

The A-G / College Entrance Requirements are a set of high school courses that students must complete (*with a grade of C or better*) to be minimally eligible for admission to California State Universities (CSU) and Universities of California (UC).

	SUBJECTS	YEARS	REC
A	History/Social Science	2	2
B	English	4	4
C	Mathematics	3	4
D	Laboratory Science	2	3-4
E	Language Other than English	2	3-4
F	Visual & Performing Arts	1	1
G	College Preparatory Elective	1	1

## A-G Requirement Details

### The subject requirement

- **History/social science (“a”)** – *Two years*, including one year of world history, cultures and historical geography and one year of U.S. history, or one-half year of U.S. history and one-half year of American government or civics.
- **English (“b”)** – *Four years* of college preparatory English that includes frequent and regular writing, reading of classic and modern literature, and practice listening and speaking.
- **Mathematics (“c”)** – *Three years* of college-preparatory mathematics that include the topics covered in elementary and advanced algebra and two- and three-dimensional geometry.
- **Laboratory science (“d”)** – *Two years* of laboratory science providing fundamental knowledge in at least two of the three disciplines of biology, chemistry and physics.
- **Language other than English (“e”)** – *Two years* of the same language other than English or equivalent to the second-level of high school instruction.
- **Visual and performing arts (“f”)** – *One year*, including dance, drama/theater, music or visual art.
- **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 for use as “g” electives.