

HOW TO SEARCH BY COURSE DISTRIBUTION

Course distributions are groups of courses categorized by course content. Some requirements on your [Curriculum Sheet](#) direct you to choose courses with a specific distribution. This is common for Humanities or Additional Credit requirements, depending on your major.

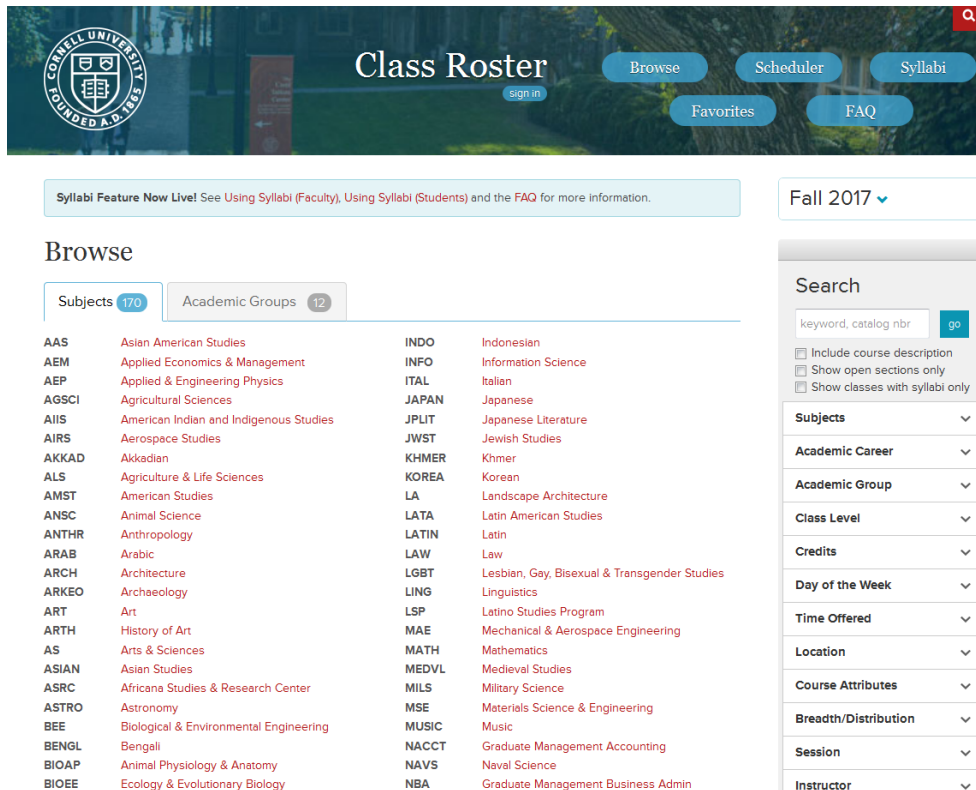
HOW TO READ A DISTRIBUTION CODE:

The first set of letters stand for the course content type. The second set of letters stand for the offering college. Your curriculum sheet will only refer to the course content type, the first set of letters. This means you can take any course with that distribution, in any college. A complete list of distribution codes can be found in the [Courses of Study](#).

Example: CA-HE → a cultural analysis course in The College of Human Ecology

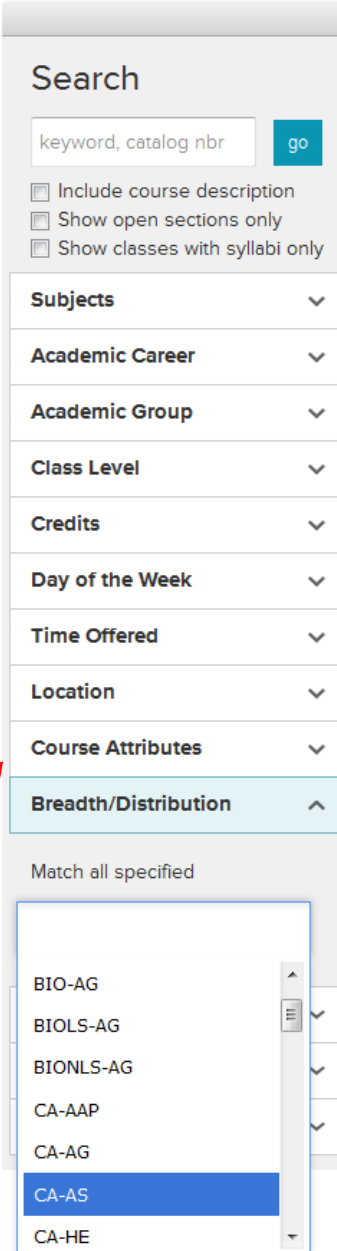
HOW TO SEARCH FOR COURSES WITH A SPECIFIC DISTRIBUTION:

