

Graduation Requirements – 220 credits

Class of 2022 and beyond

History/Social Studies	40 credits	Social Issues, World Cultures & Geography, World History 1 & 2, U.S. History 1 & 2, American Government and Economics
English	40 credits	
Math	30 credits	Must include Algebra 1-2 or a higher course
Science	30 credits	Physics in the Universe, The Living Earth (Biology), Chemistry and Earth Systems
Visual/Performing Arts	10 credits	
Elective Classes	50 credits	50 elective credits
Physical Education	20 credits	PE Core 1 – 4

University of California (UC) Requirements

15 Academic Units (1 year = 1 unit) 7 of the 15 units must be taken in the Junior and Senior years

A	History/Social Studies	2 years	1 year US History or ½ year US History and ½ year Government; 1 year World History
B	English	4 years	
C	College Prep Math	3 years	4 years recommended (minimum through Intermediate or Adv. Algebra)
D	Lab Science	2 years	3 years recommended (1 year biological and 1 year physical required)
E	World Language	2 years	3 years recommended (same language)
F	Visual/Performing Arts	1 year	One year long approved arts course from a single VPA area: drama/theater/dance/music or visual art.
G	College Prep Elective	1 year	
Testing		Take the following examinations by December of your senior year: SAT Reasoning Test or the American College Test (ACT) plus Writing	
Applicants need to complete 11 of the 15 “a-g” courses by the end of their junior year, and SAT Subject Exams are optional for the UC system but may be recommended for some majors. Some private colleges will still require or recommend SAT Subject Exams.			

California State University (CSU) Requirements

15 Academic Units (1 year = 1 unit)

A	History/Social Studies	2 years	1 year US History or ½ year US History and ½ year Government; 1 year World History
B	English	4 years	
C	College Prep Math	3 years	minimum through Intermediate Algebra
D	Lab Science	2 years	1 year biological and 1 year physical required
E	World Language	2 years	same language
F	Visual/Performing Arts	1 year	One year long approved arts course from a single VPA area: drama/theater/dance/music or visual art.
G	College Prep Elective	1 year	
Testing		Take the following examinations by December of your senior year: SAT Reasoning Test or the American College Test (ACT) plus Writing	

Please refer to Redwood High School’s UC a-g course list for a complete list of courses meeting admission requirements for the UC and CSU system at: <http://www.ucop.edu/agguide/>