

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, GENERAL EDUCATION BREADTH CERTIFICATE

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Students who complete the CSU GE Breadth pattern, commonly referred to as the “pink sheet (https://www.vvc.edu/sites/default/files/2024-06/2024-2025_CSUGE.pdf)” at VVC, may be awarded a Certificate of Achievement. A single course may fulfill only one area even though it may be listed in more than one area with the exception of the CSU US History, Constitution and American Ideals requirement. Completion of the CSU GE Breadth pattern satisfies the lower-division, general education requirements for the California State University (CSU) system and for any in-state private or out-of-state institutions that honor this pattern. Although this certificate recognizes completion of the lower-division, general education requirements, it does not guarantee admission to a university. For assistance with transfer admission processes, please contact a counselor.

Code	Title	Units
Area A Communication in the English Language and Critical Thinking 9.0		
Select one course from each area		
<i>A1 Oral Communication</i> ¹		
CMST 106	Interpersonal Communication	
CMST 107	Family Communication	
CMST 108	Group Discussion	
CMST 109	Public Speaking	
<i>A2 Written Communication</i> ¹		
ENGL		
101.0/101H		
<i>A3 Critical Thinking</i> ¹		
CMST 104	Argumentation and Oral Debate	
ENGL	Critical Thinking & Composition	
104/104H		
PHIL 109	Introduction to Logic	
PHIL/RLST	Introduction to Critical Thinking	
207		
Area B Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning 9.0		
Select one course from each area		
<i>B1 Physical Science</i>		
Courses which include a laboratory		
CHEM 100	Introductory Chemistry	
CHEM 201	General Chemistry	
CHEM 202	General Chemistry	
CHEM 206	Introductory Chemistry II: Organic½chemistry	
CHEM 207	Introductory Chemistry Iii:½biochemistry	
CHEM 281	Organic Chemistry	
CHEM 282	Organic Chemistry II	

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GEOG 101 & 101L	Introduction to Physical Geography and Geography 1 Laboratory	
GEOG 130	Introduction to Weather and Climate	
GEOL 101	Physical Geology	
PHYS 100	Introductory Physics	
PHYS 201	Engineering Physics I-Mechanics	
PHYS 202	Engineering Physics II -½Fluids, Sound, and Thermodynamics	
PHYS 203	Engineering Physics III Electricity½and Magnetism	
PHYS 204	Engineering Physics IV-Optics And½modern Physics	
PHYS 221	General Physics I	
PHYS 222	General Physics II	
Courses which do not include a laboratory		
AGNR 170	Environmental Science and Sustainability	
ASTR 101	Descriptive Astronomy	
GEOG 101	Introduction to Physical Geography	
OCEA 101	Oceanography	
PSCI 101	Principles of Physical Science	
<i>B2 Life Science</i>		
Courses which include a laboratory		
ANTH 101 & 101L	Introduction to Physical Anthropology and Physical Anthropology Laboratory	
BIOL 100	General Biology	
BIOL 107	Introduction to Human Biology	
BIOL 201	Biology of Cells	
BIOL 202	Biology of Organisms	
BIOL 203	Population and Environmental Biology	
BIOL 211	Human Anatomy	
BIOL 221	General Microbiology	
BIOL 231	Human Physiology	
Courses which do not include a laboratory		
AGNR 123	Introduction to Plant Science	
ANTH 101	Introduction to Physical Anthropology	
BIOL 118	Principles of Heredity	
PSYC 109	Biopsychology	
<i>B3 Lab Activity</i>		
Any science course taken for Area B1 or B2, which includes a lab, fulfills this requirement		
<i>B4 Mathematics</i> ¹		
MATH 103	College Algebra for Allied Health	
MATH 104	Trigonometry	
MATH	College Algebra	
105/105H		
MATH 114	Mathematical Concepts for Elementary½school Teachers	
MATH	Introduction to Statistics	
120/120H		
MATH 120S	Introduction to Statistics With Skills½support	
MATH 132	The Ideas of Math	
MATH	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	
226/226H		

