

EARLY WELCOME 2025 Parent Orientation

Presented By



AGENDA

- Transfer Success
- Pre-Nursing & CNA
- Honors Program
- Early College (dual enrollment)





Santiago Canyon College

What happens here matters.

- **Ranked #1 Community College in Orange County** – Niche.com, 2025
- **Top 10% in the Nation** – #6 in CA (of 116), #16 in U.S. (of 755)
- **Nationally Recognized** by Edsmart.org, Intelligent.com, and BestColleges.com
- **Military -Friendly Gold Award Winner** – U.S. Military -Friendly Schools
- **Top Online Real Estate Program** – #2 in U.S. (BestColleges.com)
- **#1 Hispanic -Serving Institution (HIS)** community college in Orange County
- **Multiple OC Community College Teachers of the Year**



ADMISSIONS & RECORDS

Room: E-10 1

Phone: 714-628-4901

Email: admissions@sccollege.edu

Website: sccollege.edu/admissions

Hours: M-Th: 8 am - 6 pm and F: 8 am - 5 pm

UNITS AND FEES

- General Ed Courses are typically 3 - 5 units
- 12 units is full-time (Fall/Spring)
- Can take up to 18 units (Fall/Spring)
- Need a minimum of 60 units to complete associate degree and to transfer

FEE	COST
Enrollment (\$46 per unit)	\$552 (for 12 units)
Health	\$23
Transportation Fee	\$3.20
Student Representation	\$2
Student Life and Leadership	\$10
Parking Permit	\$30
TOTAL	\$620

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

- **Fall:** August – December (16 weeks)
- **Intersession:** January (4 weeks)
- **Spring:** February – June (16 weeks)
- **Summer:** June – July/August (8 weeks)



IMPORTANT DATES

- **August 18:** Fall semester begins
- **September 1:** Last date to drop and NOT receive a “W” grad Last date to drop and receive a full refund (semester-length courses)
- **November 9:** Last date to drop a semester-length course with a “W” grade
- **Last date of Instruction:** Last date to file Pass/No Pass Option (counselor signature required) or petition for Excused Withdrawal
- Check online schedule for short-term course deadlines





TIME MANAGEMENT IS DIFFERENT

- Students will spend less time in class and more time outside of class doing work
- They will experience more freedom and flexibility

Following Rules in High School	Choosing Responsibility in College
Time is structured by others (teachers, family).	Students manage their own time.
Students need permission to participate in extracurricular activities.	Students must decide whether to participate in co-curricular activities and which ones.
Students can count on parents and teachers to remind them of their responsibilities and to guide them to setting priorities.	Students must balance their responsibilities and set priorities. They will face moral and ethical decisions they have never faced before.
Each day students proceed from one class to another, spending approximately 35 hours a week in class.	Students may have long periods of time between classes. Class times vary and students spend only 12-16 hours each week in class.
Most of the classes are arranged for them.	Students arrange their own schedule.
Students will usually be told what to do and are corrected if their behavior is out of line.	Students are expected to take responsibility for what they do and don't do, as well as for the consequences of their decisions.

SUPPORTING YOUR STUDENT

- Encourage your student to make their own decisions.
- Encourage your student to get involved in campus activities.
- Encourage your student to meet with an Academic Counselor regularly to help in selecting courses and making sure they are on the right path to completion.
- When students experience problems, urge them to seek help immediately from the appropriate college resource.





RESOURCES

- First Year Support Center
- Hawk's Nest: Basic Needs Center
- On Campus Job Placement
- Student Health and Wellness Center
- Psychological Services
- Academic and Career Counseling
- Transfer Success Center
- Online Tutoring
- Library
- Math Success Center
- Writing Center
- Laptop Loaner Program and Student Help Desk

COLLEGE CATALOG



sccollege.edu/catalog

- Read the College Catalog
- Degrees and Certificates
- Student Programs
- Policies and Regulations
- Know your rights as a student
- Options such as academic renewal
- What it means to be on academic notice



F.E.R.P.A.

- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
- Federal law protects the privacy of student education records
- These rights transfer to the student when he or she reaches the age of 18 or attends a school beyond the high school level
- For more information go to sccollege.edu and search for “FERPA”
- Consent to release form

**WHAT DO YOU MEAN I CAN'T
HAVE ACCESS TO THE RECORDS?**

I PAY THE BILL!



Reproduced from "Knock Knock" 1961



Who's
There?

FERPA

FERPA who?

**Sorry, I can't
tell you!**



SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE SUMMER ADVANTAGE ACADEMY



The Summer Advantage Academy is a collaborative effort between college faculty and staff to assist students in successful transition from high school to college. Students participating in the Academy will gain a true advantage by receiving college success tips from our faculty, gaining reading, and writing strategies for mastering college-level materials, learning math success skills, learning about our programs and services, receiving an interactive tour from our current students, meeting other incoming students, and familiarizing themselves with the SCC campus, all before their first week of class. In addition, by completing the program students will receive **priority registration for a second year of college.**

How to Receive **Two Years** of Priority Registration:

- Complete the Early Welcome Program during your Senior Year in High School.
- Attend the Summer Advantage Academy. Choose from **either** of the following single-day sessions:

Session 1: August 11 Session 2: August 12

Sessions will be held at SCC from **9:00am until 1:30pm**. Lunch will be provided. Students must attend the entire session to earn priority registration for their 2nd year at SCC. Limited spaces available.



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Gain the Advantage! Space is limited! Deadline to register is July 31, 2025. Register for your session by visiting www.sccollege.edu/apw

See step-by-step instructions to register on back side of this flyer.



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Register NOW for your session!

Scan QR code or visit
www.sccollege.edu/apw



READY FOR A TOUR?

*Explore Your
Future at
Santiago
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SCHEDULE YOUR TOUR TODAY!
VISIT [SCCOLLEGE.EDU/TOURS](https://sccollege.edu/tours) **OR...**

SCAN ME!



outreach@sccollege.edu ✉

(714) 628-4808 ☎

sccollege.edu/outreach 🌐



Santiago Canyon College

STATE-OF-THE-ART FACILITIES

- 40,000 square-foot library with PC & Mac computers, study rooms, & media area
- Gym, fitness centers, sport fields, & swimming pool

CUTTING-EDGE CLASSROOMS & LABS

- High-tech classrooms
- Well-equipped labs

ENGAGING STUDENT LIFE

- Active campus life & enriching traditions
- Welcoming & inclusive campus activities

SUPPORTIVE CAMPUS RESOURCES

- Centers for Scholarships, Transfer Success, Career Development & On-campus Job Placement
- Access to Health and Wellness Services, including therapy over ZOOM Telehealth or in-person



WHAT'S NEXT?

- After orientation today, students will register for classes
- Pay fees for Fall (by June 30) in Self -Service
- Buy Textbooks
- Buy Virtual Parking Permit
- Set up an appointment with a counselor for a comprehensive educational plan
- Show up to class and pass





FINANCIAL AID

Room: E-104

Phone: 714-628-4876

Email: finaid@sccollege.edu

Website: sccollege.edu/finaid

Hours: M-Th: 8 am - 6:00 pm and F: 8 am - 5 pm

TO BE CONSIDERED FOR FEDERAL AID

- All federal programs require that students complete and submit the Free Application For Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
- The FAFSA can be completed online at: www.studentaid.gov
- Most schools recommend that students complete and submit the FAFSA by March 2nd (April 2nd for the 2025-2026 year)

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO APPLY!



FAFSA

- U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen
- (ex. permanent resident, I -94)
- High school graduate/GED holder
- Eligible degree/certificate program
- Valid Social Security number
- Satisfactory academic progress

www.studentaid.gov

CA DREAM ACT

- AB540 students (Affidavit form submitted to Admissions)
- High school graduate/GED holder
- Eligible degree/certificate program
- Satisfactory academic progress

www.CalDreamAct.org

FINANCIAL AID APPLICATIONS

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) www.studentaid.gov

- Pell Grant
- Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant (FSEOG)
- Federal Work Study
- Direct Loans
- California College Promise Grant (California Community Colleges)
- California College Promise Scholarship
- Cal Grants
- Student Success Completion Grant (Cal Grant B and C)

California Dream Act Application www.caldreamact.org

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DEPENDENCY STATUS

- A student is considered dependent until 24 years old.
- For student aid purposes, students must provide parent(s) information on the FAFSA or CA Dream Act.
- Not living with parents or not being claimed by them on tax forms does not make students independent for purposes of applying for federal student aid and Cal Grants.
- A student is dependent even if parent(s) is unable or refuses to provide tax information.

THE FAFSA/DREAM ACT PROCESS

**Student
submits
FAFSA or
Dream Act**



The
DOE/CSAC
will then
process the
application



Student and
college receive
Student Aid
Report (SAR)

College may
request additional
paperwork



Upon submission,
documentation is
reviewed and file
is processed



College emails
award offers to
student

www.studentaid.gov

www.caldreamact.org

APPLY FOR FEDERAL AID

www.studentaid.gov

Get Ready for Student Loan Payments

Restarting Payments

Making Payments for the
First Time

POPULAR TOPICS

[Apply for Aid Using the FAFSA® Form >](#)

[Learn About Public Service Loan Forgiveness >](#)

[Enroll in an Income-Driven Repayment \(IDR\) Plan >](#)

[View Your Loan Information >](#)

[Update on Student Loan Debt Relief >](#)

Considering School

I'm thinking about going to college or a career school.

