Winter 2018 Schedule of Classes

To search for classes, go to Class Search.

If you are logged into MyUCSC do not use this link to access the Class Search. Instead, navigate to the Class Search through MyUhttps://my.ucsc.edu/CSC.
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Plan Ahead By Validating Your Enrollments

All students will now have validation appointments to plan ahead for enrollment. These will coincide with Advising Week, beginning on Nov. 9, 2017, and ending when individual enrollment appointments begin. Validation will allow students to check if prerequisites are met, for time conflicts, and other registration issues before enrollment appointments.

Teaching Block and Final Examination Schedule Revisions

Beginning fall quarter 2016, please note that changes have been made to the approved teaching time blocks and to the final examination schedule.

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday classes now meet for 1 hour and 5 minutes per class. Tuesday and Thursday classes and Monday and Wednesday evening classes now meet 1 hour and 35 minutes per class. Passing time between classes that meet Monday, Wednesday, and Friday is now 15 minutes. Tuesday and Thursday passing times continue to be 15 minutes. A schedule planner that lays out all the new teaching time blocks can be found online here.

The schedule for final examinations has also been revised to add final examinations on Fridays during the fall and winter quarters in addition to the scheduled finals on Monday through Thursday. Spring final examinations will still be scheduled Monday through Thursday in spring
2018. The final examination schedule can be found online [here](#).

**Paperless Bills Available on UCSC eBill/ePay**

The Statement of Account is not mailed. It is available on UCSC eBill/ePay or [MyUCSC](#). Students can sign up for UCSC eBill/ePay and e-check payment by logging into [MyUCSC](#).

**Winter Registration Fees**

E-bills for winter quarter charges will be viewable on UCSC eBill/ePay on Nov. 28. Undergraduate registration fees are due by 4 p.m. on Dec. 19. A late registration fee of $50 is assessed after the due date.

**Check for Enrollment Holds**

To prevent delays in enrolling, check [MyUCSC](#) for enrollment holds before priority enrollment begins and take action to clear your holds before your appointment time.
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## Key Dates for Registration and Enrollment

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**You must be enrolled in at least one course or a $50 late fee is assessed.
*** $50 late-enrollment fee after this date.

Winter 2018 Registration Fees

Registration fees are set by the UC Board of Regents of the University of California. Fees, tuition, and other charges are subject to change without advance notice.

Undergraduate student registration fees for winter quarter 2018 are available at Fees.

Registration Payment Information

Billing Statements

You can view your account activity on MyUCSC by going to My Account $ or by going to Student Center, and then selecting Account activity. At the end of each month, an invoice (also referred to as statement of account) for unpaid charges is viewable on the portal and a copy is mailed. Fall charges will be on the invoice available on Nov. 28, 2017.

The Statement of Account is no longer mailed. It will be available on UCSC eBill/ePay or the student portal. Students can enroll at the site for their eBill and eCheck payments by signing in at MyUCSC, clicking on My Account $, then clicking on UCSC eBill/ePay.

Once a student has enrolled, they may invite a parent or other payer to UCSC eBill/ePay. The parent/payer will receive an e-mail with instructions on how to enroll themselves. Students do not need to give up access to their student portal! See http://sbs.ucsc.edu/payments/ucsc_epay_ebill_student_information.html for more information.

Payment of Fees

Deadline to pay registration fees is Tuesday, Dec. 19, for undergraduates and Tuesday, Jan. 16, for graduate students. A $50 late registration fee is assessed if payment is not received by the cashier by 4:00 p.m. on the due date. Postmarks will not be used to validate on-time payment.

See the Financial Aid section below if:
- you applied for financial aid, but have not been notified of your eligibility; or

- you received your financial aid Offer Letter, but financial aid credits do not appear on your account summary on the MyUCSC portal.

See Withdrawal, Leave of Absence, and Readmission in The Navigator for information about refunds for registration fees.

**Health Insurance**

The University of California requires that all students be covered by health insurance and UCSC offers plans specifically designed to meet the needs of students. The Undergraduate Student Health Insurance Plan (USHIP) and the Graduate Student Health Insurance Plan (GSHIP) are affordable plans featuring excellent year-round, worldwide coverage with low deductibles and prepaid access to Student Health Center care for illness or injury. The brochures describing the benefits and conditions are available at Health Center web site.

Students are automatically enrolled in the plans and billed in three quarterly installments that will appear on the University billing statement. The USHIP plan includes medical coverage only, while the GSHIP plan includes medical, dental, and vision coverage. Rates for coverage for the 2017-18 academic year for the USHIP premium for undergraduate students, and the GSHIP premium for graduate students are available at the Health Center for updates or e-mail insure@ucsc.edu for more information.

To opt out of the UCSC-sponsored health insurance plan, you must complete the online waiver on the Student Portal, under Academic News. Approved waivers are valid for the quarter submitted and the remainder of the academic year. A new waiver must be submitted each academic year. Students who waive the university-sponsored student health insurance plan may purchase CruzCare, which provides prepaid access to basic Student Health Center Care for illness or injury. The premium for CruzCare for 2017-18 is $100 per quarter. Check the Health Center for updates.

For information on how to submit an online waiver, healthcenter.ucsc.edu/billing/insurance.shtml, call (831) 459-2389, or e-mail insure@ucsc.edu.

**Part-Time Study for Undergraduates**
If you are unable to maintain a full-time program of study because of employment responsibilities, family obligations, or a medical condition, or you are in your final quarter before graduation, you may be eligible for a 50 percent reduction in the educational fee and in the nonresident tuition fee (if applicable). To qualify for reduced fees, you must be approved for the Part-Time Program and be enrolled in 10 quarter credits or fewer. If you exceed 10 credits in a quarter, you must pay full fees. The last day to apply for the Undergraduate Part-Time Program for winter quarter 2017 is Jan. 29.

