

Santa Clara University
College of Arts & Sciences

For use by transfer applicants

TRANSFER CREDIT PLANNER CHECK-SHEET

**Admission recommendations*

University Core Requirement

Course Completed or IP (In Progress) or AP/IB test credit

FOUNDATIONS

- Critical Thinking & Writing 1*** _____
- Critical Thinking & Writing 2*** _____
- Cultures & Ideas 1** _____
- Cultures & Ideas 2** _____
- Second Language** _____
- Mathematics*** _____
- Religion Theology & Culture 1** _____

(Students transferring with 30 or more semester units (or 44 or more quarter units) of transfer credit (excluding test credit) will be exempt from completing one RTC Core requirement)

EXPLORATIONS

- Ethics** _____
- Civic Engagement** *Must be completed at Santa Clara University*
- Diversity** _____
- Arts** _____
- Natural Science with Lab*** _____
- Social Science** _____
- Religion, Theology & Culture 2** *Must be completed at Santa Clara University*
- Cultures & Ideas 3** _____
- Science, Technology & Society** *Must be completed at Santa Clara University*
- Religion, Theology & Culture 3** *Must be completed at Santa Clara University*

INTEGRATIONS

- Experiential Learning for Social Justice** *Must be completed at Santa Clara University*
- Advanced Writing** *Must be completed at Santa Clara University*
- Pathways** *Must be completed at Santa Clara University*

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON REQUIREMENTS PER MAJOR, GO TO: <https://www.scu.edu/cas/academics/undergraduate-majors-and-minors/>

TOTAL SEMESTER UNITS _____ x ____ = _____ TOTAL QUARTER UNITS**

****Note:** The maximum number of units allowed to transfer (including AP/IB test credit) is: 87.50 quarter units. The time needed to complete a degree offered in the College of Arts & Sciences will depend on the total number of units accepted and their distribution toward satisfying SCU Core, School/College and major curriculum requirements.

Santa Clara University

Leavey School of Business

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***Admission recommendations**

University Core Requirement Course Completed or IP (In Progress)

FOUNDATIONS

- Critical Thinking & Writing 1*** _____
- Critical Thinking & Writing 2*** _____
- Cultures & Ideas 1** _____
- Cultures & Ideas 2** _____
- Second Language** _____
- Mathematics*** **See Business Core MATHEMATICS requirements**
- Religion Theology & Culture 1** _____

(Students transferring with 30 or more semester units (or 44 or more quarter units) of transfer credit (excluding test credit) will be exempt from completing one RTC Core requirement)

EXPLORATIONS

- **Ethics** *Satisfied within major requirements at SCU*
- **Civic Engagement** **Must be completed at Santa Clara**
- Diversity: U.S. Perspectives** _____
- Arts** _____
- Natural Science W/Lab** _____
- Social Science*** **See Business Core ECONOMICS requirements**
- **Religion, Theology & Culture 2** **Must be completed at Santa Clara**
- **Cultures & Ideas 3** *Satisfied within major requirements at SCU*
- **Science, Technology & Society** **Must be completed at Santa Clara**
- **Religion, Theology & Culture 3** **Must be completed at Santa Clara**

INTEGRATIONS

- **ELSJ** **Must be completed at Santa Clara University**
- **Advanced Writing** **Must be completed at Santa Clara University**
- **Pathways** **Must be completed at Santa Clara University**

LEAVEY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS CORE REQUIREMENTS

(Refer to the Leavey School of Business website for individual major requirements at: <https://www.scu.edu/business/myleavey/undergraduates/advising/>)

Leavey School of Business Requirement Course completed or IP (In Progress)

ACCOUNTING*

- Intro to Financial Accounting*** _____
- Intro to Managerial Accounting*** _____

INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS

- Intro to Business** _____

BUSINESS COMPUTING

- Intro to Computing** _____

BUSINESS LAW

- Business Law** _____

ECONOMICS*

- Microeconomics*** _____
- Macroeconomics*** _____

DATA ANALYSIS

- Statistics** _____

MATHEMATICS* **Starting Fall 2024: Finance and Economics majors require two Calculus courses (Calculus 1 and 2). All other business majors only require Calculus 1.*

- Calculus I*** _____
- Calculus II*** _____

TOTAL SEMESTER UNITS _____ x 1.5 = _____ **** TOTAL**

QUARTER UNITS**

****Note:** *The maximum number of units allowed to transfer (including AP/IB test credit) is: 87.50 quarter units. The time needed to complete a degree offered in the Leavey School of Business will depend on the total number of units accepted and their distribution toward satisfying SCU Core, School and major requirements.*

Santa Clara University

School of Engineering

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TRANSFER CREDIT PLANNER CHECK-SHEET

*Admission recommendations

University Core Requirement Course Completed or IP (In Progress)

FOUNDATIONS

- Critical Thinking & Writing 1*
Critical Thinking & Writing 2*
Cultures & Ideas 1
Cultures & Ideas 2
Mathematics* Satisfied within major requirements at SCU
Religion Theology & Culture 1

(Students transferring with 30 or more semester units (or 44 or more quarter units) of transfer credit (excluding test credit) will be exempt from completing one RTC Core requirement)

EXPLORATIONS

- Ethics
Civic Engagement Must be completed at Santa Clara
Diversity: U.S. Perspectives
Arts Satisfied within major requirements at SCU
Natural Science w/Lab* Satisfied within major requirements at SCU
Social Science
Religion, Theology & Culture 2 Must be completed at Santa Clara
Cultures & Ideas 3
Science, Technology & Society Must be completed at Santa Clara
Religion, Theology & Culture 3 Must be completed at Santa Clara

