

**BA Degree in American Studies (830503)**

Minimum Number of Units in Major = 39

Bulletin URL: <http://www.sfsu.edu/~bulletin/current/programs/america.htm#830503> Key to Course Abbreviations: .

**1st Semester Requirements**

Requirement	Recommended Courses	Units
Basic Information Competence		
Written English Proficiency	ENG 114	3
GE 1 Oral Communication	COMM 150	3
GE 2 Physical and Biological Sciences, Category A or B		3
GE 2 Behavioral and Social Sciences		3
GE 2 Humanities and Creative Arts		3
<b>1st Semester Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Note: Review the Bulletin for GE II requirements in the following areas:  
 LLD-Lifelong Development; AERM-American Ethnic and Racial Minorities; L/F-Laboratory or Fieldwork.

**2nd Semester Requirements**

Requirement	Recommended Courses	Units
GE 1 Critical Thinking		3
GE 1 Quantitative Reasoning		3
GE 2 Physical and Biological Sciences, Category A or B		3
GE 2 Behavioral and Social Sciences		3
GE 2 Humanities and Creative Arts, Category C	HUM 225	3
<b>2nd Semester Total</b>		<b>15</b>

**3rd Semester Requirements**

Requirement	Recommended Courses	Units
US History		3
GE 1 Written Communication also satisfies University Written English Proficiency		3
GE 2 Behavioral and Social Sciences		3
GE 2 Humanities and Creative Arts		3
University Elective		3
<b>3rd Semester Total</b>		<b>15</b>

**4th Semester Requirements**

Requirement	Recommended Courses	Units
US Government and California		3
GE 2 Physical and Biological Sciences, Category C		3
Major	AMST 300 or AMST 310 or AMST 400 or AMST 410	3
University Elective		3
University Elective		3
<b>4th Semester Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Note: Take JEPET after 48 units earned to satisfy Written English Proficiency.

**5th Semester Requirements**

Requirement	Recommended Courses	Units
Written English Proficiency (If required) or University Elective	ENG 414	3
GE 3		3
Major Core	AMST 300 or AMST 310 or AMST 400 or AMST 410	3
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Major Elective on Advisement		3
<b>5th Semester Total</b>		<b>15</b>

**6th Semester Requirements**

Requirement	Recommended Courses	Units
GE 3		3
Major Core	AMST 300 or AMST 310 or AMST 400 or AMST 410	3
Major Elective on Advisement		3
Major Elective on Advisement		3
University Elective		3
<b>6th Semester Total</b>		<b>15</b>

**7th Semester Requirements**

Requirement	Recommended Courses	Units
GE 3		3
Major (Special Study 699 course, prefix variable depending on topic area)		3
Major Elective on Advisement		3
Major Elective on Advisement		3
University Elective		3
<b>7th Semester Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Note: Students must apply to take Special Study courses the semester prior to enrollment.

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8th Semester Requirements		
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Major Elective on Advisement		3
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Major Elective on Advisement		3
Major (Special Study 699 course, prefix variable depending on topic area) or University Elective		3
University Elective		3
<b>8th Semester Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Note: A minimum of 40 upper division units must be completed for degree.

Department Website: .