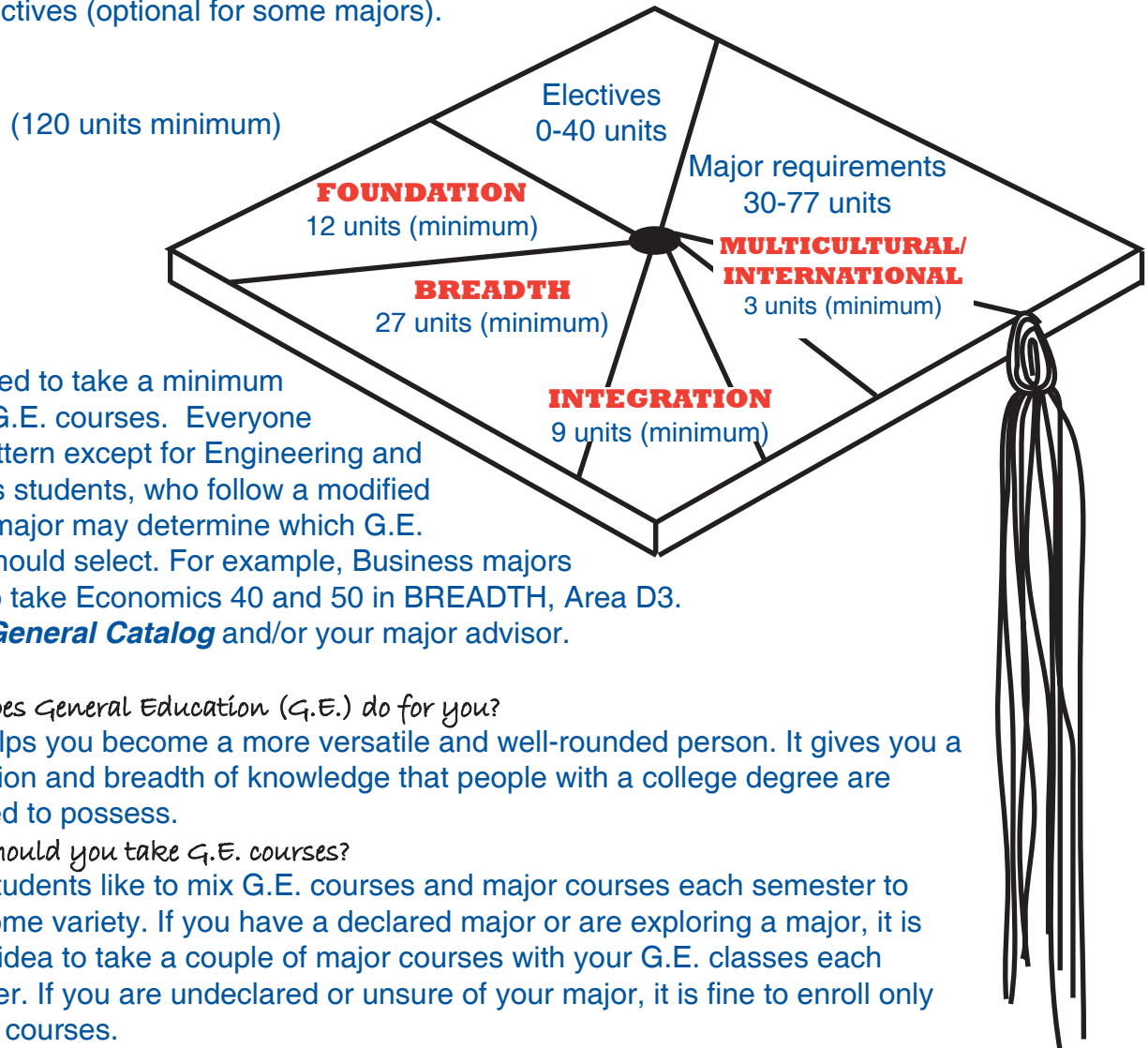


# ACADEMIC PLANNING

To complete a bachelor's degree at Fresno State, you must complete a minimum of 120 units (some majors require more). These units will consist of your General Education (G.E.), your major, and electives (optional for some majors).



You are required to take a minimum of 51 units of G.E. courses. Everyone follows this pattern except for Engineering and Liberal Studies students, who follow a modified pattern. Your major may determine which G.E. courses you should select. For example, Business majors are required to take Economics 40 and 50 in BREADTH, Area D3. Consult your **General Catalog** and/or your major advisor.

**Q:** What does General Education (G.E.) do for you?

**A:** G.E. helps you become a more versatile and well-rounded person. It gives you a foundation and breadth of knowledge that people with a college degree are expected to possess.

**Q:** When should you take G.E. courses?

**A:** Many students like to mix G.E. courses and major courses each semester to have some variety. If you have a declared major or are exploring a major, it is a good idea to take a couple of major courses with your G.E. classes each semester. If you are undeclared or unsure of your major, it is fine to enroll only in G.E. courses.