

## Public Administration

### LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN California State University (CSU) Statewide Pattern

The Lower-Division Transfer Pattern (LDTP) consists of the CSU statewide pattern of coursework outlined below, plus campus-specific coursework, bringing the total pattern to at least 60 but no more than 70 transferable semester units for students to complete at a California Community College (CCC).

The CSU statewide pattern of coursework for CCC students who plan to major in Public Administration at any CSU campus offering the major includes:

- Completion of lower-division general education requirements, following either the CSU General Education Breadth (GE-Breadth) or the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern;
- Completion of the CSU graduation requirements in United States History, Constitution and American Ideals; and
- Completion of additional semester units as specified below in (3), (4), and (5).

Please note that the information here is an academic and curricular advising tool: a roadmap that enables transfer students to efficiently and effectively progress towards the CSU baccalaureate degree in a specified discipline. California Community College students should work closely with their advisers when planning their academic program in preparation for transfer to the CSU.

This information does not represent any guarantee with regard to admission nor does it include or replace CSU campus admissions impaction criteria (see <http://www.calstate.edu/AR/impactioninfo.shtml>). These curricular guidelines are subject to change.

CSU Statewide Pattern	Semester Unit Requirement
<p><b>(1) Complete lower-division general education requirements.</b></p> <p>Obtain a certification of completion of CSU GE-Breadth or IGETC by the California Community College before transferring to a CSU campus. While completing general education, following the pattern stated below.</p> <p><i>A minimum grade of C is required in courses used to meet CSU GE Breadth AREAS A and B4</i>  <i>A minimum grade of C is required in courses used to meet IGETC</i></p>	<p><b>39 units for CSU GE Breadth</b>  <i>or</i>  <b>37 units for IGETC</b></p>
<p><b>(2) Complete graduation requirements in United States History, Constitution, and American Ideals.</b></p> <p>These are typically completed with one course each in American government and American history, or a sequence of courses that integrate the history and government topics.</p>	<p><b>0-6 units</b></p>
<p><b>(3) Complete United States Government, [CAN GOVT 2].</b></p>	<p><b>0-3 units</b></p>
<p><b>Total Semester Units Required for Statewide LDTP Pattern</b></p>	<p><b>37-48 Units</b></p>
<p><u>Recommended Courses:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A course in Accounting. <i>Or</i></li> <li>• A course in Economics. <i>Or</i></li> <li>• A course that articulates with [CAN ENGL 4], English composition.</li> </ul>	

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Bakersfield Campus-Specific Pattern**

In addition to the statewide pattern, the following is the CSU Bakersfield campus-specific pattern in Public Administration:

Campus-Specific Pattern	Semester Unit Requirement
<b>(1) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern complete <u>all</u> of the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUB ACCT 220], Introduction to Financial Reporting and Accounting</b> - Basic features of financial accounting systems with emphasis on the accounting cycle and the preparation of financial statements for both corporations and sole proprietorship. <u>And</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUB ECON 202], Essentials of Macroeconomics</b> - Theories of income, employment, and price level. Both the income-expenditure approach and the monetarist approach are studied. <u>And</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUB INST 275], Administrative Processes in Government</b> -this course analyzes the field of public administration. <u>And</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUB PHIL 102], Logical Reasoning</b> - This course is designed to develop critical thinking skills related to the analysis and evaluation of arguments. <u>And</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUB PLSI 101], American Government and Politics</b> - An examination of the ways in which those who practice political science view the American political system.</li> </ul>	<b>0-4 units</b>  <b>0-4 units</b>  <b>0-4 units</b>  <b>0-4 units</b>  <b>0-4 units</b>
<b>(2) If necessary, complete additional coursework to bring total to 60 transferable semester units.</b>	

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Channel Islands Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major, concentration, or option in Public Administration.

