The requirement of competence in U.S. Constitution can be met by one of the following:

1. Two semester unit course on the provisions and principles of the Constitution of the United States; or
2. An examination on the provisions and principles of the Constitution of the United States completed at a regionally accredited community college, college or university; or
3. A BA/BS degree awarded by a CSU campus (there is no stipulation on the date of graduation or grade received for the course)

If the individual has a degree from a University of California (UC) campus or a private independent college or university, he or she will need to meet options one or two above. Please note that the U.S. Constitution requirement at the UCs may be met by a high school course, which is not acceptable for teacher certification.

Area University and Community College courses that satisfy this requirement including Cal Lutheran are:

- **Cal Lutheran**
  - HIST 121 *
  - POLS 102, 203 OR 205

- **CSU Channel Islands**
  - HIST 270, 271, 272, 275
  - POLS 150

- **CSUN**
  - POLS 155 OR 355
  - CHS 260 OR 445
  - PAS 161
  - RS 255
  - AAS 347

- **UCSB**
  - POLSCI 12

- **Pepperdine**
  - HIST 200 OR 304

- **UCLA**
  - HIST 13 A, B OR C
  - HIST 151 A OR B
  - POLSCI 40

- **LA Pierce**
  - POLS 01 19 or 30
- **Moorpark College**
  - POLS M01 M03 or M05
  - URBN M01A
- **Ventura College**
  - POLS V01 or V03
- **Oxnard College**
  - POLS R100 R01 or R02

The institutions listed below offer the U.S. Constitution examination for those candidates electing to meet this requirement by examination. You will need to contact the individual school for information and to make an appointment.

- **California Lutheran University**
  - Continuing & Professional Education
  - 60 W Olsen Rd. # 7100
  - Thousand Oaks, CA 91360
  - http://www.callutheran.edu/cpe
  - (805) 493-3543

- **UCLA Extension**
  - 10995 Le Conte Avenue
  - Los Angeles, CA 90024-2882
  - https://www.uclaextension.edu/teachers_creds
  - (310) 206-8651

*This course only meets CLU Credential Program admission. Will not meet US Constitution requirement at another university’s credential program.*