INTEGRATIONS

- ELSJ Must be completed at Santa Clara University
Advanced Writing Must be completed at Santa Clara University
Pathways Must be completed at Santa Clara University

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING REQUIREMENTS

(Refer to the School of Engineering website for individual major requirements at: https://www.scu.edu/engineering/undergraduate/degree-programs/)

Engineering School Requirement Course completed or IP (In Progress)

MATHEMATICS*

- Calculus and Analytic Geometry I*
Calculus and Analytic Geometry II*
Calculus and Analytic Geom III/IV
Differential Equations

NATURAL SCIENCE*

- General Chemistry*
Physics w/ Calculus *
Physics w/ Calculus *
Physics w/ Calculus *

ADDITIONAL ENGINEERING MAJOR Requirements

- Bioengineering
Civil, Environmental and Sustainable Engineering
Computer Science and Engineering
Electrical & Computer Engineering
Electrical Engineering
General Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Web Design and Engineering

TOTAL SEMESTER UNITS _____ x 1.5 = _____ TOTAL QUARTER UNITS**

**Note: Refer to the chart listing the maximum number of units allowed to transfer (including AP/IB test credit) per major located on the SCU Undergraduate Admission webpage at: http://www.scu.edu/ugrad/transfer/

Santa Clara University

Undergraduate

Merritt College Transfer Guide

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Use the **TRANSFER CREDIT PLANNER** to map out your transfer credit.

Thank you for your interest in Santa Clara University! This guide has been designed to help make the course-planning process easier for students who wish to transfer to Santa Clara University.

College of Arts & Sciences Admission Recommendations for Transfer Students:

Bachelor of Arts majors: Art History, Studio Art, Classics (Ancient Studies, Classical Languages and Literature), Communication, English, History, Modern Languages (French, German, Italian, Spanish), Philosophy, Religious Studies, Performing Arts (Music, Theatre, Dance), Women's and Gender Studies

- Two English composition courses (*aka: Critical Thinking & Writing 1 & 2*)
- One college-level mathematics course
- One natural science course with a lab
- GPA 3.3

Bachelor of Science majors: **Anthropology**, Biology, Biochemistry, Chemistry, **Child Studies**, Economics, Engineering Physics, **Environmental Science**, **Environmental Studies**, **Ethnic Studies**, Mathematics, Computer Science, Neuroscience, Physics, Political Science, Psychology, Public Health Science, and **Sociology**

- Two English composition courses (*aka: Critical Thinking & Writing 1 & 2*)
- Two college-level mathematics courses
 - **Exception:** the following B.S. majors require one mathematics course:
 - *Anthropology, Child Studies, Environmental Studies, Ethnic Studies, and Sociology: Statistics course suggested*
 - *Environmental Science: one Calculus course suggested*
- One natural science course with a lab
- GPA 3.3

Leavey School of Business Admission Recommendations for Transfer Students:

Bachelor of Science in Commerce majors: Accounting, Accounting and Information Systems, Economics, Finance, Management, Marketing, Management Information Systems

Courses strongly recommended for admission:

- Two English composition courses (*aka: Critical Thinking & Writing 1 and 2*)
- Mathematics: MATH 16A and MATH 16B **OR** MATH 3A and 3B
 - *Starting Fall 2024: Finance and Economics majors require two Calculus courses (Calculus 1 and 2). All other business majors only require Calculus 1.*
- Economics: ECON 1 and ECON 2
- Accounting: BUS 1A and BUS 1B

- GPA 3.5

School of Engineering Admission Recommendations for Transfer Students:

Bachelor of Science majors: Bioengineering, Civil, Environmental and Sustainable Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Electrical Engineering, General Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, and Web Design & Engineering

Courses strongly recommended for admission:

- Two English composition courses (*aka: Critical Thinking & Writing 1 & 2*)
- Mathematics: MATH 3A and 3B
- One natural science course with a lab: CHEM 1A
- Two Calculus-based Physics courses: PHYS 4A and 4B
 - *Web Design Engineering majors are not required to complete CHEM 1A, PHYS 4A and 4B. Complete one course in the Natural Science list.*

