Baccalaureate Degree GE Proposal

California Community Colleges Board of Governors approved Title 5 revisions on November 18, 2024, establishing general education requirements for baccalaureate degrees offered at California community colleges. These requirements align with statewide standards while ensuring academic rigor and breadth of knowledge for students pursuing a four-year degree within the California Community College system. The update will allow students to use the local GE requirements plus two additional lower division GE courses once accepted to the BDP Program vs completing the CAL GETC track. *See Table Below:*

District (w/o Requirements)	Baccalaureate	Cal-GETC
English Composition	English Composition	English Composition
Critical Thinking OR Oral Communication	Critical Thinking OR Oral Communication	Critical Thinking
		Oral Communication
Quantitative	Quantitative	Quantitative
Arts/Humanities	Arts/Humanities	Art
	Arts/Humanities	Humanities
Social/Behavioral Science	Social/Behavioral	Social/Behavioral
	Social/Behavioral	Social/Behavioral
Natural Science	Natural Science	Physical Science
		Biological Science
		Lab
Ethnic Studies	Ethnic Studies	Ethnic Studies
21	27 + 9 upper division	34