

**BACHELOR'S DEGREE GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST FOR LA VERNE'S GENERAL EDUCATION Fall 2015 & LATER**  
**(Approximately 48-53 semester hours total)**

<b>SEMESTER HOUR (SH) &amp; RESIDENCE MIN.</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 128 SH Total</li> <li>• 44 SH upper division (300-400 level)</li> <li>• 24 SH upper division in the major/16 SH in Residence</li> <li>• 44 SH in Residence; Main Campus traditional undergraduates must also complete 16 SH of the last 32 SH in Residence.</li> <li>• 5 SH Upper Division GE courses must be completed in Residence.</li> </ul>
<b>MAJOR REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Senior Project/Seminar.</li> <li>• Comprehensive exam (select majors).</li> <li>• C- or better in all major courses (2.0 GPA required overall in major).</li> <li>• Minimum GPA for degree completion is 2.0 for La Verne and overall GPA.</li> <li>• All courses in the major must be completed with letter grades including supportive and prerequisite courses.</li> </ul>
<b>LA VERNE'S GENERAL EDUCATION POLICIES</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. One "course" is defined as having a minimum of two (2) SH for Critical Skills and Areas of Knowledge requirements.</li> <li>2. Students may take a maximum of one (1) course in their major to fulfill a Critical Skills or Areas of Knowledge 1-4.</li> <li>3. No course may be used to meet more than one (1) Critical Skills or Areas of Knowledge 1-4.</li> <li>4. With the exception of <u>Written Communication</u>, a grade of D can fulfill a La Verne GE requirement when completed at La Verne.</li> <li>5. Two (2) 1-unit courses from Creative Expression can be used to earn LVCE or General Education Elective Credit.</li> </ol>

LA VERNE'S GE: CRITICAL SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE REQUIREMENTS		
Courses meeting a requirement are identified in the catalog and the schedule with a corresponding attribute code (LVXX).		
CRITICAL SKILLS – Must complete 1 course from each discipline below:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Written Communication A (LVWA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Quantitative Reasoning (LVQR)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oral Communication (LVOC)
<input type="checkbox"/> Written Communication B (LVWB)	<input type="checkbox"/> Lifelong Wellness (LVLW)	
AREAS OF KNOWLEDGE – Must complete all courses as stated for each of the 5 Areas of Knowledge.		
Check MyLaVerne for entire selection of courses for each Area.		
1. <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Humanities – 2 (LVHU) courses selected from areas such as:		
Art History/Appreciation	Communications	English/Literature
History	Modern Language (2 <sup>nd</sup> semester college level; select majors)	
Philosophy/Religion	Music History/Appreciation	Humanities
Theater History/Appreciation	General Studies	
2. <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Social Sciences – 2 (LVSS) courses selected from areas such as:		
Anthropology	Economics	Geography
Political Science	Psychology	Sociology
3. The Natural World – 1 course from each area below:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Life Science (LVLS)	<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Science (LVPS)	
4. <input type="checkbox"/> Creative Expression – 1 (LVCE) course selected from areas such as:		
Art	Music	Photography
Theatre	Creative Writing	Communication (Video)
5. <input type="checkbox"/> General Education Elective – 1 course outside of your major		
Note: Elective excludes: developmental, prerequisite and supplemental courses for the student's selected major; first semester foreign language, AP, IB, CLEP, Dantes and any other competency exam.		
LA VERNE EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENT (In Residence)		
• FLEX Learning Communities (Traditional Main Campus, 12 SH)		Traditional Freshmen Only
<input type="checkbox"/> University Values SoLVE 200, BUS 242, or Honors Colloquium (Traditional, 2SH) or LVE 300 (ROC, 4 SH)		(LVUV)
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Engagement CS 305 or approved course (All Campuses, 1 SH)		(LVCS)
<input type="checkbox"/> University Reflection LVE 400 (All Campuses, 1 SH)		(LVUR)
❖ Student may select an established departmental or interdepartmental major, or they may design a major of their own with faculty advisement and approval. Minimum major and residency requirements apply.		
❖ Written Communication, Quantitative Reasoning, Foreign Language, Community Engagement, Lifelong Wellness, and Creative Expression requirements can be fulfilled through certification, which do not carry course credit (contact the appropriate department).		