- GPA 3.5

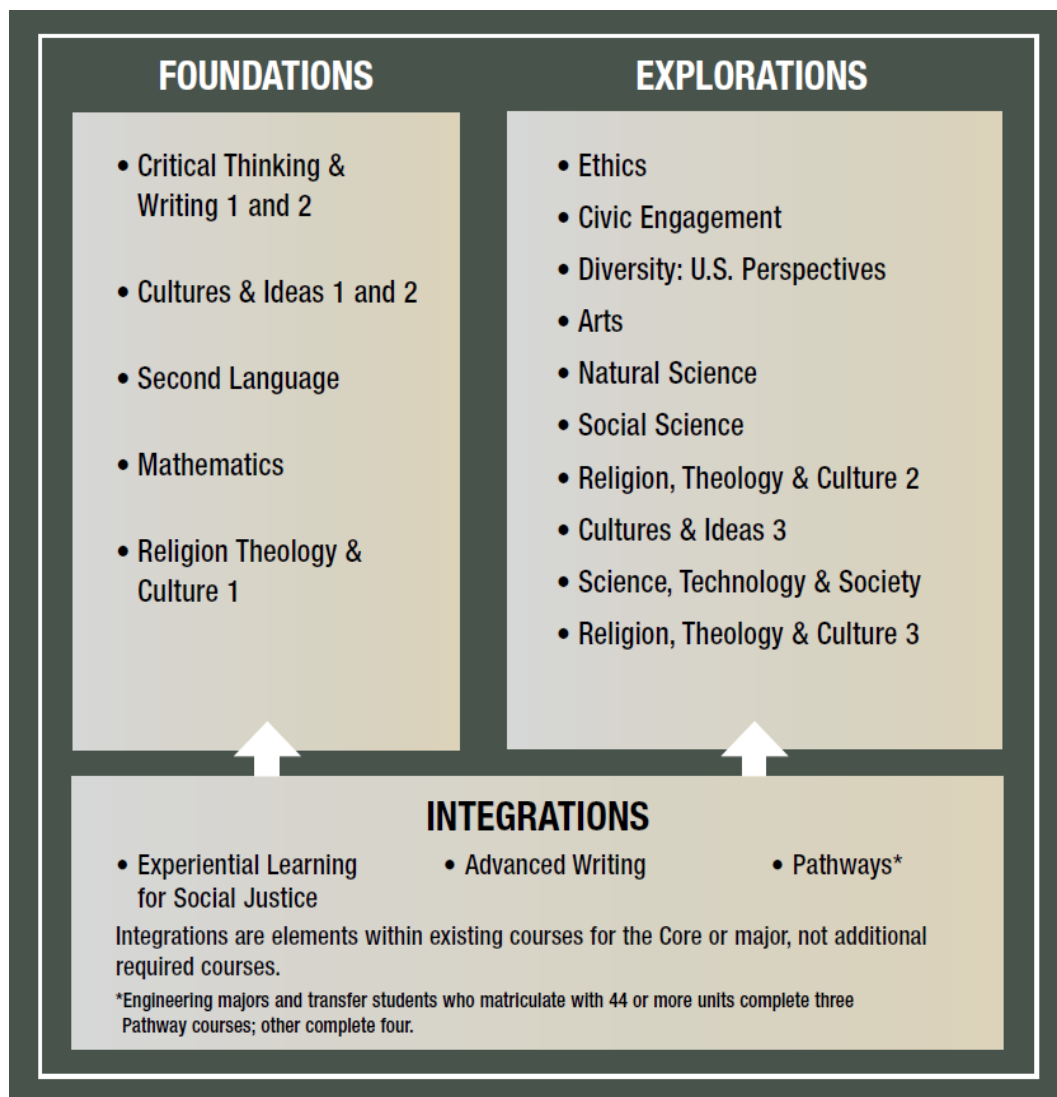
For additional SCU Transfer Admissions information:

<https://www.scu.edu/admission/undergraduate/transfer-students/>

The following information is provided to help transfer students understand and complete additional Santa Clara University Core Curriculum (General Education) requirements.

STRUCTURE OF SANTA CLARA UNIVERSITY GENERAL CORE

Below is a visual representation of Santa Clara University Core Curriculum Requirements. Some Core requirements must be met at SCU: Civic Engagement, Religion, Theology & Culture 2, Science, Technology & Society, Religion, Theology & Culture 3, Experiential Learning for Social Justice, Advanced Writing, and Pathways. Moreover, no courses listed in this guide can fulfill more than one Core requirement.



To learn more about Santa Clara University's Core Curriculum learning goals and objectives, [click here](#).

Note: Current high school students applying as First-Year students may not transfer courses to fulfill Core Critical Thinking & Writing 1 and 2 or Cultures & Ideas 1 and 2, Religion Theology and Culture 1 in addition to the Core requirements listed above that must be met at SCU.

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF TRANSFER UNITS ACCEPTED:

- Santa Clara University is on a quarter system
 - 1 semester unit is equivalent to 1.5 quarter units
- It is recommended to transfer with 30 or more semester units (44 or more quarter units) of transfer credit (not including AP/IB test credit).
- Students are allowed to transfer in a maximum of one-half of the total quarter units required to graduate in their specific program. The maximum number includes credit transferred from another institution and Advanced Placement and High-Level International Baccalaureate and University of Cambridge A-Level test credits.

Academic Division	Minimum number of units required for graduation	Maximum transferrable Quarter units	Maximum transferrable Semester unit equivalency
College of Arts and Sciences	175	87.5	58.33
College of Arts and Sciences: <i>Engineering Physics</i>	193	96.5	64.33
Leavey School of Business	175	87.5	58.33
School of Engineering:			
<i>Bioengineering</i>	191	95.5	63.66
<i>Civil, Environmental and Sustainable Engineering</i>	195	97.5	65
<i>Computer Science & Engineering and General Engineering</i>	189	94.5	63
<i>Electrical Engineering and Electrical & Computer Engineering</i>	190	95	63.33
<i>Mechanical Engineering</i>	192	96	64
<i>Web Design and Engineering</i>	175	87.5	58.33

TRANSFER CREDIT ACCEPTED:

SCU does not give transfer credit for P/NP, CR, or courses with a grade of C- or lower. Grades are not transferable to SCU, only units.

The following courses are not transferrable: most first-year seminars, internships, professional development courses, independent study courses, workshops, most physical education courses, remedial English and remedial mathematics courses.

Santa Clara University only accepts University of California transferable courses. In addition, SCU does not allow the following Merritt College UC transferrable courses to transfer for credit: most Kinesiology, Landscape Horticulture courses. To view all Merritt College's UC transferable courses, visit www.assist.org. **UC transferrable courses not listed in this guide and not listed above as excluded will be accepted as elective units. After acceptance, students may petition a course that received elective credit to be evaluated, and if approved, fulfill a Core and/or major requirement.** Transfer credit evaluations for individual students are completed after admission to SCU. However, the following information will help students evaluate their own course work.