1. Go to the current [Class Roster](#)



The screenshot shows the Cornell University Class Roster website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the Cornell University logo, the text "Class Roster", and buttons for "Browse", "Scheduler", "Syllabi", "Favorites", and "FAQ". Below the navigation bar, there is a banner for "Syllabi Feature Now Live!" with a link to "Using Syllabi (Faculty), Using Syllabi (Students) and the FAQ for more information." To the right of the banner is a dropdown menu for "Fall 2017". Below the banner, there is a "Browse" section with two tabs: "Subjects" (170) and "Academic Groups" (12). The "Subjects" tab is active, and a list of subjects is displayed in a grid format. The subjects listed include AAS (Asian American Studies), AEM (Applied Economics & Management), AEP (Applied & Engineering Physics), AGSCI (Agricultural Sciences), AIS (American Indian and Indigenous Studies), AIRS (Aerospace Studies), AKKAD (Akkadian), ALS (Agriculture & Life Sciences), AMST (American Studies), ANSC (Animal Science), ANTHR (Anthropology), ARAB (Arabic), ARCH (Architecture), ARKEO (Archaeology), ART (Art), ARTH (History of Art), AS (Arts & Sciences), ASIAN (Asian Studies), ASRC (Africana Studies & Research Center), ASTRO (Astronomy), BEE (Biological & Environmental Engineering), BENGL (Bengali), BIOAP (Animal Physiology & Anatomy), BIOEE (Ecology & Evolutionary Biology), INDO (Indonesian), INFO (Information Science), ITAL (Italian), JAPAN (Japanese), JPLIT (Japanese Literature), JWST (Jewish Studies), KHMER (Khmer), KOREA (Korean), LA (Landscape Architecture), LATA (Latin American Studies), LATIN (Latin), LAW (Law), LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Studies), LING (Linguistics), LSP (Latino Studies Program), MAE (Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering), MATH (Mathematics), MEDVL (Medieval Studies), MILS (Military Science), MSE (Materials Science & Engineering), MUSIC (Music), NACCT (Graduate Management Accounting), NAVS (Naval Science), and NBA (Graduate Management Business Admin). To the right of the subject list is a "Search" section with a search bar, a "go" button, and several checkboxes: "Include course description", "Show open sections only", and "Show classes with syllabi only". Below the search section is a list of filters with dropdown arrows: "Subjects", "Academic Career", "Academic Group", "Class Level", "Credits", "Day of the Week", "Time Offered", "Location", "Course Attributes", "Breadth/Distribution", "Session", and "Instructor".

2. Search by Breadth/Distribution on the right side of the window. Place your cursor in the box for a dropdown list of all distributions. Select only one distribution/college at a time. Selecting more than one will remove any course that does not fit into both distributions, greatly reducing the number of eligible courses. You may select other search criteria, such as credit amount, time offered, or location, etc. However, more search criteria will reduce your search results.
3. Use [student center](#) to enroll and confirm that the course is applying toward the desired requirement on your [advisement report](#). If the course is not applying toward the desired requirement in your advisement report, or if you have any questions, please contact the College of Human Ecology, [Office of the Registrar](#).



The screenshot shows a search interface with the following elements:

- Search** header
- Input field: "keyword, catalog nbr" with a "go" button
- Checkboxes:
 - Include course description
 - Show open sections only
 - Show classes with syllabi only
- Dropdown menu for "Breadth/Distribution" (highlighted in light blue) with an upward arrow, containing:
 - BIO-AG
 - BIOLS-AG
 - BIONLS-AG
 - CA-AAP
 - CA-AG
 - CA-AS (highlighted in dark blue)
 - CA-HE
- Text: "Match all specified"

A red arrow points from the text in step 2 to the "Breadth/Distribution" dropdown menu.