



Articulation and General Education Guidelines

Merritt College to Azusa Pacific University

Any course not listed in this agreement but that is designated as CSU or UC transferable in the Merritt College catalog will transfer to APU as unit credit only. Only courses where a grade of C- or above has been earned will be considered for transfer credit. APU will give credit for no more than 70 units of community college work. Please see APU's current course catalog for additional transfer and admissions information.

Have you completed IGETC or CSU GE-Breadth Certification?

APU accepts the full IGETC and the CSU GE-Breadth Certification to satisfy the following requirements:

- Intellectual and Practical Skills (except Writing 3)
- Knowledge of Human Cultures and the Physical and Natural World
- Personal and Social Responsibility
- Philosophy from Biblical, Theological, and Philosophical Formation

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COURSE	TITLE		GE	COURSE	TITLE
ART 1	Intro to Art History	transfers as	GE	ART 150	Introduction to Art
ART 2	History of Ancient Art	transfers as	GE		GE Humanities: Fine Arts
ART 3	History of Medieval Ren, Baroq	transfers as	GE		GE Humanities: Fine Arts
ART 4	History of Modern Art	transfers as	GE		GE Humanities: Fine Arts
ATHL 1	Intercollegiate Women's Basket	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
ATHL 30	Intercollegiate Men's Soccer	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
ATHL 59	Intercollegiate Track & Field	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
ATHL 6	Intercollegiate Men's Basketba	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
ATHL 66	Intercolleg Men & Women's CC	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
BIOL 3	Microbiology	transfers as		BIOL 220	General Microbiology
CHEM 1A	General Chemistry	transfers as	GE	CHEM 151	General Chemistry I
CHEM 1B	General Chemistry	transfers as		CHEM 152	General Chemistry II
CHEM 30A	Intro Inorganic Chemistry	transfers as	GE	CHEM 101	Intro to Chemistry
CHEM 30B	Intro Organic and Biochemistry	transfers as	GE	CHEM 123	GOB Chem for Health Sciences
COMM 45	Public Speaking	transfers as	GE	COMM 111	Public Communication
ENGL 01A	Composition and Reading	transfers as	GE	WRIT 110	Writing 1
ENGL 01B	Compostion & Reading	transfers as	GE	ENGL 111	Studies in Literature
ENGL 30A	Intro to American Literature	transfers as	GE		GE Humanities: Literature
ENGL 30B	Intro to American Literature	transfers as	GE		GE Humanities: Literature
ENGL 44A	Masterpieces of World Lit	transfers as	GE		GE Humanities: Literature

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ENGL 44B	Masterpieces of World Lit	transfers as	GE		GE Humanities: Literature
H ED 1	Exploring Health Issues	transfers as	GE	PE 240	Health Education
HIST 02A	History of European Civilizati	transfers as	GE	HIST 120	World Civilizations to 1648
HIST 02B	History of European Civilizati	transfers as	GE	HIST 121	World Civilizations Since 1648
HIST 07A	History of the US to 1877	transfers as	GE	HIST 151	US History to 1877
HIST 07B	History of the US Since 1865	transfers as	GE	HIST 152	US History Since 1877
HIST 32	The United States Since 1945	transfers as	GE		GE Humanities: History
KIN 103A	Soccer I	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 103B	Soccer II	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 107A	Tennis I	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 107B	Tennis II	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 110A	Track and Field I	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 110B	Track and Field II	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 36	Aerobic Circuits	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 54A	Cross Fitness I - Fundamentals	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 54B	Cross Fitness II - Beginning	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 58A	Fitness Center Strength I	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 58B	Fitness Center Strength II	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 58C	Fitness Center Strength III	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 58D	Fitness Center Strength IV	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 60A	Circuit Training Strength I	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 60B	Circuit Training Strength II	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 60C	Circuit Training Strength III	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 60D	Circuit Training Strength IV	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 80A	Basketball I	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 80B	Basketball II	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 80C	Basketball III	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
KIN 80D	Basketball IV	transfers as	GE		GE Fitness for Life
PHIL 1	Intro to Philosophy	transfers as	GE	PHIL 100	Introduction to Philosophy
POSC 1	Government/Politics in the US	transfers as		POLI 160	Introduction to Politics
POSC 15	Intro to American Government	transfers as	GE	POLI 150	American Government
PSYC 1A	Intro to General Psychology	transfers as	GE	PSYC 110	General Psychology
PSYC 1B	Intro to General Psychology	transfers as	GE	PSYC 110	General Psychology
PSYC 33	Personal & Social Adjustment	transfers as		SOC 230	Comparative Family Systems
PSYC 6	Social Psychology	transfers as	GE		GE Social Sciences

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SOC 1	Intro to Sociology	transfers as	GE	SOC 120	Introduction to Sociology