FOUNDATIONS Core requirements

Critical Thinking & Writing 1 and 2 Core Requirement:

To fulfill the Critical Thinking & Writing (CTW) 1 and 2 Santa Clara University Core requirements, a student must complete one course from the Critical Thinking & Writing 1 course list, and one course from the Critical Thinking & Writing 2 course list below. If both requirements are not satisfied prior to enrollment at SCU, students who have completed fewer than 30 semester units (or 44 quarter units) of transfer credit (not including test credit) will be required to take the 2-quarter course sequence at SCU. Students who transfer with 30 or more semester units (or 44 or more quarter units) of transfer credit (not including test credit) and have fulfilled the CTW 1 but not the CTW 2 requirement will be required to complete an additional course at SCU to satisfy the CTW 2 requirement.

CRITICAL THINKING & WRITING 1: Complete one course from list below.

Admission recommendation: Complete Critical Thinking and Writing 1 Core requirement.

Exceptions for taking a course listed below to satisfy CTW 1: Students placed into the 2nd college level English, or who scored a 4 or 5 on the AP English Language exam, may substitute the course placement or the test credit for CTW 1. Students are responsible for submitting the appropriate official AP CollegeBoard Report at the time of acceptance to receive such credit.

Merritt College Course
ENGL 1A: Composition and Reading
ENGL 1AS Composition and Reading with Support

CRITICAL THINKING & WRITING 2: Complete one course from list below.

Admission recommendation: Complete Critical Thinking and Writing 2 Core requirement.

Merritt College Course
ENGL 1B: Composition and Reading
ENGL 5: Critical Thinking in Reading and Writing

CULTURES & IDEAS 1 and 2 Core Requirements:

To fulfill the Santa Clara University Cultures & Ideas 1 and 2 Core Curriculum requirements, a student must complete one course from the Cultures and Ideas 1 list, and one course from the Cultures and Ideas 2 course list. If both requirements are not satisfied prior to enrollment at SCU, students who have completed fewer than 30 semester units (or fewer than 44 quarter units) of transfer credit will be required to take the 2-quarter course sequence at SCU. Students who transfer with 30 or more semester units (or 44 or more quarter units) and fulfilled the Cultures & Ideas 1 but not the Cultures & Ideas 2 requirement, will be required to take one course instead of the 2-course sequence at SCU. **Although it is not listed as an admission recommendation, it is advised to fulfill the Cultures and Ideas 1 and 2 course sequence prior to enrollment at SCU.**

CULTURES & IDEAS 1: Complete one course from list below.

Transfer courses cannot fulfill more than one Santa Clara University Core requirement. If you already took a course listed below to satisfy a different requirement, you will want to choose a different course to complete.

Merritt College Course
ADJUS 21: Introduction to Administration of Justice
ART 1: Introduction to Art History
ART 3: History of Western Art: Renaissance to Contemporary Art
ART 4: History of Modern Art (1800-Present)
ART 15: California Art History, 1850-2000
HIST 2A History of Europe to 1500
HIST 2B History of Europe Since 1500
HIST 7A: History of the United States to 1877
HIST 7B: History of the United States since 1865
MUSIC 10 Music Appreciation
MUSIC 15A: Jazz, Blues and Popular Music in the American Culture
MUSIC 15B Jazz, Blues, and Popular Music in the American Culture
MUSIC 19: Music of America's Musical Theater
MUSIC 24 Jazz History
POSCI 1: Government and Politics in the United States
POSCI 5: American Politics and Minority Groups

CULTURES & IDEAS 2: Complete one course from list below.

Transfer courses cannot fulfill more than one Santa Clara Core requirement. If you already took a course listed below to satisfy a different requirement, you will want to choose a different course to complete.

Merritt College Course
AFRAM 3 Ghana: Pan-African Thought and the Struggle for Africa's Liberation
AFRAM 4 The Black Panther Party: Strategies on Organizing the People
AFRAM 18: African Heritage of Latin America
AFRAM 25: Classical African Civilizations
AFRAM 27 Afro-Caribbean History, Politics and Culture
AFRAM 30: African-American History- Africa to 1865
ANTHR 3: Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology
ANTHR 4: Ancient Civilizations- Aztec, Inca, Maya
ANTHR 7: Magic, Religion and Witchcraft
ART 12: World Art- Visual and Historical Analysis
ASAME 1: Art and Culture of Asia
COMM 6: Intercultural Communication
GEOG 2: Cultural Geography
M/LAT 28: Survey of Third World through Films
M/LAT 30A: Survey of Latin-American Films
M/LAT 30B: Survey of Latin-American Films
MUSIC 9: Introduction to World Music
MUSIC 10 Music Appreciation
POSCI 2: Comparative Government
POSCI 3: International Relations

SECOND LANGUAGE:

College of Arts & Sciences: A student must successfully complete the second semester course (or third quarter course) of a first-year college level Foreign Language.

Leavey School of Business: A student must successfully complete the second semester course (or second quarter course) of a first-year college level Foreign Language.

School of Engineering: Students are not required to fulfill the second language requirement. However, if a student is admitted in the School of Engineering and decides to change schools after enrollment, the student will be required to fulfill the second language requirement at SCU.

