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Outcomes

General Education at CSUSB fosters intellectual rigor and exploration whereby students understand and investigate the foundations and implications of ideas, theories, beliefs, and expressions. The program uses a multidisciplinary approach to encourage ongoing, self-motivated learning and to inform student creativity, reasoning, problem-solving, expression, and responsible action. It's a process whereby students:

- Develop awareness of their learning processes, becoming reflective, self-directed learners who are able to apply and adapt their processes of learning in new contexts. (Learning How to Learn/Metacognition)
- Think critically, evaluate, analyze, and solve problems employing multiple methods of reasoning. (Thinking Critically)
- Analyze the ways that information and expression, including quantitative, technological, artistic, oral, and written modes, shape and are shaped by social contexts. (Critical Literacies)
- Develop the ability to understand global contexts so they are prepared to contribute to an ever changing and pluralistic world. (Global Perspective)
- Become aware of connections and differences across disciplines and learning experiences in order to frame and address ideas and questions they encounter in their lives. (Integrative Learning)
- Recognize that they are ethically responsible for the impact that their ideas, decisions, and actions have upon their lives, and on local and global communities. (Ethical Responsibility)
- Explore and understand multiple perspectives in order to collaborate and communicate effectively with diverse people across a variety of contexts and cultures. (Collaboration)