

History Guided Pathways Map

What is the History Guided Pathways Map?

The aim of this discipline specific map is to simplify major course selection for history majors attending El Camino College while providing transfer flexibility into either the UC or the CSU systems. By completing this history major preparation map, students declaring history as a major at El Camino College fulfill the history major preparation requirement for both the CSU History AA-T and the History UC Transfer Pathway . AA-T is an acronym for Associate in Art degree that is designed specifically for transfer to the California State University System. Students who earn a History AA-T “and meet the CSU minimum eligibility requirements are guaranteed admission to a CSU, but not necessarily to a particular campus or major. With the special degree, you may be given a GPA bump when applying to an impacted campus outside your local area or an impacted major that is deemed similar.”¹ UC Transfer Pathways provide “students with roadmaps to 21 of the most popular majors at any UC campus.” They also “outlines the set of courses students should take to be competitive in one of 21 of the most popular majors found at every UC campus.”²

History Major Preparation Only

Please note that this handout pertains to the history major preparation courses only. Additional courses will need to be completed to fulfil CSU GE or IGETC general education pattern requirements or the AA-T History Degree requirements. Please consult the appropriate forms for course requirement details. Also schedule an appointment with a counselor to ensure correct course selection and successful transfer.

Academic Counseling

Students need to meet with an academic counselor to identify the best combination of courses to take while attending El Camino College to ensure successful transfer. The History Department encourages students to work regularly with an academic counselor. Counseling appointments open for scheduling online beginning each Thursday, 1:00 p.m. The recommended counselor for history majors is Cheryl Kroll.

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Required Core: 6 units (both History 101 and 102 must be completed – check when completed)

- History 101:** United States History to 1877
- History 102:** United States History from 1877 to the Present

¹ <http://www.adegreewithaguarantee.com/abouttheprogram/aboutthegarantee.aspx>

² <http://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/q-and-a/transfer-pathways/index.html#1>

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List A: 6 units (both History 140 and 141 must be completed – check when completed)

- History 140:** History of Early Civilizations
- History 141:** History of Modern Civilizations

List B: 6 units (one course must be completed from Area 1 and one course must be completed from Area 2)

Area 1: Choose one course from the following (3 units) – check course when completed

- History 152:** History of Early Latin America Through Independence
- History 154:** History of Mexico
- History 175:** History of Asian Civilizations to 1600
- History 176:** History of Asian Civilizations from 1600 to the Present
- History 178:** History of China
- History 183:** Introduction to African History, Prehistory to 1885
- History 184:** Introduction to African History, 1885 to the Present

Area 2: Choose one course from the following (3 units) – check course when completed

- American Studies 7**
- Anthropology 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12**
- Communication Studies 5, 14**
- Economics 1, 2, 5**
- Ethnic Studies 1**
- Geography 2, 5, 7**
- History 105, 106, 110, 111, 112, 114, 122, 143, 145, 152, 175, 176, 178, 183, 184**
- Journalism 12**
- Political Science 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 10**
- Psychology 2, 5, 10, 21**
- Physical Education 275**
- Sign Language/Interpreter Training 130**
- Sociology 101, 102, 104, 107, 108, 112**
- Women's Studies 1**

***Note for Future Teachers**

The following courses located in Area 2 above are recommended for those pursuing a Single Subject Teaching Credential: Economics 1 and 2 or 5; Geography 2; Political Science 1 and 10; Anthropology 2; Psychology 5.