In School

I'm in the process of earning a degree or certificate.

Parent

I want to help my child pay for college.

In Repayment

I have loans I need to repay.

START THE 2025-2026 FORM

2025–26 FAFSA® Form Now Available!

The 2025–26 FAFSA® form is now available for all students and contributors. Complete the form to apply for financial aid for college, career school, or graduate school.

Start a 2025–26
FAFSA® Form

[Log In To Start](#)

Edit a 2025–26 FAFSA® Form or
Accept an Invitation

[Log In To Edit](#)

Need the 2024–25 FAFSA form?

[Log In To Start a New Form](#)

[Log In To Edit Existing Forms](#)



CREATE YOUR FSA ID

Create an Account

Whether you're a student, parent, or borrower, you'll need to create your own account to apply for, receive, and manage your federal student aid.

Get Started

Already have an account? [Log In](#)

What You Can Do With Your Account

You must have an account to do the following:

- Fill out the *Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®)* form online
- Complete other online forms (such as the *Master Promissory Note*) required to receive aid
- Review the federal student aid you've received

What You'll Need

- Your Social Security number (if applicable)
- Your own email address



CALIFORNIA DREAM ACT

www.CalDreamAct.org

California Dream Act Application



STUDENT ACCOUNT

- Submit a CA Dream Act Application
- Update a previously submitted CA Dream Act Application
- Retrieve Username or Password

Login

Need an Account? Click [here](#) for first-time account registration.



PARENT SIGNATURE

- Reserved for parent(s) ONLY
- Sign your child's CA Dream Act Application

Sign

FINANCIAL AID DROP-IN

Please join us for free assistance with completing the FAFSA or DREAM ACT application!

2025-2026 REQUIRED MATERIALS:

RSVP FOR A DATE

- ✓ 2023 Tax Return
- ✓ 2023 W-2 Forms
- ✓ Social Security Number
- ✓ Permanent Resident Card
- ✓ Parent Demographic Information (if dependent student)



Free food will be provided!

DATE	ROOM	TIME
Friday, January 17th, 2025	E-304	10:00AM – 11:30AM
Monday, February 24th, 2025	E-304	1:00PM – 2:30PM
Tuesday, February 25th, 2025 ★ Financial Aid Awareness Night ★	E-304 & E-306	5:00PM – 7:00PM
Thursday, March 20th, 2025	E-304	1:00PM – 2:30PM
Monday, April 21st, 2025	E-304	10:00AM – 11:30AM
Thursday, May 15th, 2025	E-304	1:00PM – 2:30PM
Tuesday, June 3rd, 2025	E-304	1:00PM – 2:30PM

SCHOLARSHIPS

Santiago Canyon College offers scholarships to incoming first-year students, current students, and students ready to transfer

Students can explore the scholarships offered at SCC, learn about scholarship criteria, and find information on the application timelines on the SCC Scholarship Portal found at www.sccollege.edu/scholarship.

Application Type:	Application Period:
SCC Annual Scholarships (current students)	Early to mid Spring semester
Waltmar Freshman Scholarships	Early to mid Fall semester

RESOURCES

1. www.sccollege.edu/selfservice - SCC student Self Service portal to view current financial aid status
2. www.ECMCLearning.org – Financial literacy
3. www.csac.ca.gov - California Student Aid Commission for Cal Grants
4. www.StudentAid.gov – Federal student aid information

www.sccollege.edu/FinancialAid
www.sccollege.edu/Scholarship



FINANCIAL AID OFFICE

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Phone: 714-628-4876

Email: finaid@sccollege.edu

Website: sccollege.edu/financialaid



WHAT IS THE SCC EARLY COLLEGE PROGRAM?

- Also known as the SCC Dual Enrollment Program
- Take college courses at OUSD high school sites, on SCC campus, or online
- Fall, Intersession, Spring, Summer
- Before, during & after the school
- Classes taught by SCC instructors
- Eligibility: students from 9th to 12th grade - no residency requirement





EARLY COLLEGE (dual enrollment)

- Dual Enrollment Courses are FREE...up to 11 units
- Complete High School Graduation and/or General Education Requirements
- Units Transfer to UC/CSU and Private Universities
- Enhance Competitiveness for College Admissions
- Explore Potential Majors and Careers
- Access College Resources and Student Life

SCC EARLY COLLEGE: ENHANCING COLLEGE READINESS FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS



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What is SCC Early College?

- SCC Early college, also known as *dual enrollment*, is an exciting opportunity for high school students to enroll in college courses with SCC for FREE and earn transferable college units.
- Through this opportunity students can take coordinated (designated sections for high school students) as well as non-coordinated (open courses available to all SCC students).



Every year, more than 250,000 Californian students in grades 9-12 take advantage of dual enrollment!

Benefits for students



START COLLEGE SOONER!

Begin earning college -level credit and fast track your education. Most credits transfer to UC/CSU and private universities or can be used to earn career and professional certificates.



STAND OUT IN COLLEGE APPLICATIONS!

Show colleges that you're ready for the challenge of college -level work by succeeding in Early College classes.



DISCOVER YOUR PASSION!

Not sure what you want to do? Enroll in a college class to explore different careers, majors, and interests, all while getting personalized advice from our expert college advisors.



UNLOCK COLLEGE PERKS – AT NO COST!

Access valuable college resources, from writing centers and math labs to tutoring, counseling, career services, and more. Plus, dive into the vibrant student life!



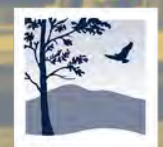
SAVE \$\$\$ ON COLLEGE TUITION!

It's FREE for high school students. Get a head start on your education without the hefty price tag.



VIEW THE 2025 STUDENT RESOURCE GUIDE:

SCCOLLEGE.EDU/STUDENTSERVICES



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Many resources available to support students with dual enrollment



High school counselor

Provide guidance on:

- Course selection & transferability
- Application assistance
- Career & academic planning



College counselor

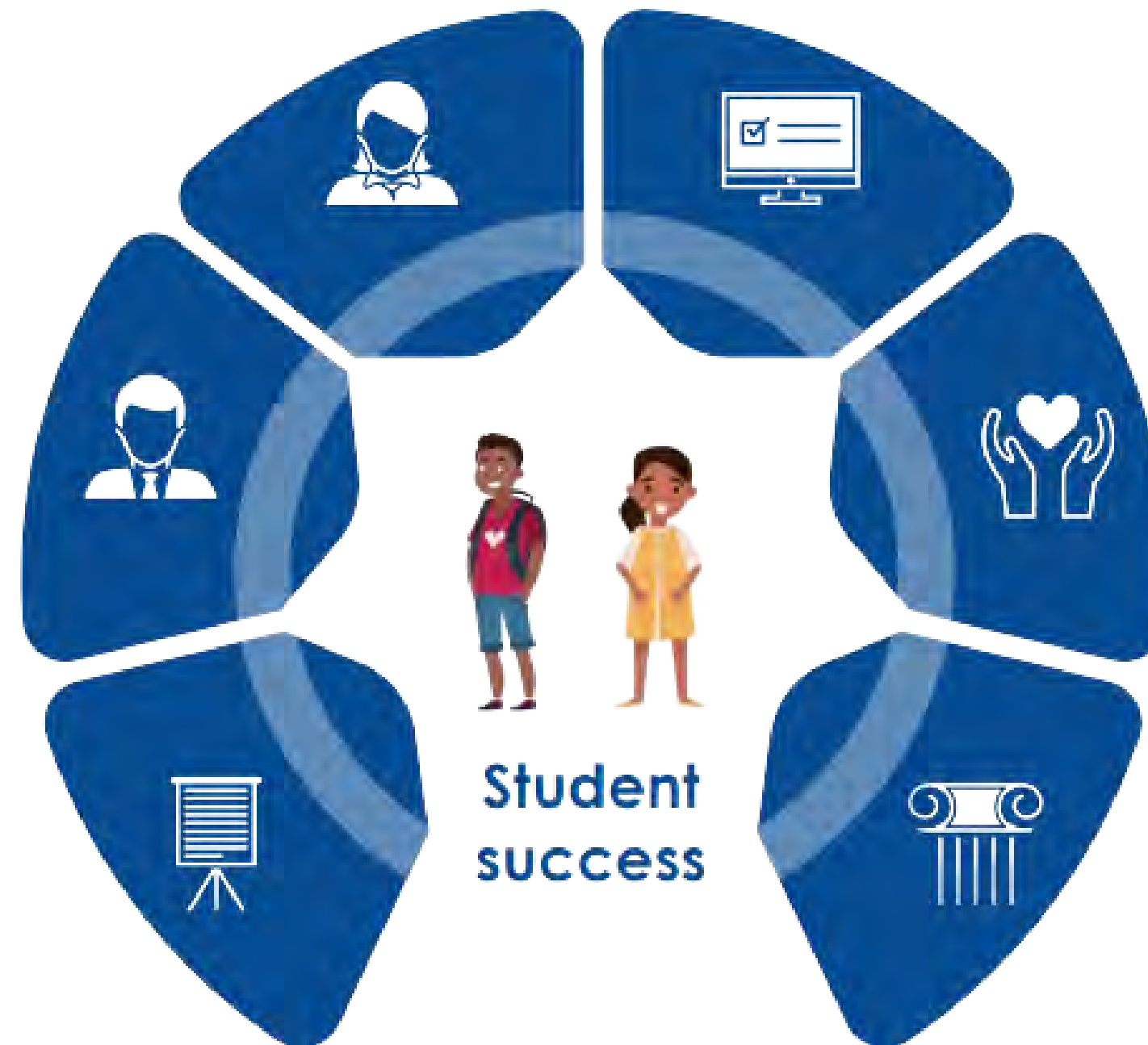
Provide guidance on:

