## GENERAL EDUCATION: INTERSEGMENTAL GENERAL EDUCATION TRANSFER CURRICULUM (IGETC), CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

Requirements are based on Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) requirements.

## Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the program, students will be able to:

- Form a provable thesis, develop it through factual research, distinguish between fact and opinion, and make effective rhetorical choices in relation to audience and purpose.
- Analyze and evaluate complex issues or problems, draw reasoned conclusions and/or generate solutions, and effectively communicate their results.
- Use the scientific method to investigate phenomena in the natural world and use concepts, experiments, and/or theory to explain them.
- Analyze and interpret human thought, achievement, and expression relevant to such branches of knowledge as philosophy, literature, and/ or the fine and performing arts, and to communicate the results.
- Critically examine and comprehend human nature and behavior, social traditions, and institutions.
- Examine interactions and interconnections across cultures.


## Certificate of Achievement Requirements

| Code Title | Units |
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| Required Core |  |
| Area 1 - English Communication |  |
| CSU: 3 courses required, one each from 1A, 1B, and 1C |  |
| UC: 2 courses required, one from 1A and one from 1B |  |
| Select 6-9 units of the following: | 6-9 |
| 1A: English Composition |  |
| 1B: Critical Thinking - English Composition |  |
| 1C: Oral Communication (CSU requirement only) |  |
| Area 2 - Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning |  |
| Select 3 units. | 3 |
| Area 3 - Arts and Humanities |  |
| Select at least 3 courses, with at least one from 3 A and one from 3B: | 9 |
| 3A: Arts |  |
| 3B: Humanities |  |
| Area 4-Social and Behavioral Sciences |  |
| Select 2 courses from 2 disciplines. | 6 |
| Area 5 - Physical and Biological Sciences |  |
| Select at least 2 courses, one from 5A and one from 5B. At least one course must include a laboratory listed in 5C: | 7 |

5A: Physical Science

## 5B: Biological Science

5C: Science Laboratory
Area 6 - Languages Other Than English (UC requirement only)
Proficiency equivalent to two years of high school study in the same 0-5 language or World Language 1, 1A, or higher course

| Area 7 - Ethnic Studies | 3 |
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| Select 3 units | $\mathbf{3 4 - 4 2}$ |

Please refer to the graduation requirements section of the Catalog for information about degree and certificate requirements including Reading and Writing, Mathematics, Information Competency, and General Education requirements.