General Education Requirements for Azusa Pacific University

Requirement	Helpful Hints & Comments
First-Year Seminar	Course must focus on orientation to college academics while maintaining instruction in orientation, transitions, and holistic wellness. Typically, a 3-unit course. Not required for students who transfer in 30+ units.
Writing 1: The Art & Craft of Writing	Any first-semester composition course. Often titled "Freshman Composition," "College Composition," or "Reading and Composition." Must include basic research skills and a research paper.
Writing 2: Genre, Evidence, & Persuasion	Courses titled "Critical Thinking," "Advanced Composition," etc., that follow a basic freshman level writing course. These courses involve the use of logic, critical thinking, rhetoric, and advanced composition. In addition, genre-specific writing courses will introduce students to the genres of writing, rhetorical moves, and forms of evidence in a specific discipline. Possible courses include: Writing in the Humanities, Writing in the Social Sciences, Writing in the Arts, Writing in Theology, Writing in Business, Writing in Nursing, etc. Must include a research component.
Writing 3: Writing in the Disciplines	This category focuses on preparing students to be professionals in a field by being independent thinkers capable of constructing their own knowledge, including producing polished writing products in the genres of writing that students are likely to use in their future professions. Most courses in this category are required for the specific APU major and are therefore not likely to be fulfilled by a student's transfer work.
Oral Communication	Any Public Speaking or Oral Communication course. Must contain at least 3 individual public speeches. Also, communication courses in Interpersonal, Small Group, Argumentation and Debate, and Intercultural areas are acceptable (<u>however, some majors may require Public Speaking</u>). Cannot be taken as a hybrid course.
Fitness for Life	Any physical activity course with a cardio component and instruction in fitness principles. This includes individual activities, team sports, dance, yoga/mat exercise courses, and intercollegiate sports. Activities with limited physical activity such as badminton, golf, bowling, etc. will not fulfill the requirement.
Quantitative Literacy	Any course from the Math department of the transferring school that has a prerequisite of Intermediate Algebra. <u>However, certain majors require College Algebra</u> . Please refer to the APU catalog to determine whether or not your major requires College Algebra. In addition, Statistics and Applied Statistics courses (e.g. "Statistics for Behavioral Sciences") with an Intermediate Algebra prerequisite will meet this requirement.
Biblical, Theological, & Philosophical Formation-Philosophy Requirement	Must be a broad philosophy course such as Intro to Philosophy, History of Philosophy, philosophy-based Logic, Critical Thinking, and Ethics. All other courses must be evaluated by the Department of Theology & Philosophy for transfer.
Humanities- History, Literature, & Fine Arts Requirement	Must choose one course from each discipline (3 courses total): History, Literature, and Fine Arts. History courses must be survey courses in world, western, or U.S. history (typically split into two time periods). Literature courses must be broad, surveys of literature that explore the literary genres of fiction, drama, and poetry. Fine Arts courses must be broad, survey courses in Art, Music, Drama, or Theater (sometimes History of Cinema, Drama, or Theater courses) covering approximately 100 years. These must be lecture courses and not studio or applied courses such as drawing, painting, singing, piano, etc. Examples of acceptable courses from these categories include (but not limited to) World Civilizations to 1648, Intro to Literature, Art History, Music Fundamentals, etc.
Social Sciences	One course from the following disciplines: Sociology, Psychology, Economics, Anthropology, Communication Studies, or Political Science. Examples of courses include (but not limited to) Intro to Sociology, General Psychology, Intro to Criminal Justice, Cultural Anthropology, Mass Media, etc.
Natural Sciences	One course: lecture and lab component required. Any basic course in the life or physical sciences. Examples of courses include Fundamentals of Biology, General Biology, Fundamentals of Chemistry, General Chemistry, Introduction to Astronomy, Physical Geology/Geography, Fundamentals of Physics, General Physics, Oceanography, Zoology, Marine Biology. Biology and Chemistry labs cannot be taken online. <u>However, certain majors require specific science courses</u> . Please refer to the APU catalog to determine whether or not your major requires specific science courses.
Foreign Language	One full academic year (2 semesters or 3 quarters) of the same foreign language are required OR proficiency verified by a variety of options, including SAT, AP, CLEP, FLATS, or passing score on an APU Proficiency Test. (waived with full CSU GE Cert. or IGETC). High School courses taken do not waive this requirement. Must be college level.
Civic Knowledge & Engagement	One course that equips students to understand civic institutions and processes, and develops knowledge of critical thinking about civic principles, or to make wise, informed decisions about effective civic action through engaging students in civic activity and scholarly reflection. Examples of courses include (but not limited to) American Government, State and Local Government, Comparative Government, Religion and Society, Child Welfare, etc.
Intercultural Competence	One course that will equip students to engage with others from diverse cultures with compassion and respect. Course will help students achieve higher levels of personal and social responsibility. May involve study away, service-learning, or community-based research. Examples of courses include (but not limited to) Multicultural or World Art, Cultural History/Travel Study, Intro to World Music, World Religions, Diversity in the Classroom, Cultural Anthropology, etc.