For information regarding the Part-Time Program, see the Part-Time Program page, or call the Office of the Registrar at (831) 459-4412 before the deadline listed above.

Financial Aid

Read the sections below which apply to your circumstances:

You have not received your financial aid disbursement.

The first thing to check is your enrollment. The Financial Aid and Scholarship Office will not disburse until you are enrolled in six or more units. Next, check the MyUCSC portal for financial aid awards. Once you are in the Student Center, look under the Finances section, click on Accept/Decline Awards, then click on Aid Year 2017. You should review each award and click on the awards with hyperlinks to learn about important actions you may need to take to receive those funds. You can accept/decline any or all awards available and “Submit” your changes. Financial aid will not disburse until you have successfully completed the accept/decline awards process.

If there are no financial awards posted, check your “To Do List” on your portal. From the tabs found in the upper right hand corner of the Student Center, you can see your Holds and any outstanding To Dos. Click on the item listed to determine what is being requested. You may download requested forms using the Financial Aid Forms link.

Your financial aid has been disbursed and you have a balance owed on your account.

If your charges exceed the amount of aid you were awarded, you must use your own resources to pay any balance owed by the deadline to avoid a late fee. Please reference the Payment of Fees section on this page for
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the deadline to pay registration fees.

If your aid exceeds the charges on your account, this is the amount we owe you.

If you have authorized electronic funds transfer (EFT), the funds will be disbursed directly to your personal bank account the first week of the quarter; otherwise, a check will be mailed to your mailing address during the first week of the quarter.

If you still have questions, contact the Financial Aid and Scholarship Office at (831) 459-2963 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. The Financial Aid and Scholarship Office is located at 205 Hahn Student Services and is open weekdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
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Schedule Planner
Available here

Student Responsibility

You are responsible for ensuring the accuracy of your enrollments. Your instructors, academic advisers, and the Office of the Registrar cannot enroll on your behalf. Be sure to verify your classes and grade options prior to the enrollment deadlines listed in the Academic and Administrative Calendar.

Get Prepared

Use the following helpful hints to assist you in completing your enrollment. It is recommended that you consult with your academic preceptor or major adviser prior to selecting your classes. Review the Enrollment FAQs.

1. Check the listing of courses offered this quarter in this Schedule of Classes, and make some preliminary selections.

2. Use the Schedule Planner found in this Schedule of Classes. Complete the planner with your preliminary selections of classes, making sure the classes you have selected do not conflict with each other or with any other time commitments (i.e., work or extracurricular activities).

3. Enter the five-digit class numbers into the Schedule Planner. Make
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sure to have class numbers for mandatory sections and alternates in case the section is full.

Completing the above steps will help you to complete your enrollment.

Holds on Enrollment

A hold may be placed on your enrollment for various reasons, including unpaid debts, junior standing without a declared major, and others. When you attempt to enroll in MyUCSC, a hold creates an error message. Students may view their holds by logging on to the MyUCSC portal and clicking on the Student Center. Information on how to remove each hold is included.

Appointment Times

Your enrollment appointment is when you may begin enrolling for the upcoming quarter. Be sure to get advising during Advising Week and clear any holds before your enrollment appointment. Students may view their enrollment appointment time by logging into the MyUCSC portal and clicking on the Student Center.

Appointment Time Problems

If you are not eligible to enroll, consider the following circumstances:

- verify your appointment time;
- if you were anticipating transfer credit to change your academic level, or if you check your credits and still believe the academic level is wrong, call the Registrar’s office;
- if you planned to study abroad with the Education Abroad Program (EAP) but your plans have changed, contact your EAP adviser;
- if you applied to graduate and your plans have changed, reapply to graduate. For more information, see Apply/Reapply to Graduate;
- if you are barred or disqualified, contact your college; or
- If you cannot determine the reason for your appointment time problem, contact the Registrar’s office.

Minimum/Maximum Credits
Standard course loads for UCSC students

Undergraduate students are expected to take a minimum of 15 credits and may enroll in up to 19 credits. Graduate students are expected to enroll in at least 10 credits and no more than 19 credits. Undergraduates who have a 3.0 cumulative grade point average may enroll in up to 22 credits beginning the first day of instruction. If you wish to take a nonstandard course load, meet with your college academic preceptor or graduate adviser who will update the system if the nonstandard course load is approved so that you can complete enrollment.

When minimum credits are enforced

Minimum credits are not enforced until a few days prior to the start of instruction. (For the date, see the Academic and Administrative Calendar.) Once minimum credits are enforced, you will not be able to drop below the minimum unless you obtain approval from your academic preceptor or graduate adviser. To drop a course and add another, use the swap function. Financial aid recipients should be cautious; certain aid will not be disbursed if enrollment is less than full-time.

When maximum credits are enforced

Students may enroll in no more than 19 credits prior to the first day of instruction.

Class Numbers

Every course has a five-digit class number which is used for enrollment. The class number appears in the MyUCSC Class Search. The course description on the Class Detail page of a Class Search indicates whether the course is an Interview Only course requiring instructor consent. To enroll in one of these classes, obtain a permission number from the instructor or department.

To enroll in independent study, you must first pick up a petition for independent study at the department, college, or division office and obtain the approval of the UCSC instructor who will supervise your study. Next, the sponsoring agency will assign a class number for you to use to enroll online.
Requirements (Prerequisites and Restrictions)

- A class that has a prerequisite means that other courses must be completed or a placement exam must be satisfied before the course can be taken. Classes for which a C-, D+, D, D-, F, NP, W," or “I” is received do not satisfy prerequisite requirements.