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MATH 227/227H	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II		ENGL 102.0/102H	Composition and Literature	
MATH 228/228H	Analytic Geometry and Calculus III		ENGL 109	Creative Writing	
MATH 231	Linear Algebra		ENGL 116	Authors of the Theatre	
MATH 270	Differential Equations		ENGL 220	Modern Fiction	
PSYC 215	Introduction to Statistics in Social And½behavioral Sciences		ENGL 225	Poetry	
Area C Arts and Humanities		9.0	ENGL 230	Survey of American Literature 1600-1865 ⁴	
Select three courses with at least one from C1 and one from C2					
<i>C1 Arts</i>					
ART 101	Survey of Art History, Survey of Western Art From Prehistory through the Middle Ages ⁴		ENGL 231	Survey of American Literature 1865 To½present	
ART 102	Survey of Western Art from Renaissance to Contemporary, Survey Art History ⁴		ENGL 232	Chicanx and Latinx Literature ⁴	
ART 104	Film As an Art Form ⁴		ENGL 233	African American Literature ⁴	
ART 105	Introduction to Art		ENGL 234	Native American Literature ⁴	
ART 106	Art Concepts		ENGL 235	Children's Literature	
ART 107	Art & Life of Greece ⁴		ENGL 240	World Literature Ancient-Early½renaissance ⁴	
ART 108	Art and Life of Italy ⁴		ENGL 241	World Literature Renaissance-Modern ⁴	
ART 109	Survey of African American Art		ENGL 245	Survey of British Literature Early½medieval-Neoclassics ⁴	
ART 110	Introduction to the Arts of Africa		ENGL 246	Survey of British Literature Romantic½period to 20th Century ⁴	
ART 112	Design I		ENGL 247	Shakespeare	
ART 113	Design II		FREN 101	Elementary French ⁴	
ART 114	Color Theory		FREN 102	Elementary French ⁴	
ART 120	Acrylic Painting I		HIST 102	Western Civilization from 1500	
ART 122	Beginning Figure Drawing		HIST 103	World History to 1500 ⁴	
ART 125	Drawing I		HIST 104	World History Since 1500 ⁴	
ART 150	Oil Painting I		HIST 115	History of California	
CART 133	Digital Imaging		HIST 117/117H	History of U.S to 1876 ²	
ENGL 116	Authors of the Theatre		HIST 118/ H118	History of U.S From 1876 ²	
KIN 103	History and Appreciation of Dance ⁴		HIST 130	Latin American History to 1822 ⁴	
MUSC 100	Introduction to Music		HIST 131	Latin American History From 1822 ⁴	
MUSC 101	Fundamentals of Music		HIST 153	African American History ²	
MUSC 102	Music Theory I		HIST 155	Women in U.S. History ^{2,4}	
MUSC 103	Music Theory II		HIST 157	Native American History	
MUSC 116	Music in America		PHIL 101	Introduction to Philosophy	
MUSC 117	History of Jazz ⁴		PHIL 108	Introduction to Ethics And½contemporary Moral Issues	
MUSC 118	Survey of Rock and Roll ⁴		PHIL 114	Introduction to Political Theory And½thought ⁴	
MUSC 202	Intermediate Theory-Chromatic Practice I		PHIL 117	Philosophy of Religion	
TA 101	Introduction to Theatre		PHIL 120	History of Ancient Philosophy	
TA 102	History of Theatre		PHIL 121	History of Modern Philosophy ⁴	
TA 107	Intermediate Acting		POLS 114	Introduction to Political Theory And½thought, Political Philosophy ⁴	
TA 110	Principles of Design for Theatre		RLST 101	Introduction to Religious Studies ⁴	
TA 116	Authors of the Theatre		RLST 105	Old Testament, Hebrew Bible, Religions½of the Ancient Near East ⁴	
<i>C2 Humanities</i>					
ANTH 106	Introduction to Linguistic Anthropology ⁴		RLST 106	Introduction to the New Testament½and Early Christian Literature ⁴	
ASL 122	American Sign Language I ⁴		RLST 110	Religions of the Middle East and The½west ⁴	
ASL 123	American Sign Language II ⁴		RLST 111	Religions of South and East Asia ⁴	
ASL 124	American Sign Language III ⁴		RLST 115	Religion in America	
ASL 125	American Sign Language IV ⁴		RLST 117	Philosophy of Religion	
CMST 105	Intercultural Communication ⁴		SPAN 101	Elementary Spanish ⁴	

