



Mount Saint Mary's University

LOS ANGELES

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT with Cerritos College

This articulation agreement has been developed to help the prospective student plan a course of study that will facilitate a more effective transfer into Mount Saint Mary's University.

Mount Saint Mary's University accepts completion of either the CSU General Education Breadth Requirements (CSU GE-Breadth) or Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) to fulfill the LACE- Liberal Arts Core Education (MSMU General Education Requirements) with the exception of the upper division Integrative Scholarship (6 units) and the Capstone (1-3 units) which may be fulfilled by the major Capstone requirement.

Mount Saint Mary's University accepts a maximum of 70 transferable lower division units toward the baccalaureate degree and 36 units towards the associate degree. All community college coursework is considered lower division. No community college coursework will be counted as upper division units. No courses within the LACE- Liberal Arts Core Education (MSMU General Education Requirements) may double count for any other area of the LACE requirements. Courses fulfilling the LACE written communication, reasoning, and language requirement may double count towards a student's major and/or minor.

For a complete list of all of Mount Saint Mary's degree requirements, visit the [online academic catalog](#)

This agreement contains three sections:

Section I - lists relevant information about LACE- Liberal Arts Core Education (MSMU General Education Requirements). The LACE requirements listed on this agreement include Written Communication, Reasoning: Math & Critical Thinking, Language, and the Central Core: Spirit of the Founders, Community, Global Awareness & Understanding and Women & Gender. Listed under each area are equivalent courses offered at Cerritos College.

Section II - lists lower division courses within all majors offered at the Mount with the exception of Liberal Studies. Liberal Studies majors should refer to Section III.

Section III- lists lower division courses within the Liberal Studies major, selected by the Education Department for articulation. Students interested in a Liberal Studies major should disregard Section II.

SECTION 1: LACE General Education Requirements

MSMU REQUIREMENT	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
WRITTEN COMMUNICATION: ENG 1A (3 units with a grade of C or better)	ENGLISH 100
WRITTEN COMMUNICATION: ENG 1B (3 units with a grade of C or better)	ENGLISH 101, 102, 103
REASONING: Math (3 units)	MATH 110A, 110B, 112, 114, 115, 116, 140, 155, 170, PSYCHOLOGY 210
REASONING: Critical Thinking (3 units)	PHILOSOPHY 103, 106, 160, PSYCHOLOGY 103
LANGUAGE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Required for Bachelor of Arts degree only • A student who begins a language must complete course 1 and 2 of the same language • Students whose native language is not English may demonstrate academic proficiency in English as a second language by passing the TOEFL examination with scores above 550. • To meet the requirement students must demonstrate proficiency at the second semester level. If they have knowledge, and test into the second semester of the language, they need only take the second semester course, i.e., Span 2. • Language courses must be college-level courses.
CENTRAL CORE 12 units of course work with 3 units completed in each category. Courses may not be taken directly within, or cross-listed within, a student's major department. No more than 2 courses may be taken within a single department.	
CENTRAL CORE: Spirit of the Founders (3 units)	ENGLISH 221B, PHILOSOPHY 100, 130, 203, 206, WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES 102
CENTRAL CORE: Community (3 units)	BIOLOGY 105, CHILD DEVELOPMENT 124, ECONOMICS 201, 201M, 202, 202M, 204, ENGLISH 221A, MUSIC 101, 104B, PHILOSOPHY 102, 108, 200, 205, POLITICAL SCIENCE 101, 201, PSYCHOLOGY 101, 251, SOCIOLOGY 101, 110, 201, SOCIOLOGY 215

CENTRAL CORE: Global Awareness & Understanding (3 units)	ANTHROPOLOGY 100, 170, 201, 202, 206, EARTH SCIENCE 101, ECONOMICS 101, ENGLISH 236, 248A, 248B, FILM 159, GEOGRAPHY 103, 105, HISTORY 241, 242, 275, PHILOSOPHY 104, 200, 204, 205, POLITICAL SCIENCE 210, 220, SOCIOLOGY 101, 215, SPEECH 110
CENTRAL CORE: Women & Gender (3 units)	ANTHROPOLOGY 205, ART AND DESIGN 109, 207, BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 208, ECONOMICS 102, ENGLISH 236, HISTORY 204, HUMANITIES 107, 109, KINESIOLOGY 108, PHILOSOPHY 109, PSYCHOLOGY 265, SOCIOLOGY 110, 202, 215, SPEECH 115, WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES 101, 102, 105, 107, 108, 109, 115, 118, 202, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 250