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Chico Campus-Specific Pattern**

In addition to the statewide pattern, the following is the CSU Chico campus-specific pattern:

Campus-Specific Pattern
<b>(1) If necessary, complete additional coursework to bring total to 60 transferable semester units.</b>

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Dominguez Hills Campus-Specific Pattern**

In addition to the statewide pattern, the following is the CSU Dominguez Hills campus-specific pattern:

Campus-Specific Pattern	Semester Unit Requirement
<b>(1) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern complete <u>all</u> of the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUDH CIS 270], Information Systems and Technology Fundamentals</b> - an introduction to information technology, systems concepts, and application software, covering system components and relationships, cost/value and quality of information, and package software solutions.</li> </ul>	<b>0-3 units</b>
<b>(2) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern complete at least <u>one</u> of the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUDH MAT 105], Finite Mathematics</b> - Mathematics of finance, combinatorics, probability, statistical measures of central tendency and dispersion, problem solving and mathematical reasoning. <u>Or</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUDH MAT 131], Elementary Statistics and Probability</b> - A practical course in probability and statistics including such topics as the binomial and normal distributions, confidence intervals, t, F, and chi-square tests, linear regression and correlation, and conditional probability.</li> </ul>	<b>0-3 units</b>
<b>(3) If necessary, complete additional coursework to bring total to 60 transferable semester units.</b>	
<u>Recommended Courses:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>A course that articulates with [CSUDH ENG 111] Freshman Composition II. <u>And</u></i></li> <li>• <i>A course that articulates with [CSUDH ECO 200 or 210] Contemporary Economic Issues and Problems or Microeconomics.</i></li> </ul>	

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU East Bay Campus-Specific Pattern**

In addition to the statewide pattern, the following is the CSU East Bay campus-specific pattern for the B.A. in Political Science with option in Public Affairs and Administration:

Campus-Specific Pattern	Semester Unit Requirement
<b>(1) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern, complete <u>all</u> of the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUEB POSC 1201], American Political Institutions. <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUEB ECON 2301], Principles of Microeconomics. <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUEB ACCT 2251], Financial Accounting.</b></li> </ul>	<b>0-3 units</b>
<b>(2) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern, complete <u>one</u> from the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUEB POSC 1202], Public Policy/California Politics. <u>Or</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUEB ECON 2302], Principles of Macroeconomics.</b></li> </ul>	<b>0-3 units</b>
<b>(3) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern, complete <u>one</u> from the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUEB STAT 1000], Elements of Probability and Statistics. <u>Or</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [CSUEB STAT 2010], Statistics for Business and Economics.</b></li> </ul>	<b>0-3 units</b>
<b>(4) If necessary, complete additional coursework to bring total to 60 transferable semester units.</b>	



**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Los Angeles Campus-Specific Pattern**

In addition to the statewide pattern, the following is the CSU Los Angeles campus-specific pattern:

Campus-Specific Pattern	Semester Unit Requirement
<b>(1) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern complete the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A course that articulates with a second semester of expository writing that emphasizes exposition, research, and critical thinking, typically called “Writing and Critical Thinking” (as opposed to “Literature and Composition”).</li> </ul>	0-3 units
<b>(2) If necessary, complete additional coursework to bring total to 60 transferable semester units.</b>	

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
California Maritime Academy Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major, concentration, or option in Public Administration.

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Monterey Bay Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major, concentration, or option in Public Administration.

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Northridge Campus-Specific Pattern**

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**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
Cal Poly Pomona Campus-Specific Pattern**

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**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Sacramento Campus-Specific Pattern**

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**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU San Bernardino Campus-Specific Pattern**

In addition to the statewide pattern, the following is the CSU San Bernardino campus-specific pattern:

Campus-Specific Pattern	Semester Unit Requirement
<b>(1) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern complete <u>all</u> of the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with a second Accounting course. <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with a second course in Economics. (Microeconomics or Macroeconomics). <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>Courses that articulate with two Information Technology classes. <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with a Business Law course.</b></li> </ul>	<b>0-3 units</b> <b>0-3 units</b>  <b>0-6 units</b> <b>0-3 units</b>
<b>(2) If necessary, complete additional coursework to bring total to 60 transferable semester units.</b>	

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
San Diego State University Campus-Specific Pattern**

In addition to the statewide pattern, the following is the San Diego State University campus-specific pattern. The B.A. in Public Administration is an impacted major. The below information does not represent any guarantee with regard to admission nor does it include or replace SDSU's campus admissions impactation criteria. Please refer to <http://www.calstate.edu/AR/impactioninfo.shtml> for SDSU's impactation criteria.

