

UC Santa Cruz Three Year Pathway: PHILOSOPHY
2023-2024 Catalog Requirements

Three year pathways are most appropriate for students who plan a single major, who have satisfied the Entry-Level Writing Requirement before their first quarter, and who are committed to enrolling in Summer Session. Courses listed as “Any X credit class” may be decreased based on AP or other transfer credit.

This is a sample plan. Work with your major advisor to devise a plan that takes into account your transfer credit, interests, and career goals.

Fall, year 1	Winter, year 1	Spring, year 1	Summer, year 1
College Core Course	Writing 2 (C GE)	CC General Education Class	SR General Education Class
PHIL 11 (TA GE)*	PHIL 9 (MF GE)	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class
SI General Education Class	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class
	STEV 26: Navigating University		
Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 15
Fall, year 2	Winter, year 2	Spring, year 2	Summer, year 2
PHIL 100A (1/2 DC GE)	PHIL 100B (1/2 DC GE)	Upper Division PHIL (Metaphysics/Epistemology)	Upper Division PHIL Elective
IM General Education Class	ER General Education Class	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class
PE General Education Class	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class
		PR General Education Class (2 credits)	
Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 17	Total credits for quarter: 15
Fall, year 3	Winter, year 3	Spring, year 3	Summer, year 3
Upper Division PHIL (Metaphysics/Epistemology)	Upper Division PHIL Elective	PHIL 190	Any 5 credit class
Upper Division PHIL (Value Theory)	Upper Division PHIL Elective	Any 5 credit class	Any 5 credit class
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Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 15	Total credits for quarter: 10
			Total credits in plan: 180**

*This course is optional for the major. Students who choose not to take this class may instead take a different class to satisfy the TA General Education requirement.

**Total credit count includes the 1-unit Orientation Course taken the summer before the start of year 1

The following general education requirements will be satisfied with required courses in the philosophy major: MF, DC.