

Recommended GE Courses for Future Elementary School Teachers

I. Basic Subjects: (9 units minimum)	Suggested Course Selections
A. Oral Communication	Any
B. Written Communication	ENGL 101
C. Critical Thinking	Any
II. Historical and Cultural Foundations: (12 units minimum)	
A. Development of Civilization:	HIST 110A HIST 110B
B. American Institutions and Values: American History:	HIST 170A, 180, 190 or AMST 201
Government:	POSC 100
III. Disciplinary Learning (27 units minimum)	
A. Mathematics and Natural Sciences (12 units)	
1. Mathematics	MATH 110, 115, 120, or 125
2. Natural Sciences (6 units minimum, including at least one lab course)	
a. Physical Science	CHEM/PHYS 102
b. Earth/Space Science	GEOL 102
c. Life Science	BIOL 102
3. Implications and Explorations :	
Note: For best CSET preparation, students should take one course from 2.a, 2.b and 2.c. The 102 courses are highly recommended for future elementary teachers but any course from the GE list in these sections will contribute significant content knowledge.	
NOTE: at least two courses from 2.a, 2.b, 2.c must be from the 102 series.	
B. Arts and Humanities (9 units)	
1. Introduction to the Arts (3)	ART 100; DANC 101; MUS 100 or 101; THTR 100
2. Introduction to the Humanities: (3)	ENGL 110, 111, 211, 212, 221 or 222
3. Implications and Explorations in the Arts and Humanities (3)	ENGL 341 or THTR 311
C. Social Sciences (6 units)	
1. Introduction to the Social Sciences (3)	GEOG 100
2. Implications and Exploration in the Social Sciences (3)	AMST majors: GEOG 332* or LBST 310* CHAD majors: EDEL 325* LBST majors: AMST 395* Other majors: AMST 395*, LBST 310*
IV. Lifelong Learning (3)	All majors except CHAD or PSYC: CAS 312, 315 or PSYC 361 CHAD majors: KNES 386
V. Cultural Diversity (3-unit course with * from III.B.3, III.C.2 or IV)	EDEL 325* (NOTE: LBST major fulfill requirement through major)

Important Note: You may not use a course for GE that is offered by your major department.

*Satisfies GE.V. Cultural Diversity