

MERCED COLLEGE 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
ENGU 104	Writing About Literature
	ENGL 01A ENGL 01B, 13, 13H PHIL 13, 13H
Quantitative Reasoning (1 of the equivalent courses)	
MATU 103	Applied Mathematics
	MATH 03
Oral Communication (1 of the equivalent courses)	
COMU 101	Public Speaking I
COMU 110	Interpersonal Communication
COMU 315	Intercultural Communication
COMU 410	Organizational Communication
	COMM 01, 01H COMM 05 COMM 30 No Comparable Course(s)
Breadth Requirements	
Humanities (3 courses from 3 different areas totaling 9 credits)	

Communications Subject Codes: COMU	COMM 01*, 01H*, 04, 05, *30 *May not double-count with Basic Skills Requirements
English Subject Codes: ENGU	EDUC 03 ENGL 04A, 04B, 05, 06A, 06B, 07, 08, 10, 11, 12, 13*, 13H*, 15, 18, 19 ETHN 18, 19 *May not double-count with Basic Skills Requirements
Fine Arts Subject Codes: ARTU, MUSU, THDU, FAUU, FTVU Must be 2 semester units or greater	ART 01, 02, 03, 06, 10, 31 ARTD 07, 08 COMM 02 ENGL 02, 14 MUSG 10, 12, 13, 14, 15 PHOT 33 THTR 01, 04
Foreign Language Subject Codes: FLUU, SPNU, GERU, FRNU	ASLG 01, 02, 03 FREN 01, 02, 03, 04 GERN 01, 02, 03, 04 HMNG 01, 02 JPNS 01A, 01B, 02 SPAN 01, 02, 03, 04, 10, 11
Humanities Subject Codes: HUMU	HMSV 21 HUM 01, 01H, 02, 02H, 15*, 21 *May not double-count with Social Science Requirements
Liberal Studies Subject Codes: LBSU Excludes LBSU 300	No Comparable Course(s)
Philosophy Subject Codes: PHLU	PHIL 01, 01H, 02, 03, 04, 05, 10, 12, 13, 13H
Religious Studies Subject Codes: RELU	PHIL 15

Natural Sciences (2 courses, totaling 6 credits)

<p>Natural Science Lab credit is not required.</p> <p>Subject Codes: BIOU, CHMU, ESCU, FSNU, LPSU, LSCU, NSCU, PSCU, PHYU</p>	<p>AGPS 01, 05 ANTH 01 ARCH 01 ASTR 01, 01L BIOL 01, 02, 04A, 04B, 06, 09, 16, 18, 20, 32, 32L, 33, 50 CHEM 02A, 02B, 40A, 4B, 13A, 13AL, 13B, 13BL GEOG 01, 01L GEOL 01, 02, 03 NUTR 10, 20, 46 PHSC 01, 01L, 02, 02L PHYS 2A, 2B, 4A, 4B, 4C, 10</p>
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Social Sciences (3 courses from 3 different areas totaling 9 credits)
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<p>Criminal Justice Subject Code: CJCU</p>	<p>CRIM 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 08, 11, 30, 33, 37</p>
<p>Early Childhood Education Subject Code: ECEU</p>	<p>CLDV 02, 03, 05, 06, 07, 20, 30, 38, 56</p>
<p>Economics Subject Code: ECNU</p>	<p>AGAB 05 ECON 01, 02</p>
<p>History Subject Code: HISU</p>	<p>HIST 03A, 03B, 04A, 04B, 05, 07, 09A, 09B, 10, 17A, 17AH, 17B, 17BH, 19, 20, 22, 23, 29 ETHN 20, 22</p>
<p>Legal Studies Subject Code: LEST</p>	<p>No Comparable Course(s)</p>
<p>Marketing Subject Code: MKTU</p>	<p>MKTG 30, 33</p>
<p>Organizational Leadership Subject Code: OLCU</p>	<p>MGMT 33</p>
<p>Political Science Subject Code: POSU</p>	<p>POSC 01, 01H, 02, 03, 04, 05, 07</p>
<p>Psychology Subject Code: PSYU</p>	<p>CLDV 09 PSYC 01A, 01AH, 01B, 05, 09, 15, 22, 23 25, 36, 37, 40</p>
<p>Social Science Subject Code: SSCU</p>	<p>AGRI 10 ANTH 10, 12 ETHN 01, 05, 07, 11, 12, 15, 23 GEOG 02, 12, 15 HUM 15* *May not double-count with Humanities Requirements</p>
<p>Social Work Subject Code: SOWK</p>	<p>HMSV 20</p>
<p>Sociology</p>	<p>ANTH 02</p>

Criminal Justice Subject Code: CJCU	CRIM 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 08, 11, 30, 33, 37
Subject Code: SOCU	CRIM 35 SOC 01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06

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.