- A class that has restrictions is available only to certain categories of students.

Refer to the Class Search or the Programs and Courses section of the UCSC General Catalog to determine the prerequisites or restrictions of a class.

Prerequisites satisfied at other institutions

If you believe course work completed at another institution satisfies a prerequisite, contact the department sponsoring the class.

Secondary Discussion Sections/Secondary Labs

What is a secondary discussion section/secondary lab?

A section is a smaller discussion group or lab class which is taken as part of a credit-bearing course, but no credit is awarded for these secondary sections. Secondary sections/labs are listed with the main lecture in AIS. Not all secondary sections require enrollment.

Swapping Sections

To swap sections it is not necessary to drop the class. Use the edit function. For more information, see How to Change a Grade Option or Secondary Section.

When the lecture or sections are closed (full)

If there is space in the lecture, but you cannot find an open section, you cannot enroll in the class. If you have a permission number for the lecture and all the sections are full, contact the department offering the course.

Concurrent Enrollment

The Enrollment Information box in a MyUCSC Class Search will indicate
previous or concurrent enrollment in another class is required. For example, if you enroll in BIOL-130L-01, you should concurrently enroll in the associated class, which is BIOL-130-01.

The term, “concurrent enrollment,” can be confusing. Please note:

- it is not the same as a discussion section (see Secondary Discussion Sections/Secondary Labs above);
- it is not the same as concurrent enrollment through UC Extension, in which a person enrolls in a regular Open University course as an Extension student.

Waitlist Appointment

During your second pass, if a class is full, you may sign up for up to 10 waitlist credits. You should see a Waitlist Appointment period on MyUCSC with your other enrollment appointments.

For more information, including instructions, please visit the Office of the Registrar’s frequently asked questions on waitlists. Be sure to check the FAQ web site for updated waitlist information.

Class Permission Numbers

A class permission number is an assigned number that can override restrictions and/or prerequisites if a class is full. It is specific to a class and can be used only once. After an unsuccessful attempt to add a class, the number may be used again. Permission numbers are required to enroll beginning the eighth day of instruction.

To obtain a class permission number, consult with the instructor or department.

What a class permission number can override

A class permission number overrides course restrictions/prerequisites and/or overrides the closed (full) status of a class.

What a class permission number CANNOT override

Class permission numbers cannot override time conflicts, your maximum allowed credits, or holds.
Time Conflicts

Why you might have a time conflict

Courses which have the same start and end times are considered a time conflict. Check the Class Search for the most up-to-date class information.

How to resolve a time conflict

If your classes overlap but you and your instructors believe that you can complete both classes in spite of the conflict, you should call the Office of the Registrar at 459-4412 for assistance. Some classes require written approval from the faculty.

Retaining Enrollments

To retain a seat in your classes, you must attend the first class meeting. Instructors may administratively drop anyone who does not attend.

Enrolling After Instruction Begins

Attend the first class meeting of any classes you want to add. If necessary, the instructor will issue a class permission number. Permission numbers are required for all classes, except individual studies, after the seventh day of instruction but may be required earlier.

Verify Your Enrollments

It is recommended that you verify your classes and grade options, via MyUCSC, after you complete your enrollment transactions. It is also recommended that you verify your enrollments and print your Class Schedule before the end of the Add/Drop/Swap period. Print your Class Schedule from the Student Center by clicking on Enroll and then clicking on the My Class Schedule tab.

Appointments are randomly assigned based on your class level and number of credits.

Enrollment Appointment FAQs available here.

Two-Pass Enrollment Appointment Schedule
Get advising during Advising Week: **November 9-16**.

View your appointment time(s) on **MyUCSC**. Click on the Student Center, then click on Details in the Enrollment Dates Section.

Before your enrollment appointment, use MyScheduler to help plan your schedule and Shopping Cart Validation to check that you have met the prerequisites for a class and whether time conflicts or other registration issues exist.

Students may begin enrolling in classes at the designated First-Pass appointment time(s).

There are no enrollment appointments on weekends and holidays.

Waitlist enrollment is available during the second pass.

Enrollment Appointment FAQs available here.

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**First Pass Appointments**

**11/15: Graduate students**: 19-credit limit; appointments at 9:00 a.m.

**11/15**: New graduate student enrollment.

**11/16**: Enrollment continues for graduate students. First-pass enrollment remains open to graduate students until 11:59 p.m. on **11/26**.

**11/15: Priority Groups**: 19-credit limit; 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

**11/16**: First-pass enrollment remains open to priority groups until 11:59 p.m. on **11/26**.

**11/16: Seniors**: 19-credit limit; 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

**11/17**: First-pass enrollment remains open to seniors until 11:59 p.m. on **11/26**.

**11/17: Juniors**: 14-credit limit; 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

**11/18**: First-pass enrollment remains open to juniors until 11:59 p.m. on **11/26**.

**11/20: Sophomores**: 14-credit limit; 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.
11/21: First-pass enrollment remains open to sophomores until 11:59 p.m. on 11/26.

11/21: Frosh: 14-credit limit; 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

11/22: First-pass enrollment remains open to frosh until 11:59 p.m. on 11/26.

Second-Pass Appointments

11/27: Graduate Students: 19-credit limit; 10-credit waitlist limit; 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

11/28-01/29: Enrollment continues for graduate students.

11/27: Priority Groups: 19-credit limit; 10-credit waitlist limit; 12:00-1:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

11/28-01/29: Enrollment continues for priority groups.