1. Students may take a language not offered at SCU (i.e. American Sign Language) to fulfill this requirement as long as they successfully complete the requirement prior to enrollment at Santa Clara University.
2. If a student received a 4 or 5 on an AP Language exam that is accepted at SCU, or a 6 or 7 on a Higher Level IB Foreign Language exam, the Second Language requirement will be satisfied. Refer to the AP/IB Chart located in the current SCU Undergraduate Bulletin under Chapter 8: Academic Credit Evaluation at <https://www.scu.edu/bulletin/undergraduate-bulletin/> for course equivalencies. Students are responsible for submitting the appropriate official AP CollegeBoard or IB Report at the time of acceptance to receive such credit, or

3. Once admitted to SCU, a student can satisfy this requirement by demonstrating an equivalent level of proficiency through an intensive examination arranged through the Modern Languages department at SCU. Access detailed proficiency exam information at: <https://www.scu.edu/modernlanguages/student-resources/placement--proficiency-testing/>

When a Merritt College course does not have a direct SCU course equivalent, but fulfills the Core second language requirement, a transfer credit (TRCR) code of TRCR 33 is assigned.

Merritt College Course	SCU Course equivalency
SPAN 1A: Elementary Spanish	SPAN 1
SPAN 1B: Elementary Spanish	SPAN 3 (satisfies Core 2 nd Lang)

MATHEMATICS:

College of Arts & Sciences admission recommendation: For B.A. majors: one college-level mathematics course; for B.S. majors: two college-level mathematics courses. A score of 3, 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement Calculus BC or a score of 4 or 5 on the Calculus AB exams will satisfy the Mathematics Core and some major requirements.

Leavey School of Business admission recommendations: complete MATH 16A and 16B OR MATH 3A and 3B. *Starting Fall 2024: Finance and Economics majors require two Calculus courses (Calculus 1 and 2). All other business majors only require Calculus 1. A score of 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement Calculus BC exam will satisfy the Core and Leavey School of Business mathematics requirements.

School of Engineering admission recommendation: Complete MATH 3A and MATH 3B. Engineering majors at SCU require the completion of more than one math course (see table at the end of this document for additional courses to complete per major). A score of 4 or 5 on the Advanced Placement Calculus BC exams will satisfy the mathematics Admission recommendations.

Consult the Santa Clara University Undergraduate Bulletin for additional requirements for a major. The bulletin can be found at: <https://www.scu.edu/academics/course-catalogs/undergraduate-bulletin/>

Merritt College Course	SCU course equivalency
MATH 3A: Calculus I	MATH 11
MATH 3B: Calculus II	MATH 12
MATH 13: Introduction to Statistics	MATH 8 (or OMIS 40 for Business majors)
MATH 15 Mathematics for Liberal Arts Students	MATH 4 (<i>B.A. majors only</i>)
MATH 16A: Calculus for Business and Life/Social Sciences	MATH 30 (<i>Recommended for Business majors</i>)
MATH 16B: Calculus for Business and Life/Social Sciences	MATH 31 (<i>Recommended for Business majors</i>)

Note: SCU does not accept remedial mathematics courses. Although a pre-Calculus course is transferrable, it will not fulfill any general core, major or minor requirements.

RELIGION, THEOLOGY & CULTURE 1: *Only needed if transferring with less than 30 semester units (44 quarter units) of transfer credit (not including test credit). Students transferring with more than 30 semester units (44 quarter units) of transfer credit (not including test credit) will be exempt from this requirement.*

Students transferring with less than 30 semester units (44 quarter units) of transfer credit (not including test credit) may complete one course from the list below to satisfy the RTC 1 Core requirement.

Transfer courses cannot fulfill more than one Santa Clara Core requirement. If you already took a course listed below to satisfy a different requirement, you will want to choose a different course to complete.

Merritt College Course
<i>No approved Merritt College course equivalencies at time of publication</i>

Note: The transferring with more than 30 semester units (or more than 44 quarter units) of transfer credit (not including test credit) for the RTC 1 exemption rule does not apply to freshmen applicants.

EXPLORATIONS Core requirements

ETHICS:

College of Arts & Sciences: Complete one course from list below.

Leavey School of Business: Students will fulfill the Ethics requirement with a major course taken SCU.

School of Engineering: Complete one course from list below.

Merritt College Course
<i>No approved Merritt College course equivalencies at time of publication</i>

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT: Must be completed at Santa Clara University.

DIVERSITY: US Perspectives: Complete one course from list below.

Transfer courses cannot fulfill more than one Santa Clara Core requirement. If you already took a course listed below to satisfy a different requirement, you will want to choose a different course to complete.

Merritt College Course
AFRAM 2: Black Economics
AFRAM 3 Ghana: Pan-African Thought and the Struggle for Africa's Liberation
AFRAM 4 The Black Panther Party: Strategies on Organizing the People

