

This program roadmap represents one possible pathway to complete the program. **Please see a counselor** to create an education plan that is customized to meet your needs. This roadmap is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability. For counseling appointments call 916.608.6510. **ATTENTION** General Education requirements have changed for the 2025-2026 academic year. Please see [GE guidance page](#) for more information on the different pathways.

Total Units: 60

## First Year

### Semester 1

14 Units

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>GEOG 300</b> <sup>Z</sup> Physical Geography: Exploring Earth's Environmental Systems	3		F, S	
<b>GEOG 301</b> <sup>Z</sup> Physical Geography Laboratory	1		F, S	
<b>ENGL C1000</b> <sup>Z</sup> Academic Reading and Writing <b>or</b>	3		F, S	
<b>ENGL C1000H</b> Academic Reading and Writing - Honors	3		F, S	
<b>Arts</b>	3		F, S	
<b>Lifelong Learning</b>	3		F, S	
<b>Transferable Elective</b>	1		F, S	

<sup>Z</sup> At least one section of this course is offered with free textbooks and is labeled as zero textbook costs (ZTC). If it is a GE area class or elective, there may be several ZTC offerings to fulfill the GE requirement. Use the Free Textbook filter to find these courses. Learn more on the [ZTC page of the college website](#).

### Semester 2

16 Units

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>GEOG 310</b> <sup>Z</sup> Human Geography: Exploring Earth's Cultural Landscapes	3		F, S	
<b>Critical Thinking</b>	3		F, S	
<b>Oral Communication</b>	3		F, S	
<b>STAT C1000</b> <sup>1 Z</sup> Introduction to Statistics	4		F, S	
<b>Life Science</b>	3		F, S	

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## Notes

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- See [General Education requirements](#) for: CSU or UC for the previous 2024-25 academic year.
- See [ASSIST.ORG](#) for the transfer requirements for the institution to which you plan to transfer.
- A transferable elective is defined as any class with a course number between 300 and 499. Electives may vary for the CSU and UC systems.
- U.S. History/American Ideals is a graduation requirement for all CSUs.
- Foreign Language may be required for CSU Sacramento IF student did not complete 3 years in high school. This requirement may vary at different colleges.
- Some English and Math courses have support courses (co-requisites). See your assessment results for more details.

## Zero Textbook Costs (ZTC):

The Zero Textbook Costs designation and logo are added to any course that provides free access to all required instructional materials. These are typically shared with students through Canvas. Courses that are designated as ZTC may still require students to purchase supplemental

Textbook filter to find these courses. Learn more on the [ZTC page of the college website](#).

1. Students may take any CSU Area B4. Please see a counselor for recommendations as math requirements can vary by college.

materials such as lab coats, a calculator, art supplies, etc. See full definitions and searching tips on the [Zero Textbook Costs page](#) of the college website.

## Second Year

### Semester 3

15 Units

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>GEOL 300</b> Physical Geology	3		F, S	
<b>GEOG 331</b> Exploring Maps and Geographic Technologies	3		F, S	
<b>ANTH 310</b> <sup>Z</sup> Cultural Anthropology	3		F, S	
<b>Humanities</b>	3		F, S	
<b>US History/American Ideals</b>	3		F, S	

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### Semester 4

15 Units

COURSE	UNITS	PRE-REQS^	SEMESTERS OFFERED*	GE AREA
<b>GEOG 306</b> Weather and Climate or <b>GEOG 322</b> Geography of California	3		F, S	
<b>US History/American Ideals</b>	3		F, S	
<b>Arts or Humanities</b>	3		F, S	
<b>Ethnic Studies</b>	3		F, S	
<b>Transferable Elective</b>	3		F, S	