**Requirements for the CSU GE AA degree (minimum 2.0 GPA required):**

1. **60 CSU transferable units.**
   Use of units from other community colleges must be checked on ASSIST www.assist.org. A Cabrillo College counselor must check use of units from out of state or 4-year universities – you must provide official transcripts from all schools attended.

2. **General Education**
   Complete at least 30 units of general education including all of Area A and Area B4 which must be completed with a “C” or better. Students who complete only 30 units will have at least 9 units of lower division courses to complete upon transfer. It is advisable to complete all 39 units of lower division general education before transfer and to have your GE certified. Full GE certification is required for the AA-T/AS-T degrees. Courses may be used to satisfy both major and general education requirements – the units will be counted only once for the degree.

3. **Multicultural course**
   Complete one multicultural course marked with a # (not required for the AA-T/AS-T degrees).

4. **Major – For Students beginning F’10, all courses in the major or emphasis must be completed with a “C” or better.**
   This worksheet can be used for the following degrees:
   - **AA degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences**: For students entering Cabrillo College beginning F’08, the Liberal Arts and Sciences degree requires an 18 unit emphasis. Beginning F’14, this emphasis is limited to Interdisciplinary Studies—6 courses chosen from a combination of Areas A, B4, C & D. The complete list of approved courses for this emphasis is listed in the current Cabrillo catalog.
   - **AA degree in a specific discipline**: 18 units are required using the transfer requirements on ASSIST as a guide.
   - **AS degrees in Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Engineering, General Science, Geology, Mathematics or Physics**: At least 30 units are required using the catalog model program or the transfer requirements on ASSIST as a guide.

Students transferring to CSU should complete the lower division major preparation courses required by the 4-year school for their chosen major for their BA or BS degree. It is advisable to work with a Cabrillo College counselor and/or consult www.assist.org for major preparation courses required or recommended before transfer.

Courses may be used to satisfy both major and general education requirements – the units will be counted only once for the degree.

To file a petition for this degree—make an appointment with a counselor during the semester in which you are completing all of the requirements.

**GENERAL EDUCATION:**

**Qtr. and semester units may be combined in Areas A-E to achieve the overall unit requirement for the Area.**

**AREA A: English Language Communication and Critical Thinking (9 UNITS)**

Choose one course from each of the three sub-areas:

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<td><strong>A3 - Critical Thinking (3 units):</strong> Communication Studies 4; English 2, 2H, #2MC, #2MCH; Philosophy 12, 49 (No AP or IB accepted)</td>
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Note: Students planning to attend SFSU or SJSU should take an ENGL 2 version or PHILO 49. ENGL 1B taken at Cabrillo through Summer ’05 may be used in Area A3. ENGL 1BMC does not meet Area A3.

**AREA B: Scientific Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning (10 UNITS min.)**

Choose at least one course from the **Physical Universe** group (B1) and one course from the **Life Forms** group (B2). At least one of these sciences must include a corresponding laboratory (B3). Laboratory sciences are marked with an asterisk (*). Select one course from **Quantitative Reasoning** (B4). (Note: all of these math courses have a prerequisite of Intermediate Algebra or higher-level math course).

**B1 - Physical Universe (3-5 units):** Astronomy 3, 4, 7, 8A*, Chemistry 1A*, 1B*, 3, 3L* (2*), 5*, 10*, 12A, 12AL*, 12B, 12BL*, 30A*, 30B*, 32*, Engineering 3; Environmental Science 10, 10L*, 15, 15L*; Geography 1, 1L*, 3, 3L* (Meteo 1, 1L*); Geology 10*, 15, 20*; Oceanography 10*; Physics 2A*, 2B*, 4A*, 4B*, 4C*, 4D, 10, 10L*, 11*, 12

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<td><strong>B2 - Life Forms (3-5 units):</strong> Anthropology 1, 1H, 1L*; Biology 4*, 5*, 6*, 9A*, 9B* (BIO 1ABC*), 11A*, 11B*, 11C*, 13A, 13AL*, 31; Psychology 4, 4L*</td>
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<td><strong>B3 - Laboratory Sciences (1 unit):</strong> See courses marked with an asterisk (<em>under B1 and B2).For general education credit, 1-laboratory courses must be taken with corresponding lecture courses (for example: Geography 1+1L</em>, Astronomy 3, 4 or 7 + 8A*, Anthropology 1/1H +1L*, Biology 13A +13AL*, Physics 10 + 10L*, etc.)</td>
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<td><strong>B4 - Quantitative Reasoning (3-5 units):</strong> Business 9 (beg. F’13); Mathematics 2, 3 (beg. F’11), 4, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6, 7, 10, 12, 12H, 13, 15, 18; Psychology 2A</td>
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*Areas A & B4 are required for AA Degree and Transfer.*

**Date**
**AREA C: Arts and Humanities**

(9 UNITS)

Select 3 units from **Arts** (C1) and 3 units from **Humanities** (C2) plus one additional course from either area.

