



# ALMA COLLEGE

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## Glen Oaks Community College Transfer Guide

The following is a guide to our general education requirements at Alma College. The latest updated version of this guide is always available at <http://transfer.alma.edu>. We take pride in developing a personal plan with each of our transfer students. The following is an overview of the course areas and/or competencies that every single student graduating from Alma College will need. For a complete listing of Alma College's general education requirements, please visit our website at [http://www.alma.edu/content/catalog/2-chart\\_of\\_requirements.php](http://www.alma.edu/content/catalog/2-chart_of_requirements.php)

**Literacies** – these are areas where you need to meet proficiencies equivalent to the classes required. In Composition, you need to have an equivalent class to ENG 101 at Alma, but in Computation you only need to meet the equivalent score on the math part of your ACT (23 or higher) or on the Alma College Math Placement Exam. For the Foreign Language literacy you need to either have completed two years of one foreign language in high school or one year of one foreign language in college.

**Arts and Humanities (16 credit hours)** – the humanities classes have to cover Performing Arts; Literature; and Philosophy and Religious Studies. Additionally, you are required to take at least one other humanities class from either of the aforementioned areas or from a set of additional classes that are available.

**Social Science (16 credit hours)** – you have to have at least one History class. *It is recommended that you take the History class at Alma College – but you can always contact us to see if a specific class may transfer in.* You are also required to complete 12 credits from at least two of the following areas: Economics; Political Science; and Sociology and Anthropology.

**Science and Mathematics (16 credit hours)** – the sciences are divided into Life Sciences and Physical Sciences, and you need to complete twelve credits with a minimum of four credits with in each area. Two of these classes need to have a laboratory component. You should note that at Alma College, Psychology is considered a life science. Additionally, you need to complete four credits from Computational and Mathematical Sciences.

**Note:** This is not a comprehensive list of all courses that will transfer to Alma College. The classes you have taken may also meet major and minor requirements. Checking with our office will help ensure you are taking the right courses for your intended major. Please provide our office with a copy of your transcript as early as possible so we can help you develop a transfer plan.

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### Literacies

<b>IA</b>	<b>Composition literacy</b>		
COM 122	English Composition	ENG 101	

<b>IB</b>	<b>Computation literacy</b>		
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*The computation literacy is determined by a math placement exam administered during transfer student orientation.*

<b>IC</b>	<b>Foreign language literacy</b>		
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HUF 162	Spanish II	SPN 112	
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*Two semesters of one foreign language is required. Check with the Registrar's Office at Alma College for details.*

### Arts and Humanities (AH)

**16 Credits**

<b>AH-1</b>	<b>Performing Arts</b>		
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**4 Credits**

ART 104	Object Drawing	ART 101	
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*Instrumental and vocal classes may also count towards the Performing Arts requirement. Check with the Registrar's Office at Alma College for details.*

<b>AH-2</b>	<b>Literature</b>		
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**4 Credits**

*Literature classes may count towards the Literature requirement. Check with the Registrar's Office at Alma College for details.*

<b>AH-3</b>	<b>Philosophy and Religious Studies</b>		
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**4 Credits**

*The Religious Studies department determines applicability of classes in Religious Studies to Alma College's Distributive Requirements. Check with the Registrar's Office at Alma College for details.*

<b>AH-4</b>	<b>Humanities</b>		
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**4 Credits**

*Choose from AH-1, AH-2, AH-3 or the following additional classes.*

ART 220	History of Art I	ART 111	
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HUF 162	Spanish II	SPN 112	
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### Natural Sciences (NS)

**16 Credits**

<b>NS-1</b>	<b>Life Sciences</b>		
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**4-8 Credits**

NSB 121	General Biology I	BIO 121	
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SSP 101	Psychology	PSY 121	No lab
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<b>NS-2</b>	<b><i>Physical Sciences</i></b>		<b>4-8 Credits</b>
NSP 151/152	General Physics I & lab	PHY 112	
NSP 153/154	General Physics II & lab	PHY 113	
NSP 251/252	Physics I & lab	PHY 121	
NSP 253/254	Physics II & lab	PHY 122	
NSC 130	Chemistry	CHM 101	

<b>NS-3</b>	<b><i>Computational and Mathematical Sciences</i></b>		<b>4 Credits</b>
NSM 161	Calculus I & Analytic Geometry	MTH 121	
NSM 162	Calculus II & Analytic Geometry	MTH 122	
NSM 261	Calculus III & Analytic Geometry	MTH 211	
NSM 262	Linear Algebra	MTH 280	

### **Social Sciences (SO) 16 Credits**

#### **SO-1 *History***

*The Alma College History Department determines applicability of History classes to Alma College Distributive Requirements. Check with the Registrar's Office at Alma College for details.*

#### **SO-2 *Economics, Political Science, Sociology and Anthropology***

BAE 203	Principles of Economics – Micro	ECN 202
BAE 204	Principles of Economics – Macro	ECN 201
SSS 120	Principles of Sociology	SOA 101

*Please note that only classes with a grade of 'C' or better will be transferable.*