

NEW G.E. Baccalaureate Requirements: Oral and Written Communication for SFSU Students

The following chart lists the G.E. requirements that all SFSU students must complete before graduation. Next to each requirement, you will find the courses a student can take to fulfill that requirement, by either pursuing the Composition pathway or the CMS pathway. **Know that both programs are equally challenging and rigorous, so when deciding which path to take, we encourage you to assess your individual skills and needs to ensure that you enroll in the appropriate courses**

Requirement	Eng. Composition Course	CMS Course Equivalent
A1: Oral Communication	Communication 150: Fundamentals of Oral Communication	English 210: Oral Communication Multilingual
A2: Written Communication I	English 104/105 (two semesters) OR English 114 (one semester): Writing the First Year: Finding Your Voice (*Write to Register)	English 201/202: (two semesters) OR English 209 (one semester): Writing the First Year: Global Perspectives of Multilingual Speakers (*Write to Register)
AE: Lifelong Learning	English 216: Writing the First Year: Making a Difference	English 217: Writing the First Year: Language, Culture, and Perspectives of Multilingual Speakers

Composition for Multilingual Students: All Courses

The following chart lists the requirement areas students can complete in the CMS program. It also indicates the courses taken within each level and the criteria for our courses.

Requirement	CMS Course	Criteria
GE A2 Written Communication	English 201/202: Writing the First Year: Global Perspectives of Multilingual Speakers Stretch I & II (two semesters)	First-time freshmen directly from high school
	English 208: Grammar for Writing Level I	First-time freshmen directly from high school
	English 204: Effective Literacy Skills for College OR English 212: Grammar for Writing Level II	Other freshmen and transfer students (dependent on Write to Register)
	English 209: Writing the First Year: Global Perspectives of Multilingual Speakers	
GE AE Lifelong Learning	English 217: Writing the First Year: Language, Culture, and Perspectives of Multilingual Speakers	Completion of GE A1
GWAR		Completion of A1
	English 415: Grammar and Editing	May be taken with GWAR, or other upper-division or graduate level writing-intensive course

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