11/27: Seniors: 19-credit limit; 10-credit waitlist limit; 1:00-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

11/28-01/29: Enrollment continues for seniors.

11/28: Juniors: 19-credit limit; 10-credit, waitlist limit; 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

11/29-01/29: Enrollment continues for juniors.

11/29: Sophomores: 19-credit limit; 10-credit, waitlist limit; 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

11/30-01/29: Enrollment continues for sophomores.

11/30: Frosh: 19-credit limit; 10-credit, waitlist limit; 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.; appointments every half hour.

12/01-01/29: Enrollment continues for frosh.

Enrollment Continues

12/01-01/29: Enrollment continues for all students.

01/16: Graduate student enrollment fee deadline (must be enrolled in at least one course).

01/18: Class permission numbers are required; waitlists are deleted.
01/29: Add/Drop/Swap classes ends.

Determining Your Academic Level

**Frosh**: 0-44.9 credits  
**Sophomore**: 45-89.9 credits  
**Junior**: 90-134/9 credits  
**Senior**: 135+ credits

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Placement Exams

Winter Quarter 2018

Language placement exams are necessary for students who have not passed the prerequisite UCSC course. Students do not take a placement exam when enrolling at level 1 in a language they have never studied, EXCEPT FOR SPANISH. Students must take the placement exam to gain entry into Spanish level 1. Students who have had language instruction prior to UCSC must take the placement exam if they intend to continue study in that language.

CHINESE LANGUAGE
Continuing students: for Priority Enrollment, please see David Keenan during his office hours. See the Languages and Applied Linguistics website, http://language.ucsc.edu, for office hours and locations.

FRENCH LANGUAGE
Continuing students: for Priority Enrollment, please see Renée Cailloux during her office hours. Written placement examination will be administered. See the Languages and Applied Linguistics website, http://language.ucsc.edu, for office hours and locations.

GERMAN LANGUAGE
Continuing students: for Priority Enrollment, see German instructors during their office hours. See the Languages and Applied Linguistics website, http://language.ucsc.edu, for office hours and locations.

HEBREW LANGUAGE
Continuing students: for Priority Enrollment, see Hebrew instructor during office hours. See Languages and Applied Linguistics website, http://language.ucsc.edu, for office hours and location.
ITALIAN LANGUAGE
Continuing students: for Priority Enrollment, see the Italian instructors during their office hours. See the Languages and Applied Linguistics website, http://language.ucsc.edu, for office hours and locations.

JAPANESE LANGUAGE
Continuing students: for Priority Enrollment, see Shigeko Okamoto during her office hours. See the Languages and Applied Linguistics website, http://language.ucsc.edu, for office hours and locations.

Dec. 11, 5:00-6:30 p.m., 145 Humanities 1. Arrive promptly at 5:00 p.m. Written examination and short oral interview.

Jan. 8, 5:15-6:45 p.m., 145 Humanities Building 1. Please arrive promptly at 5:15 p.m. Written examination and short oral interview.

PORTUGUESE LANGUAGE
Continuing students: for Priority Enrollment, see Portuguese instructor during office hours. See Languages and Applied Linguistics website, http://language.ucsc.edu, for office hours/location.

RUSSIAN LANGUAGE
Continuing students: for Priority Enrollment, see Russian instructor during office hours. See Languages and Applied Linguistics website, http://language.ucsc.edu, for office hours and location.

SPANISH LANGUAGE
Any student interested in taking Spanish must take the placement examination—even if you've never studied Spanish before. The placement exam is an online exam and can be taken at any time. The website for the Spanish placement examination is http://www.ic.ucsc.edu/tesl/. NOTE: It takes 3 to 4 days for your exam results to be posted—make sure you complete the placement exam a minimum of one week prior to your designated appointment time for Advance Enrollment.

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Final Examination Schedule Revisions

Beginning fall quarter 2016, please note that changes were made to the final examination schedule. The schedule for final examinations has been revised to add final examinations on Fridays during the fall and winter quarters in addition to the scheduled finals on Monday through Thursday. Spring final examinations will still be scheduled Monday through Thursday in spring 2018. The final examination schedules for fall 2017 and winter 2018 can be found below.

Final Examination Policies

Final examinations are required in all undergraduate courses unless the department or other agency sponsoring the course has obtained permission from the Committee on Educational Policy to evaluate students in another manner. Final examinations are only given during the examination-week period at the time announced in the Schedule of Classes, usually in the same room used for class meetings during the quarter. No change in the time or date of a final examination may occur unless the course sponsoring agency has obtained the approval of the Committee on Educational Policy (CEP). Requests must be received by CEP not later than the first week of the quarter in which the course is occurring. Completion or submission of final examinations or papers for undergraduate courses is not allowed during the regular term’s period of instruction, including the closed week before final examinations. When finals are administered (not during week 10), they must be completed at the scheduled examination time and may not require more than the scheduled three-hour time block. If a take-home examination is not assigned until the week designated for final examinations, it cannot require more than three hours to complete.
To avoid three final examinations on the same day, students may want to consider the final exam schedule when enrolling in courses.

Instructors may bar students from taking the examination if they arrive late. If a student misses an examination due to an unavoidable emergency, the instructor may agree to give an Incomplete and schedule a makeup examination provided that the student’s work is passing up to that point. When a final examination is one of the regular requirements in a course, no one taking the course may be individually exempted from it. Travel plans for vacation are not an emergency, and should not be made without checking the final examination schedule.

**Closed Week**

No examinations or tests other than laboratory exams, quizzes, or individual makeup exams may be given during the last week of instruction.

