral Communication - COMM C1000	Course: _____	C	IP	N

AREA 2: MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING – 1 course. 3 semester units.

BUS 204; CSIT 128; MATH 101, 101E, 110, 110E, 126, 127, 130, 130E, 135, 141E, 200, 205, 206, 245, C2210, C2210E, C2220; PSYC/SOC 205; SOC 180; STAT C1000, C1000E

Course: _____ C IP N

AREA 3: ARTS AND HUMANITIES – 2 courses – one Arts (3A) and one Humanities (3B). 6 semester units.

3A. Arts

AIS 104, 105, 135
ARCH 120, 121, 122
ART 100, 163, 164, 169
ARTH C1100, C1200

CINE 100, 102, 103, 110, 120, 122
DNCE 100, 101, 102, 105

GC 115
MUS 100, 101, 102, 169, 171

PHOT 125
TA 100, 150

Course: _____ C IP N

3B. Humanities

AIS 100, 107B, 108A, 108B, 145, 150, 166B, 167A, 167B, 180B, 181A, 181B, 207A, 207B, 266A, 266B, 282A, 282B
AMS 100, 105
ANTH 135, 155
ARAB 201
ASL 110, 205, 206

CHIN 201
CINE 106, 123
CS 100, 140, 155
ENG 210, 211, 220, 221, 225, 226, 230, 250, 255, 260, 270, 280, 290
ENGL C1002
ESL 106

FREN 201, 202
GERM 201, 202, 225
HIST 105, 106, 107, 108, 121, 130, 140, 141, 150, 151, 160, C1001, C1002
HUM 100, 101
ITAL 201, 202, 225

JAPN 130, 201, 202
PHIL 111, 114, 121, 122, 125, 126, 140, 141, 142, 250
RS 101, 105, 108, 110
SPAN 201, 202, 211, 212, 235

Course: _____ C IP N

AREA 4: SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES – 2 courses from two academic disciplines. 6 semester units.

AAS 100
AIS 101, 102, 110, 115, 121+(F24), 125, 130, 140, 165
AJ 100
AMS 200
ANTH 105, 107, 110, 115, 125, 126, 130, 140
AS 100, 101, 102, 120

ASL 110
CHDV 115, 172
CDEV C1000
COMM 100, 105
CS 101, 102, 140, 160
ECON 100, 110, 115, 120, 125, C2001, C2002
EDUC 172
ETHN 100

ENG 150
GBST 101, 102
GEOG 103, 105
HIST 105, 106, 107, 108, 121, 130, 140, 141, 150, 151, 160, C1001, C1002
LS 121, 240
MCS 100, 200
NUTR 120

POLS C1000
POSC 100, 103, 110
PSYC C1000, 105, 110, 120, 125, 130, 211, 225, 235
RS 102, 103, 108
SOC 105, 110, 115, 125, 130, 135, 165, 170, 175, 200
SOCI C1000
SPCH 120

Course: _____ C IP N

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AREA 5: PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES – 2 courses – one Physical Science and one Biological Science; at least one of the two courses must be associated with a laboratory. Courses with a lab included are underlined and lab only courses are identified with “L”. 7 semester units.

5A. Physical Sciences

ASTR 120, C1001, C1001L

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

ES 115

GEOG 100, 100L, 110, 115

GEOL 100, 100L, 120, 150, 150L

OCN 100, 100L

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

Course: _____ C IP N

5B. Biological Sciences

ANTH C1000, C1001, C1001L

BIOL 102, 110, 118, 118L, 125, 126, 126L, 130, 131, 131L, 135, 140, 145, 145L, 200, 201, 210, 211, 212, C1000, C1001, C1001L

NUTR 165

PSYC 210

Course: _____ C IP N

5C. Laboratory Activity - This requirement is met by selecting any underlined lecture course with a lab from 5A or 5B or by completing any lab (L) course with its corresponding lecture.

Course: _____ C IP N

AREA 6: ETHNIC STUDIES – 1 course: 3 semester units; this course must be in ethnic studies or in a similar field.

AIS 100, 101, 102, 125; AS 100, 101, 102; CS 100, 101, 102, 140, 160; ETHN 100

Course: _____ C IP N

CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENT in U.S. HISTORY, CONSTITUTION, and AMERICAN IDEALS (CSU requirement): This area is not required for certification. CSU campuses may permit up to 6 semester units taken to meet the United States History, Constitution and American Ideals to satisfy GE requirements.

Option I: Choose a pair: AIS 101+102; AS 101+102; CS 101+102; HIST C1001+C1002; HIST 140+141; RS 102+ 103

Option II: Choose two courses to complete US Areas 1, 2, and 3. Courses may be used in more than one US area.

Option III: Complete POLS C1000.

US – 1		US - 2		US - 3	
AIS 101, 102	POLS C1000	AIS 101	LS 240	AIS 102	HIST C1002, 141
AS 101, 102	RS 102	AS 101	POLS C1000	AS 102	POLS C1000
CS 101, 102		CS 101	RS 103	CS 102	POSC 120
HIST C1001, C1002, 140, 141		HIST C1001, 140			RS 103

Circle each US Area completed or in progress. US 1, 2, 3 Course: _____ C IP N

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(Optional) UC Language other than English (LOTE) Proficiency Requirement (UC Requirement Only)

This is not part of Cal-GETC and may be completed prior to transfer. There are several methods to demonstrate proficiency in LOTE.

High School Course(s): Completion of the second level of high school coursework in a language other than English with a letter grade of “C-” or better in the second semester of the second year. In a non-English language institution, formal schooling through the sixth-grade level or higher is required.

High School Course(s): _____ C IP N

College Courses: Satisfactory completion of a course (or courses) at a college or university equivalent to the second level of high school instruction, with a letter grade of “C” or better. Please refer to ASSIST.org IGETC approved Area 6A Language other than English approved courses for a comprehensive listing of all eligible college level courses.

College Course(s): _____ C IP N

Exams including SAT Subject Tests in Language other than English, Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate Higher Level (IBHL), or General Certificate of Secondary Education (GCE) Examinations.

Exam: _____

Other Methods: Credit by Exam or Faculty Verification

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