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<b>(1) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern, complete <u>all</u> of the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU ACCTG 201], <b>Financial Accounting Fundamentals</b> - Theory and practice of accounting applicable to recording, summarizing, and reporting of business transactions for external reporting and other external uses. Asset valuation; revenue and expense recognition; various asset, liability, and capital accounts. <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU ECON 101], <b>Principles of Economics (macro)</b> - Principles of economic analysis, economic institutions, and issues of public policy. Emphasis on macroanalysis including national income analysis, money and banking, business cycles, and economic stabilization. <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU ECON 102], <b>Principles of Economics (micro)</b> - Principles of economic analysis, economic institutions, and issues of public policy. Emphasis on direction of production, allocation of resources, and distribution of income, through the price system (microanalysis); and international economics. <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU IDS 180], <b>Principles of Information Systems</b> - Applications of computerized systems in business organizations. Basic concepts of computer organization, data processing systems, decision support systems and systems analysis. Solving business problems through use of spreadsheet software. <u>And</u></b></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU P A 200], <b>The Urban Scene</b> - Key issues in public administration, social policy, and city planning. Emphasis on government structure and public decision-making process, organizational behavior, effectiveness of criminal justice policies, zoning, and land use considerations.</b></li> </ul>	<b>0-3 units</b>  <b>0-3 units</b>  <b>0-3 units</b>  <b>0-3 units</b>  <b>0-3 units</b>
<b>(2) If not taken as part of the statewide pattern, complete <u>one</u> of the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU ECON 201], <b>Statistical Methods</b> - Introduction to descriptive statistics, statistical inference, regression and correlation. <u>Or</u></b></li> </ul>	<b>0-3 units</b>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU POL S 201], Elementary Statistics for Political Science</b> - Quantitative methods in political science. Tabular and graphic presentation, measures of central tendency, simple correlation and sampling techniques. <u>Or</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU SOC 201], Elementary Social Statistics</b> - Basic statistical techniques in sociology. Tables and graphs, measures of central tendency and variability, correlations, cross-classification, and introduction to multivariate analysis, sampling and statistical inference. Computer applications may be included. <u>Or</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU PSY 270], Statistical Methods in Psychology</b> - Quantitative methods in psychology for producing, analyzing, and interpreting data. Sampling, basic research designs, describing distributions through graphs and quantitative indices, linear correlation and regression, applications of normal probability curve, confidence intervals, and tests of significance. <u>Or</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU STAT 119], Elementary Statistics for Business</b> - Measures of central tendency and variability, frequency distributions; probability, Bayes theorem, probability distributions (including binomial, hypergeometric, and normal), sampling distributions, confidence intervals, significance testing, regression and correlation. <u>Or</u></li> <li>• <b>A course that articulates with [SDSU STAT 250], Statistical Principles and Practices</b> - Descriptive statistics, data displays, measures of central tendency and variability, random variables, sampling distribution. Estimation and hypothesis tests for means and proportions, linear regression and correlation.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>(3) If necessary, complete additional coursework to bring total to 60 (but not more than 70) transferable semester units. Coursework not taken at the community college must be completed at SDSU.</b></p>	

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San Francisco State University Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major, concentration, or option in Public Administration.

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LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
San José State University Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major, concentration, or option in Public Administration.

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
Cal Poly San Luis Obispo Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major, concentration, or option in Public Administration.

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU San Marcos Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major, concentration, or option in Public Administration.

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
Sonoma State University Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major, concentration, or option in Public Administration.

**Public Administration  
LOWER-DIVISION TRANSFER PATTERN  
CSU Stanislaus Campus-Specific Pattern**

This campus does not have a major or option in Public Administration.