



AREA A— Natural Sciences			
3 semester units required. Select one course.			
* Asterisk indicates laboratory component			
	C	IP	N
Anatomy & Physiology 101*, 102*, 104*; Anthropology 101, 111*, 201; Astronomy 101*, 111+; Biology 100*, 115*, 117, 125*, 128+, 130*, 131*, 134, 140*, 144*, 146, 150*, 151*; Chemistry 100*, 101*, 102*, 107*, 112*, 113*; Environmental Studies 100, 101, 102*, 110*, 590*; Geography 101, 104*, 105*, 106; Geology 100*, 103, 105*, 106*, 109, 110*, 111+; History 128+; Nutrition 101; Physics 100, 101*, 102*, 201*, 202*, 203; Wine 100, 102 AP or other courses:			

AREA B—Social & Behavioral Sciences			
6 semester units required. Select one course from B1 and one course from B2.			
B1.	C	IP	N
History 111, 112; Political Science 101 AP or other courses:			
B2.	C	IP	N
Administration of Justice 101, 102, 111, 112, 117; Anthropology 102, 104, 105, 107, 115, 121+, 125; Biology 128+; Child Development & Education 110, 118, 125, 540; Communication 108, 110, 116, 117, 120; Dance 100+, 133; Economics 201, 202, 203; Education 135, 136; Geography 102, 107, 108, 111; History 101, 102, 103, 104, 106, 107, 108, 109, 111, 112, 115, 117, 120, 121+, 124, 125, 128+, 136+*, 140, 141, 142, 150, 151+, 160, 165+; Legal 100, 524; Nutrition 100; Physical Education 126; Political Science 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 110, 120; Psychology 101, 102, 103, 104, 105+, 107, 108, 112+; Social Justice Studies SJS 101; Sociology 101, 102, 103, 105+, 106, 108, 110, 112+, 115, 125; Theatre Arts 136+*, 155+ AP or other courses:			

AREA C—Humanities			
3 semester units required. Select one course.			
	C	IP	N
American Sign Language 100, 101, 110, 201, 202, 203; Anthropology 145; Art 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 108, 109, 112, 120, 121, 122, 123, 131, 170; Child Development & Education 131+; Communication 113+; Dance 100+, 108+, 125, 133, 201, 225; Education 132+; English 130; French 101, 102, 201, 202; History 102, 107, 108, 117, 118, 136+*, 151+, 154+, 165+; Literature 106, 131+, 132+, 205, 207, 208, 225, 230, 231, 240, 255, 260, 275, 280; Music 100, 101, 103, 106, 107, 108, 109; Philosophy 101, 105, 109, 110; Photography 530; Spanish 101, 101B, 102, 141, 201, 202, 203, 204; Theater Arts 101, 102+, 108+, 110, 111, 113+, 123, 135, 136+, 137+, 150+, 155+ AP or other courses:			

AREA D—Language & Rationality			
6 semester units required. Select one course from D1 and one course from D2.			
D1. English Composition	C	IP	N
English 101 ENGL ⇔ ENGL ⇔ ENGL			
D2. Communication & Analytical Thinking	C	IP	N
Communication 100, 103, 104, 106; Computer Science Information Systems 111B, 114A, 116E, 118B, 124A, 126E, 201; English 103; Philosophy 103, 112 AP or other courses:			

AREA E—Healthful Living & Self Development			
3 semester units required.			
Courses used in AREA E cannot be double counted in other areas			
	C	IP	N
College Success & Career Readiness 100, 502; Dance 108+, 120, 121A, 121B, 122A, 122B, 123A, 123B, 124, 125, 126A, 126B, 127A, 127B, 128A, 128B, 129, 131A, 131B, 135A, 135B, 201, 212, 213, 214; Guidance 116; Health Science 121, 123; Leadership 500, 501; Nutrition 100, 101; Physical Education 110, 112, 112A, 113, 114A, 114B, 114C, 115, 119, 119B, 120, 132, 133, 134, 137, 183, 195; Physical Education Intercollegiate 141A, 141B, 143A, 143B, 145, 146, 147, 148, 150, 150A, 150B; Theater Arts 108+ AP or other courses:			