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SPAN 101A	Fundamentals of Spanish 101A ⁴	
SPAN 101B	Fundamentals of Spanish 101B ⁴	
SPAN 102	Elementary Spanish ⁴	
SPAN 103	Intermediate Spanish ⁴	
SPAN 104	Intermediate Spanish ⁴	
SPAN 110	Spanish for Spanish Speakers	
SPAN 111	Spanish for Spanish Speakers	
TA 104	Oral Interpretation of Literature	
TA 116	Authors of the Theatre	
Area D Social Sciences		6.0
Select two courses from at least TWO different subject areas		
AGNR 175	Sustainable Agriculture, Environment And½society ⁴	
AGNR 178	Agriculture Economics	
ANTH 101	Introduction to Physical Anthropology	
ANTH 102	Introduction to Cultural Anthropology ⁴	
ANTH 103	Introduction to Archaeology	
ANTH 106	Introduction to Linguistic Anthropology ⁴	
ANTH 110	North American Prehistory	
CHDV 100	Child Growth & Development	
CHDV 106	Child, Family, and Community ⁴	
CJ 101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	
CMST 105	Intercultural Communication ⁴	
ECON 101	Principles of Economics: Macro ⁴	
ECON 102	Principles of Economics: Micro ⁴	
ENGL 234	Native American Literature ⁴	
ETH 101	Introduction to Chicana/O Studies	
ETH 102	Introduction to African American Studies	
ETH 103	Asians in America	
ETH 105	Ethnic and Racial Minorities	
ETH 106	Contemporary Ethnic Woman	
GEOG 101	Introduction to Physical Geography	
GEOG 102	Introduction to Cultural Geography ⁴	
GEOG 103	Geography of California	
GEOG 104	World Regional Geography ⁴	
GLST 102	Global Problems/Issues	
HIST 102	Western Civilization from 1500	
HIST 103	World History to 1500 ⁴	
HIST 104	World History Since 1500 ⁴	
HIST 115	History of California	
HIST 117/117H	History of U.S to 1876 ²	
HIST 118/H118	History of U.S From 1876 ²	
HIST 130	Latin American History to 1822 ⁴	
HIST 131	Latin American History From 1822 ⁴	
HIST 153	African American History ²	
HIST 155	Women in U.S. History ^{2,4}	
HIST 157	Native American History	
PHIL 114	Introduction to Political Theory And½thought ⁴	
POLS 101	Introduction to Political Science	

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POLS 102	Introduction to American Government½and Politics ²	
POLS 103	State and Local Government	
POLS 110	Introduction to International Relations ⁴	
POLS 112	Introduction to Comparative Government½and Politics ⁴	
POLS 113	Politics of Middle East and North Africa ⁴	
POLS 114	Introduction to Political Theory And½thought,Political Philosophy ⁴	
POLS 206	Introduction to Environmental Policy½and Natural Resource Management ⁴	
PSYC 101	Introductory Psychology	
PSYC 110	Developmental Psychology	
PSYC 121	Intorduction to Human Sexuality	
PSYC 204	Social Psychology	
PSYC 213	Abnormal Psychology	
RLST 113	Religion and Society ⁴	
RLST 115	Religion in America	
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology ⁴	
SOC 102	Social Problems	
SOC 103	Introduction to Marriage and Family	
SOC 107	Introduction to Race and Ethnicity ⁴	
SOC 109	Introduction to Gender	
SOC 110	Sociology of Sport	
Area E Lifelong Learning and Self-Development³		3.0
Select three units from the following		
ALDH 125	Medical Aspects of Drugs & Alcohol	
APE 160A	Introduction to Adapted Physical½exercise	
APE 160B	Intermediate Adapted Physical Exercise	
APE 160C	Advanced Adapted Physical Exercise	
APE 166A	Introduction to Adapted Cardiovascular½training	
APE 166B	Intermediate Adapted Cardiovascular½training	
APE 166C	Advanced Adapted Cardiovascular½training	
APE 167B	Intermediate Adapted Weight Training	
APE 167A	Introduction to Adapted Weight Training	
APE 183A	Introduction to Adapted Walking For½fun Fitness	
APE 183B	Intermediate Adapted Walking for½Fun Fitness	
APE 183C	Advanced Adapted Walking for½Fun Fitness	
CHDV 100	Child Growth & Development	
GUID 101	First Year Experience	
GUID 105	Personal & Career Success	
GUID 107	Learning Strategies and Study Skills	
HLTH 102/102H	Contemporary Problems in Personal And½community Health	
HLTH 203	Women's Health Issues	
KIN 104	Psychology of Physical Performance	
KIN 150	Lifetime Fitness Concepts	
KIN 160	Physical Fitness	
KIN 161	Body Building and Conditioning	
KIN 181	Golf	
KIN 185C	Defensive Football Techniques½And Conditioning	
KIN 186B		

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PSYC 101	Introductory Psychology	
PSYC 110	Developmental Psychology	
PSYC 121	Introduction to Human Sexuality	
SOC 103	Introduction to Marriage and Family	
SOC 109	Introduction to Gender	
Area F Ethnic Studies		3.0
Select three units from the following		
ETH 101	Introduction to Chicana/O Studies	
ETH 102	Introduction to African American Studies	
Total Units		39

¹ Courses from these areas are part of the Basic/Golden Four and must be completed with a "C" grade or better.

² These courses may be double-counted to meet the CSU US History, Constitution, and American Ideals graduation requirement.

³ Military veterans who submit a DD214 to Admissions & Records will fulfill Area E and be awarded 3.0 CSU transferable units.

⁴ These courses will fulfill the VVC Global Citizenship competency graduation requirement for the AA/AS degrees. Global Citizenship is not required for ADT degrees.