Meta-Majors

Meta-majors are groups of related majors with similar requirements, outcomes, or methodologies.

How do meta-majors help students?

Grouping majors into broad categories (meta-majors) helps guide student choice. Instead of being confronted with a list of over 200 degree and certificate programs to choose from, students can first choose one of the seven meta-majors based on their general interest. Then, as they start out their educational journey, they can have some time to explore the general interest area, be provided with "program maps," which outline which courses to take semester by semester, and then make a more informed choice about their specific major.

BEHAVIORAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES META MAJOR

BUSINESS META MAJOR

CREATIVE ARTS META MAJOR

HEALTH AND COMMUNITY WELLNESS META MAJOR

INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY META MAJOR

LANGUAGES, COMPOSITION AND JOURNALISM META MAJOR

STEM META MAJOR

UNSURE AND NEED TO EXPLORE

Program Pathways Mapper

Program Pathways Mapper is a visual representation of the El Camino College catalog. It holds sample maps for all certificate and degree options available at El Camino.

Start by choosing one of our seven meta-majors, or general interest areas, to explore majors you're interested in. You will find information on careers, salaries, and a semester-by-semester sample plan of each degree and certificate you can earn. Program Pathways Mapper provides all this information in one place! Find out where you belong.

Get an understanding of your educational journey based on the default map in the tool—don't forget to meet with a counselor, they will help personalize your map, so it meets your individual needs. Plan your pathway to success!

PROGRAM PATHWAYS MAPPER