AREA F—Diversity			
3 semester units required.			
AREA F allows double counting. If a course is used to satisfy another area, and that course is also listed in AREA F, it can be double counted			
	C	IP	N
American Sign Language 110; Anthropology 102, 105, 107, 121+, 125; Art 104; Child Development & Education 118; Communication 108; Dance 100+, 201; Geography 108; History 107, 108, 115, 117, 121+, 140, 141, 142, 150, 151+, 160; Literature 240, 255, 260, 275, 280; Music 108, 109; Political Science 103; Psychology 104; Sociology 115 AP or other courses:			

AREA G—Math Competency			
3 semester units required.			
Math___ ⇔ Math___ ⇔ Math___			
	C	IP	N
Mathematics May be demonstrated by passing Math 094 or 096 or 096B or any higher-level math course with minimum grade of "C" or with an equivalent AP score or equivalent course work			

AREA H—Reading Competency			
Reading - Collegiate-level reading competency may be demonstrated by passing ENGL-101 or ENGL-101H with a "C" grade or better or with an equivalent AP score or equivalent course.			

FOOTNOTES:
 SPECIAL HONOR'S NOTE: MSJC Honors sections of a course may be used in lieu of the regular approved course for this pattern.
 ***Active duty military personnel and U.S. military veterans may satisfy Area E through submission of a military transcript that demonstrates the completion of Basic Training or Recruit Training (DD214, DD295, or other military transcript).
 * Asterisk indicates all science laboratory classes
 + Plus indicates cross-listed classes. Example: DAN 100+ cross-listed as HIST 151+, please refer to catalog.



MT. SAN JACINTO COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
 A.A./A.S. DEGREE - GENERAL EDUCATION GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
 2020 – 2021 Planning Guide OPTION A - Local Non-Transfer



I. TOTAL UNIT REQUIREMENT – 60-degree applicable semester units

- A. General Education Option A = 24 unit minimum
- B. Major or Area of Emphasis (minimum) = 18 units minimum (Refer to catalog program pages for specific major requirements).
 - 1. In a defined major (Refer to 18-unit requirement list in the general catalog)
 - 2. In an interdisciplinary group major (Refer to 18-unit requirement list in the general catalog)
 - a. Science
 - b. Social & Behavioral Sciences
- C. Electives (as needed to total 60-degree applicable units)
- D. For Advanced Placement, CLEP or International Baccalaureate exam information please see charts in the current MSJC General Catalog.

II. GRADE POINT AVERAGE

General Education applicable courses must have a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 ("C") or better.
 All 18 unit Major or Area of Emphasis courses must be at 2.0 ("C") or better.

III. ENGLISH COMPETENCY – Area D1

A grade of "C" or better in English 101, 101H or approved AP exam and score

IV. DIVERSITY – Area F

Please read section "F" on reverse side of this form.

V. MATH COMPETENCY – Area G

A grade of "C" or better in Math 094 or 096 or 096B or higher-level math course, Psychology 121, or approved AP or IB exam and score or equivalent coursework

VI. READING COMPETENCY – Area H

Collegiate-level reading competency may be demonstrated by passing ENGL-101 or ENGL-101H with a "C" grade or better or with an equivalent AP score or equivalent course work.

VII. RESIDENCY UNIT REQUIREMENT for a DEGREE

A student must complete at least 12 units in residence at Mt. San Jacinto College.

NOTE:

- 1. For some defined majors, completion of the certificate course work will also satisfy the major requirements for the AA or AS degree.
- 2. Double counting of units is only acceptable for AREA F.
- 3. Course work may double count for satisfaction of both the general education and major requirements; however, units may be counted only once.
- 4. Honors sections of a course may be used in lieu of the regular approved course.

Comments

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Every effort is made to keep this information current. Please use this form as a guideline and consult with a Mt. San Jacinto College Counselor.