

General Education Worksheet for Associate of Science in Dental Hygiene to Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene
 Foothill College Dental Hygiene BSDH Completion Track

This worksheet is to help you determine if you have all the lower division general education courses completed that are required for the Bachelor of Science degree in Dental Hygiene. Students must complete either the IGETC or CSU general education pattern in order to earn a Bachelor’s Degree in Dental Hygiene. Students who earn an AS in Dental Hygiene will have completed a certain amount of general education. Typically students will need to complete critical thinking, statistics (MATH 10- which is required for entrance into the program) plus arts and humanities general education courses. A student can choose to follow the CSU pattern or the IGETC pattern for general education. Please choose one of the general education options below and complete this worksheet. It is highly recommended that you set up a meeting with a counselor to review your completed general education requirements for accuracy. After completing the worksheet, scan a copy and upload it with your application for the AS to BS Dental Hygiene Program. If you still need some lower division general education courses, you may take them at Foothill College, or another community college. Foothill College offers many online general education courses to accommodate working professionals and students at a distance.

(Courses in parenthesis are suggested Foothill College courses a student could potentially take to meet required GE area needed)

CSU Pattern General education Lower division GE requirements	CSU GE area	Course # and title	College	Grade
Oral Communication (COMM 1A)	A1			
Written Communication (ENGL 1A)	A2			
Critical Thinking (ENGL 1B)	A3			
Physical Science (CHEM 30A)	B1			
Biological Science (BIOL 40A)	B2			
Mathematics (MATH 10)- Required	B4			
Arts (Elective)	C1			
Humanities (COMM 12)	C2			
Arts or Humanities (Elective)	C1 or C2			
Social Sciences (SOC 1)	D0			
Social Sciences (PSYC 1)	D9			
Social Sciences (Elective)	D0-D9			
Lifelong Understanding (HLTH 20 or 21)	E			

IGETC Pattern General Education Lower division GE requirements	IGETC GE area	Course # and title	College	Grade
English Composition (ENGL 1A)	1A			
Critical Thinking (ENGL 1B)	1B			
Oral Communication (COMM 1A)*	1C			
Mathematics (MATH 10)- Required	2A			
Arts (Elective)	3A			
Humanities (Elective)	3B			
Arts or Humanities (Elective)	3A or 3B			
Social & Behavioral Science (SOC 1)	4J			
Social & Behavioral Science (PSYC 1)	4I			
Social & Behavioral Science (Elective)	4A-4J			
Physical Science (CHEM 30A)	5A			
Biological Science (BIOL 40A)	5B			
Language Other Than English (LOTE)**	6A			

*IGETC for CSU- Requires a Communication course listed in Area 1C. Language Other Than English is not required for IGETC-CSU

**IGETC for UC- Doesn't require a Communication course, however it does require a Language Other Than English course which can be met in one of two ways:

- Completing a college-level Language Other Than English course through the second quarter (ex: SPAN 2 or JAPN 2) **OR**
- Completing two years of a Language Other Than English in High School with a passing grade of C- or higher (H.S. transcripts will be needed to determine completion of this requirement)