Please Note: Other courses not listed in the above sections may be approved for LACE credit. For MSMU applicants, an official transcript evaluation is completed as part of a student's admission into the Mount. For current MSMU students, a Transfer Credit Clearance form must be completed before registering for the course to ensure transferability.

SECTION II: Major Equivalents

- Major course evaluations are based on our traditional baccalaureate program's major requirements. The Weekend and Evening program's major requirements may vary from the list. All students should consult with advisors for requirement variations.
- All possible lower division courses for each major are listed. Please note some majors have multiple course options for fulfilling the same degree requirement. Consult the current college catalog to determine if your specific major has "either/or" options with the courses listed below.

AMERICAN STUDIES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BUS 4	Business Foundations & Analysis	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 100
BUS 5/POL 5	Business Law I	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 113 or LAW 111
BUS 92/PHI 92	Business Ethics	
ENG 20	Great Works in American Literature	ENGLISH 230A or 230B
ENG 26	Literature of the American West	
HIS 6	American Cultural History	

POL 1	American Government and Institutions	POLITICAL SCIENCE 101 or 201
APPLIED ETHICS		
MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
PHI 5	Introduction to Logic	PHILOSOPHY 106
PHI 10	Critical Thinking	PHILOSOPHY 103
PHI 15	Introduction to Philosophy	PHILOSOPHY 100
PHI 16	Philosophy through Popular Culture	
PHI 21	Moral Values and Ethical Decisions	PHILOSOPHY 102
PHI 24	Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle	
PHI 92	Introduction to Business Ethics	
ART		
MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ART 1	Drawing I	ART 110
ART 2	Two-Dimensional Art and Design: Global Perspectives	
ART 4	Painting I	ART AND DESIGN 130A or 136
ART 7	Experiences in the Visual Arts	
ART 12	Ceramics I: Handbuilding	ART AND DESIGN 152
ART 13	Ceramics – Beginning Wheel Throwing	ART AND DESIGN 151
ART 19	3D Printing and Rapid Prototyping	
ART 24	Wood: Material & Methods	
GRD 2	Two-Dimensional Design and Art: Global Perspectives	

GRD 15	Computer Graphics 1	ART 186
GRD 19	3D Printing and Rapid Prototyping	

BIOCHEMISTRY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 1/L	Biological Dynamics	BIOLOGY 200
BIO 2/L	Biological Dynamics	BIOLOGY 201
CHE 1A/L	General Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 111
CHE 1B/L	General Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 112
CHE 6A/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 211
CHE 6B/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 212
CIS 2	Introduction to Programming	
MTH 5A	Calculus I	MATH 170
MTH 5B	Calculus II	MATH 190
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	MATH 112
PHY 1A	Introductory Physics IA	PHYSICS 101
PHY 1B/L	Introductory Physics IB/Lab	PHYSICS 102
PHY 11A	Mechanics	PHYS 201
PHY 11B	Electricity, Magnetism and Optics	PHYS 202

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 1/L	Biological Dynamics/Lab	BIOLOGY 200
BIO 2/L	Biological Dynamics/Lab	BIOLOGY 201
CHE 1A/L	General Chemistry/Discussion/Lab	CHEMISTRY 111
CHE 1B/L	General Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 112
CHE 6A/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 211
CHE 6B/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 212
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	MATH 112
PSY 40	Basic Statistical Methods	PSYCHOLOGY 210

MTH 5A	Calculus I	MATH 170
MTH 5B	Calculus II	MATH 190
PHY 1A	Introductory Physics IA	PHYSICS 101
PHY 1B/L	Introductory Physics IB/Lab	PHYSICS 102
PHY 11A	Mechanics	PHYS 201
PHY 11B/L	Electricity Magnetism and Optics	PHYS 202
BIO 50A/L	Human Anatomy/Lab	ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY 120 or 150 or 200
BIO 50B/L	Human Physiology/Lab	ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY 151 or 201

