

(2) **English A** is required of entering freshmen not passing the English entrance examination. Units in English A will count as electives for graduation but will not satisfy any of the general education requirements.

(3) **Speech 1x** is required as a prerequisite to all other speech courses for those students who do not pass the speech entrance test. Units in Speech 1x will count as electives for graduation but will not satisfy any of the general education requirements.

(4) **Elementary Algebra and Plane Geometry** are required for graduation. If they have not been completed in high school, they must be taken as part of the college course, and will apply in Group 3 of Pattern II but not in Pattern I of the general education requirements. See page 272 for limitation on duplication of courses.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

Foreign language is not a general college requirement for admission to or graduation from Fresno State College.

However, some divisions and departments require the study of a foreign language as part of the preparation for specified undergraduate and graduate majors. In general, upper division and graduate courses in these fields require the use of foreign language. See divisional and departmental statements of majors for details, effective dates, and suggestions for appropriate languages.

Students following majors which require the study of a foreign language ordinarily meet the requirement in one of the following ways:

1. Students who have no foreign language credit from high school complete two years of satisfactory collegiate study in one foreign language.
2. Students who have from one to four years of high school credit in one foreign language may substitute this work for part or all of the requirement. Those who have four years of high school credit in one foreign language ordinarily are relieved of further obligation. Others enter college courses according to the following schedule:

Students with one year of high school credit, enter the "1b" college course in the same language; with two years of high school credit, enter the "2a" college course in the same language; * with three years of high school credit, enter the "2b" college course in the same language; * with four years of high school credit, may enter an *upper division* course in the same language.

With the prior consent of the Chairman of the Foreign Language Department, students who need review may enroll in, and receive credit for, one semester of college study that repeats one year of high school foreign language.

3. Students who do not have the prescribed high school or college credit may elect to meet the foreign language requirement by passing a competence examination. See the *Schedule of Courses* for examination dates.
4. Students who hold the baccalaureate degree are relieved of foreign language requirements in credential majors, but those seeking a second baccalaureate major or a master's degree will be held for any foreign language requirement of the new field.
5. Unless the major specifies the language to be used, a foreign student may offer English to meet the requirement, provided his native language is not English and provided he has come to this country primarily to pursue academic work and expects to return to his home after completing his course of study.

* The comparable courses in Latin carry the numbers 3a and 3b.