- Course selection & transferability
- Navigating college resources
- Degree pathway planning



Tutoring/peer mentoring

Offer academic support with assignments, studying techniques and career & college mentorship



Online resources

Provide information to navigate transferability (e.g., high school / college websites, Assist.org), FAQs, and academic content review



On-campus basic needs

Essential resources (e.g., food pantry, health services) to ensure student wellbeing and success



Disability supports

Offer resources for students with disabilities, including assistive technology, alternate testing and disability services coordinator



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Ready to get started?

1. APPLY TO SCC:

[SCCOLLEGE.EDU/APPLY](https://sccollege.edu/apply)

2. LOOK FOR CLASSES & VERIFY THAT YOU MEET COURSE ELIGIBILITY:

[SCCOLLEGE.EDU/SCHEDULE](https://sccollege.edu/schedule)

3. DOWNLOAD, FULLY COMPLETE, AND SUBMIT YOUR SPECIAL ADMITFORM TO THE ADMISSIONS & RECORDS OFFICE (PLEASE CC THE EARLY COLLEGE OFFICE):

TO ACCESS THE FORM - [SCCOLLEGE.EDU/SAF](https://sccollege.edu/saf)

EMAIL: ADMISSIONS@SCCOLLEGE.EDU

CC: EARLYCOLLEGE@SCCOLLEGE.EDU

4. REGISTRATION:

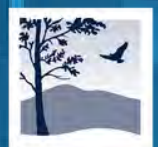
Once you have submitted your form to Admissions & CC'd the Early College Office, the Admissions team will process your form.

5. CHECK YOUR REGISTRATION VIA SELF -SERVICE:

[SCCOLLEGE.EDU/SELFSERVICE](https://sccollege.edu/selfservice)

6. PURCHASE YOUR TEXTBOOKS

[SCCOLLEGE.EDU/BOOKSTORE](https://sccollege.edu/bookstore)



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CONNECT WITH THE SCC EARLY COLLEGE TEAM



Pilar Gutierrez-Lucero,
Student Services Specialist



Basti Lopez,
Associate Dean, Educational Partnerships



TRANSFER SUCCESS CENTER

Room: D-104

Phone: 714-628-4865

Email: transfer_center@sccollege.edu

Website: sccollege.edu/transfer

Hours: M-Th: 8:00 am - 6:00 pm and F: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm



TRANSFER STUDENT SUCCESS

California Transfer Success

- 29% of UC graduates and 51% of CSU graduates started at a California Community College

Seamless Transitions

- Course articulation agreements with CSU's, UC's, and many CA private universities
- UC Transfer Admissions Guarantee (TAG)
- Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) pathways to CSU's

Community College Student Success

- Transfer students to UC have high graduation rates (89% transfer vs. 86% Freshman)

Sources: <https://cccao.org/fast-facts/#:~:text=Student%20Success&text=Twenty%2Dnine%20percent%20of%20University,started%20at%20a%20community%20college>
<https://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/student-success/transfer-students>



A photograph of a modern university building with large glass windows and a brick facade. Several students are visible: some walking on a paved path in the foreground, others sitting on a bench, and a few standing on a balcony of the upper floor. The building is set against a clear blue sky. The image is partially overlaid by a large yellow and blue geometric graphic on the left side of the slide.

FRESHMAN VS. TRANSFER ADMIT RATES

	Freshman	Transfer
Berkeley	11%	25.4%
Davis	42.1%	58.8%
Irvine	28.8%	39.8%
UCLA	9.0%	22.3%
Merced	91.7%	62.2%
Riverside	76.4%	57.3%
San Diego	26.8%	54.7%
Santa Barbara	32.9%	61.8%
Santa Cruz	65.0%	64.2%

Data Source: <https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/campuses-majors/freshman-admit-data.html>

TOP TRANSFER DESTINATIONS

Top Transfer Destination 2019-2024	Notable Top Universities (US News and World Report)
CSU Fullerton	Claremont McKenna College
CSU Long Beach	Cornell University
UC Irvine	Duke University
Cal Poly Pomona	Stanford University
CSU Dominguez Hills	UC Berkeley
UCLA	Vanderbilt University
Arizona State University	University of Michigan
Chapman University.	Columbia University

TRANSFER GUARANTEE/AGREEMENTS

CSU Transfer Success Pathway- NEW Guarantee for you students!

- Guaranteed admission to one of 23 CSU's, for a specific major (some majors may be limited)
- Must be a recent H.S. graduate and 1st time Freshman at SCC
- Not eligible to attend a CSU out of H.S. or did not attend b/c of personal or financial reasons
- August 1 -September 30
- www.calstate.edu/transfersuccess





TRANSFER GUARANTEE/AGREEMENTS

- Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) - For CSU's and some CA Private Universities
- UC Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) - For UC. For 6 UC's
- Arizona State University
- Historically Black Colleges & Universities (HBCU) - 39 participating institutions
- Honors Program Priority/Guarantees:
 - UCLA TAP - ~80% admit rate for SCC
 - HTCC-35 partnerships with priority or guarantee of admissions to the school and/or honors program.
 - UCI Honors to Honors
- NEW partnerships in process



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IMPORTANT DEADLINES

Fall Admissions

- UC TAG: September 1 -30
- UC/CSU: October 1 -November 30

Winter/Spring Admissions

(Not every university opens during this admissions cycle)

- UC TAG: May 1-31
- UC: July 1-30
- CSU: August 1-31



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SERVICES & RESOURCES

In collaboration with knowledgeable and skilled SCC counselors and 4-year college/university representatives, the Transfer Success Center staff aims to foster a seamless university transfer process through services and resources that include:

- University Research
- Individual Advisement
- College/university representative appointments
- Personal Statement Assistance
- Application Assistance
- College fairs
- Guaranteed admission programs
- Admissions Appeals
- Transfer Celebration



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TRANSFER PREPARATION

- Work with your counselor frequently
- Grades are important!
- Get informed early
- Get to know your professors
- Get involved
- Utilize advantages such as ADT, UC -TAG, Honors, etc.

Transfer Essentials for Parents/Families

Learn how to best prepare you student for a seamless transfer to a 4-year university!

Tuesday, May 20th
6:30pm -7:30pm
Via ZOOM

En Español
21 de Mayo
por Zoom

Go to **bit.ly/3XPaztz**
Or Scan the QR Code





Follow us on Social Media!



/SCCTransfer

Staff:

- Miguel Luna
- Emily Delgado
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COUNSELING

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Website: sccollege.edu/counseling

Presenter: Rudy Carrion, Co-dept. chair – College
Counseling & Career Development



High School vs. College

High School

- Assigned Counselor
- Assigned schedule
- They call you in
- HS Counselors register you



College

- Meet with ANY Counselor
- Choose classes that interest YOU
- You initiate an appointment with a Counselor
- Register on your OWN

EDUCATIONAL OPTIONS AT SCC

Certificate

- 12+ Units
- No General Education is required

Associate Degree

- 60 Units
- GE + Major Courses

University Transfer

- 60 Transferrable Units
- GE + Major Courses

Undecided on your educational or career goals? Talk to a Career Counselor!

