



# Minimum Requirements for Admission to a UC or CSU a-g Subject Requirements

1. A minimum of 15 yearlong college prep courses are required with a C or better (for UC, 11 must be completed by the end of their 11<sup>th</sup> grade year)
2. All courses must be completed with a C or better
3. Repeated classes only count for the one year with the highest grade earned
4. Some campuses/programs have additional requirements

**History/social science (“a”)** – 2 years required (3 years, including Economics, required for graduation)

World History (1 year)  
US History (1 year)  
Civics (1 Semester)

**English (“b”)** – All full year courses – 4 years required

English 9  
English 10  
English 11  
English 12

**Mathematics (“c”)** – All full year courses – minimum of 3 courses required from list below, 4 years recommended.

Integrated Mathematics 1	Algebra
Integrated Mathematics 2	Geometry
Integrated Mathematics 3	Algebra 2
Pre-Calculus	Calculus

**Laboratory science (“d”)** – minimum of 2 years required (3 years recommended by UC system)

Biology  
Physics  
Chemistry

**Language other than English (“e”)** – Two years of the same language other than English or equivalent to the second level of high school instruction. Other languages may be taken at the community college level and transferred into Trade Tech. (A 3 unit college class counts as a full year of high school.) ASL accepted. All full year courses

Spanish 1  
Spanish 2  
Spanish 3  
Or 2 semesters of foreign language taken at a community college

**Visual and performing arts (“f”)** – *One year* chosen from dance, music, theater or the visual arts.

Graphic Design and Modeling  
Introduction to Theater  
or “f” qualified elective taken at a community college (3 semester units or more)

**College-preparatory elective (“g”)** – *One year* chosen from the “a-f” courses beyond those used to satisfy the requirements above, or courses that have been approved solely in the elective area.

One year in one of the following courses:

Automotive Technology	Manufacturing 1
Civil Engineering and Architecture	Manufacturing 2
Introduction to Engineering Design	MC3 (Construction 3)
Earth Science	Construction Tech 2
Economics (Required for Graduation)	MESA (Engineering Tech)
Personal Finance (Required for Graduation)	

**Testing Requirements** – *ACT/SAT Reasoning*

CSU – Required for all impacted campuses and programs, required for all students with lower than a 3.0 GPA.

Testing is recommended during the junior year of high school

UC – ACT Plus Writing or the SAT is required for all applicants.

## For more information, please see your advisor.



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