AFRAM 5 The African-American Family in the United States
AFRAM 8: African-American Politics
AFRAM 10: Sociology of African-Americans
AFRAM 11: Perceptions of the African-American Male in America
AFRAM 12: Psychology of African-Americans
AFRAM 13 Ethnic Perceptions in the Mass Media
AFRAM 14A Social Psychology of African-American Male/Female Relationships
AFRAM 14B Social Psychology of African-American Male/Female Relationships
AFRAM 16 The Prison Industrial Complex: African-American Incarceration
AFRAM 18 African Heritage of Latin America
AFRAM 19 Racism in the United States
AFRAM 23: Perceptions of African-American Women
AFRAM 25 Classical African Civilizations
AFRAM 27 Afro-Caribbean History, Politics and Culture
AFRAM 30 African-American History: Africa to 1865
AFRAM 31: African-American History: 1865 to 1945
AFRAM 32: African-American History: 1945 to Present
AFRAM 33: The Roots of African-American Culture
AFRAM 35 Women of Color
AFRAM 38: Environmental Racism and Justice
AFRAM 39: Black World Films
AFRAM 41: African-American Writers (Fiction)
AFRAM 42: African-American Writers (Nonfiction)
AFRAM 43: African-American Writers (Poetry)
AFRAM 45: Religion and the African-American Church in America
AFRAM 52 Hip Hop: A Culture Beyond Beats and Rhymes
ANTHR 5: American Indian History and Culture
ART 7: History of African-American Art (Past to Present)
ASAME 1 Art and Culture of Asia
ASAME 19 Racism in the United States
ASAME 30: Asians and Asian-Americans through Films
ASAME 32 Asian American Psychology
ASAME 45A: Asian-American History to 1945
ASAME 45B: Asian-American History from 1945 to Present
COMM 6 Intercultural Communication
COSER 29: Working with Diverse Populations
ENVMT 12: Environmental Racism and Justice
HIST 7A History of the United States to 1877
HIST 7B History of the United States since 1865
M/LAT 6 Racism in the United States
M/LAT 12 United States Relations with Mexico and Latin America
M/LAT 17B Race, Class, Gender, Sexuality, Migration and Hip Hop
M/LAT 19 History of the Mexican-American
M/LAT 23 Introduction to Psychology of the Mexican-American
M/LAT 28 Survey of Third World through Films
M/LAT 30A Survey of Latin-American Films
M/LAT 30B Survey of Latin-American Films
M/LAT 32 African Heritage of Latin America
MUSIC 11: African-American Music
NATAM 19 Racism in the United States

POSCI 5: American Politics and Minority Groups
SOC 2: Social Problems
SOC 5: Minority Groups

ARTS:

College of Arts & Sciences: Complete one course or several courses from the list below.

Leavey School of Business: Complete one course or several courses from the list below.

School of Engineering: School of Engineering students will automatically fulfill the Arts by taking required courses within their major at SCU. However, if a student is admitted in the School of Engineering and decides to change schools after enrollment, the student will be required to fulfill the ARTS requirement by taking a course(s) at SCU.

To fulfill the Arts requirement at Santa Clara University, a total of 2.666 semester units (equivalent to 4.00 quarter units) of transfer credit must be completed. It may be satisfied with a combination of courses totaling 2.666 semester (or 4.00 quarter) units.

Merritt College Course
ART 20: Beginning Drawing and Composition
ART 21: Continuing Drawing and Composition
ART 22: Intermediate Drawing and Composition
ART 23: Advanced Drawing and Composition
ART 25: Fundamentals of Figure Drawing and Composition
ART 26: Continuing Figure Drawing and Composition
ART 27: Intermediate Figure Drawing and Composition
ART 28: Advanced Figure Drawing and Composition
ART 35: Beginning Portraiture
ART 36: Continuing Portraiture
ART 40: Color Dynamics: The Interaction of Color
ART 46: 2-D Visual Design
ART 47: 3-D Visual Design
ART 50: Beginning Painting
ART 51: Continuing Painting
ART 52: Intermediate Painting
ART 60: Beginning Painting- Watercolor
ART 61: Continuing Painting- Watercolor
ART 62: Intermediate Painting- Watercolor
ART 63: Advanced Painting- Watercolor
ART 80: Beginning Ceramics
ART 81: Continuing Ceramics
ART 82: Intermediate Ceramics
ART 83: Advanced Ceramics
ART 88 Special Projects: Ceramic Sculpture
ART 137: Beginning Figure Drawing and Composition
ART 166: Beginning Botanical Drawing
ART 167: Continuing Botanical Drawing

ART 168: Advanced Botanical Drawing
ART 169 Special Projects: Botanical Drawing
ART 187: Beginning Ceramic Sculpture
ART 188: Intermediate Ceramic Sculpture
ART 189: Advanced Ceramic Sculpture
ENGL 10A: Creative Writing
ENGL 10B Creative Writing
LANHT 18A: Landscape Design
LANHT 18B: Landscape Design
LANHT 18LA: Landscape Design Lab
LANHT 18LB: Landscape Design Lab
LANHT 29: Planting Design with Lab (Day)
LANHT 29E: Planting Design (Evening)
LANHT 64: Sketching the Cultural Landscape
MUSIC 30: College Orchestra
MUSIC 100 Music Fundamentals and Culture
MUSIC 130: Elementary Piano Method I
MUSIC 131: Elementary Piano Method II
MUSIC 132: Elementary Piano Method III
MUSIC 133: Elementary Piano Method IV
MUSIC 134: Intermediate Piano Literature I
MUSIC 135: Intermediate Piano Literature II
MUSIC 136: Intermediate Piano Literature III
MUSIC 137: Intermediate Piano Literature IV

NATURAL SCIENCE (WITH A LAB) Core Requirement:

College of Arts & Sciences admission recommendation: Complete one Natural Science course with Lab. For Biology, Biochemistry, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Neuroscience, Physics, and Public Health Science majors, it is recommended to complete the General Chemistry and Introductory Biology course requirements prior to enrollment for these majors.

Leavey School of Business admission recommendation: Complete one Natural Science course with Lab.