CAREER EXPLORATION & COLLEGE SUCCESS COURSES

COUNSELING 101



- Topics include:
 - Discover Self-Motivation
 - Master Self-Management
 - Gain Self-Awareness
 - Stress Management
 - Introduction to Career Exploration
 - Explore Learning Styles
 - Transfer Process & Major Exploration
 - *CSU and UC Transferrable*

COUNSELING 116



- Topics include:
 - Personality & Interest Assessments
 - Explore Values
 - Resume Building
 - Career Exploration
 - Interview & Job Search Strategies
 - Transfer Process & Major Exploration
 - *CSU and UC Transferrable*

Additional courses to consider:

CNSL 113 – Learning Strategies for College Success

CNSL 118 – Self Exploration and the Teaching Profession

CNSL 150 – Intro to Human Services

**All CSU Transferrable*

University **Transfer**



University of California (UC)

Minimum 60 Units
*Most Courses #100+
Major Prep:
Assist.org

California State University (CSU)

Minimum 60 Units
All Courses #100+
Major Prep:
Assist.org
(or SCC Catalog for similar ADTs)

Private or Out of State Universities

Most Courses #100+
Major Prep:
Varies

COURSEWORK RATIO

General Education (~40 units):

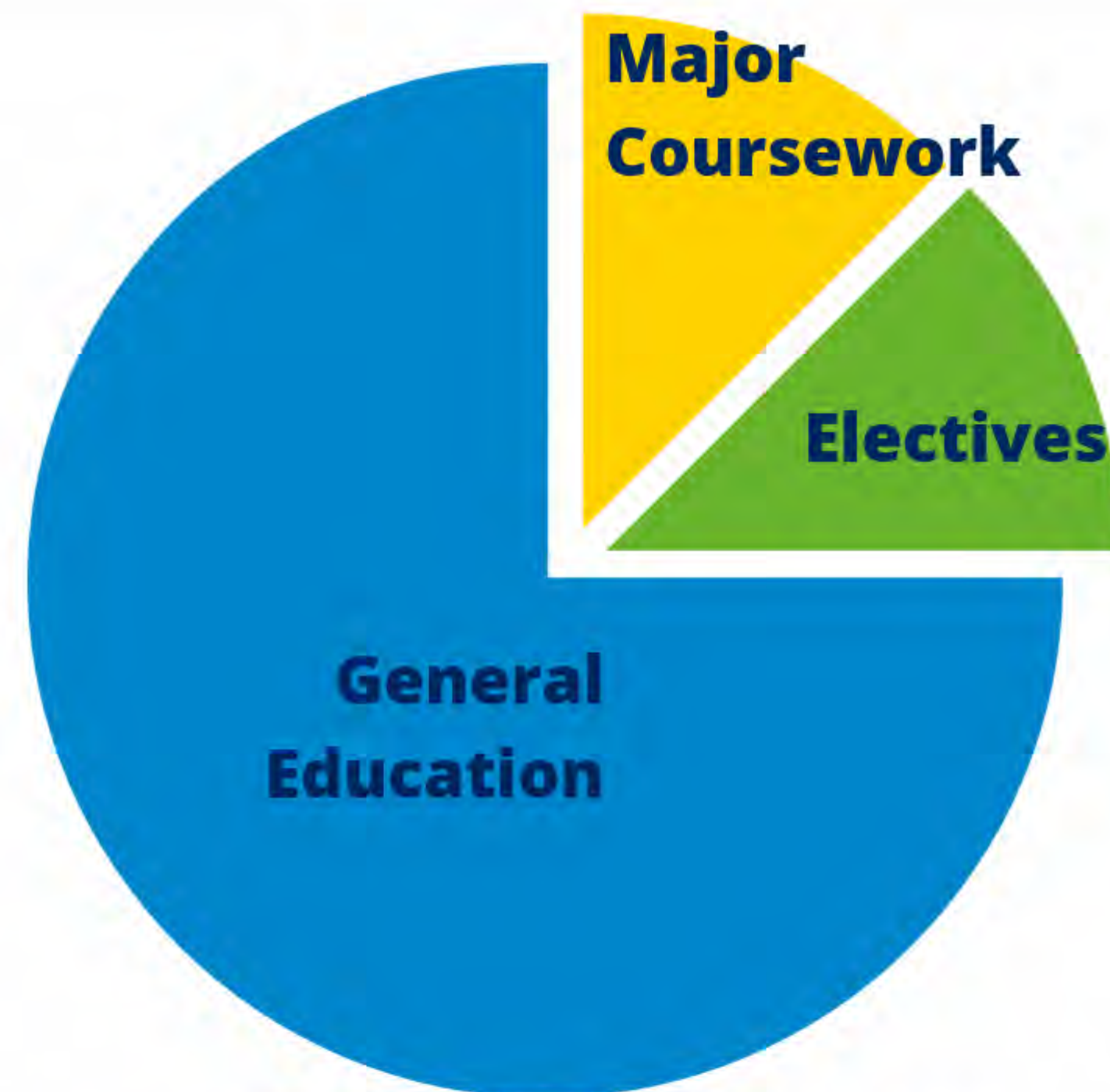
Survey classes; similar but more in-depth than high school

Major (~20+ units):

Required major courses as listed in the SCC catalog and/or ASSIST.org

Electives (0+ units):

Your choices to explore subjects or to reach 60 units (if needed)



**Associates or
Transfer = 60 units**

TIMELINE SAMPLES



Attending part-time,
needing pre-reqs, &
high unit majors
impacts your
transfer/degree
timeline. Take the
time you need!



SCC General Education Plans

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Plan 1 (Buff)
AA/AS Degree Only
No Transfer

[illegible]

Plan 2 (Green) AA/AS Degree & UC/CSU Transfer

[illegible]

Plan 3 (Pink) AS Degree



SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE - PLAN 1

2025-2026 Associate in Arts General Education Pattern

Area 1: English Composition, Oral Communication, and Critical Thinking 6 SEMESTER/8 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course from 1A and ONE course from 1B.			
1A: ENGLISH COMPOSITION English C1000*/C1000H* (formerly ENGL 101*/101H*) Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
1B: ORAL COMMUNICATION AND CRITICAL THINKING Communication 100*/100H*, 101, 111, C1000 (formerly COMM 110) English 102**/102H**, C1001*/C1001H* (formerly ENGL 103*/103H*) Philosophy 110, 111 Reading 150, 151 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
Area 2: Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE MATH course			
2: MATHEMATICS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING Computer Science 112, 120, 121, 131, 149, 154; Mathematics 105, 140*, 150*, 150S*, 171*, 180*/180H*, 180S*, 185, 203, 225, 270, 280, 287*, 290*, 295*; Sociology 125*/125H*, Statistics C1000*, C1000E*, C1000H* (formerly MATH 219*/219S*/219H*); Water and Wastewater Technology 137 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
Area 3: Arts and Humanities 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course from either 3A or 3B			
3A: ARTS Art 100*/100H*, 101*/101H*, 102*/102H*, 110; Cinema Studies 103, 104, 105**, 107, 108; Dance 100; Music 101*/101H*, 102, 103, 104; Theatre Arts 100 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
3B: HUMANITIES American Sign Language 110, 111, 116, 210; Anthropology 104**, Chinese 101, 102; English 102**/102H**, 231, 232, 233A, 233B, 241, 242, 270, 271, 272, 278, 279; French 101, 102, 201, 202; Gender, Sexuality, and Women Studies 101**, 102**, 103**, History 101**/101H**, 102**/102H**, 115**, 125**, 129**, 130**, 132**, 142**, 172**, Italian 101, 102, 194, 195, 201, 202; Nutrition & Food 120**, Philosophy 106*/106H*, 108, 112, 115, 118, 120; Spanish 101*/101H*, 101A & 101B, 102*, 110, 111, 194, 195A, 195B, 201, 202, 213 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course from either 4A or 4B			
4A: AMERICAN INSTITUTIONS SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES Ethnic Studies 110**, 120**, 130**, 140**, History 118, 120*/120H*, 121*/121H*, 124, 127; Political Science POLS C1000*/POLS C1000H* (formerly POLT 101*/101H*) Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
4B: SOCIAL SCIENCE ELECTIVE Anthropology 100*/100H*, 103, 104**, Apprenticeship Child Growth and Development 107**, 110, 221; Child Development 107**, 110, 221; Cinema Studies 105**, Communication 120*/120H*, 225*/225H*, Computer Science 100, Counseling 150, 152, 165; Criminal Justice 101; Economics 101, 102; Education 101; Gender, Sexuality, and Women Studies 101**, 102**, 103**, Geography 100*/100H*, 102*/102H*, History 101**/101H**, 102**/102H**, 115**, 125**, 126, 129**, 130**, 132**, 133, 140, 142**, 152, 162, 172**, 240; Interdisciplinary Studies 155; Kinesiology 109, 110**, Nutrition & Food 120**, Political Science 230; Psychology 160**, 170, 180, 190**, 1000C*/1000H* (formerly PSYC 101*/101H*), Sociology 100*/100H*, 101**, 120, 220**, 286 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____	Completed	In Progress	Need