**Examination Retention**

An instructor may release to individual students the original final examinations (or copies). Otherwise, the instructor will retain final examination materials at least until the end of the next regular term. During that time students will be allowed to review their examinations.

**Religious Observance**

Given the diversity of religious practice within the campus community, academic and administrative units are encouraged to make reasonable accommodation when the schedule of a required campus event conflicts with an individual’s religious creed. It is the official policy of the University of California, Santa Cruz, to accommodate, without penalty, requests for alternate examination times in cases where the scheduled time for the examination violates a student’s religious creed.

Requests for accommodation for religious observance must be made directly to the faculty member in charge of the course within the first two weeks of the term or as soon as possible after an examination date is announced. Instructors are expected to make reasonable accommodation for such requests. Students who are unable to reach a satisfactory arrangement with an instructor should consult the head of the unit sponsoring the course.

**Accommodations for Disability**

Students with documented disabilities that require examination modifications will be accommodated in compliance with state and federal laws. Reasonable accommodations will be made based on recommendations from the Disability Resource Center.
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General Information

Winter Quarter 2018

MyUCSC | Name Change | Nonrelease of Public Information | Transcript Information | Title IX and Sexual Harassment

MyUCSC Portal Password

Yours password is required each time you use the MyUCSC portal. Your password is assigned to you when you receive your student identification number.

We strongly suggest that you change your password and set up a password hint the first time you access the MyUCSC portal. You may select a minimum of eight characters (one character must be a numeral) as your new password. You may also change your password any time thereafter.

It is extremely important that your password remain confidential. Do not give it to anyone. If you forget your password or believe the privacy of your password has been compromised, email help@ucsc.edu to reset your password.

Name Change

Name Change petitions are available online from the Office of the Registrar. A student who is currently enrolled or has applied to graduate and is requesting an official name change on his or her academic records must complete this form and present it, in person, at the Office of the Registrar. You must submit documentation showing legal change of name.
(court order) or use of requested name on official documentation (e.g., drivers license, social security card, passport, marriage certificate, etc.). You may also correct your name at the Office of the Registrar if, for example, it is misspelled or the punctuation is incorrect. Be prepared to show proof of the correctly spelled name.

When you file a Name Change petition, you may also order and pay for a new student ID card at the Bay Tree Bookstore Building.

Nonrelease of Public Information

The following information is considered public information and may be disclosed: name, telephone numbers, campus e-mail address, college, division, department, field(s) of study (including major, minor, concentration, specialization, and similar designations), class level (e.g. frosh, senior), dates of attendance, number of credits enrolled in the current term, degrees and honors, and name, weight, and height of intercollegiate athletes.

To have this information withheld from release, go to the Personal Information area on the MyUCSC portal and select privacy settings from the drop-down menu. Be sure that you understand the implications of filing this request. Every single item listed above will be withheld.

Once a Request for Nonrelease of Public Information is filed, it remains in effect—even after you are no longer attending UCSC—until you request to rescind it via the MyUCSC portal, or by letter.

Transcript Information

A transcript is an official copy of a student’s academic history at UCSC. Transcript requests are not processed if you have outstanding financial obligations to the university. If you received a message after ordering your transcripts that indicates you have a hold on your transcripts, please contact Student Business Services via email at oarinfo@ucsc.edu. Two versions of your official UCSC student records are available from the Office of the Registrar: with or without evaluations. See ordering transcripts for information about ordering transcripts and for transcript fees.

Transcripts with evaluations include:

Courses graded P, A, B, C, D, F, W, or I. NP will appear for courses taken fall 2001 and after. The grades of A, B, C, and D may be modified by a
plus (+) or minus (-). Incompletes lapse at the end of the subsequent quarter; in letter-graded courses, the I lapses to an F, in Pass/No Pass grading, to a No Pass.

Degrees awarded, honors, number of transfer credits, evaluations of courses, and an evaluation of comprehensive examination or senior thesis also appear.

Transcripts without evaluations include:

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**Requesting a Transcript**

The fastest way to order a transcript is via the web with a credit or debit card. Credit/debit card orders must be requested through Credential Solutions, a vendor that provides this service through an agreement with UC Santa Cruz. To use the online ordering system, go to [Ordering UCSC Transcripts](#). Under Ordering by Credit Card, select the Credential Solutions icon. This is a secure, encrypted site. There is an additional $2.75 service charge to use this service.

**Transcript Availability**

Transcripts are available as follows:

- approximately 10 days after the end of the quarter to include grades, or
- approximately six weeks after the end of the quarter to include evaluations or a degree if applicable.

**Processing/Mailing Time**

Allow one to two weeks for processing from the time your request is received by our office. During the peak period (November through February), processing may take longer.

Rush Service: For an additional $23, you may request rush service. Rush service ensures your transcript order will be mailed no later than two business days from the day you receive the “Order Complete” email
You may request and pay an additional fee for your transcript to be mailed via next-day service. This service provides fast delivery and a receipt that the transcript was received by the recipient. This service expedites transit time, not processing time. Federal Express is used for all destinations, and it will not deliver to post office box addresses or on weekends. The additional charge for Federal Express within the U.S. is $20 for up to five transcripts going to the same address. The additional charge for Federal Express outside the U.S. is $30 per transcript (with or without evaluations). Please note that if the appropriate fee has not been received for next-day service, your transcript will be sent via regular mail.

**UCSC Extension Transcripts**

Transcripts for UC Extension courses can be found at the [UC Extension Student Services web site](https://www.ucsc.edu/extension/servicestudent/help/ordertranscripts.html).

