



Graduation Requirements In The UCSD Undergraduate Colleges

Unless otherwise indicated, the figures in this chart refer to the number of COURSES rather than the number of units. Most UCSD courses carry four quarter-units of credit, and a student usually takes four courses each quarter. Academic disciplines are classified as humanities/fine arts, social sciences, and mathematics/natural sciences/engineering. The term inoncontiguous refers to a discipline that is different from that of the major. Students must meet the Subject A requirement prior to enrolling in the writing courses of their respective college. Each college's cultural diversity requirement can be fulfilled as noted by an asterisk (*) below.

General Education

Revelle College	John Muir College	Thurgood Marshall College	Earl Warren College	Eleanor Roosevelt College	Sixth College
HUMANITIES 5 Includes intensive instruction in university-level writing. FOREIGN LANGUAGE 0-4 Proficiency exam or number of courses FINE ARTS 1 PHYSICS AND CHEMISTRY 4 At least one course from each area (Sequences available for science and non-science majors.) BIOLOGY 1 CALCULUS 3 (Sequences are available for science and non-science majors.) SOCIAL SCIENCES 3 To include at least one course in American Cultures* AREA OF FOCUS 3 Focused on one subject noncontiguous to the major.	ANALYTICAL WRITING 2-3 A Three-Course Sequence in one of the disciplines from the: 3 SOCIAL SCIENCES A Three-Course Sequence in either: 3 MATHEMATICS (CALCULUS) OR One of the disciplines from the NATURAL SCIENCES A Three-Course Sequence in each of TWO of the disciplines from TWO different categories 6 FINE ARTS HUMANITIES FOREIGN LANGUAGE	DIMENSIONS OF CULTURE 3 Includes intensive instruction in university-level writing. HUMANITIES 2 Includes cultural diversity FINE ARTS 1 NATURAL SCIENCES ... 3 One course each in Biology, Chemistry and Physics. (Courses available for science- and non-science majors.) MATHEMATICS AND LOGIC 2 Options available for science- and non-science majors. DISCIPLINARY BREADTH 4 Must be noncontiguous to the major field of study. PUBLIC SERVICE OPTIONAL	WRITING 2 ETHICS and SOCIETY ... 1 FORMAL SKILLS 2 Calculus, symbolic logic, computer programming, and statistics. PROGRAMS of CONCENTRATION * ... 12 (for B.A./B.S. degrees in arts/sciences) Two programs of concentration, both noncontiguous to the major and to each other. OR AREA STUDIES 6 (for B.S. degrees in engineering). One area of study in humanities/fine arts and one in social sciences.	THE MAKING OF THE MODERN WORLD 6 Includes 2 quarters of intensive instruction in university-level writing and cultural diversity. FOREIGN LANGUAGE 0-4 Can be met by proficiency or course work. FINE ARTS 2 Includes study of both Western- and non-Western arts. NATURAL SCIENCES 2 (Sequences available for science- and non-science majors.) MATHEMATICS/COMPUTER SCIENCE 2 (Sequences available for science- and non-science majors.) REGIONAL SPECIALIZATION 3	CULTURE, ART AND TECHNOLOGY 3 Three core sequence CAT1, 2, and 3. Includes two (six unit) courses of intensive instruction in university-level writing. COMPUTING REQUIREMENT 1 This requirement may be satisfied with courses from a variety of departments. MODES OF INQUIRY . 7 Two courses in social sciences, two courses in humanities, two courses in natural sciences, one course in math/logic (different options available for science and on-science majors) UNDERSTANDING DATA 1 One course in statistical methods (different options available for science and non-science majors) SOCIETAL AND ETHICAL CONTEXTS 2 One course in ethnic or gender studies; one course in ethics. ART MAKING 2 Two courses in music, theatre (including dance) or visual arts. PRACTICUM ... 0.5 to 1.5 Upper-division project with a two unit course in practicum communication.

Minor/Additional Graduation Requirements

Optional Minor	Optional Minor * One U.S. Cultural Diversity course to be chosen from an approved list as part of the major, optional minor, elective, or an appropriate general-election course.	Optional Minor	Optional Minor - Students may choose a noncontiguous minor in lieu of a Program of Concentration. * One Cultural Diversity in U.S. Society course to be chosen from an approved list as part of the major. Programs of Concentration / Area Studies, or elective.	Optional Minor - Students may combine foreign language and regional specialization course work to create a minor focusing on a particular geographic area.	Optional Minor
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Minimum Number of Courses Required for Graduation

B.A./B.S. degrees require a minimum of 46 courses (184 units); at least 15 courses (60 units) must be upper-division.	B.A./B.S. degrees require 45 courses (180 units). At least 18 courses (72 units) must be upper-division.	B.A./B.S. degrees require 45 courses (180 units). At least 60 units must be upper-division.	B.A./B.S. degrees require 45 courses (180 units). At least 15 courses (60 units) must be upper-division.	B.A./B.S. degrees require 45 courses (180 units). At least 15 courses (60 units) must be upper-division.	B.A./B.S. degrees require 45 courses (180 units). At least 15 courses (60 units) must be upper-division.
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Major

NOTE: Choice of college does not affect choice of major. Majors are identical regardless of the student's chosen college. Most majors require twelve to eighteen upper-division courses based upon adequate lower-division preparation; such preparation may be part of the general-education requirements. Majors in certain engineering programs may require as many as twenty-one upper-division courses.