School of Engineering admission recommendation: Complete CHEM 1A; PHYS 4A & 4B. Note: Web Design & Engineering major completes one course to satisfy Natural Science core requirement. It is recommended to complete CHEM 1A. Engineering majors at SCU require the completion of more than one science course (see table at the end of this document for additional courses to complete per major).

To satisfy the Natural Science requirement, the course must have a lab component.

Consult the Santa Clara University Undergraduate Bulletin or the department website of the major for specific natural science course requirements. The bulletin can be found at: <https://www.scu.edu/academics/course-catalogs/undergraduate-bulletin/> or link to the specific department website at: <https://www.scu.edu/cas/academics/undergraduate-majors-and-minors/>

When a Merritt College course does not have a direct SCU course equivalent, but fulfills the Natural Science Core requirement, a transfer credit (TRCR) code of TRCR 18 is assigned.

Merritt College Course	SCU course equivalency
ANTHR 1&1L: Introduction to Physical Anthropology w/Lab	ANTH 1
BIOL 1A: General Biology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 1B: General Biology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 2: Human Anatomy w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 3: Microbiology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 4: Human Physiology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 9: Marine Biology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 10: Introduction to Biology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 20A: Human Anatomy and Physiology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 20B: Human Anatomy and Physiology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 24: Basic Human Anatomy and Physiology w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 29: Introduction to Biodiversity w/Lab	TRCR 18
BIOL 36: Human Genetics w/Lab	TRCR 18
CHEM 1A: General Chemistry w/Lab	CHEM 11
CHEM 1B: General Chemistry w/Lab	CHEM 12&50
CHEM 12A: Organic Chemistry w/Lab	CHEM 31
CHEM 12B: Organic Chemistry w/Lab	CHEM 33 (If CHEM 12A & 12B completed, equates to SCU's CHEM 31, 32 & 33 sequence)
CHEM 30A: Introduction General Chemistry w/Lab	TRCR 18
CHEM 30B: Introduction Organic and Biochemistry w/Lab	TRCR 18
ENVMT 2: Introduction to Sustainable Environmental Systems w/Lab	TRCR 18
ENVMT 3: Social Issues in Agriculture w/Lab	TRCR 18
GEOG 1&1L: Physical Geography w/Lab	TRCR 18
GEOL 1: Introduction to Physical Geology w/Lab	TRCR 18
LANHT 15: Botany w/Lab	TRCR 18
PHYS 2A: General Physics w/Lab	TRCR 18
PHYS 2B: General Physics w/Lab	TRCR 18
PHYS 4A: General Physics with Calculus w/Lab	PHYS 31
PHYS 4B: General Physics with Calculus w/Lab	PHYS 33
PHYS 4C: General Physics with Calculus w/Lab	TRCR 18

SOCIAL SCIENCE:

College of Arts & Sciences: Complete one course from list below.

Leavey School of Business: Complete both ECON 1 and 2 courses.

School of Engineering: Complete one course from list below.

Transfer courses cannot fulfill more than one Santa Clara Core requirement. If you already took a course listed below to satisfy a different requirement, you will want to choose a different course to complete.

Merritt College Course
ANTHR 2: Introduction to Archaeology and Prehistory
ANTHR 3 Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology
ECON 1 Principles of Economics (Macro-economics) <i>(required for Business majors)</i>
ECON 2 Principles of Economics (Micro-economics) <i>(required for Business majors)</i>
PSYCH 1A: Introduction to General Psychology
PSYCH 6: Social Psychology
SOC 1: Introduction to Sociology

RELIGION, THEOLOGY & CULTURE 2: Must be completed at Santa Clara University.

CULTURES & IDEAS 3:

College of Arts & Sciences: Complete one course from list below.

Leavey School of Business: Students will fulfill the Cultures and Ideas 3 requirement at with a major course taken SCU.

School of Engineering: Complete one course from list below.

Transfer courses cannot fulfill more than one Santa Clara Core requirement. If you already took a course listed below to satisfy a different requirement, you will want to choose a different course to complete.

Merritt College Course
AFRAM 3 Ghana: Pan-African Thought and the Struggle for Africa's Liberation
AFRAM 4 The Black Panther Party: Strategies on Organizing the People
AFRAM 18: African Heritage of Latin America
AFRAM 25: Classical African Civilizations
AFRAM 27 Afro-Caribbean History, Politics and Culture
AFRAM 30: African-American History- Africa to 1865
ANTHR 3: Introduction to Social and Cultural Anthropology
ANTHR 7: Magic, Religion and Witchcraft
ART 12: World Art- Visual and Historical Analysis
ASAME 1: Art and Culture of Asia
GEOG 2: Cultural Geography

M/LAT 28: Survey of Third World through Films
M/LAT 30A: Survey of Latin-American Films
M/LAT 30B: Survey of Latin-American Films
MUSIC 9: Introduction to World Music
MUSIC 10 Music Appreciation
POSCI 2: Comparative Government
POSCI 3: International Relations

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & SOCIETY: Must be completed at Santa Clara University.

RELIGION, THEOLOGY & CULTURE 3: Must be completed at Santa Clara University.

INTEGRATIONS Core requirements

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE: Must be completed at Santa Clara University.

ADVANCED WRITING: Must be completed at Santa Clara University.

PATHWAYS: Must be completed at Santa Clara University.

Transfer students who matriculate with fewer than 44 quarter units (or fewer than 30 semester units) must take 4 courses to fulfill the pathways requirement. However, students transferring in with more than 44 quarter units (or with 30 semester units or more-not including test credit) will complete 3 courses to fulfill the Core Pathways requirement.