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<td><strong>C1 -Arts:</strong> Art History 10, 11, 11H, 12, 13, 13H, 14, #16, #17, #18, #19, 20A, 20B, #52, 53; Art Photography #15, #35, #35H, 45 (beg. F '16), #55; Dance #1; Music 1, 5, 6, 10, #11A, #11LA, #12, #13A, 77; Theatre Arts 7, #8, 9, 10A;</td>
<td><strong>C2 -Humanities:</strong> American Sign Language (SLS) 1, 2, 3; English 1B, 1BH, #18MC, 12A, 12B, 12C, 12E, 12F, #24A, #24B, #27A, #27B, 30A, 30B, 34, #39, #40, #41A, #45, 46A, 46B, 48A, 49A, 49B; French 1, 2, 3, 10; German 1, 2; History #2A, #2B, 4A, 4AH, 4B, 4BH, #27A, #27B; Italian 1, 2, 3, 10; Japanese 1, 2; Philosophy 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 10H, #14, #15, 16, #17, 18; Spanish 1, 2, 3, 4, 5A, 6A, 6B, 10A, 10B, 16, 17, 25, 26, #30B</td>
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**NOTE:**
- English 1B may be counted under C2 if not used to meet the A3 requirement (prior to F'05). Students planning to attend SFSU or SJSU who DID NOT take English 2 are advised to take English 1B for C2. English 1BM or C2 courses in three departments be taken to insure breadth.
- Political Science courses must include California government--out of state students who have taken a US Political Science course may be counted only under C2. Students who completed the following courses F'95 or earlier will receive general education credit in Area C1: Art 2A, 4, 5, 7A, 8A, 9A, 24; Music 17A, 19, 33A, 34, 35, 36, 38, 40, 46, 49, 51A, 54, 55, 58; Theatre Arts 28, 29. A maximum of six semester units in performance courses is allowed.
- English 27A, 27B, History 2A/2B, 4A/4AH & 4B/4BH, 27A, 27B may be used in either Area C or D, but not both.
- A U.S. History and a U.S. Political Science are highly recommended. See NOTE.

**LIST:**
- English 27A, 27B, History 2A, 2B, 4A/4AH & 4B/4BH 27A, 27B may be used in either Area C or D, but not both; ECE 31, HS 15, PSYCH 33, SOC 5, and WS 1 may be used in Area D or E, but not both.

**NOTE:**
- English 27A, 27B, History 2A, 2B, 4A/4AH & 4B/4BH 27A, 27B may be used in either Area C or D, but not both; ECE 31, HS 15, PSYCH 33, SOC 5, and WS 1 may be used in Area D or E, but not both.

**AREA D: Social Sciences**

(9 UNITS)

Select three courses from the following. No more than two courses may be counted from any single department. It is recommended that courses in three departments be taken to insure breadth.

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<td>Anthropology #2, #2H, #3, #6, #7, #8, #17, #30; Bilingual/Bicultural Studies #32; Communication Studies 7, #12; Early Childhood Education 31, 32; Economics 1A, 1B; English #27A, #27B; Geography #2, #4, 5; Health Science 15; History #2A, #2B, 4A, 4AH, 4B, 4BH, #6, 9, 11, #14*, #14H*, #15*, #16A, #16B, #16C, 17A*, 17AH*, #17B*, #17BH*, #19B, #19C, #21A*, #21AH*, #21B*, #21BH*, 24, #27A, #27B, #29A*, #29B*; Journalism 21; Political Science 1*, 1H*, 2, 3, 5*; Psychology 1, 1H, 2B (2), 6, 8, 12, 26, 31, 33; Sociology 1, 1H, #2, #2H, #3, #5, #8, #9, 10, 11, 12 (47); Women's Studies 1, #2, 11</td>
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**NOTE:**
- English 27A, 27B, History 2A, 2B, 4A/4AH & 4B/4BH 27A, 27B may be used in either Area C or D, but not both; ECE 31, HS 15, PSYCH 33, SOC 5, and WS 1 may be used in Area D or E, but not both.

**AREA E: Lifelong Learning and Self-Development**

(3 UNITS)

Select 3 units from the following:

| E                            | Counselling & Guidance 1, 51 (beg F'15); Early Childhood Education 31, 33; Health Science 10, 12, 15, 21, 22, 24; Nutrition 20, 22 (CAHM); *Psychology 33, 35ABC, 39ABC; Sociology 5; Women's Studies 1; **DD214 (Military Credit) **Student must have CSU GE Fully Certified. *Students must complete PSYCH 35ABC or 39ABC for 3 units to receive general education credit. PSYCH 37ABC may be used for Area E if taken prior to F'14. **ECE 31, HS 15, PSYCH 33, SOC 5, and WS 1 may be used in Area D or E, but not both. Note: Beg. F'13 select ATH, DANCE and KIN Activity courses may also be used to meet Area E, if combined with other non-activity Area E units from the CG, ECE, or NUTR (CAHM) departments. |
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| **Total**                   | **Total**                                                                   | **Total**                                                                                          |

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**MC: MULTICULTURAL STUDIES REQUIREMENTS—AA requirement only ***(not required for AA-T/AS-T degrees)**

(3 UNITS)

Select one course from any of the above areas that is marked with the # sign, ENGR 98A + ENGR 98B, or WS 5. This area may be double-counted. A course from another college may be used to fulfill this requirement--check with a counselor.

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