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Palo Verde College  
**Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC)**  
 General Education Plan for Transfer to the CSU/UC Systems (2015-2016)

THIS FORM SUBJECT TO CHANGE EACH YEAR

*Please Consult with a Counselor*

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<b>I. ENGLISH COMMUNICATIONS</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>2-3 COURSES (6-9 Sem/8-12 Quarter Units)</b></span> CSU transfer – complete one course from each group. UC transfer – complete one course from groups A and B only. A. English Composition: <b>ENGLISH 101</b> B. Critical Thinking/ English Composition: <b>ENGLISH 103</b> C. Oral Communication (CSU requirement only): <b>SPE 101, 102, 103</b> Other College _____ Advanced Placement (Area IA only) _____			
<b>II. MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>1 COURSE (3 Sem/4 Quarter Units)</b></span> <b>MATH +106, +110, +210, 220, 224, 226, PSYCHOLOGY 155</b> Other College _____ Advanced Placement _____			
<b>III. ARTS AND HUMANITIES</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>3 COURSES (9 Sem/12 Quarter Units)</b></span> Choose 1 course from A, 1 course from B, and a third course from A or B A. Arts: <b>ART 101, 110, 111; DANCE 101; ENGLISH *125; MUSIC 121, 137; THEATER 110, 151</b> B. Humanities: <b>ENGLISH 102, 122, *125, 132, 133, 139, 140, 141, 154, 201; HISTORY *110, *120, *130, *140; PHILOSOPHY 100, 105</b> Other College _____ Advanced Placement _____			
<b>IV. SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>3 COURSES (9 Sem/12 Quarter Units)</b></span> Choose 3 courses from at least two different disciplines <b>ANTHROPOLOGY 100, 101, 102, 106, 201, 151; CHILD DEVELOPMENT 101; ECON 105, 106; GEOGRAPHY 103, 104; HISTORY *110, *120, *125, *130, *140; POLITICAL SCIENCE 101, 145, 285; PSYCHOLOGY 101, 115, 150, 201, 205, 210, 215; SOCIOLOGY 101; SPEECH 105</b> Other College _____ Advanced Placement _____			
<b>V. PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>2 COURSES (7 Sem/9 Quarter Units)</b></span> Choose 2 courses, 1 course from A, 1 course from B. <b>At least 1 course must include a corresponding lab (lab courses are <u>underlined</u>).</b> A. Physical Science: <b>ASTRONOMY 101, 105, 110; CHEMISTRY +101; GEOGRAPHY 101; GEOLOGY 101, 103, 105, 110; PHYSICS+101, 110, 220;</b> B. Biological Sciences: <b>BIOLOGY +100, <u>110</u>, <u>111</u>, <u>140</u>, <u>141</u>, <u>142</u>, <u>210</u>, <u>211</u></b> Other College _____ Advanced Placement _____			
<b>VI. LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH (UC Requirement ONLY)</b> Proficiency in any foreign language can be met by passing 2 years of a foreign language in high school with a grade of C or better, 2 years attendance at a foreign junior high or high school, proving competency by an acceptable exam, or choosing one of the following courses at a level 2 or higher: <b>EDUCATION 132, 134; FRENCH 102; SPANISH 102, 115</b> <b>If proficiency was met in high school, transcript must be provided (no units granted for HS coursework).</b> Other College _____ Advanced Placement _____			
<b>CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENT (NOT part of IGETC American Institutions)</b> <b>CSU transfer ONLY</b> – Choose 1 course from Group 1, 1 course from Group 2 <i>Not part of IGETC, but may be completed prior to transfer. For IGETC Certification purposes, courses used to satisfy this CSU graduation requirement may also be used to satisfy IGETC area IV. If a course is used to satisfy both IGETC area IV and CSU, some CSU campuses may require students to take an additional course(s) after transfer.</i> <b>Group 1: POLITICAL SCIENCE 145</b> <b>Group 2: HISTORY 130, OR 140</b> Other College _____ Advanced Placement _____			
<b>Major Prep Courses:</b>			
<b>Electives:</b>			

C = Completed    IP = In Progress    N = Need    **TOTAL**

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Counselor's Signature

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Date

Palo Verde College  
**Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum**

**2015-2016**

**What is the IGETC (Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum)?**

The *Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum* (IGETC) is a general education program that community college prospective transfer students may complete to satisfy the lower division general education requirements for either the UC (University of California) or CSU (California State University) system without the need to take additional lower-division general education courses after transfer.

All IGETC coursework must be completed with a “C” or better. Courses in which a student receives a “pass” grade may be used if the community college’s policy states that a “pass” is equivalent to a “C” grade (2.0) or better. The UC system allows a maximum of 14 semester units (of the 60 required, transferable units) on a Pass/No Pass basis. There is no CSU system-wide policy on limitations for a “pass” grade, therefore each CSU campus has its own established policy (please check with your CSU campus of choice). Courses may only be used once to satisfy one IGETC subject area (even if listed under multiple areas), however, courses may be used to satisfy IGETC general education areas AND major preparation requirements. Major preparation requirements can be accessed on [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org), the official source for California articulation and student transfer information.

**The IGETC is NOT an admission requirement to the UC or CSU system.** There is no connection between completion of the IGETC and eligibility for admission to the UC or CSU system, or admission to a specific campus or program. Existing segmental and campus-specific admission requirements for transfer students remain unchanged. Requirements for lower-division courses for admission to particular majors also remain unchanged. The IGETC plan will total approximately 34-37 transferable units. A recommended total of 60 units must be completed prior to transfer, for priority admission status.

If you are approaching readiness for transfer and are unable to complete one or two IGETC courses (no more than 2 courses), you may be eligible for **partial certification** and complete **IGETC after transferring**. Students receiving **partial certification** must ensure that admission criteria for the university has been met (IGETC areas I and II). Students may complete the necessary coursework at the transfer institution and may **NOT** return to the Community College for complete certification if partial certification was received. “Certification” means that PVC has verified that a student has completed the lower division General Education requirements listed in each area of the IGETC. *Certification does not guarantee admission or admission eligibility. Certification is not required and is not automatic; it must be requested by the student at the time the final official transcript is sent.* Without certification, the student will be held to the specific general education requirements of the university campus of choice. *Please note, the UC Berkeley, College of Letters and Science does not accept partial Certification.*

**It is NOT advisable for all students to follow the IGETC.** Some students may be better served by taking courses that fulfill the CSU General Education Breadth requirements or the general education pattern of the UC or CSU campus or college to which they plan to transfer. Students pursuing majors that require extensive lower division major preparation, (such as Engineering on all campuses or Business at UC Berkeley) may not find the IGETC option to be advantageous. *The Eleanor Roosevelt College and Revelle College of UC San Diego do not accept IGETC.* Additional lower-division general education requirements may be needed prior to transfer. **The IGETC will be most useful for students who want to keep their options open before making a final decision about transferring to a particular UC or CSU campus.**

The material in this publication has been prepared from the IGETC handouts as carefully as possible.  
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IGETC COMPLETED: California State University [ ]      University of California [ ]

Partial Completion of IGETC [ ]      Full completion of IGETC [ ]

College Evaluator: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Courses may be counted in one area only. +Transfer credit may be limited by either UC or CSU or both.

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