**Title IX Office**

The Title IX office provides assistance in resolving and investigating complaints of sex/gender discrimination, sexual harassment and sexual violence (sexual assault, dating violence, domestic violence, and stalking). Additionally, the Title IX office provides education and training to prevent, raise awareness, and expand understanding of sex discrimination, sexual harassment, and sexual violence. To report a possible Title IX violation, request training, or to ask questions about the Title IX reporting process, please contact Title IX Officer Tracey Tsugawa at (831) 459-2462 or by email at ttsugawa@ucsc.edu. The UC Sexual Violence and Sexual Harassment Policy and the UC Santa Cruz Title IX Procedures are available to all students, faculty, and staff; in addition, the Resources & Options brochure provides information about reporting options as well as campus and off campus resources. For information about how to support complainant, rights of respondents, reporting responsibilities, and other available resources, please visit the [safe.ucsc.edu](http://safe.ucsc.edu) website.

Revised: 11/08/17
Campus Course Materials Fees for the 2017-18 academic year are available online here. Contact the departments for more information.

**Note for financial aid recipients:** A modest allowance for course materials fees is included in the cost of attendance budget on which your financial aid is based. If high course material fee costs are preventing you from enrolling in a course(s) and you need additional assistance, contact the Financial Aid and Scholarship Office to discuss your options.
Undergraduate Students

Pass/No Pass Grading Option

Students may elect the Pass/No Pass grading option and may change their grading option in a course up to the 15th day of instruction. For the Pass/No Pass option, students receive a P for work that is performed at C or clearly passing level or better. For work that is not clearly passing, no academic credit is awarded; and students receive a NP (No Pass). Beginning fall 2001, the grade notation NP appears on the official transcript in all cases, regardless of when a student was admitted. For work that is passing, but incomplete, the grade notation I (Incomplete) may be issued.

The following courses are not available for a letter grade:

Student Directed Seminars: Courses Numbered 42
College Eight 80C
College Nine 80C
College Ten 80C, 110, 110B
Cowell 10
Earth Sciences 190
Economics 93, 191, 193, 193F, 198, 198F
Environmental Studies 83, 183, 184
Film 198, 198F
History of Art and Visual Culture 198
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Kresge 80C
Linguistics 190
Merrill 10, 85B, 85C
Oakes 80C
Physical Education (all courses)
Psychology 193, 198
Social Sciences 194B
Stevenson 10
Theater Arts 45
Writing 11A-B-C, 22A-B, 180, 191D

Letter Grading Option

Before the Grade Option deadline (the 15th day of instruction), confirm your letter grade request for each course on the MyUCSC portal.

In Progress Notations

The notation IP (In Progress) is reserved for a single course extending over two or three terms of an academic year. The grade for such a course may be awarded at the end of the course and shall then be recorded as applying to each of the terms of the course. A student satisfactorily completing only one or two terms of a course, extending over two or three terms of an academic year, will be given grades for those terms. The grade option selected in the first quarter of the multiple term sequence applies to all quarters of the sequence.

Grade Changes

Incomplete grade notations of "I" must be changed to final grades, based upon work submitted to the instructor, within the deadline for Incompletes. Other grade changes can be made by the instructor only on the basis of clerical or procedural error and never on the basis of reexamination or completion of additional work.

Accessing Grades

You may access your grades for any quarter via the MyUCSC portal. Grades are usually available about one week after the end of the quarter.

Catalog Rights

Effective for all undergraduates who entered in fall quarter 1993 or after, students may follow the degree requirements from either the UCSC General Catalog published at the time of entering UCSC or subsequent catalog(s). Students need not follow a catalog in its entirety, but may elect to follow different catalog years for their college requirements, university and general education requirements,
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the requirements of their major(s), and the requirements of any minor(s).

Catalog year will initially be set for the first year of enrollment at UCSC. Students may elect to follow requirements from other catalog year(s) when filing the Proposed Study Plan/Declaration of Major/Minor. All requirements for graduation outlined in the catalog(s) selected must be met before graduation. Changing catalog year(s) is done by submitting a new Proposed Study Plan/Declaration of Major/Minor.

Students transferring from other collegiate institutions may elect to meet as graduation requirements one of the following:

- those in effect at the time of transfer to UCSC;
- those subsequently established; or
- those in effect when the student entered a previous collegiate institution, provided that entry was not more than three years prior to the time of transfer to UCSC.

Students who seek readmission to UCSC after a break in attendance greater than two years (six regular quarters) must adhere to the graduation requirements in effect at the time of readmission or those subsequently established.

Students who entered prior to 1993 should see an adviser. Their catalog year(s) for graduation, whether the year they entered UCSC or subsequent year(s), will be decided at the discretion of their major department and/or their college.

Undergraduates Who Entered UCSC Prior to Fall 1997

Guidelines for undergraduates who entered UCSC between fall 1997 and spring 2001 also apply to undergraduates who entered UCSC prior to fall 1997, with the following exception: those who entered prior to fall 1997 may elect letter grades, but a grade-point average will not be displayed on the official transcript. All undergraduates, regardless of when they entered UCSC, must meet the UC minimum GPA requirement in order to receive a degree from the University of California: 2.0 calculated from all UCSC letter-graded courses and from all letter-graded courses taken at other UC campuses and through the Education Abroad Program.

Grade Point Average

The grade point average is determined by dividing the number of grade points earned by the number of credits attempted for a letter grade. The number of grade points earned for a course equals the number of grade points assigned multiplied by the number of course credits. For
example, suppose a student takes three 5-credit courses and receives grades of A-, B-, and C+.