LEAVEY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS

The following courses allow students to complete additional Leavey School of Business requirements.

ACCOUNTING

Admission recommendations: complete both BUS 1A & BUS 1B courses

Merritt College Course	SCU Course equivalency
BUS 1A: Financial Accounting	ACTG 11
BUS 1B: Managerial Accounting	ACTG 12

INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS

Merritt College Course	SCU Course equivalency
BUS 10 Introduction to Business	BUSN 70

INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Merritt College Course	SCU Course equivalency
CIS 1 Introduction to Computer Information Systems	OMIS 34

BUSINESS LAW

Merritt College Course	SCU Course equivalency
BUS 2 Introduction to Business Law	BUSN 85

ECONOMICS

Admission recommendations: complete both ECON 1 and ECON 2 courses

The following courses satisfy the Core Social Science requirement as well as Leavey School of Business requirements.

Merritt College Course	SCU course equivalency
ECON 1 Principles of Economics (Macro-economics)	ECON 2
ECON 2 Principles of Economics (Micro-economics)	ECON 1

DATA ANALYSIS

Merritt College Course	SCU course equivalency
MATH 13 Introduction to Statistics	OMIS 40 or MATH 8

MATHEMATICS

Admission recommendations: complete both MATH 16A and 16B or MATH 3A and 3B courses.

**Starting Fall 2024: Finance and Economics majors require two Calculus courses (Calculus 1 and 2). All other business majors only require Calculus 1.*

Merritt College Course	SCU course equivalency
MATH 3A Calculus I	MATH 11
MATH 3B Calculus II	MATH 12
MATH 16A: Calculus for Business and Life/Social Sciences	MATH 30
MATH 16B: Calculus for Business and Life/Social Sciences	MATH 31

Note: A score of 4 or 5 on the AP CALCULUS BC exam will equate to SCU's MATH 11 & 12.

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING REQUIREMENTS PER MAJOR

The following courses allow students to complete additional School of Engineering requirements.

SCU COURSE	COURSE	BIOE	CENG	CSEN	ECEN	ELEN	ENGR	MECH	WDE
CHEM 11	CHEM 1A	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	***
CHEM 12	CHEM 1B	X							
CHEM 31	CHEM 12A	X							
CHEM 31,32,33	CHEM 12A & 12B	X*							
CHEM 33	CHEM 12B	X*							
CENG 7&7L	-		X						
CENG 10&10L	-		X						
CENG 20&20L	GEOL 1		X						
CENG 41	-		X				X	X	
CSEN 10&10L	-			X	X	X	X		X
CSEN 11&11L	-			X	X	X			X
CSEN 12&12L	-			X	X	X			X
CSEN 20&20L	-			X					
ECEN/CSEN 21&21L	-			X	X	X	X		
ECEN 50&50L	-	X		X	X	X	X	X	
MATH 11	MATH 3A	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
MATH 12	MATH 3B	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
MATH 13	MATH 3C	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
MATH 14	MATH 3C	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
MATH 22 or AMTH 106	MATH 3F	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
MATH 51 or CSEN 19	-			X	X	X**			
MATH 53	MATH 3E			X	X				
MECH 10L	-	X*					X	X	
MECH 11	-						X	X	
MECH 15&15L	-						X	X	
MECH 45&45L	-							X	
PHYS 31	PHYS 4A	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
PHYS 32	-	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
PHYS 33	PHYS 4B	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	

PHYS 34	-					X**			
<p>*BIOE: CHEM 32 for Biomolecular and Premed Tracks, CHEM 33 for Premed Track, MECH 10L for Medical Device Track **ELEN: PHYS 34 OR MATH 51 ***For WDE, not required but recommended A "-" indicates that an equivalent course has not been approved at time of publication.</p>									
Abbreviations and Links:									
BIOE = Bioengineering									
CENG = Civil, Environmental and Sustainable Engineering									
CSEN = Computer Science and Engineering									
ECEN = Electrical and Computer Engineering									
ELEN = Electrical Engineering									
ENGR = General Engineering									
MECH = Mechanical Engineering									
WDE = Web Design and Engineering									

Additional notes:

- Consult the current Undergraduate Bulletin for Advanced Placement and High-Level International Baccalaureate test credit equivalencies under Chapter 8: Academic Credit Evaluation at <https://www.scu.edu/bulletin/undergraduate-bulletin/>.
- Consult the Santa Clara University Undergraduate Bulletin for additional requirements in a major. The Bulletin can be found at: <https://www.scu.edu/academics/course-catalogs/undergraduate-bulletin/>
- Once students are admitted to Santa Clara University, they must abide by the policies, regulations and other requirements outlined in the Undergraduate Bulletin for their cohort year.
- **Per SCU policy, transfer credit earned after enrollment cannot satisfy University Core, major or minor requirements.** Refer to the SCU Undergraduate Bulletin for additional transfer credit restrictions.
- This guide is to be used by transfer applicants, not First-Year (aka: freshmen) applicants. Admitted First-Year students must complete the following Core requirements at SCU: Critical Thinking & Writing 1 and 2; Cultures & Ideas 1 and 2; Religion Theology & Culture 1, 2 and 3 (taken in sequence order at SCU); Civic Engagement; Science, Technology & Society; Experiential Learning for Social Justice; Advanced Writing; and four Pathway courses.

For questions regarding transfer credit or test credit, contact the Transfer Record Analyst at: Transfercredit@scu.edu.

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