

Saint Mary's College of California

Articulation Agreement

West Valley College

Admissions Information

Transfer students must minimally present records with 23 transferable semester units for admission to Saint Mary's College of California. Successful candidates typically have a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or higher. Students should have 60 or more UC transferable semester units to transfer with junior status. All courses must be passed with a grade of 'C' or higher to be transferable. The maximum number of units transferable from a two-year college is 64 semester units. All courses designated as UC transferable are transferable to Saint Mary's College of California.

Saint Mary's College Core Curriculum

Saint Mary's College Core consists of three major groupings of student learning – Habits of Mind, Pathways to Knowledge, and Engaging the World – each containing four learning goals.

Habits of Mind: Critical Thinking; Shared Inquiry; Written and Oral Communication; and Information Evaluation and Research Practices. These learning goals are met via Saint Mary's College Collegiate Seminar program and English Composition requirement.

Collegiate Seminar (2-3 courses)

We recommend that students take at least one course per year which emphasizes critical thinking, shared inquiry, or written communication, in preparation for Collegiate Seminar.

English Composition (2 courses)

1. ENGL 1A, 1B
2. ENGL 1C, 1CH

Pathways to Knowledge: Artistic Understanding; Social, Historical, Cultural Understanding; Mathematical and Scientific Understanding; Theological Understanding. These learning goals provide students with experience in cross-disciplinary approaches to learning.

Artistic Understanding (2 courses Artistic Analysis, 1 course Creative Practice)

<u>Artistic Analysis:</u> ARCH 46 ART 1A,1AH,1B,1BH,1D,1DH,1J**,4,4H,7**,10*, 12A,12B,13*,14 ENGL 5A,5B,6A,6AH,6B,6BH,7A*,7B*,10,12*, 13*,18*,41,46*,46H*,47,48,48H,49,49H,70#,71,72 HUMAN 1A,1B MUSIC 1,2,5,7,9,10 THEAR 14A,14B,14C,15,40A#,40B#,41A#,41B# WGS 2,4A	<u>Creative Practice:</u> ART 35A,35B,35C,35D,49A,49B,49C,49D,88A, 88B ENGL 70 MUSIC 20-62A THEAR 5A,5B,7A,7B,18A-70
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*Fulfills American Diversity

**Fulfills Global Perspective

#Fulfills Creative Practice

+Cross-listed with multiple disciplines

Social, Historical, Cultural Understanding (2 courses)

ANTHR 2*,3**,3H** COMM 8,12 ECON 1A,1AH,1B,1BH GEOG 2,6 HIST 4A##,4B##,5A*,5B*,12#,14#,16#,17A#, 17B#,17BH#,20#	POLIT 2## PSYCH 1,17 SOC 1#,2^,3 WGS 1##
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**Fulfills Global Perspective and The Common Good

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Mathematical Understanding (1 course)

MATH 3A,8,10*,10H*,12,14 <small>*Math 10* and 10H do not fulfill core requirements for majors in the School of Economics and Business Administration.</small>
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Scientific Understanding (1 course + lab)

ASTRO 10+2,11+2,14+2,20,20H,21,21H BIO 2+2L,10+10L,11,12,18,22,41,42,43,45,47,48 CHEM 1A,2,30A	GEOL 1A,1AH,12 OCEAN 10 PHYS 2A,4A,4B,4C,10
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Theological Foundation (1course)

To be completed at Saint Mary's College

Theological Exploration (1course)

PHIL 3*,22

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Engaging the World: American Diversity; Common Good; Community Engagement and Global Perspective. These learning goals require students to examine and reflect on what it means to be citizens in a local community and as part of the global community.

American Diversity (1 course)

ART 10,13 COUN 50 ENGL 7A,7B,12,13,18,46,46H HIST 12,14,16,17A,17B,17BH,20 SOC 1,2,20

The Common Good (1 course)

ANTHR 3,3H HIST 4A,4B PHIL 3 POLIT 2 SOC 2 WGS 1

Community Engagement (1 course)

To be completed at Saint Mary's College

Global Perspective (1 course)

ANTHR 2,3,3H ART 1J,7 HIST 5A,5B
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Second Language Proficiency:

FRNCH 2A GERM 2A ITAL 2A JPNS 2A SPAN 2A	1. Three years of high school language grade 'B' or higher.
	2. Score of three or higher on an Advanced Placement Language examination.
	3. A passing score on the TOEFL examination for international students.
	4. Completing courses through level in a language at WVC.

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