

# VENTURA COLLEGE

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## Associate Degree for Transfer – Biology

### STUDENT ADVISING GUIDE



Associate Degree for Transfer  
*A Degree with a Guarantee.™*

#### BIOLOGY FOR TRANSFER

The Associate in Science in Biology for Transfer (Biology-AST) degree is designed to prepare students for a seamless transfer into the California State University system to complete a baccalaureate degree in Biology or a similar major.

Students completing the Associate in Science in Biology for Transfer degree are guaranteed admission to the CSU system, but not to a particular CSU campus or major. Students should consult with a counselor for the best transfer option to a CSU campus or major that will fulfill their educational needs.

#### To earn a Biology AS-T degree, students must complete:

1. Certified completion of 60 semester units or 90 quarter units that are eligible for transfer to the California State University, including both of the following:
  - a. The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC-CSU) or the California State University General Education-Breadth Requirements.
  - b. A minimum of 18 semester units or 27 quarter units in a major or area of emphasis, as determined by the community college district.
2. Obtainment of a minimum grade point average of 2.0 on transfer courses.
3. Obtainment of a "C" grade or better, or "P," in all courses required for the major or area of emphasis. Although a "P" grade is allowed (Title 5, Section 55063), it is recommended that students take the course for a letter grade (A, B, or C) due to unit limitations on "P/NP" courses.

REQUIRED CORE COURSES (10 units):		UNITS
BIOL V03	Introduction to Organismal Biology and Ecology	5
BIOL V04	Introduction to Cell and Molecular Biology	5
<b>List A: (25 units)</b>		
CHEM V01A	General Chemistry I	3
And CHEM V01AL	General Chemistry I Laboratory	2
CHEM V01B	General Chemistry II	3
And CHEM V01BL	General Chemistry II Laboratory	2
MATH V21A	Calculus with Analytic Geometry I	5
PHYS V02A	General Physics I: Algebra/ Trigonometry-Based	4
And PHYS V02AL	General Physics I: Algebra/ Trigonometry-based Laboratory	1

PHYS V02B And PHYS V02BL	General Physics II: Algebra/ Trigonometry-based	4
	General Physics II: Algebra/ Trigonometry-based Laboratory 1	1

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Major Units	35
CSU General Education or IGETC Pattern	31
Electives (CSU transferrable units to reach 60)	1-4
Double-Counted Units (major and general education)	(9-10)

**DEGREE TOTAL      60**

Please refer to Course Identification System (C-ID) website for course numbers  
[http://www.c-id.net/course\\_compare.html](http://www.c-id.net/course_compare.html)

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Transfer requirements may differ. See a counselor or consult [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) ,  
if you plan to transfer to a UC campus or a college or university other than CSU.

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