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43.50 divided by 15 = 2.90 GPA

Grade points are assigned to each letter grade as shown below.
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### Graduate Students

#### Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory Grading and the Letter Grade Option

Beginning fall 1997, all graduate students in graduate or undergraduate courses will be graded Satisfactory (S) (equivalent to a B or better), Unsatisfactory (U), or Incomplete (I). Graduate students also have the option of receiving a letter grade of A, B, C, D, or F in most courses. The grades of A or B shall be awarded for satisfactory work. Grades of C or D will not satisfy any course requirement for a graduate degree at UCSC.

In order to receive a letter grade, you must enter your letter grade request no later than the 15th day of instruction for each class in each quarter.

### Evaluations

Graduate students receive an evaluation for all courses except those with no credit value.
**Incompletes**

An Incomplete (I) grade notation may be assigned when the graduate student’s work is of passing quality but is incomplete. See the Graduate Student Handbook for complete instructions about arrangements to receive and to remove an Incomplete grade notation.

**In Progress**

The notation IP (In Progress) is restricted to certain sequential courses that extend over two or three quarters of an academic year. The grade option you select in the first quarter of the multiple term sequence applies to all quarters of the sequence. You receive the same notation for each course upon completion of the two- or three-quarter sequence, and the final grade is applied to all quarters.

**Repeating Courses**

Graduate students may repeat a course in which they earn a grade of C, D, F, or U. Degree credit for a repeated course will be granted only once, and the most recently earned grade will be used to determine whether a degree requirement has been met.

### UCSC Graduate Grading Policies

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Incompletes

An I (Incomplete) may be assigned if your work is of passing quality, but is incomplete. You must petition to remove the I and submit the completed coursework to the instructor by the end of the third quarter following that in which the grade notation I was received unless the instructor or department specifies an earlier date. If you fail to file the petition and complete the work, or if the instructor does not submit an A, B, C, or D, the Incomplete will be changed to an F.

Repeats

You may repeat courses graded Unsatisfactory.

You may repeat courses graded C, D, or F. Credits are counted once, and the most recently earned grade determines whether a degree requirement has been met.

Either way

- Graduate students enrolled in physical education courses will be graded Pass/No Record.
- Graduate students enrolling in undergraduate courses will be graded as outlined above.

UCSC Undergraduate Grading Policies

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## Enrollment

1. When students enroll, letter grading is the default. The P/NP option is available only to students in good academic standing.

2. When enrolling, students are required to choose either letter grading or Pass/No Pass grading.

1. Students may change the grading option up to the 15th day of instruction.

## Withdrawal

1. After the last day to drop a course, students may withdraw from a course whether enrolled for a letter grade or for Pass/No Pass grading. The Academic and Administrative Calendar lists deadlines for withdrawing from a course.

## Grades

1. If enrolled in a course for a letter grade, students will receive a grade of A+, A, A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C, D, F, W (Withdraw), I (Incomplete), or IP (In Progress). If enrolled in a course for Pass/No Pass, students will receive a grade of P (Pass), NP (No Pass), W (Withdraw), I (Incomplete), or IP (In Progress).

2. Note: Beginning fall 2001, NP grades will appear on official transcripts of all students, like all other grades.

## Evaluations

1. Beginning fall 2010, undergraduate evaluations are provided at the option of the faculty. In each course for which you receive a grade of D or better (or P), an evaluation of your academic performance may be submitted.

2. Students who have received a letter grade in at least 2/3 of their credits attempted at UCSC have a UCSC GPA calculated and displayed on their official transcripts.

For all students, a UCSC GPA is calculated from UCSC courses, courses taken through the Education Abroad Program, and courses taken on another UC campus in an
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<th>A course graded D or F cannot be used to satisfy a course prerequisite or to satisfy major or general education requirements. Credits earned with a D will not count toward satisfactory academic progress. Any course graded P is equivalent to a C or better and can be used to satisfy general education requirements and will count towards satisfactory academic progress.</th>
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lapse to F or NP, depending on the grading option in effect. The F and the NP will appear on official transcripts, along with the removal of incomplete notation.

Undergraduates may repeat courses in which they earn a D, F, or No Pass. Courses in which a D or F is earned may not be repeated on a Pass/No Pass basis. Courses in which a grade of No Pass is earned may be repeated on the same basis or for a letter grade. Students may only repeat a maximum of 15 credits for courses in which a grade of D or F was received. In computing the GPA for these repeats, only the grade and corresponding grade points earned the last time the course was taken will be used. After the 15-credit maximum is reached, the GPA will be based on all grades assigned and total credits attempted. To repeat a course more than once, consult with your college adviser. Credit is not awarded more than once for the same course, but the grade assigned each time the course is repeated will be permanently recorded on the official transcript.

No more than 25 percent of the UCSC credits applied toward graduation may be graded on a Pass/No Pass basis. This includes any credits completed in the Education Abroad Program or on another UC campus in an intercampus exchange program. Departments may require that some or all courses used to satisfy the major must be taken for a letter grade.

Students must complete all requirements for the major with a grade of P, C (2.0), or better. All undergraduates, regardless of when they entered UCSC, must meet the minimum UC GPA.
requirement of 2.0 in order to receive a degree from UCSC. See the section above on Catalog Rights regarding graduation requirements in effect for each student.
General Education Requirements

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Courses that Fulfill General Education Requirements

Cross-Cultural Analysis (CC code)—One course required (5 credits)

One five-credit course or equivalent is required that emphasizes understanding of one or more cultures and societies outside the United States.

