



West Valley College Articulation Agreement

(Based Upon USF and West Valley College catalogs for 2007-2008)

This Agreement is to be used as a guide for the purposes of Admission into the University of San Francisco as a transfer student. The Office of Admission will award academic transfer credit as appropriate at the time of admission. All students who wish to receive an undergraduate degree from USF must satisfy the coursework included in the Core Curriculum. All transfer students are encouraged to contact the Admissions Office for clarification of the University procedures and policies at (415) 422-6563. A student need not fulfill all these classes before transferring, however these courses must be completed to graduate from USF. A 3-UNIT SEMESTER OR 4-UNIT QUARTER COURSE WILL SATISFY THE INDIVIDUAL CORE AREA REQUIREMENT. THE TOTAL CORE REQUIREMENT OF 44-UNITS MUST BE MET IN ORDER TO GRADUATE FROM USF, WHICH MEANS ADDITIONAL COURSES IN A CORE AREA MAY BE NEEDED TO MEET THE TOTAL UNIT REQUIREMENT.

All credits designated as transferable to the California State Universities (CSU) by the California community college at which the credit was earned will transfer to USF with the exception of remedial math and English. (i.e. No English below College Composition or its equivalent, no math below College Algebra will transfer.) Such designation must be applicable at the time the work was completed.

AREA A. Foundation of Communication

1. Public Speaking (4-Units)

Comm 1, 20.

2. #Rhetoric and Composition (4-Units)

(This area is fulfilled by completing Rhetoric and Composition 250 at USF with a C or better grade. Students entering the College of Arts & Sciences, the McLaren College of Business, and the School of Nursing with one or two transferable English Composition courses listed below will be placed into R&C 250. Those who have not completed any of the following English courses will be required to take a USF placement test for validation.)

Engl 1A, 1B, 1C.

AREA B. Math and the Sciences

1. #Math or Quantitative Science (4-Units) (Pre-calculus or higher, including Statistics)

(This area will be validated by USF placement testing for students entering the College of Arts & Sciences, the McLaren College of Business, and the School of Nursing.)

Math 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B, 4C, 8, 10, 12.

2. Applied or Lab Science (4-Units)

(Students entering the College of Arts & Sciences, the McLaren College of Business, or the School of Nursing must have a LAB or APPLIED Component to receive credit.)

College of Arts & Sciences, the McLaren School of Business, or the School of Nursing

Astro 1 + 2, 10, 11 + 11L; Biol 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 20, 24, 34, 35, 36, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, 48;
Chem 1A, 1B, 10, 12A, 12B, 30A, 30B; Geol 1A, 1B + 2B, 5, 10; Ocen 1; Phys 2A, 2B, 4A, 4B,
4C, 10.

CPS (CPS students are also eligible to take these science courses.)
Anth 1; Biol 15; Chem 02; Geog 1; Geol 15; Psci 10, 20, 30; Phys 1.

AREA C. Humanities

1. #Literature (4-Units)

Engl 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B, 7A, 7B, 12, 13, 16, 18, 43, 46, 49.

2. History (4-Units)

Hist 3, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 8A, 8B, 11, 12, 14, 16, 17A, 17B, 30A, 30B, 32.

AREA D. Philosophy, Theology, and Ethics

1. Philosophy (4-Units)

Phil 1, 5, 6, 8, 21.

2. Theology (4-Units)

Phil 4, 16, 22.

3. #Ethics (4-Units)

Phil 3, 12.

AREA E. Social Science (4-units)

Anthro 3; Econ 1A, 1B, 3; Geog 2; Human 2, 5; Music 10; Pols 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; Psyc 1; Soc 1, 2, 12,
20, 40, 43, 45.

AREA F. Visual and Performing Arts (4-Units)

Art 1A, 1B, 1D, 3, 4, 7, 10, 12A, 12B; human 1A, 1b; Music 1, 2, 9, 10; Thear 14A, 14B, 15.

Integration of Service Learning and Cultural Diversity

1. Service Learning (SL) to be taken at USF
2. Cultural Diversity (CD)

Additional University Mission Requirements: In addition to completing the specific CORE course requirements, the USF baccalaureate degree candidate will complete a minimum of two courses *within the CORE or within his/her major/minor* that integrate two mission-driven characteristics: **Service Learning** and **Cultural Diversity**. Several CD courses will transfer into USF, such as: Hist 12, 14, 16, Soc, 12; etc...

#- For students in the College of Professional Studies, these areas will be satisfied through cohort work.