

# Biology Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT)

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The Associate in Science in Biology for Transfer (AS-T) degree is intended for students planning to transfer into a Bachelor of Science program in Biology or related areas at a California State University (CSU); guaranteeing admission to the system (but not to a specific campus), and priority consideration for admission to the equivalent CSU program. Students should consult with a counselor when planning to complete the degree for more information on university admissions and transfer requirements. This degree complies with The Student Transfer Achievement Reform Act (Senate Bill 1440). Student ID Name Date Degree Requirements: 60 CSU transferable units with a 2.0 GPA. Major courses must be passed with a grade of "C" or better. Full completion of CSU IGETC or CSU GE is required. Complete additional CSU units, if needed, to reach 60 CSU transferable units. REQUIRED CORE: С ΙP Ν OTHER **BIOLOGY 006** General Biology I (5) **BIOLOGY 007** General Biology II (5) LIST A: Complete all courses in this section OTHER С ΙP N **CHEM 101** General Chemistry I (5) **CHEM 102** General Chemistry II (5) **MATH 265** Calculus with Analytic Geometry I (5) PHYSICS 006 General Physics I (4) and PHYSICS 007 General Physics II (4) OR PHYSICS 037 Physics for Engineers and Scientists I (5) and PHYSICS 038 Physics for Engineers and Scientists II (5) **TOTAL UNITS FOR THE MAJOR: 33-35 General Education:** С ΙP CSU GE for STEM **IGETC for STEM** Note: Major courses may be double counted towards general education. С ΙP OTHER Ν

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Completion of 60 CSU transferable units

C= Completed IP=In Progress N= Need

## Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT) Important Information, Tips, & Resources for Students

#### WHAT IS AN ASSOCIATE DEGREE FOR TRANSFER?

The Student Transfer Achievement Reform Act (SB 1440/Padilla) established the Associate Degrees for Transfer (ADT) for California Community College students and is designed to provide a clear pathway to the CSU degree major. Depending on the major, students can pursue an Associate of Arts or an Associate of Science. ADT stands for Associate Degree for Transfer and is a degree designed to assist students in preparing for transfer to the CSU. Within the ADT program students can earn an AA-T (Associate in Arts for Transfer) or an AS-T (Associate of Science for Transfer). Earning an ADT gives California Community College students many benefits.

#### **BENEFITS**

- Receive priority admission to the CSU system
- Guaranteed admission with junior standing to a California State University
- Once at the CSU, complete a bachelor's degree with only 60 semester units (or 90 quarter)
- Receive a .1 to .2 GPA bump based on major and campus impaction

#### **REQUIREMENTS**

- Complete a minimum of 60 CSU transferable units
- Complete general education using the CSU GE or IGETC patterns
- Complete ADT major preparation courses with a "C" or higher
- Earn a minimum overall GPA of 2.0 in all CSU transferable courses

### **TIPS & RESOURCES**

If you have any questions, always ask your counselor, (meet with a counselor at least once a semester).

1. To check if your major is deemed similar visit:

https://www.calstate.edu/apply/transfer/Pages/associate-degree-fortransfer-major-and-campussearch.aspx

- 2. If your major is impacted or competitive, as this does affect GPA and additional requirements, visit: https://www.calstate.edu/attend/impaction-at-the-csu to learn more.
- 3. To review Major Specific Criteria on each CSU website and Assist.org.
- 4. ADT benefits may also apply to private universities and HBCU partner campuses.
- 5. In order to receive the ADT benefits you will need to petition to graduate preferably before March 15th to meet the CSU ADT E-verification deadline for fall transfer and October 31st for spring admissions.

Stay connected with the Transfer Center @lahctransfercenter on Instagram, Canva and our website: https://www.lahc.edu/student-services/transfer-center

CSU Transfer Timeline Fall Application Oct. 1st - Nov. 30th

Spring Application Aug. 1st – Aug. 31st
Cal State Apply - https://www.calstate.edu/apply

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Access the C-ID system for standardized course information across California colleges at https://c-id.net/courses