



**CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENT IN U.S. HISTORY, CONSTITUTION & AMERICAN IDEALS (CSU Requirement only)**

Not part of IGETC; may be completed prior to transfer. Choose one course from Group A and one course from Group B. (Students planning on transfer to a CSU are encouraged to complete these two courses prior to transfer as part of their lower division courses.)

\_\_\_ Group A (US 2 and US 3): **Ethnic Studies 5** or Political Science 1 or Political Science 5

\_\_\_ Group B (US 1): History 17A or History 17B or History **40**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

- Although courses may be listed in two areas, they can only be counted in one area.
  - Students earning an AA/AS degree from Hartnell College must complete an Ethnic Groups in the United States course. The courses that meet this requirement are highlighted/**BOLD** in AREAS 3 and 4.
  - Students earning an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) AA-T/AS-T, are not required to complete an Ethnic Groups course.
- \*\*Indicates number of transfer units may be limited by UC or CSU or both. Consult with a counselor for additional information.

**AREA 6 INFORMATION:** Requirement may also be satisfied by any of the options listed: 1) A score of 3 or higher on an AP exam in language other than English; 2) an appropriate score on an SAT II subject test in a language other than English; 3) a score of 5 or higher on an International Baccalaureate Higher Level Exam in a language other than English; or 4) satisfactory completion, with “C” grades or better, of two years of formal schooling at the sixth grade level or higher in an institution where the language of instruction is not English.

**Appropriate documentation must be on file with Admissions and Records. See a Counselor for more information.**

**IGETC CERTIFICATION:**

“**Certification**” means that Hartnell College has verified that a student has completed the lower division general education requirements for the University of California or California State University. Certification is important because without it students will be held to the general education requirements specific to the UC or CSU campus to which the student transfers. Courses from other colleges and universities may be considered for certification through a process called “**pass along certification**”:

- 1) courses taken at other California Community Colleges will be certified in the subject areas (AREA 1 – 7) approved by the institution where the courses were taken, and
- 2) courses taken at other regionally accredited colleges and universities will be certified only if the course is determined to be equivalent to a course in Hartnell College’s IGETC Certification Pattern. All courses must be completed with a “C” or better to receive IGETC certification.

**It is the student’s responsibility to request certification by submitting a form to Admissions & Records or by making a note in the “Special Instructions” box when submitting online Transcript Request.**

**EXTERNAL EXAMINATIONS APPROVED TO CLEAR SPECIFIC IGETC AREAS:** Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB) See the current Hartnell College catalog pages on External Examinations that indicate equivalent general education area or elective units that could apply with appropriate scores. (Examinations may also be included in the IGETC Certification). See Catalog or a Counselor for complete list of exams and unit limitations.

**IGETC for STEM:** Certain Associate Degrees for Transfer (AA-T/AS-T) use IGETC for STEM. The IGETC for STEM option allows students to follow the general education pattern but delay one Arts or Humanities, one Social and Behavioral Science course and the LOTE requirement until after transfer. The AA-T/AS-T degree catalog page lists the degrees approved for IGETC for STEM.

**IGETC for STEM requires Completion of one course from area 3A and one course from 3B and completion of one Course from area 4.**

**IGETC EXCEPTIONS:** (<https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/transfer/advising/igetc/>)

IGETC may not be accepted for Engineering majors, for the following: **Berkeley** - College of Environmental Design, Chemistry, Natural Resources, and the Haas School of Business; **Davis** - all bachelor of science majors; **Los Angeles** – School of Applied Science; **Riverside** – College of Natural and Agricultural Sciences; **San Diego** – Eleanor Roosevelt College and Revelle College; **Santa Cruz** – Physical and Biological Sciences.

**IGETC is not recommended for the following:** **Merced** – School of Natural Sciences; **Santa Barbara** - Biological Sciences, Chemistry, Computer Science, Physics, and Geology.

Students are encouraged to make an appointment with a counselor to discuss their educational plan as they relate to this advisory sheet.

For an appointment, call or visit [www.hartnell.edu/students/programs/counseling](http://www.hartnell.edu/students/programs/counseling)

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**IGETC UNITS CERTIFIED**

Area 1 \_\_\_ Area 2 \_\_\_ Area 3 \_\_\_ Area 4 \_\_\_ Area 5 \_\_\_ = Total units \_\_\_

For UC: Area 6 Language Other Than English (LOTE)

Completed Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**IGETC COMPLETED**

**California State University**

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Partial \_\_\_ (minus 2 maximum)

**University of California**

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Partial \_\_\_ (minus 2 maximum)

Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_ Hartnell College Evaluator: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_