Area 5: Natural Sciences 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course from either 5A or 5B.			
5A: PHYSICAL SCIENCES Astronomy 102, 103, 104; Chemistry 100, 200A*/200AH*, 200B; Earth Science 100, 111, 120, 121, 130, 160, 200; Geography 101*/101H*, 130*/130H*; Physics 150A, 150AC, 150B, 150BC, 250A, 250B, 250C; Water and Wastewater Technology 155 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
5B: BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES Anthropology 101; Biology 109*/109H*, 111, 115, 139, 149, 190, 211, 213, 215, 221, 229, 231, 239, 241, 249, 259, 290; Psychology 200 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____ AP/CLEP/IB _____			
Area 6: Ethnic Studies 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE Ethnic Studies course			
6: ETHNIC STUDIES Ethnic Studies 101, 110, 120, 130, 140; Sociology 101** Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
Area 7: Lifelong Understanding and Self-Development 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course from 7A and one course from 7B. No more than one unit may be counted from 7B.			
7A: LIFELONG LEARNING AND SELF-DEVELOPMENT Accounting 100; Apprenticeship Child Development 107**, Child Development 107**, Counseling 101, 113, 116, 118; Interdisciplinary Studies 155**, Kinesiology 100, 101, 102, 104, 110**, 111; Information Studies 100*/100H*, Nutrition and Food 115, 120**, Philosophy 111; Psychology 160**, 190**, 230; Sociology 130, 220**	Completed	In Progress	Need
7B: ACTIVITY Kinesiology 119-123 (Excluding Kinesiology 274)			
TOTAL UNITS:			
Important Notes			
Associate in Arts Degree Requirements			
I. Units and Residency Requirements 60-degree applicable units, with at least a 2.0 grade point average in the degree applicable courses. At least 12 of the units must be earned at Santa Ana College, Santiago Canyon College, or a combination of the two. Students may petition to meet the residency requirement in order to alleviate injustice and undue hardship. If units accumulated beyond those required for the degree lower a student's cumulative grade point average below 2.0, Santa Ana College and Santiago Canyon College will compute the grade point average based solely on those courses used to satisfy the degree requirements, provided that the coursework used to compute the grade point average fulfill all major areas of emphasis and general education requirements.			
II. General Education Requirements 24 semester units of general education which include one course or more as indicated in area requirements 1-7. (Students earning an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) must instead complete Cal-GETC. Students may also use full CSU-GE Breadth or Full IGETC certification to earn an ADT but will need to consult with a counselor to determine CSU-GE/IGETC eligibility). Courses from the major may be used to satisfy areas 1-7. The requirements in areas 1-7 may also be met by Cal-GETC certification or by submitting a transcript showing completion of a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution. Students may also use full CSU-GE Breadth or full IGETC certification to meet requirements (student must consult with a counselor to determine CSU-GE/IGETC eligibility). In addition, the requirements in areas 1-7 may be met by submitting a transcript showing completion of an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree from a regionally accredited California institution within a ten-year period of finishing major requirements (III) at the college.			
III. Major Requirements: Each degree program specifies courses required for the major (a minimum of 18 units). Students must complete these courses with a grade of "C" or better or with a "P" if the course is taken on a Pass/No Pass basis*. See instructional programs section of the SCC Catalog. *A maximum of 14 Pass/No Pass units is allowed for any degree program. This does not include units taken under credit by examination or assessment, or units earned in course which Pass/No Pass is the only grading option.			
Petition for Graduation and Catalog Rights Petitions for graduation should be filed in the Graduation Office during the semester session the student expects to graduate. Students who maintain continuous enrollment in at least one regular semester or session of a catalog year (fall, intersession, spring, or summer) at Santa Ana College or Santiago Canyon College may elect to meet the associate degree or certificate requirements in the SAC/SCC Catalog in effect at the time of first enrollment or may choose the catalog requirements from any catalog year of subsequent continuous enrollment. A student who has an interruption of attendance must use the catalog at the time of readmission or one of subsequent continuous enrollment. Commencement exercises are held once a year at the end of the spring semester for those students who complete the requirements for graduation during the academic year or the summer session from the previous academic year. Official Transcripts from all colleges attended must be on file in the Admissions and Records Office.			
What if I have a mixture of quarter and semester unit courses? How is this calculated towards the completion of an Associate of Arts. It will be calculated to the student's advantage per Area, using either semester or quarter units. To convert semester units to quarter units, multiply the semester by 1.5. To convert quarter units to semester units, divide the quarter units by 1.5.			
*Duplicate credit will not be awarded for both the Honors and the regular version of a course. **Courses may be listed in more than one area but will not be certified in more than one area.			



SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE - 2025-2026 Cal-GETC/Plan 2

California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC)

General Education Certification for the California State University and University of California

- SCC and CSU students with continuous enrollment before Fall 2025 can continue to complete the CSU GE/Plan B or IGETC/Plan C pattern or may elect to complete Cal-GETC, but it is not required. Continuous enrollment is completing one semester each calendar year (Example: Fall 2023, Spring 2024, Spring 2025, etc.) without a one-year break. Fall 2025 and thereafter, students who do not have continuous enrollment must complete Cal-GETC. Students from UC, in-state-private, and/or out-of-state institutions must complete Cal-GETC. **Highlighted courses are pending Cal-GETC Approval.**

AREA 1: ENGLISH COMMUNICATION				
3 courses - 9 semester or 12 quarter units are required. Select ONE course for each subarea (A, B, and C).				
A. ENGLISH COMPOSITION	Completed	In Progress	Need	
English C1000*/C1000H* (formerly ENGL 101*/101H*)				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP			
B. CRITICAL THINKING/COMPOSITION	Completed	In Progress	Need	
English 102*/102H*, C1001*/C1001H* (formerly ENGL 103*/103H*) Philosophy 110; Reading 151				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____				
C. ORAL COMMUNICATION	Completed	In Progress	Need	
Communication Studies C1000 (formerly COMM 110)				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____				
AREA 2: MATHEMATICAL CONCEPTS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING				
Select ONE (1) course - 3 semester or 4 quarter units are required				
SELECT ONE COURSE	Completed	In Progress	Need	
Math 105, 140*, 150*, 150S* , 171*, 180*/180H*, 180S, 185, 225, 270, 280, 287, 290, 295 ; Sociology 125*/125H*, Statistics C1000*/C1000H*/C1000E (formerly MATH 219*/219H*/219S*)				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP/IB			
AREA 3: ARTS AND HUMANITIES				
Select ONE course from the Arts and ONE course from the Humanities. 2 courses - 6 semester or 8 quarter units are required				
A. ARTS: One Course Required	Completed	In Progress	Need	
Art 100*/100H*, 101*/101H*, 102*/102H*, Cinema Studies 103, 104; Dance 100; Music 101*/101H*, 102, 103, 104; Theatre Arts 100				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP/IB			
B. HUMANITIES: One Course Required	Completed	In Progress	Need	
American Sign Language 111, 116, 210; Chinese 102; English 102**/102H**, 231, 232, 233A, 233B, 241, 242, 270, 271, 272, 278, 279, 280; French 102, 201, 202; History 101**/101H**, 102**/102H**, 115*, 118*, 125+, 129+, 130+, 132, 140+, 171+ , Italian 102, 201, 202; Philosophy 106*/106H*, 108, 112, 115, 118, 120; Spanish 102, 111, 195A, 195B, 201, 202				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP/IB			
AREA 4: SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES				
Select TWO courses from at least TWO different disciplines. 2 courses - 6 semester or 8 quarter units are required				
Anthropology 100*/100H*, 103, 104; Apprenticeship Child Development 107* 110, 221 ; Child Development 107*, 110, 221 ; Cinema Studies 105; Communication 120*/120H*, 225*/225H*, Counseling 150, 165 ; Criminal Justice 101; Economics 101, 102; Education 101; Ethnic Studies 101*, 110*, 120*, 130*, 140*; Gender, Sexuality, and Women Studies 101, 102, 103; Geography 100*/100H*, 102*/102H*, 140; History 101**/101H**, 102**/102H**, 115+, 118, 120*/120H*, 121*/121H*, 124, 125+ , 126, 127, 129+ , 130+ , 133, 140+ , 142, 152, 162, 172+ , 240; Interdisciplinary Studies 155; Kinesiology 109; Political Science 150, 201, 220, 221, 230, 235 ; POLS C1000*/POLS C1000H (formerly POLT 101*/101H*); Psychology 157*, 160, 170, 180, 190, 200, 220, 230, 240, 250; C1000*/C1000H* (formerly PSYC 100*/100H*); Sociology 100*/100H*, 101*, 115, 116, 120, 130, 150, 160, 210 , 220, 230 , 240*/240H*, 286	Completed	In Progress	Need	
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP/IB			
Additional Area 4 Course: _____	Completed	In Progress	Need	
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP/IB			

