

COLLEGE OF SAN MATEO 2024-2025

This list includes only the requirements that are commonly seen in transfer at a lower-division level and is not a comprehensive list of all the course requirements within the Associate of Arts in General Education. However, your official admission evaluation will be based on all transfer coursework received at the lower division and upper division level. For a complete list of program requirements, please refer to the University of Massachusetts Global catalog.

Further information regarding the courses below can be found in the University of Massachusetts Global [Course Articulation Database \(CAD\)](#).

Courses may be approved for more than one area but can only be applied towards one requirement

University of Massachusetts Global General Education Requirements		Equivalent Courses
Basic Skills		
Writing and Critical Thinking (1 Course from each)		
ENGU 103	Freshman Rhetoric	ENGL 100 or ENGL 105
ENGU 104	Writing About Literature	ENGL 110 or ENGL 165
Quantitative Reasoning (1 of the equivalent courses)		
MATU 103	Applied Mathematics	No Comparable Course(s)
Oral Communication (1 of the equivalent courses)		
COMU 101	Public Speaking I	COMM 110
COMU 110	Interpersonal Communication	COMM 130
COMU 315	Intercultural Communication	COMM 150
COMU 410	Organizational Communication	BUS 401
Breadth Requirements		
Humanities (3 courses from 3 different areas totaling 9 credits)		

Communications Subject Codes: COMU	COMM 110*, 115, 130*, 140, 150* DGME 100 *May not double-count with Basic Skills requirement
English Subject Codes: ENGU	ENGL 161, 162, 163 LIT 101, 105, 113, 115, 150, 151, 154, 155, 156, 201, 202, 220, 221, 231, 232, 251, 266, 430
Fine Arts Subject Codes: ARTU, MUSU, THDU, FAUU, FTVU Must be 2 semester units or greater	ARCH 100 ART 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 347 COMM 170, 171 DANCE 100 DGME 215 ETHN 106, 288, 585 FILM 100, 120, 121, 122, 123, 130, 135, 140, 145, 200, 215 MUS 202, 210, 250, 275, 280
Foreign Language Subject Codes: FLUU, SPNU, GERU, FRNU	ASL 100, 110 CHIN 111, 112, 121, 122, 131, 132, 134, 211, 212 SPAN 110, 112, 120, 122, 131, 132, 140
Humanities Subject Codes: HUMU	ETHN 101*, 103*, 104*, 105*, 107*, 265* *May not double-count for Social Science requirement
Liberal Studies Subject Codes: LBSU Excludes LBSU 300	No Comparable Course(s)
Philosophy Subject Codes: PHLU	PHIL 100, 103, 160, 175, 200, 244
Religious Studies Subject Codes: RELU	PHIL 300

Natural Sciences (2 courses, totaling 6 credits)

Natural Science Lab credit is not required. Subject Codes: BIOU, CHMU, ESCU, FSNU, LPSU, LSCU, NSCU, PSCU, PHYU	ANTH 125, 127 ASTR 100, 101, 115, 125, 210 BIOL 100, 102, 110, 130, 132, 145, 184, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260, 310 CHEM 192, 210, 220, 231, 232, 250, 410, 420 GEOG 100 GEOL 100, 101 OCEN 100 PALN 110, 111 PHYS 100, 101, 210, 220, 250, 260, 270
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Social Sciences (3 courses from 3 different areas totaling 9 credits)

Criminal Justice Subject Code: CJCU	ADMJ 100, 104, 106, 108, 120, 125
Early Childhood Education Subject Code: ECEU	No Comparable Course(s)
Economics Subject Code: ECNU	ECON 100, 102
History Subject Code: HISU	HIST 100, 101, 104, 106, 201, 202, 260, 261, 262, 310
Legal Studies Subject Code: LEST	No Comparable Course(s)
Marketing Subject Code: MKTU	BUS 180
Organizational Leadership Subject Code: OLCU	MGMT 220
Political Science Subject Code: POSU	DGME 102 PLSC 100, 110, 130, 150, 200, 210, 215, 310
Psychology Subject Code: PSYU	PSYC 100, 105, 106, 110, 120, 200, 201, 220, 225, 230, 300, 301, 310, 320, 330, 410
Social Science Subject Code: SSCU	ANTH 180, 350 ETHN 101*, 103*, 104*, 105*, 107*, 108, 109, 122, 265*, 300 GEOG 110, 150 GBST 101, 102 *May not double-count for Humanities requirement
Social Work Subject Code: SOWK	No Comparable Course(s)
Sociology Subject Code: SOCU	ANTH 110 ETHN 102 KINE 103, 107 SOCI 100, 105, 110, 121, 141, 160

Liberal Education Foundations (6 Credits)

These must be taken within the first two sessions after matriculation if ENGU 103 and ENGU 104 are satisfied, or within the first two sessions after those requirements are completed.

LBSU 100	Student Success Strategies	Cannot be satisfied in transfer.
LBSU 105	Academic Foundations	Cannot be satisfied in transfer.

Degree Requirements

The Associates of Arts in General Education consists of the Basic Skills, Breadth Requirements, Liberal Education Foundation and Electives.

- A minimum of 60 credits is required.
- Completion of degree program requirements.
- 15 credits in residence.
- 2.0 minimum cumulative grade point average.
- Degree requirements cannot be waived by the CSU or IGETC certification.
- LBSU 100 Student Success Strategies and LBSU 105 Academic Foundations cannot be satisfied in transfer.