

GRADUATION REQUIREMENT SELF-CHECK

Upon completion, this Graduation Requirement Self-Check will summarize the current status of your progress toward graduation at levels 1 and 2 below -- UC Davis and College of Letters and Science requirements. In addition to the "Graduation Requirement Self-Check", the following items are helpful in completing this self-check: a current copy of your academic transcripts and a UC Davis *General Catalog*. The department or program offering your major will review and certify the completion of your major requirements at level 3 below. If you have specific questions about your major, see an adviser in your major department or program.

The graduation requirements of all students are specified at three levels:

1. University-wide and UC Davis requirements: For all students regardless of college and major.
2. College requirements: In this case, established for students in the College of Letters and Science.
3. Major requirements: Set by the department or program sponsoring the major.

University and College Requirements:

1. **Entry Level Writing Requirement (ELWR):** Requirement Completed: yes no

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The requirement may be met in one of the following ways:

(1) Achieving a score of 680 or higher on the SAT II Reasoning Test in Writing.

(2) Achieving a score of 5, 4, or 3 on the College Board Advanced Placement Examination in English or a score of 7, 6, or 5 on the International Baccalaureate Higher Level English A1 Examination.

(3) Completion of an acceptable 3 semester or 4 quarter unit college level course in English Composition with a grade of C or better.

(4) Achieving a passing score on the UC Analytical Writing Placement Exam.

(5) Achieving a score of 30 on the ACT combined English/Writing test.

2. **American History and Institutions Requirement:** Requirement Completed: yes no

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The American History and Institutions Requirement may be satisfied in one of the following ways:

(1) By completing one high school unit in American history, or 1/2 high school unit in American history and 1/2 high school unit in civics or American government, with a grade of C or better in each course.

(2) By completing any of the accepted UC Davis courses listed in the "Bachelor's Degree Requirements – American History and Institutions" section of the *General Catalog*.

(3) By presenting evidence that the requirement has been accepted as satisfied at another campus of the University of California.

(4) By presenting evidence that the requirement has been satisfied through courses in the area of American History and Institutions at another collegiate institution whose credits are acceptable for transfer to the Davis campus.

(5) By successful completion of the Advanced Placement Examination in American History.

3. General Education Requirement[^]:

Requirement Completed: yes no

(A) GE Topical Breadth*			(B) Social-Cultural Diversity	(C) Writing Experience**
<input type="checkbox"/> Major Area _____ (major)	<input type="checkbox"/> Major Area _____ (major)	<input type="checkbox"/> Major Area _____ (major)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Minor Area _____ (minor) <u>Arts & Humanities</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Minor Area _____ (minor) <u>Science & Engineering</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Minor Area _____ (minor) <u>Social Sciences</u>		
1. _____	1. _____	1. _____		
2. _____	2. _____	2. _____		
3. _____	3. _____	3. _____	1. _____	1. _____
			2. _____	2. _____
			3. _____	3. _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Area Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Area Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Area Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Component Satisfied	<input type="checkbox"/> Component Satisfied

Remaining G.E. Requirements:

*Course work completed to satisfy the General Education Requirement may not be used to satisfy the College (Area/Breadth) Requirement simultaneously. A certified minor, however, if completed in a GE area outside the major GE area, may satisfy both the College Requirement and the GE Requirement.

**Courses used to satisfy university or college requirements in English composition may not be used to satisfy the GE writing experience or the College Breadth Requirement simultaneously.

Fulfilling the General Education Requirement

The GE requirement has three components: **Topical Breadth, Social-Cultural Diversity, and Writing Experience.**

- **Topical Breadth component: 6 courses**
To fulfill the topical breadth component of the General Education requirement, you must successfully complete three **approved[∇]** courses in each of the two subject areas of topical breadth other than the one that includes your major.
- **Social-Cultural Diversity component: 1 course**
To fulfill the social-cultural diversity component of the GE requirement, you must successfully complete one **approved[∇]** course.
- **Writing Experience component: 3 courses**
To fulfill the writing experience component of the GE requirement, you must successfully complete three **approved[∇]** courses. You must satisfy the ELWR requirement **before** you take any *writing experience* course for G.E. credit.

Bear in mind that some courses count toward two or three components of GE. For example, a single course might provide GE credit for topical breadth, writing experience and social-cultural diversity. Depending on the GE courses you choose, you can satisfy the GE requirement by completing as few as 6 or as many as 10 courses. Transfer work comparable to approved UC Davis GE courses may be used to satisfy the GE requirement, as determined by the college deans' office.

[∇]Approved course lists appear in the UC Davis General Catalog and quarterly Class Schedule and Registration Guide. Refer to the General Catalog for further explanation.

➤ COURSES USED FOR GENERAL EDUCATION MAY NOT BE TAKEN ON A PASSED/NOT PASSED BASIS ◀

4. English Composition Requirement:

Requirement Completed: yes no

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- (1) By passing the English Composition Examination after completion of 70 units of degree credit (the examination does not yield credit).
- (2) By completing with a grade of C- (or P) or better: one course in English Composition from Comparative Literature 1, 2, 3, 4, English 3, Native American Studies 5 or University Writing Program 1, 18, 19; **AND**, taken after completion of 84 units, University Writing Program 101, 102 or 104.