AREA 5: PHYSICAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES				
Select ONE course from the Physical Sciences and ONE course from the Biological Sciences. One course from group A or group B MUST have a corresponding lab. Lab courses are underlined. 2 courses - 7 semester or 9 quarter units are required				
A. PHYSICAL SCIENCE: One Course Required	Completed	In Progress	Need	
Astronomy 102, 103, 104; Chemistry 100*, 200A*/200AH*, 200B; Earth Science 100, 111 , 120, 121 , 130, 160, 200; Geography 101*/101H*, 130*/130H*; Physical Science 100; Physics 100*, 150A*, 150B*, 250A*, 250B*, 250C*				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP/IB			
B. BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE: One Course Required	Completed	In Progress	Need	
Anthropology 101; Biology 109*/109H*, 111, 115, 139, 149, 177, 190, 211, 213, 215, 221, 229, 231, 239, 241, 249, 259, 290 Psychology 200				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP/IB			
C. LABORATORY ACTIVITIES: One Lab Course Required	Completed	In Progress	Need	
Anthropology 101L ; Astronomy 100L (Lab Activity for ASTR 102, 103 and 104); Biology 109L*/109HL* , 111, 115, 139, 149, 190L, 211, 213, 215, 221, 229, 231, 239, 241, 249, 259, 290 ; Chemistry 100* , 200A*/200AH*, 200B; Earth Science 100L, 111, 121* ; Geography 101L ; Physical Science 100 ; Physics 100* , 150A*, 150B*, 250A*, 250B*, 250C*				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP			
AREA 6: ETHNIC STUDIES				
Select ONE (1) course - 3 semester or 4 quarter units required.				
Ethnic Studies 101*, 110*, 120*, 130*, 140*; Sociology 101*	Completed	In Progress	Need	
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____				
TOTAL UNITS:				
OPTIONAL (Not part of Cal-GETC) - UC GRADUATION REQUIREMENT: LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH (LOTE)				
Upon transfer to UC, a course approved to fulfill a Cal-GETC subject area 3B (language courses only) may be used to satisfy the LOTE requirement if it meets relevant UC criteria. Each UC campus has its own LOTE guidelines and requirements. SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE DOES NOT CERTIFY LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY.				
https://admission.universityofcalifornia.edu/counselors/uc-graduation-requirements/				
OPTIONAL (Not part of Cal-GETC) - CSU GRADUATION REQUIREMENT: U.S. HISTORY, CONSTITUTION, AMERICAN IDEALS (AI)				
CSU campuses have the discretion to allow courses used to satisfy the CSU U.S. History, Constitution, and AI graduation requirement to count for GE. UC may require students to meet (some) AI graduation requirements if the student did not graduate from a high school in California. May be completed prior to transfer.				
US 1: Historical Development and American Institution and Ideals (One Course; may also count for areas 4 or 6)	Completed	In Progress	Need	
Ethnic Studies 110, 120, 130, 140; History 118, 120*/120H*, 121*/121H*, 124, 127				
US 2: U.S. Constitution and Government AND US 3: California State and Local Government (may count for area 4)				
Political Science C1000*/C1000H* (formerly POLT 101*/101H*)				
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP			
**Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	AP			
IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND FOOTNOTES				
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• All courses completed on Cal-GETC must have a "C" or better grade to meet all areas. A C-minus (C-) grade is NOT acceptable on Cal-GETC.• Each course for Cal-GETC must have a minimum value of 3 semester or 4-quarter units.• For a course to meet a requirement for Cal-GETC, students must ensure that the course is listed on the Cal-GETC list at the time of enrollment.• Courses completed on IGETC can be used to meet the same Cal-GETC GE area if the IGETC course was approved in the same Cal-GETC area in Fall 2025 (COMM 110 is the only IGETC 1C course that can be used on Cal-GETC 1C. COMM 110 is now COMM C1000).• Courses with an asterisk or plus sign (*) indicate one of the following credit limitation reasons:<ul style="list-style-type: none">❖ No credit is given for an introductory course if taken after a more advanced college course (such as sequential courses, Mathematical, Biological Sciences, and foreign languages).❖ Credit may be limited for courses with overlapping content.❖ Duplicate credit will not be awarded for both an Honors and non-honors course (e.g., HIST 101* and HIST 101H*)❖ + Courses published in more than one GE area can only meet one GE area, not both, except for courses in the sciences (3A/3B) and laboratory (3C); courses that meet graduation requirements for CSU United States History, Constitution, American Ideals graduation requirement, US1, and US2 + US3; and UC Language Other Than English (LOTE).• Courses taken at regionally accredited colleges or universities (not at a California Community College) can meet Cal-GETC general education requirements. The Articulation Officer reviews such courses via the "Pass Along Petition" process. Per Cal-GETC general education standards, the Articulation Officer determines Cal-GETC GE placement. Meet an SCC counselor for more information on the Pass Along Petition process.				
Requirements are subject to change. Please work with an SCC counselor to develop a Student Educational Plan (SEP) that includes major preparation.				



SANTIAGO CANYON COLLEGE - PLAN 3

2025-2026 Associate in Science General Education Pattern

Area 1: English Composition, Oral Communication, and Critical Thinking 6 SEMESTER/8 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course from 1A and ONE course from 1B			
1A: ENGLISH COMPOSITION English C1000*/C1000H*(formerly ENGL 101*/101H*) Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____AP/CLEP/IB_____	Completed	In Progress	Need
1B: ORAL COMMUNICATION AND CRITICAL THINKING Communication 100*/100H*, 101, 111, C1000 English 102**/102H**, C1001*/C1001H*(formerly ENGL 103*/103H*) Philosophy 110, 111 Reading 150, 151 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
Area 2: Mathematics and Quantitative Reasoning 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE MATH course			
2: MATHEMATICS AND QUANTITATIVE REASONING Computer Science 112, 120, 121, 131, 149, 154; Mathematics 105, 140*, 150*, 150S*, 171*, 180*/180H*, 180S*, 185, 203, 225, 270, 280, 287*, 290*, 295*; Sociology 125*/125H*, Statistics C1000*, C1000E*, C1000H*(formerly MATH 219*/219S*/219H*), Water and Wastewater Technology 137 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____AP/CLEP/IB_____	Completed	In Progress	Need
Area 3: Arts and Humanities 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course from either 3A or 3B			
3A: ARTS Art 100*/100H*, 101*/101H*, 102*/102H*, 110, Cinema Studies 103, 104, 105**, 107, 108, Dance 100, Music 101*/101H*, 102, 103, 104, Theatre Arts 100 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
3B: HUMANITIES American Sign Language 110, 111, 116, 210, Anthropology 104**, Chinese 101, 102, English 102**/102H**, 231, 232, 233A, 233B, 241, 242, 270, 271, 272, 278, 279, French 101, 102, 201, 202, Gender, Sexuality, and Women Studies 101**, 102**, 103**, History 101**/101H**, 102**/102H**, 115**, 125**, 129**, 130**, 132**, 142**, 172**, Italian 101, 102, 194, 195, 201, 202, Nutrition & Food 120**, Philosophy 106*/106H*, 108, 112, 115, 118, 120, Spanish 101*/101H*, 101A & 101B, 102*, 110, 111, 194, 195A, 195B, 201, 202, 213 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____AP_____	Completed	In Progress	Need
Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course			
4: SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES Anthropology 100*/100H*, 103, 104**, Apprenticeship Child Growth and Development 107, 110, 221, Child Development 107, 110, 221; Cinema Studies 105**, Communication 120*/120H*, 225*/225H*, Computer Science 100, Counseling 150, 152#, 165; Criminal Justice 101; Economics 101, 102; Education 101; Gender, Sexuality, and Women Studies 101**, 102**, 103**, Geography 100*/100H*, 102*/102H*, History 101**/101H**, 102**/102H**, 115**, 118, 120*/120H*, 121*/121H*, 124, 125**, 126, 127, 129**, 130**, 132**, 133, 140, 142**, 152, 162, 172**, 240; Interdisciplinary Studies 155; Kinesiology 109; Nutrition & Food 120**; Political Science 110, 150, 201, 220, 221, 230, POLS C1000*/C1000H*(formerly POLT 101*/101H*) ; Psychology 157, 160, 170, 180, 190, 200**, 220, 230, 240, 250, 1000C*/1000H* (formerly PSYC 101*/101H*); Sociology 100*/100H*, 101**, 115, 116, 120, 130, 220, 240*/240H*, 286 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____AP/CLEP/IB_____	Completed	In Progress	Need

