

Sample Complete GE-Certified Transfer Plan for a Degree in: Biology (186 units required for the Bachelor of Science Degree)

	FALL	WINTER	SPRING	SUMMER*	TOTAL UNITS
Year 1	BIOL 300 (4) MATH 204 (4) MATH 204P (1) CHEM 201 (5) CHEM 291A (3) 17	WPE (UNIV 400) (0) MATH 205 (4) MATH 205P** (1) CHEM 291B (3) CHEM 292A (2) BIOL 320 (4) BIOL 340 (4) 17	CHEM 301 (3) CHEM 292B (2) BIOL 360 (4) BIOL 380 (4) GE THEME – NATS*** (4) 17		52 UNITS
Year 2	PHYS 101 (4) BIOL UD ELECTIVES (14) 18	PHYS 102 (4) BIOL UD ELECTIVES (14) 18	PHYS 103 (4) BIOL UD ELECTIVES (4) GE THEME – SOCS*** (4) GE THEME – HUM*** (4) 16		52 UNITS

ASSUMPTIONS OF THIS PLAN:

- Students have entered CSULA with COMPLETE Lower Division GE Certification (which can occur only for California Community College transfers).
 - Students have completed an equivalent course to the UNIVERSITY requirement – ENGL 102.
 - Students have completed one year of general biology required for biological sciences majors (with labs) with grades of C or better.
 - Students have completed one year of general chemistry (with labs), required for science majors.
- Currently students who want to enroll in more than 16 units in a quarter will require the NSS Dean’s permission. The Department will support students following this plan when they petition the dean to take more than 16 units in a quarter.
 - Students are calculus-ready and can enroll in MATH 204. If you are not calculus ready, MATH 104A and 105 are the prerequisites.

ADDITIONAL NOTES:

*Students may take classes during the Summer Quarter to finish earlier or to take fewer units each quarter.

**Optional, required for students who earned a grade of B- or lower in MATH 204.

***Students must take 2 diversity (d) courses as part of GE Upper Division Theme, if lower division courses did not meet this requirement.

The University requires all students to complete 60 units of UPPER DIVISION coursework (courses numbered 300 or 400).

The University requires all students to complete 45 units of coursework in residence at CSU, Los Angeles to receive the degree (12 units must be in GE; 18 units must be in the major; 36 units must be upper division courses = 300- or 400-level).

You must complete a MINIMUM total of 186 units to receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Biology and ONLY 105 quarter units can be taken at a community college and applied to the 186 units.

DO NOT TAKE GE THEME COURSES FROM YOUR MAJOR DEPARTMENT OR COURSES THAT ARE CROSS-LISTED TO MAJOR COURSES.

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