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BUS 4	Business Foundations and Analysis	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 100
BUS 5	Business Law I	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 113 or LAW 111
BUS 15A/16A	Accounting Principles I	ACCOUNTING 101
BUS 15B/16B	Accounting Principles II	ACCOUNTING 102
BUS 18	Professional Development and Presentations	
BUS 21	The Essentials of Business Writing and Presentation	BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE TECHNOLOGY 46 or 147
ECO 1	Microeconomics	ECONOMICS 202 or 202M
ECO 2	Macroeconomics	ECONOMICS 201 or 201M
MTH 28	Mathematical Analysis for Business	
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	MATH 112

CHEMISTRY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
CHE 1A/L	General Chemistry/Discussion/Lab	CHEMISTRY 111

CHE 1B/L	General Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 112
CHE 6A/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 211
CHE 6B/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEMISTRY 212
CIS 2	Introduction to Programming	
MTH 5A	Calculus I	MATH 170
MTH 5B	Calculus II	MATH 190
MTH 5C	Calculus III	MATH 225
PHY 1A	Introductory Physics IA	PHYSICS 101
PHY 1B/L	Introductory Physics IB/Lab	PHYSICS 102
PHY 11A	Mechanics	PHYS 201
PHY 11B	Electricity, Magnetism, and Optics	PHYS 202

CHILD DEVELOPMENT

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 10	Health Science	
EDU 32	Early Childhood Education: Observation and Curriculum Planning	CDEC 112
EDU 33	The Visual & Performing Arts for the Young Child	
EDU 37	Infant/Toddler Development and Care	CHILD DEVELOPMENT/ EARLY CHILDHOOD 151
PSY 1	Introduction to Psychology	PSYCHOLOGY 101
PSY 12	Child/Human Development	PSYCHOLOGY 251
PSY 13	Child Development	
SOC 6	The Family, Child and Community	CHILD DEVELOPMENT/ EARLY CHILDHOOD 113 or SOCIOLOGY 110

CRIMINOLOGY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCIOLOGY 101

ENGLISH

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ENG 1A	Freshman English	ENGLISH 100
ENG 1B	Freshman English	ENGLISH 102 or 103
ENG 5H	Freshman Honors English	
ENG 18	Great Works in World Literature	ENGLISH 248A or 248B
ENG 28	Contemporary Issues in World Literature	
ENG 70	Western Literary Heritage	
ENG 73	Shakespeare	ENGLISH 228
HIS 1A	Western Civilization	HISTORY 241
HIS 1B	Western Civilization	HISTORY 242

FILM, MEDIA AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ART 10	Photography I	
BUS 4	Business Foundations and Analysis	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 100
BUS 5	Business Law I	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 113 or LAW 111
BUS 15A	Accounting Principles I	ACCOUNTING 101
BUS 21	The Essentials of Business Writing and Presentation	BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS OFFICE TECHNOLOGY 46 or 147
PHO 2	Foundations of Photography	PHOT 100
PHO 6	History of Photography	PHOT 160
PHO 8	Lighting Principles	
PHO 30	Studio Product Photography	
MUS 3	Discovering Music Fundamentals	MUS 105
MUS 13	Applied Music: Instrumental/Vocal for Non-Music Majors	
SOC 38	Statistics for Social Science	

FRENCH STUDIES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
FRE 1	Elementary French I	FRENCH 101
FRE 2	Elementary French II	FRENCH 102
FRE 3	Intermediate French III	FRENCH 103
FRE 4	Intermediate French IV	FRENCH 104

GEOSPATIAL CRIMINOLOGY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCIOLOGY 101
SOC 38	Statistics for Social Science	

GLOBAL POLITICS

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 67	Environmental Science	
ECO 2	Macroeconomics	ECONOMICS 201 or 201M
HIS 25	Cultural and Historical Geography	
POL 2	Introduction to World Politics	POLITICAL SCIENCE 220
RST 23	Spiritual Journeys of Women	