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Area 5: Natural Sciences 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course from either 5A or 5B			
5A: PHYSICAL SCIENCES Astronomy 102, 103, 104; Chemistry 100*, 200A*/200AH*, 200B; Earth Science 100, 111, 120, 121, 130, 160, 200; Geography 101*/101H*, 130*/130H*; Physics 150A*, 150AC*, 150B*, 150BC*, 250A*, 250B*, 250C*, Water and Wastewater Technology 155 Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____AP/CLEP/IB_____	Completed	In Progress	Need
5B: BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES Anthropology 101; Biology 109*/109H*, 112, 115, 139, 149, 190, 211, 213, 215, 221, 229, 231, 239, 241, 249, 259, 290, Psychology 200** Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____AP/CLEP/IB_____	Completed	In Progress	Need
Area 6: Ethnic Studies 3 SEMESTER/4 QUARTER UNITS ARE REQUIRED Complete ONE course			
6: ETHNIC STUDIES Ethnic Studies 101, <u>110, 120, 130, 140</u> ; Sociology 101** Other Regionally Accredited College Course: _____	Completed	In Progress	Need
TOTAL UNITS:			
Important Notes			
Associate in Science Degree Requirements: I. Units and Residency Requirements 60-degree applicable units, with at least a 2.0 grade point average in the degree applicable courses. At least 12 of the units must be earned at Santa Ana College, Santiago Canyon College, or a combination of the two. Students may petition to waive the residency requirement in order to alleviate injustice and undue hardship. If units accumulated beyond those required for the degree lower a student's cumulative grade point average below 2.0, Santa Ana College and Santiago Canyon College will compute the grade point average based solely on those courses used to satisfy the degree requirements, provided that the coursework used to compute the grade point average fulfill all major area of emphasis and general education requirements. II. General Education Requirements 21 semester units of general education which include one course or more as indicated in area requirements I-6. (Students earning an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) must instead complete Cal-GETC. Students may also use full CSU-GE Breadth or Full IGETC certification to earn an ADT but will need to consult with a counselor to determine CSU-GE/IGETC eligibility). Courses from the major may be used to satisfy areas I-6. The requirements in areas I-6 may also be met by Cal-GETC certification or by submitting a transcript showing completion of a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution. Students may also use full CSU-GE Breadth or full IGETC certification to meet requirements (student must consult with a counselor to determine CSU-GE/IGETC eligibility). In addition, the requirements in areas I-6 may be met by submitting a transcript showing completion of an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree from a regionally accredited California institution within a two-year period of finishing major requirements (III) at the college. III. Major Requirements: Each degree program specifies courses required for the major (a minimum of 18 units). Students must complete those courses with a grade of "C" or better or with a "P" if the course is taken on a Pass/No Pass basis*. See instructional programs section. *A minimum of 14 Pass/No Pass units is allowed for any degree program. This does not include units taken under credit by examination or assessment, or units earned in course which Pass/No Pass is the only grading option. Credit Limitations and Other Notations: # Course does not transfer to UC * Courses with an asterisk (*) have a UC credit limitation: (1) No credit given for an introductory course if taken after a more advanced college course. (2) Credit may be limited for courses with overlapping content. (3) No Duplicate credit for both an Honors and regular version of a course. ** Courses with two asterisks (**) may appear in more than one general education area but may only be used to meet one general education area. <u>Underlined courses meet the CSU US History, Constitutions, and American Ideals Graduation Requirements.</u> US1: ETHN 110, 120, 130, 140, HIST 118, 120*, 120H*, 121*/121H*, 124, 127 US2 + US3: POLS C1000*/C1000H* International coursework may not be used to fulfill the following general education requirements: Area 1A: English Composition and Area 6: Ethnic Studies Majors that can only use Plan 3 to earn an Associate in Science Degree: STEM Education Programs: Astronomy AS, Biology AS, Biotechnology AS, Chemistry AS, Earth Sciences AS, Kinesiology-Fitness and Active Lifestyle AS, Kinesiology-Health Promotion AS, Kinesiology-Sport Students AS, Land Surveying AS, Pre-Nursing and Allied Health Science AS, Wastewater/Environmental Sanitation AS, Water Distribution AS, Water Treatment AS, Water Utility Management AS Career Education Program: Accounting AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Acoustical Installer AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Concrete AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Drywall Finisher AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Drywall Finisher AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Drywall Lather AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Finish Carpentry AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Framing AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Insulator AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Millwrighting AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Plastering AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Pile Driver AS, Apprenticeship Carpentry-Tilt-Up AS, Apprenticeship in Early Childhood AS, Apprenticeship Electricity-Industrial AS, Apprenticeship Electricity-Intelligent Transportation Systems Electrician AS, Apprenticeship Electricity-Sound Installer AS, Apprenticeship Electricity-Sound Technician AS, Apprenticeship Operating Engineers-Construction Safety Inspector AS, Apprenticeship Operating Engineers-Heavy Duty Repairer AS, Apprenticeship Operating Engineers-Heavy Equipment Landscape Operator Engineer AS, Apprenticeship Operating Engineers-Plant Equipment/Rock, Sand and Gravel AS, Apprenticeship Operating Engineers-Special Inspector AS, Apprenticeship Power Lineman AS, Apprenticeship Surveying-Climber AS, Apprenticeship Surveying-Chief of Party AS, Business Administration AS, Business Management AS, Code Enforcement and Compliance AS, Computer Information Systems AS, Computer Science AS, Construction Inspection AS, Construction Management AS, Cosmetology AS, Criminal Justice and Administration AS, Data Science AS, Entrepreneurship AS, Environmental Management AS, Gemology AS, General Electrician AS, General Management AS, General Marketing AS, Graphic Design AS, Maintenance Electrician AS, Maintenance Mechanic AS, Public Administration AS, Real Estate AS, Social Media AS Liberal Arts: Mathematics and Sciences AS			



Santiago Canyon College

Recommended Placement Report

SCC Student ID #:

High School: Costa Mesa High

Name:

Student Email:

Dear Tannia,

We are excited that you will be attending Santiago Canyon College (SCC). We recently made some changes at SCC in how we determine English, Reading, and Math course placement recommendations. Placement recommendations in these important courses are based on, your high school grade point average (GPA), course completion and grades, or your Guided Self-Placement results. Based on the information you provided, the following are your course recommendations:

ENGLISH: English 101

READING: Read 150

STATISTICS, LIBERAL ARTS MATH (SLAM): Math 105, 203, 219

BUSINESS, SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, MATH (BSTEM): Math 140, 171+N41

****Please note that math may have multiple recommendations, please speak with a Counselor to ensure that you take the correct math course based on your specific academic goals.**

It is important to us that your educational experience at SCC is rewarding and that you feel confident in your course recommendations. If you have questions about your results you can contact the Counseling office at 714.628.4800 or visit us in D-106.



MATH COURSE SEQUENCE

Business, Science, Technology, Engineering
& Math (B-STEM)

Statistics Liberal Arts Math(SLAM)
Course Options

STEM TRACK

Math 171

Precalculus and
Trigonometry

Calculus Sequence

Math 180

Single Variable Calculus I

Math 185

Single Variable Calculus II

Math 280

Intermediate Calculus

Math 290

Linear Algebra

or

Math 295

Differential Equations

or

Math 287

Linear Algebra &
Differential Eqns

BUSINESS TRACK

Math 140

College Algebra

Math 150

Calculus for Biological,
Management and Social
Sciences

Math 105

Mathematics for Liberal
Arts Students

Math 203

Fundamental Concepts
of Elementary
Mathematics

**Stat
C1000**

or

**Stat
C1000e**

MATH COURSES BY PATHWAY



**Biology, Engineering, CS,
Math, Physics, Chemistry**

Math 171: Precalc/Trig

or

Math 180: Calc 1

Pre-Nursing

STAT C1000/C1000H:

Statistics

or

STAT C1000E: Statistics w/
Integrated Review

Math 105: Math for
Liberal Arts

or

**Another math course
based on placement**

(Most majors in these pathways do
not require math except for
completion of General Education)

CSU Transfer

STAT C1000: Statistics

or

Math 140: College Alg.

