

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ
NEW STUDENT MAJOR ADVISING SUMMARY FOR 2018-2019 TRANSFER STUDENTS

Students are admitted to UCSC with a "proposed major" in most cases, and later petition to officially declare the major. Admission to UCSC does not guarantee acceptance into a particular major. Junior transfer students must be officially declared in a major by the deadline in their second quarter of enrollment.

Major: CLASSICAL STUDIES

Qualification requirements and/or prerequisites for the major:

Students must pass the lower-division sequence in elementary Greek or Latin language (Greek 1 and 2 or Latin 1 and 2) with a C (2.0) or better to declare the classical studies major. Students are advised to complete elementary Greek or Latin in their the fall and winter quarters of their first year. LIT 184A: *Intro to Greek Literature* or LIT 186A: *Intro to Latin Literature* are strongly recommended in the spring quarter.

Transfer students who intend to pursue this major should do the following prior to the beginning of their first term...

Review the [major requirements](#) and [sample four year plan](#) on the Classical Studies website. Familiarizing yourself with the major and its requirements will give you an invaluable head-start to your college career.

...and should take these courses their first year:

Fall: GREE 1: <i>Elementary Ancient Greek</i>	Or	Fall: LATN 1: <i>Elementary Latin</i>
Winter: GREE 2: <i>Elementary Ancient Greek</i>		Winter: LATN 2: <i>Elementary Latin</i>
Spring: LIT 184A: <i>Introduction to Greek Literature</i>		Spring: LIT 186A: <i>Introduction to Latin Literature</i>

If unable to enroll in courses listed above:

Prospective classical studies majors who have difficulty enrolling in classical studies courses should contact the course instructor by email and sign up on the class waiting list.

Skills important for success in this major:

Analytical writing and reading, critical thinking, cultural analysis, and literary, historical, art historical, and philosophical analysis.

Although not required for the major, students in this major might benefit from these courses/ subjects:

Prospective classical studies majors are encouraged to enroll in any upper division classical studies elective course. A complete list of these course offered in the coming year may be found on the [classical studies website](#).

Other information:

The classical studies program is administered by the History Department. Questions about the classical studies program may be directed to Stephanie Sawyer (historyundergrad@ucsc.edu), the Classical Studies Undergraduate Program Coordinator.

Links to More Information:

- <http://admissions.ucsc.edu/academics/majors/> (general info)
- <http://registrar.ucsc.edu/catalog/programs-courses/> (major requirements, course descriptions, etc.)
- <http://classicalstudies.ucsc.edu/undergraduate/> (program website)
- <http://www.assist.org/web-assist/welcome.html> (transfer credit info)

Questions? Contact an Adviser!

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