HEALTHCARE POLICY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 5	Life Sciences	BIOLOGY 120
BIO 10	Health Science	

POL 1	American Government and Institutions	POLITICAL SCIENCE 101 or 201
POL 2	Introduction to World Politics	POLITICAL SCIENCE 220
PSY 1	Introduction to Psychology	PSYCHOLOGY 101

HISTORY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
HIS 1A	Western Civilization	HISTORY 241
HIS 1B	Western Civilization	HISTORY 242
HIS 3	World History	HISTORY 245 or 246

JOURNALISM AND NEW MEDIA

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
PHO 2	Foundations of Photography	PHOT 100

MATHEMATICS

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
CIS 2	Introduction to Programming	
MTH 5A	Calculus I	MATH 170
MTH 5B	Calculus II	MATH 190
MTH 5C	Calculus III	MATH 225
MTH 8	Transition to Higher Math	
PHY 1BL	Introductory Physics Laboratory	PHYSICS 102
PHY 11A	Mechanics	PHYS 201
PHY 11B	Electricity, Magnetism, and Optics	PHYS 202

MUSIC

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
MUS 1AB	Musicianship I	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 1CD	Musicianship I	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 2AB	Musicianship II	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 5	Music Practicum	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 11	Functional Keyboard Skills	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 13	Applied Music	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 15	Applied Music	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 19	Mount Chorus	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 21	Mount Singers	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 23	Chamber Music	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 24A	Surveys of the History and Literature of Music	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 24B	Surveys of the History and Literature of Music	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 26	Brass and Percussion Instruments: Introductory Techniques	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 27	Woodwind Instruments: Introductory Techniques	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 29	String Instruments: Introductory Techniques	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 42	American Musical Theatre	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 60	Mount Orchestra	Evaluated by Department Chair
MUS 70	Percussion Ensemble	Evaluated by Department Chair

NURSING (Prerequisite courses)

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 3/L	General Microbiology/Lab	MICROBIOLOGY 200
BIO 50A/L	Human Anatomy/Lab	ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY 120 or 150 or 200
BIO 50B/L	Human Physiology/Lab	ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY 151 or 201

ENG 1A	Freshman English	ENGLISH 100
ENG 1B	Freshman English	ENGLISH 102 or 103
CHE 3/PHS 1 or CHEM 1A/L*	Chemistry	CHEMISTRY 111
MTH 10	Quantitative Reasoning and Mathematical Ideas	
PHI 10	Critical Thinking	PHILOSOPHY 103
PSY 1	Introduction to Psychology	PSYCHOLOGY 101
PSY 12	Child/Human Development	PSYCHOLOGY 251
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCIOLOGY 101
SPE 10	Introduction to Communication	SPEECH 100, 120, 130, 132 or 235

*dependent upon nursing program at MSMU.

PHILOSOPHY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
PHI 5	Introduction to Logic	PHILOSOPHY 106
PHI 10	Critical Thinking	PHILOSOPHY 103
PHI 15	Introduction to Philosophy	PHILOSOPHY 100
PHI 16	Philosophy Through Popular Culture	
PHI 21	Moral Values and Ethical Decisions	PHILOSOPHY 102
PHI 24	Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle	
PHI 92	Introduction to Business Ethics	

POLITICAL SCIENCE

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
POL 1	American Government and Institutions	POLITICAL SCIENCE 101 or 201

POL 2	Introduction to World Politics	POLITICAL SCIENCE 220
PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY		
MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ART 10	Photography I	
BUS 4	Business Foundations and Analysis	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 100
BUS 5	Business Law I	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 113 or LAW 111
BUS 15A	Accounting Principles I	ACCOUNTING 101
PHO 2	Foundations of Photography	PHOT 100
PHO 4	Digital Asset Management and Workflow	
PHO 6	History of Photography	PHOT 160
PHO 8	Lighting Principles	
PHO 30	Studio Product Photography	
PHO 34	Photoshop and Digital Printing	ART 192
PSYCHOLOGY (or Applied Psychology)		
MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	MATH 112
PSY 1	Introduction to Psychology	PSYCHOLOGY 101
PSY 12	Child/Human Development	PSYCHOLOGY 251
PSY 13	Child Development	CHILD DEVELOPMENT 110
PSY 40	Basic Statistical Methods	PSYCHOLOGY 210