or

Math 150: Calc /Bio, Mgmt, &
Soc Science

Or

Math 150S: Calc /Bio, Mgmt, &
Soc Science with Support

UC or CSU Transfer

Math 171: Precalc/Trig

or

Math 180: Calc 1
Single Variable Calculus I

STAT C1000/C1000H:
Statistics

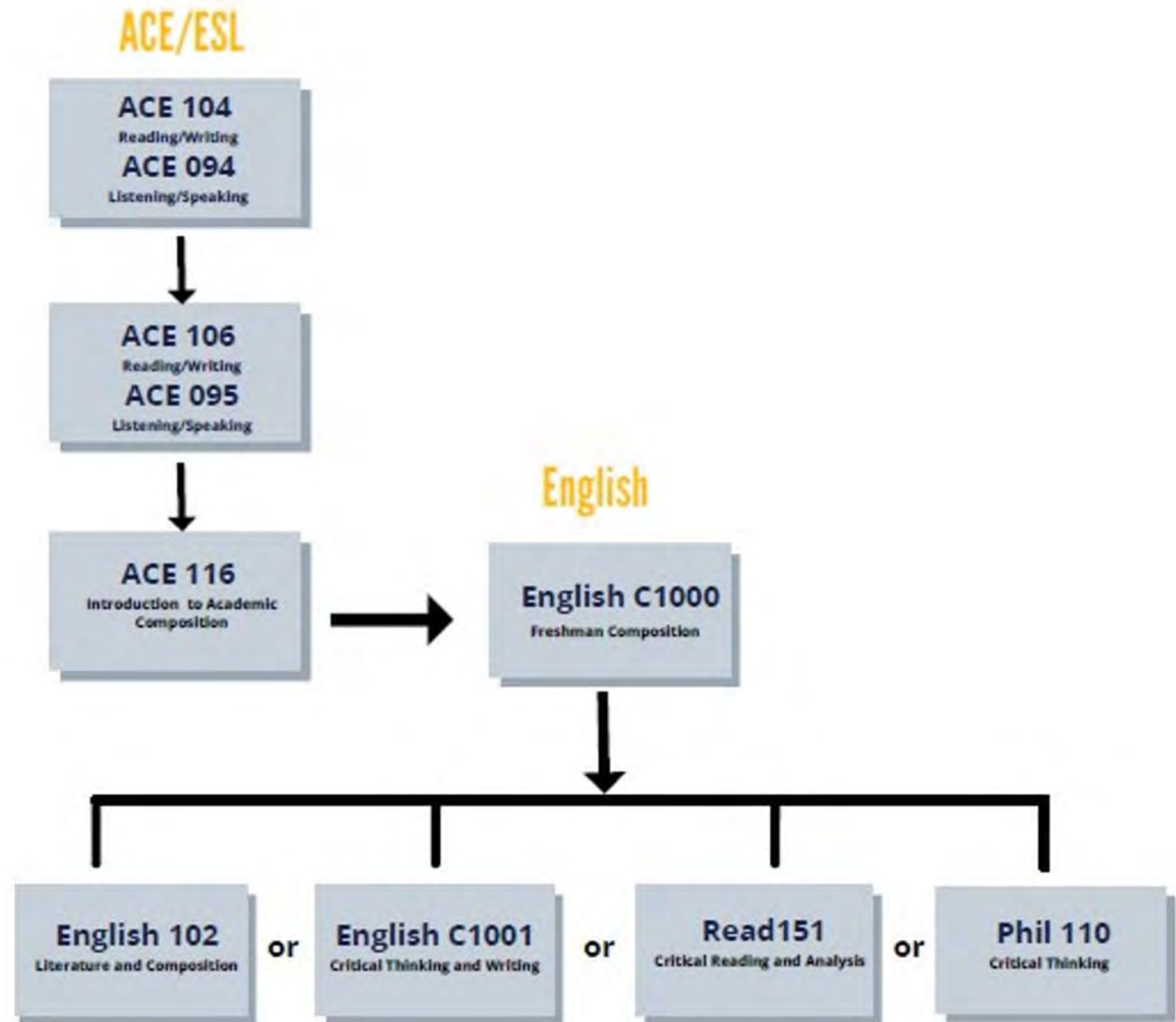
or

STAT C1000E: Statistics
w/ Integrated Review

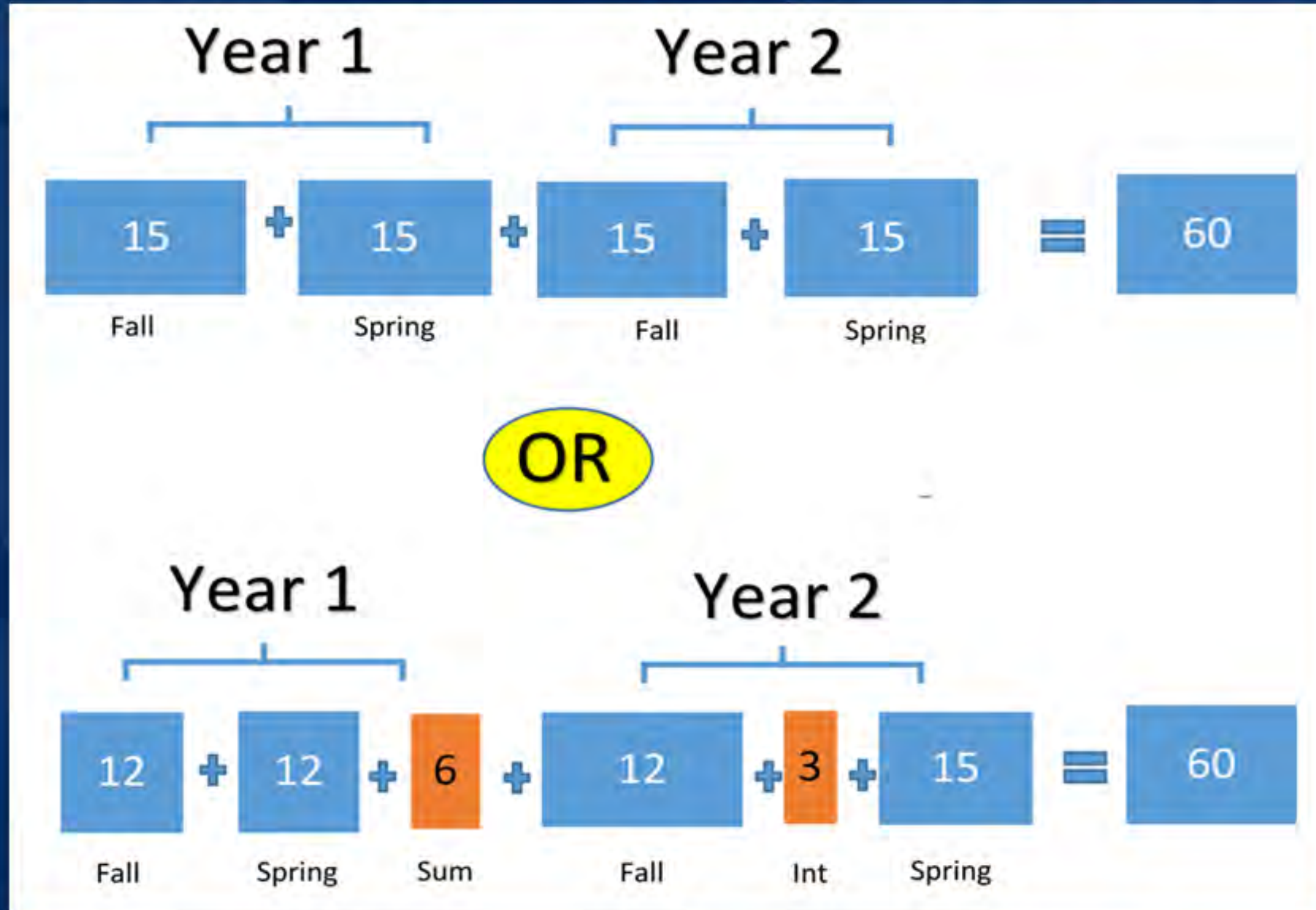
**Elementary Teaching
(Liberal Studies)**

Math 203: Concepts for
Elem. Math

American College English, English and Critical Thinking Sequence



Timeline to Degree/Transfer Samples



**Time to
degree OR
transfer is up
To YOU!**

If you attend part-time, need prerequisites, or are in a high-unit major, it may take longer than 2 years to transfer/earn a degree.

TIME MANAGEMENT

Time Ratio:

1 hour of class + 2 hours of study time

Example for 3 Unit Course:

3 hours in class + 6 hours of study time = 9 hours

Being a full-time student is a full-time job!!



Minimum Weekly Time Commitment (Full-Time Students)

12 units	12 in-class hours
Study time	24 hours
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Total	= 36 hours

AP/IB CREDIT REMINDER

If you have Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) exam credit, *please notify your Counselor before registering for classes!*

Submit official Score Report to SCC's Admissions & Records office for credit!



Support Services

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Honors Program

YOUR BEST TRANSFER OPPORTUNITY

STUDENT: *Do I need honors classes or a high GPA to take an honors class at SCC?*

SCC: *Not at all! For **Fall 2025**, SCC is **waiving the GPA requirement** for incoming first-year students. That means you can jump into an honors class this fall — no GPA is needed to start!*

💡 **FUN FACT:** *95% of students who try one honors class go on to take more.*

WHY SHOULD I ENROLL IN THE HONORS PROGRAM?

- Honors Transfer Agreements with four-year institutions such as UCLA Transfer Alliance Program, UCI Honors to Honors, CSU Honors Programs, Chapman University, and many more!
- Research Opportunities
- Access to Honors Scholarships
- Pre-selection of Honors classes
- Many more benefits - check out - sccollege.edu/honors

WHAT DO HONORS STUDENTS SAY ABOUT THE HONORS PROGRAM?

"The small Honors classes let me get a 'hands-on' learning experience. The atmosphere in the classes is more intimate-- the students want to come to class to learn, not because they have to." Karin Gentry

"The discussion-based classroom structure promotes free thinking much more than sitting and listening to a stale lecture. Your classmates become more than faces; I actually know almost everyone's name in my class." Geneva Woznicki



EARLY WELCOME ORIENTATION

Topics Include:

Honors benefits
Honors requirements
Research opportunities
Honors counseling
Transfer agreements
Scholarships



Monday, May 19th



6:00 pm - 7:00 pm



[Online Orientation Link](#)



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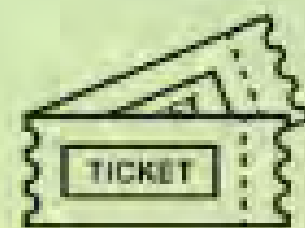


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check back often
as we will upload
additional flyers
throughout Spring
and Summer.



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member that you've
scanned the QR
Code to receive 2
extra opportunity
drawing tickets.



COMPLETION SURVEY

Scan QR Code
to complete
Exit Survey.



LUNCH & RESOURCE FAIR

Enjoy lunch and
conversation with
SCC staff and
faculty at the
Resource Fair.



<https://bit.ly/ew2025survey>

THANK YOU!

Want to check out this presentation? Visit sccollege.edu/outreach, then click on 'Parent Corner' — or just scan the QR code!

