

BA in Fashion Merchandising & Design - *Option in Fashion Design*
Lower Division Worksheet
2024-2025 Catalog

→ You must have a minimum 2.5 overall GPA in order to declare the Fashion Design major.

Grade	Course Number & Title (units)	Prerequisites†
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Complete ALL of the following MSR courses in order to declare your major:

	ONE (1) of the following: <input type="checkbox"/> CHEM 100: Chemistry & Today's World (4) GE AREA: B1/B3 <input type="checkbox"/> Any other general Chemistry with a lab: _____	100 : one GE foundation (corequisite) General Chemistry : see catalog
	ONE (1) of the following: <input type="checkbox"/> AH 111A: Foundation of Art History: Prehistory (3) GE AREA: C1 <input type="checkbox"/> HIST 131: Early Western Civilization (3) GE AREA: D3	111A : one GE foundation (corequisite) 131 : none
	Any GE Foundation A1: Oral Communication course (3)	none
	Any GE Foundation A2: Written Communication course (3)	appropriate English placement
	Any GE Foundation A3: Critical Thinking course (3)	see catalog
	Any GE Foundation B4: Mathematics course (3)	appropriate math placement

Additional lower division major courses:

	ECON 100: Principles of Macroeconomics (3) GE AREA: D3	MATH 103 or higher
	FMD 152: Quick Sketch for Fashion (1)	none; typically fall only
	FMD 154: Fundamentals of Apparel Production (3)	none; typically fall only
	FMD 155: Introduction to the Fashion Industry (3)	none
	FMD 253: Introductory Textiles (3)	none
	FMD 255: Fashion Industry Ethics & Social Responsibility (3)	a 'C' or better in FMD 155
	FMD 256: Intermediate Apparel Production (3)	a 'C' or better in FMD 154 and in FMD 155 or 251; typically spring only
	FMD 257: Introduction to Apparel Flat Pattern (3)	a 'C' or better in FMD 152, 154 and in FMD 155 or 251; typically spring only
	FMD 258: Fashion Merchandising & Design Practicum (3) <i>this course requires a retail position; see faculty for more info</i>	a 'C' or better in FMD 155

†Prerequisites are subject to change; consult the University Catalog (www.csulb.edu/catalog) for the most recent updates

✓ GE credit is granted based on the term you take the course and is subject to change; see the current GE course list at csulb.edu/fall-2021-general-education-requirements

✓ A 'C' or better is required in all courses