

BS in Kinesiology - *Option in Exercise Science*
Lower Division Worksheet
2026-2027 Catalog

→ You must have a minimum **3.0 overall GPA** in order to declare the Exercise Science option.

→ **Highlighted** courses must be completed with a **minimum 2.5 GPA**.

Grade	Course Number & Title (units)	Prerequisites†
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ALL Major Specific Degree Requirements (MSDR) need to be completed by 60 earned units to declare major:

	Any GE Foundation 1A: English Composition course (3)	<i>appropriate English placement or 'C' or better in ENGL 100A or equivalents</i>
	Any GE Foundation 1B: Critical Thinking course (3)	<i>see catalog</i>
	Any GE Foundation 1C: Oral Communication course (3)	<i>none</i>
	ONE (1) of the following options:* ☐ MATH 113 (or higher): Precalculus Algebra (3) GE AREA: 2 - foundation OR ☐ MATH 112A: Essential Algebra A (3) GE AREA: 2 - foundation AND ☐ MATH 112B: Essential Algebra B (3)	113: <i>Appropriate math placement</i> 112A: <i>Appropriate math placement or concurrent enrollment in MATH 92A</i> 112B: <i>a 'C' or better in MATH 112A</i>
	KIN 201: Introduction to Kinesiology (3)*	<i>open to KIN and Pre-KIN majors only</i>
	BIOL 207: Human Physiology (4)* GE AREA: 5B/5C	<i>GE 2 & at least one GE 1 category</i>
	BIOL 208: Human Anatomy (4)*	<i>a 'C' or better in one of the following: ART 372, BIOL 201, BIOL 205, BIOL 207, BIOL 212, BIOL 311, CHEM 140, DANC 261, MICR 200, or MICR 211</i>
	ONE (1) of the following options:* ☐ CHEM 111A: General Chemistry (5) GE AREA: 5A/5C OR ☐ PHYS 100A: General Physics (4) GE AREA: 5A/5C	111A: <i>MATH 112B or higher (can be taken concurrently) and one of the following: CHEM 90 or CHEM 102 or CHEM 140 or AP CHEM score of 2 or 3 or department approved measures for CHEM Placement</i> 100A: <i>MATH 109 or 111 or 112A or 113 or 115 or 119A or 122</i>

Optional Lower Division Major courses that can be taken as a pre-major:

	PSY 100: General Psychology (3) GE AREA: 4C	<i>GE composition ready</i>
	NUTR 132: Introductory Nutrition (3) GE AREA: 5B	<i>one GE foundation course (corequisite)</i>
	KIN 263: Techniques of Physical Fitness (2)	<i>open to KIN and Pre-KIN majors only</i>

†Prerequisites are subject to change; consult the University Catalog (www.csulb.edu/catalog) for the most recent updates

*Courses must be completed with a minimum 2.5 GPA

✓GE credit is granted based on the term you take the course and is subject to change; see the current GE course list at <https://www.csulb.edu/student-records/fall-2025-ge-requirements>

✓A 'C' or better is required in all courses