PSY 52/L	Biological Psychology/Lab	PSYCHOLOGY 241
RELIGIOUS STUDIES		
MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
RST 15	Introduction to New Testament	
RST 21	Contemporary Catholicism	
RST 41	Introduction to Christian Ethics	
SOCIAL WORK		
MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	MATH 112
PSY 40	Basic Statistical Methods	PSYCHOLOGY 210
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCIOLOGY 101
SW 3	Fundamentals in APA Style	
SW 4	Professional Development for Social Work Practice	
SOC 38	Statistics for Social Science	
SOCIOLOGY		
MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCIOLOGY 101

SOC 38	Statistics for Social Science	
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SPANISH STUDIES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
SPA 1	Elementary Spanish I	SPANISH 101
SPA 2	Elementary Spanish II	SPANISH 102
SPA 3	Intermediate Spanish III	SPANISH 201
SPA 3A	Accelerated Spanish III/Spanish for Heritage Speakers	
SPA 4	Intermediate Spanish IV	SPANISH 202
SPA 44	Spanish-speaking Civilizations and Cultures in the Americas and Spain	

MULTIMEDIA COMMUNICATION MINOR

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
GRD 15	Computer Graphics	ART 186
SOC 30	Human Communication	

SECTION III: LIBERAL STUDIES

Students planning to major in Liberal Studies at Mount Saint Mary's University may take the following courses to meet selected subject matter content requirements.

*No community college coursework counts as upper division units at MSMU. Students who transfer a lower division course toward an upper division requirement must still complete a total of 45 upper division units at MSMU.

Other courses may transfer towards major requirements for Liberal Studies; however, the courses must be evaluated by the Liberal Studies Director.

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	CERRITOS COLLEGE Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ART 2	Two Dimensional Art and Design: Global Perspectives	
BIO 10	Health Science	
BIO 67	Environmental Science	
ENG 34	Literature for the Young Child	
HIS 3	World History	
HIS 25	Cultural and Historical Geography	GEOG 102
*HIS 188	California History	*HIST 120
MTH 50	Elementary Number Systems	
MTH 51	Elements of Geometry and Statistics	
MUS 6	The Music Community: Exploring Sound and Meaning	
MUS 17	Women and Gender in Music	
MUS 42	American Musical Theater	
PHS 1 or PHS 2A *Study of Physics *Study of Chemistry	General Physical Science	
PHS 2B *Study of Astronomy *Study of Geology	General Physical Science	

*Study of physics, chemistry, geology and astronomy is required. One course must include Lab.		
POL 1	American Government and Institutions	POLITICAL SCIENCE 101 or 201
PSY 12	Lifespan Development Psychology	PSYCHOLOGY 251

Mount Saint Mary's University, Los Angeles (MSMU) offers a concurrent program of Teacher Preparation. Students take courses toward their baccalaureate degree (in Liberal Studies) and courses in education concurrently. The Liberal Studies Major is a California Commission on Teacher Credentialing-approved Elementary Subject Matter (ESM) Program which waives the CSET (California Subject Matter Examination for Teachers). The courses listed in this articulation agreement under the Liberal Studies Major are accepted as part of the ESM (waiver) program.

The Mount Saint Mary's University Elementary Teacher Preparation Program is a California Commission on Teacher Credentialing-approved program for the preparation of students for the Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential as defined by SB 2042.

Transfer students are encouraged to obtain a passing score on the CBEST (California Basic Education Skills Test). Passing scores on CSET provide greater flexibility in course selection for the Liberal Studies Major and is recommended for transfer students. Contact the Liberal Studies Director for additional information, 213-477-2628.

California Credential requirements are subject to change pending direction from the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CCTC). These changes take precedence over the MSMU catalog, as well as any other MSMU information.