

This is not an articulation agreement. It is a tool to aid students in knowing which courses Biola University will accept from this school to fulfill General Education requirements.

Note: All credit from community colleges is lower division.

09-11 BIOLA UNIVERSITY G.E.

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BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE (3 units)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ANTH 200 Cultural Anthropology PSYC 200 Introduction to Psychology SOCI 220 Introduction to Sociology SOCI 362 Social Problems 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ANTH 103 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology • PSYC 101 General Psychology • SOCO 101 Principles of Sociology • SOCO 110 Contemporary Social Problems
COMMUNICATIONS (3 units)	<i>May not be taken online/other distance education format without Comm Dept. approval</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> COMM 100 Intro to Public Comm COMM 170 Small Group Comm COMM 181 Argumentation & Debate COMM 280 Oral Interpretation 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPEE 103 Oral Communication • SPEE 170 Small Group Communication • SPEE 160 Argumentation • SPEE 111 Oral Interpretation
ENGLISH (6 units)	<i>May not be taken online/other distance education format</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENGL 110A Studies in Critical Thinking & Writing ENGL 110B Studies in Critical Thinking & Writing 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 101 Reading and Composition • ENGL 205 Critical Thinking and Intermediate Composition
FINE ARTS (3 units)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ARTS 100 Art Appreciation COMM 160 Theatre Appreciation MUSC 101 Music Appreciation 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ARTF 100 Art Orientation, •ARTF 109 or 110 or 111 Art History • DRAM 105 Introduction to Dramatic Arts • MUSI 100 Intro to Music or •101 or 102 Music History • MUSI 105 Music of our Time
FOREIGN LANGUAGE (4-12 units)	<i>Foreign language requirement varies according to degree program and years of foreign language completed in high school. B.A. degree: 1 yr H.S. = take 101, 102, 201. 2 yrs H.S. = take 102, 201. 3 yrs H.S. = take 201. 4 yrs H.S. = none needed. B.S. degree: 1 yr H.S. = take 101. 2 yrs H.S. = none needed.</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (Spanish) HUF5 101, 102, 201 (French) HUFF 101, 102, 201 (German – not offered at Biola) (American Sign Lang) HUF5 101, 102, 201 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPAN 101 (1st elem), 102 (2nd elem), 201 (1st intermed) • FREN 101 (1st elem), 102 (2nd elem), 201 (1st intermed) • GERM 101 (1st elem), 102 (2nd elem), 201 (1st intermed) • AMSL 115 (1st elem), 116 (2nd elem), 215 (1st intermed)
HISTORY (6 units)	<i>Most students need 3 units in U.S. History or Government AND 3 units in World Civ. Credential students, please see Education Department for advisement.</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HIST 107 U.S. History (3) POSC 225 Survey American Govt (3) HIST 207 or 208 World Civilizations I or II (3) 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HIST 109 or 110 History of the United States • POLI 102 The American Political System • HIST 100 or 101 World History
LITERATURE (3 units)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ENGL 220 Literature and Film ENGL 230 Literature in Context ENGL 251, 252, 253 British Literature ENGL 281, 282 American Literature ENGL 283 Race & Ethnicity in Amer Lit ENGL 290 World Literature 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 215 or 216 English Literature • ENGL 210 or 211 American Literature • ENGL 230 Asian American Literature • ENGL 220 or 221 Masterpieces of World Literature
PHILOSOPHY (3 units)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PHIL 210 Intro to Logic PHIL 211 Intro to Ancient Philosophy PHIL 212 Intro to Medieval Philosophy PHIL 213 Intro to Modern Philosophy PHIL 214 Intro to Philosophy PHIL 215 Intro to Ethics PHIL 216 Intro to Philosophy and Aesthetics 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PHIL 100 Logic and Critical Thinking • PHIL 103 Historical Introduction to Philosophy • PHIL 104A History of Western Philosophy • PHIL 104B History of Western Philosophy • PHIL 102A Intro to Philosophy: Reality and Knowledge • PHIL 102B Intro to Philosophy: Values
PHYSICAL EDUCATION (4 skills or activities)	<i>May not be taken online/other distance education format. Only one unit of recreational skill and one dance class may be used as P.E. credit. First Aid & CPR do not count as P.E. activity credit.</i>	
PEED 110		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any 4 different P.E. skills/activities; one activity may be repeated once if taken in a progressive level.
SCIENCE/MATH	<i>8 units required. Minimum of 3 semester units in Math & 3 semester units in Science</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Biology Chemistry Physical Science Mathematics 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BIOL 107, 110, 115, 120, 210A, 210B, 215, 250 • ANTH 102, 104 • CHEM 100, 100L, 111, 111L, 130, 130L, 200, 200L, 201, 201L, 231, 231L, 233, 233L • ASTR 101, 111 • GEOG 101, 101L • GEOL 100, 101, 104 • PHYN 100, 101, 120 • PHYS 100, 125, 126, 195, 196, 197 • MATH 118, 119, 121, 122, 141, 150, 151, 252, 254, 255

BIOLA UNIVERSITY TRANSFER POLICY

1. Credit will be accepted only from institutions accredited by a regional or national accrediting agency with similar accredited academic programs i.e., WASC, ABHE and ATS.
2. Students from unaccredited institutions may request a copy from the Registrar's Office of Biola's policy on validating unaccredited coursework if the school is recognized by their state as an academic institution. The validation process must be completed during the first semester of enrollment.
3. Biola University measures all courses in semester units of credit. Quarter units are converted to semester units by reducing the quarter units by one-third. Such a reduction does not mean loss of credit.
4. A maximum of 70 semester units are acceptable from two-year community colleges.

Transfer students may fulfill their general education requirements by completing Biola University's General Education Curriculum or, prior to enrolling at Biola, completing the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC).

The IGETC model for the California State University (CSU) system or University of California (UC) is accepted by Biola University with the following provisions:
 - The current foreign language requirement for all bachelor degrees will be retained.
 - The minimum of 130 units for graduation will stay the same.
 - In addition to the IGETC, all prerequisites and support courses for existing majors must be met.
 - Transfer students following the IGETC must complete it before they enroll at Biola University. Students who do not complete the IGETC before they enroll will follow the Biola General Education curriculum.
5. Biola University will accept credit for equivalent courses from schools accredited by regional or national agencies recognized by CHEA (Council for Higher Education Administration), including courses by distance education.
6. **All students are required to take a minimum of 24 units of upper division in their major, 15 of which must be taken at Biola University.**
7. **Biola has a residency requirement for biblical studies. Of the 30 units of Bible required of all students, 15 units must be taken at Biola.**
8. Grades do not transfer - only units of credit. A student's grade-point average is computed for graduation purposes only on work completed at Biola University.
9. Courses may not transfer for several reasons: repeat of work already taken, low grades ("C-" or lower), technical or vocational courses, remedial courses, etc.
10. College-level credit earned during the 11th and/or 12th grade will be given credit, including AP, IB and CLEP exams. Coursework or exams taken during the sophomore year will waive G.E. requirements only.
11. A non-music major is limited to a maximum of eight units of credit in applied music (including ensembles), and a non-physical education major is limited to eight units of credit in physical education or skill courses.
12. The combined total of transferred units plus completed Biola units determines student level:

Freshman	0-26 units
Sophomore	27-56 units
Junior	57-87 units
Senior	88 units and above