5. Foreign Language Requirement[^]: (A.B. only)

Requirement Completed: yes no

box The Foreign Language requirement may be satisfied in one of the following ways:

- (1) Foreign Language Placement Test: placement above course level 3. (This does not yield units towards graduation).
- (2) SAT II Subject Test: a qualifying score of at least 550 on any SAT II Subject Test taken in foreign language
- (3) College Board Advanced Placement Examination: a score of 5, 4 or 3 on any foreign language Examination, with the exception of Latin.
- (4) International Baccalaureate Higher Level Examination: a score of 7, 6, or 5 on the French A1, A2 or B Examination, or the Latin A1 Examinations.
- (5) College course completion (or the equivalent): A.B. degree – 15 unit level in one language (e.g., Spanish 3, or Japanese 3; B.S. degree – as required in the major program).
- (6) Proficiency Examination: for further information consult the L&S Deans' Office, Undergraduate Education & Advising.

6. Area (Breadth) Requirement[^]:

Requirement Completed: yes no

The Area (Breadth) Requirement for an A.B. degree requires the satisfaction of the campus General Education Requirements plus completion of one of the following options:

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- (1) A "Mini Minor" consisting of a minimum of three **approved**[∇] upper division courses in a single L&S teaching department or program other than the major (and which are not used to satisfy major requirements):
1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
- (2) A minimum of three **approved**[∇] courses in Art, Art History, Design, Dramatic Art, or Music, from outside the student's major:
1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____
- (3) A certified minor or approved second major from any UC Davis college: _____
(certified via petition)

The Area (Breadth) Requirement for a B.S. degree requires the satisfaction of the campus General Education requirements plus completion of the following:

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- (1) A total of 90 units in Natural Sciences and Mathematics area. Consult the *General Catalog* for approved courses.

[∇]All courses are considered as approved except for courses bearing less than 3 units of credit, non-standard courses, directed study courses and courses used to satisfy the English Composition Requirement.

7. Unit Requirements:

Requirement Completed: yes no

<u>√ box</u>	The Unit Requirement is satisfied when <u>all</u> of the following are completed:	<u>Units Completed</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	(1) A total of 180 units minimum are required for graduation.	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	(2) A total 105 units maximum transfer from community colleges (2 year institutions).	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	(3) A total of 64 upper division units (courses numbered 100-199) are required. (27 units must be completed at UC Davis).	_____

Unit Limitations

- *Passed/Not Passed Courses:*
 - a. Total P/NP units.....maximum 1/3 of UCD Units
 - b. Units in student option P/NP.....maximum 1/4 of UCD Units
 - *Music 130, 131, 140 - 150 (combined)*.....19 unit maximum
 - *Physical Education 1 and 6 (activity courses)*.....6 unit maximum
(UCD and transfer combined)
 - *Nonstandard Courses:*
- 30 unit maximum or 1/6 total UCD units (whichever is less) in the following:**
- a. Tutoring courses (97T, 97TC, 197T, 197TC)10 unit maximum
 - b. Special Study courses (99, 194H, 199).....5 unit maximum in any one quarter
 - c. Internship courses (UCD 92, 192 and any transfer internship).....12 unit maximum
(Prerequisite to receive credit in 192, 194H and 199: completion of 84 units)
- *Credit granted only by petition for the following (except 300-400 series courses offered by L&S):*
 - a. Graduate courses (200 series)
 - b. Professional (300, 400 series) & University Extension courses.....9 unit maximum

8. Grade Point Average (Scholarship) Requirements:

Requirement Completed: yes no

<u>√ box</u>	The GPA/Scholarship Requirement is satisfied when <u>all</u> of the following are satisfied:	<u>Current GPA</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	(1) A 2.000 GPA for <u>all University of California courses</u> (including courses graded "I").	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	(2) A 2.000 GPA for <u>all courses</u> required for major taken at UCD.	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	(3) A 2.000 GPA for <u>all upper division courses</u> required for major taken at UCD.	_____

9. Residence Requirements:

Requirement Completed: yes no

<u>√ box</u>	The Residence Requirement is satisfied when <u>all</u> of the following are satisfied:
<input type="checkbox"/>	(1) 3 quarters of registration in the University of California.
<input type="checkbox"/>	(2) 35 of final 45 units completed while in residence at UC Davis.
<input type="checkbox"/>	(3) 27 Upper Division units completed while in residence at UC Davis.
<input type="checkbox"/>	(4) 18 Upper Division units <u>in major</u> while in residence at UC Davis.

Major Program Requirements

See the programs and courses section of the *General Catalog*. For major-related items, including applicability of transfer credit in major and allied fields, see a major adviser; office locations are listed in the *General Catalog* and *Class Schedule*. Be sure to provide your major adviser with transcripts from any other schools you attended.

Minor Program Requirements (Optional)

See the programs and courses section of the *General Catalog*. For minor-related matters see an academic adviser in the minor department. The deadline for filing a minor is the last day of the second week of instruction in the quarter of your graduation. Petitions are available from the Deans' Office.

^ Requirement satisfied by certified completed Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC)