

Cerritos College Teacher TRAC/CSULB

Curriculum & Program Requirements

NEW TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS!

+To be considered for upper-division admission to Liberal Studies, applicants must have the following completed with a minimum grade of "C" or higher a semester/term before transferring:

- ESCI 110, ENGL100, HIST 102, MATH 110A, POL 101, AND SPCH 130
- Select one of the following critical thinking courses: ENGL 103, PHIL 103, PHIL 106, or SPCH 235.
- Select one of the following English literature courses: ENGL 102, ENGL 230A, ENGL 230B, ENGL 246A, ENGL 246B, ENGL 248A, or ENGL 248B

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE
BIOL 120	INTRO TO BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE
*CHEM 105	CHEMISTRY FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHERS
CD 110	CHILD DEVELOPMENT
+ESCI 110	INTRO TO EARTH SCIENCE
EDEL 100 <i>THIS COURSE IS RESTRICTED TO OFFICIAL TEACHER TRAC STUDENTS ONLY!</i>	INTRO TO TEACHING AND LEARNING IN DIVERSE CONTEMPORARY CLASSROOM
EDEL 200	INTRO TO EDUCATION
EDT 110	INTRO TO EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY
+ENGL 100	FRESHMAN COMPOSITION
GEOG 105	WORLD REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY
+HIST 102	POLITICAL & SOCIAL HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES: 1500S TO 1876
HIST 120	HISTORY OF CALIFORNIA
HIST 245	WORLD CIVILIZATION FROM ANTIQUITY TO 1500
MATH 105	ACTIVITY-BASED PROBABILITY AND STATISTICS FOR ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHERS
+MATH 110A	MATH FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS
MATH 110B	MATH FOR ELEMENTARY TEACHERS
MUSIC 105	MUSIC FUNDAMENTALS
PS 112	PHYSICAL SCIENCE FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHERS
+POL 101	AMERICAN POLITICAL INSTITUTIONS
+SPCH 130	FUNDAMENTALS OF SPEAKING
TH 101	INTRO TO THE THEATRE

*CHEM 105 – optional but highly recommended to pass the science CSET exam and/or to add a science authorization to teach science in middle school.

Select one course from each of the following groups

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE
PHIL 100	INTRO TO PHILOSOPHY
PHIL 102	INTRO TO ETHICS
PHIL 200	WORLD RELIGIONS

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+ENGL 103	CRITICAL AND ARGUMENTATIVE WRITING
+PHIL 103	PHILOSOPHICAL REASONING: CRITICAL THINKING IN PHILOSOPHY
+PHIL 106	INTRO TO LOGIC
+SPCH 235	FUNDAMENTALS OF ARGUMENTATION AND PERSUASION

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE
+ENGL 102	FRESHMAN COMPOSITION AND LITERATURE
+ENGL 230A	INTRO TO AMERICAN LITERATURE
+ENGL 230B	INTRO TO AMERICAN LITERATURE
+ENGL 246A	SURVEY OR ENGLISH LITERATURE
+ENGL 246B	SURVEY OR ENGLISH LITERATURE
+ENGL 248A	MASTERPIECES OF WORLD LITERATURE
+ENGL 248B	MASTERPIECES OF WORLD LITERATURE

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS:

Teacher TRAC program criteria require students to be eligible for ENGL 52 or higher & MATH 60 or higher and a cumulative 2.50 GPA.

All new students must complete the Cerritos College assessment process.

All courses must be taken for a letter grade.

Those students who do not meet Teacher TRAC program criteria should be encouraged to enroll in the appropriate prerequisite courses. Students can also enroll in Teacher TRAC classes that do not require any prerequisites: CD 110, MUS 105, and TH 101.

If students begin at the MATH 60 and ENGL 52 level, are able to enroll in 15-18 units per semester and 6 units each summer, and maintain a minimum 2.75 GPA, they should be ready for transfer to CSULB in 2 years.

Please note, upon transferring you will be required to be fingerprinted for admittance into the CSULB Credential Program. Fingerprints are recorded with local State and Federal Agencies. You will also need a 2.75 GPA to be admitted into the CSULB Credential Program.