

Ventura College General Education Requirements

Applies to Associate Degrees in General Studies Pattern I and all Associate Degrees in Specific Majors

All Students pursuing the Associate Degree (AA) in General Studies Pattern must complete this General Education plan in its entirety as part of their degree requirements. Students completing an Associate Degree in a specific major (AA/AS) listed on page 51 (for example: Automotive Technology or Child Development) must complete areas A-E below (but not F) of this General Education plan. Area F is only required for General Studies Pattern I majors. A minimum of 60 degree-applicable units is required for the Associate Degree in General Studies Pattern I. See page 52 for all degree requirements. **November 2019 update supersedes 2019-20 versions, including the local GE pattern printed in the catalog 2019-20. CC approved in September 2019.**

A. NATURAL SCIENCES (a minimum of 6 semester units with ONE course from section 1 Biological Science & ONE course from section 2 Physical Science)

1. **BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE:** AG V06, V42; ANAT V01; ANPH V01; ANTH V01, V01L, V35, V35L; BIOL V01, V01L, V03, V04, V10, V12, V14, V18, V23, V29, V29L, V30, V32, V42; BIOT V18, V30, V32, V42; CJ V35, V35L; ESRM V01, V10, V11, V14, V22; MICR V01; PHSO V01; PSY V03.
2. **PHYSICAL SCIENCE:** AST V01, V01L; CHEM V01A, V01AL, V01B, V01BL, V12A, V12AL, V12B, V12BL, V20, V20L, V21, V21L, V30, V30L; ESRM V02, V11; GEOG V01, V01L, V05; GEOL V02, V02L, V03, V03L, V07, V09, V11, V21; PHSC V01; PHYS V01, V02A-V02AL, V02B-V02BL, V03A-V03AL, V03B-V03BL, V04-V04L, V05-V05L, V06-V06L.

B. SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (a minimum of 6 semester units with ONE course from section 1 American History/Institutions and ONE course from section 2 Social and Behavioral Sciences)

1. **AMERICAN HISTORY/INSTITUTIONS:** AES V02A, V02B, V22, V40A, V40B, V63; HIST V16, V32, V43, V45, V46, V50, V51, V53, V54, V55, V56, V58; POLS V01, V03.
2. **SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES:** AES V01, V02A, V02B, V11, V20, V21A, V21B, V22, V23, V24, V40A, V40B, V41, V42A, V42B, V61, V63; AG V12; ANTH V02, V03, V04, V05, V06, V07, V35, V35L, V36; BUS V30, V43; CD V02, V03, V05, V27, V61, V62; CHST V01, V02, V24; CJ V01, V02, V03, V19, V28, V30, V35, V35L, V36, V49; COMM V02, V12; V15, V16; COUN V02; ECON V01A, V01B; ESRM V03; GEOG V02, V06, V08; HIST V13, V16, V30, V32, V43, V44, V45, V46, V48, V50, V51, V53, V54, V55, V56, V57, V58, V59, V70, V73, V76, V78, V79, V82, V83, V86, V87; PHIL V10; POLS V01, V02, V03, V04, V05, V09, V10, V11, V12, V14, V17, V18; PSY V01, V02, V05, V07, V15, V25, V29, V30, V31, V32; SOC V01, V02, V03, V04, V05, V07, V13, V24, V31; SWHS V01.

C. HUMANITIES (a minimum of 6 semester units with ONE course from section 1. Fine/Performing Arts and ONE course from section 2 Humanities)

1. **FINE/PERFORMING ARTS:** AES V10, V65, V66, V67; ART V01, V02A, V02B, V02C, V02D, V03, V04, V05, V06, V07, V08, V09A, V09B, V11A, V12A, V13A, V19, V50A, V51A, V58A; DANC V01, V02; ENGL V29A, V29B; FILM V01, V11; MUS V01, V03, V06, V07, V08, V09A, V09B; PHOT V01, V02, V07; THA V01, V02A, V05A, V05B, V06A, V06B, V17A, V17B, V20, V22A, V22B, V28, V29A, V29B, V30A, V31A, V31B.
2. **HUMANITIES:** AES V01, V02A, V02B, V22, V40A, V40B, V41, V42A, V42B, V61, V63; ANTH V04; COMM V05; ENGL V01B, V10, V11A, V14, V15, V16, V18, V21A, V21B, V22A, V22B, V23, V26, V30, V31, V33, V34, V35, V36; FILM V10; FREN V01, V02; GERM V01, V02; HIST V13, V30, V32, V43, V45, V50, V51, V53, V55, V58, V70, V73, V76, V79, V82, V83, V86, V87; IDS V08; ITAL V01, V02; JAPN V01, V02; MUS V03, V06, V07, V08, V09A, V09B; PHIL V01, V02, V03A, V03B, V04, V06A, V06B, V09, V10, V12, V14, V15; SL V10A, V10B, V10C; SPAN V01, V02, V03, V03S, V04, V04S; THA V17A, V17B, V30A, V31A.

D. LANGUAGE & RATIONALITY (a minimum of 6 semester units with ONE course from section 1 English Composition and ONE course from section 2 Communication/Analytical Thinking)

1. **ENGLISH COMPOSITION:** ENGL V01A (also meets English Competency)
2. **COMMUNICATION/ANALYTICAL THINKING:** BUS V17; COMM V01, V03, V10, V15; CS V11, V13, V15, V17, V30, V40, V42; DRFT V03; ENGL V01B, V01C, V05, V06A; MATH V03, V04, V05, V12, V13B, V19, V20, V21A, V21B, V21C, V22, V23, V31, V35, V38, V40, V44, V46, V52; PHIL V04, V05; PSY V04.

E. HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION/KINESIOLOGY (a minimum of ONE course from section 1 Health Education and ONE course from section 2 Physical Education. There is no unit minimum)

1. **HEALTH EDUCATION:** CD V24; COUN V01; EAC V01; EMS V10+V10L; HED V01, V02, V03, V04, V20, V24, V70, V71, V73, V76, V87; HS V10; KIN V80.
2. **PHYSICAL EDUCATION/KINESIOLOGY:** DANC V03-V50D; EAC V21, V26; ICA V02-V69; KIN V02-V76B; THA V14.

F. ETHNIC/GENDER STUDIES (A min. of 3 sem. units.) For General Studies Majors ONLY (Patterns I, II, and III); NOT required for other degrees.

1. AES V01, V02A, V02B, V10, V11, V20, V21A, V21B, V22, V23, V24, V40A, V40B, V41, V42A, V42B, V61, V63, V65, V66, V67; ANTH V02, V04, V06; ART V02C, V03, V07, V08, V09B; CD V05; CHST V01, V02, V24; CJ V03; COMM V12; ENGL V33, V34, V35, V36; GEOG V02; HIST V13, V32, V43, V44, V45, V48, V50, V51, V53, V54, V55, V57, V58, V73, V78, V79, V83; MUS V03, V07; POLS V11, V14; PSY V30, V32; SOC V03, V04, V24.

