



## 2023 - 2024 Bachelor of Arts in Africana Studies

### 39 Units

Use this checklist in combination with your official Academic Requirements Report (ARR). This checklist is not intended to replace advising. Consult the advisor for appropriate course sequencing. *Curriculum changes in progress. Requirements subject to change.*

To be considered for admission to the major, complete the following Major Specific Requirements (MSR) by 60 units:

- Minimum 2.0 overall GPA
- Grades of "C" or better in GE Foundations, Arts and Humanities (Category C), and Social Science and Citizenship (Category D)
- First-Time, First-Years (Freshmen) who began in Fall 2021 or later: Grade of "C" or better in Ethnic Studies (Category F-ES)

#### Courses

#### Prerequisites

Complete the following course (3 units total):

AFRS 110: Introduction to Africana Studies (3)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

Complete **ONE** of the following courses (3 units total):

AFRS 120: African American History to 1865 (3)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

AFRS 121: African American History Since 1865 - Present (3)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

**Africana Studies Social Science Course (Group A) - Complete ONE of the following courses (3 units total):**

AFRS 120: African American History to 1865 (3)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

AFRS 150: Critical Thinking in Africana Studies (3)

AFRS 154: Introduction to Africana Women's Studies (3)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

AFRS 201: History of Slavery (3)

AFRS 210: African American Community (3)

**Africana Studies Humanities Course (Group B) - Complete ONE of the following courses (3 - 4 units total):**

AFRS 140: Introduction to African American Literature (3)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

AFRS 155: African American Music (3)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

AFRS 160: Introduction to Africana Arts (3)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

AFRS 170A: Elementary Swahili (4)

Corequisite: One GE Foundation

AFRS 255: Introduction to Hip Hop (3)

Complete **ALL** of the following courses (9 units total):

AFRS 330: Politics of the African American Community (3)

AFRS 110 and 121

AFRS 335: Economic Development in the African American Community (3)

AFRS 110 and 121

AFRS 495: Research Methods in Africana Studies (3)

AFRS 110; 6 Units of Upper Division Work in Africana Studies; Department Majors

Complete **ONE** of the following courses (3 units total):

AFRS 332: Civil Rights and the Law (3)

GE Foundations

AFRS 354: African American Women and the Civil Rights Movement (3)

GE Foundations

**Africana Studies Elective Courses - Complete 15 UNITS, including at least ONE course from EACH of the following groups (15 units total):**

#### Group A (Social Sciences)

AFRS 310: African American Male and Female Relationships (3)

AFRS/AIS/ASAM/CHLS 319: Racial and Ethnic Experience in the United States (3)

GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing

AFRS 325: Africana Psychology (3)

AFRS 110 or PSY 100

AFRS 332: Civil Rights and the Law (3)

GE Foundations

AFRS 410: The African American Family (3)

GE Foundations; AFRS 325 or Consent

Group B (Humanities)		
	AFRS 343A: African Literature (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
	AFRS 346: Africana Theatre (3)	GE Foundations
	AFRS 353: Religions of African Peoples (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
	AFRS 415: International Africana Children's Literature (3)	
Group C (Theory)		
	AFRS 400: African American Social Thought (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
	AFRS 454: Africana Womanism: An Intellectual History (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
	AFRS 475: Racism and Sexism: An Analytical Approach (3)	AFRS 332
	AFRS 498: Ancient Egyptian Ethical Thought (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
Additional Courses from Groups A, B, and/or C		
	Course 1:	
	Course 2:	

**In order to graduate from CSULB, students must complete General Education/GWAR/Major requirements and have a minimum of 120 units (40 must be upper division) with at least a 2.0 in all GPAs (Overall, CSULB, Major).**

#### **Additional Information**

- **See online Catalog for additional course information, limitations, and requirements.**
- Some courses may also fulfill GE requirements. Visit the GE website for course selection: [csulb.edu/general-education](http://csulb.edu/general-education).
- A course can only be used to satisfy one major requirement. Double counting is not allowed within the major.

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*Checklists are available on the [ATLAS website](#)*