Applied Linguistics 113
Chinese 6
Cowell College 83, 84, 87
Education 170, 171
Environmental Studies 154
Feminist Studies 1, 10, 40, 80S, 120, 175
Film and Digital Media 132A, 132B, 165E, 165G, 168
French 4, 5, 6
German 4, 5, 6, 119
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Hisory of Consciousness 131, 140A, 185C
Italian 4, 5, 6, 80, 106
Japanese 5, 6
Languages 80D
Latin American and Latino Studies 30, 50, 60, 80D, 80H, 80I, 80S, 80X, 145, 152, 156, 165, 170, 194G, 194M, 194Q
Legal Studies 128C
Linguistics 80C
Music 11D, 80A, 80I, 80P, 80Q, 80S, 80T, 80X, 150I, 180D
Philosophy 22
Politics 60, 65, 166
Porter College 130E
Portuguese 65A, 65B, 80
Psychology 114
Russian 4, 6, 80
Sociology 15, 128C, 162, 188A
Spanish 4, 5, 5M, 6, 156A, 156J, 156M, 190A
Spanish for Heritage Speakers 4, 5, 6
Theater Arts 22, 31A, 80Z, 122, 151I, 161D, 167

Ethnicity and Race (ER code)—One course required (5 credits)

One five-credit course or equivalent is required that focuses on issues of ethnicity and/or race.

Anthropology 110T, 110Y, 130N, 130P, 130T, 159, 176D
Art 80F
Critical Race and Ethnic Studies 10, 100
Education 128, 140, 177, 181
Environmental Studies 147
Feminist Studies 20, 115, 139, 145, 150
Film and Digital Media 165B, 165D
History 9, 10A, 10B, 12, 15, 44, 74, 80X, 104D, 106B, 109A, 110A, 110H,
General Education Requirements

111, 115A, 115B, 116, 120, 121A, 121B, 123, 125, 126, 128, 134A, 178E, 181B, 185M

History of Art and Visual Culture 46, 60, 80, 118, 124E, 140B, 140C, 140D, 163, 170, 190J, 190X, 191C

Latin American and Latino Studies 1, 20, 40, 45, 80F, 80J, 90, 100, 112, 132, 143, 150, 161P, 166, 171, 175, 178, 194C


Music 11C, 80E, 81C

Sociology 148, 156

Spanish 105

Stevenson College 80H

Theater Arts 80A, 80M, 151A, 161P, 166

Interpreting Arts and Media (IM code)—One course required (5 credits)

One five-credit course or equivalent is required that focuses on the practice, analysis, interpretation, and/or history of one or more artistic or mass media (media in which non-textual materials play primary roles).

Anthropology 110A, 110B, 110R, 110Z, 120, 132

Art and Design: Games and Playable Media 80G

Art 10D, 10E, 10F, 80D, 147T

Computational Media 80K

Cowell College 65

Crown College 60

Education 102, 120

Feminist Studies 14, 16, 21, 126


French 108

History 20, 75, 104C, 122A, 122B, 159B, 172B, 172C


History of Consciousness 80N

Latin American and Latino Studies 70, 124, 128, 129, 176

Music 7, 11A, 80G, 80M, 80N, 80O, 80V, 80Y, 150C, 150P, 150T, 150X
Oakes College 128
Politics 107
Porter College 63W, 90B, 131P, 135W
Stevenson College 80G

Mathematical and Formal Reasoning (MF code)—One course required (5 credits)

One five-credit course or equivalent is required that emphasizes university-level mathematics, computer programming, formal logic, or other material that stresses formal reasoning, formal model building, or application of formal systems.

Applied Mathematics and Statistics 3, 6, 10, 11A, 11B, 15A, 15B, 20, 114, 147
Art 101
Astronomy and Astrophysics 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 12, 13, 15, 16
Biology: Evolutionary and Ecology 148A, 148B
Biomolecular Engineering 160
Carson College 81B
Computer Engineering 8, 16
Computer Science 5C, 5J, 5P, 10, 11, 12B
Earth and Planetary Sciences 81B
Economics 11A, 11B
Linguistics 53, 101, 111, 112
Music 80L, 80U, 130
Philosophy 9
Physics 5A, 6A, 7A, 80U

Scientific Inquiry (SI code)—One course required (5 credits)

One five-credit course or equivalent is required that focuses on the essential roles of observation, hypothesis, experimentation and measurement in the sciences.

Anthropology 1, 3
Astronomy and Astrophysics 1, 6
Biology: Molecular, Cell, and Developmental 80A, 80E, 88
Chemistry and Biochemistry 1A
Carson College 81C
Crown College 85
Earth and Planetary Sciences 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 20, 65
Electrical Engineering 80T, 81C
Environmental Studies 24
History 101D, 151
Linguistics 50
Microbiology and Environmental Toxicology 80E
Ocean Sciences 1, 80A
Physics 1, 5B, 5C, 6B, 6C, 7B

Statistical Reasoning (SR code)—One course required (5 credits)

One five-credit course or equivalent is required that focuses on developing skills in approaching quantitative data and statistical reasoning.

Applied Mathematics and Statistics 5, 7, 80A, 80B, 131, 132
Astronomy and Astrophysics 8
Biology: Evolutionary and Ecology 80S
Biomolecular Engineering 163
Community Studies 30
Computer Engineering 7, 107, 145
Computer Science 17, 80L
Crown College 87, 88
Earth Sciences 12, 125
Economics 113
Electrical Engineering 80S
Linguistics 147, 157
Mathematics 4
Ocean Sciences 90
Philosophy 8
Physics 133
Politics 101
Psychology 2
Sociology 3B

Textual Analysis and Interpretation (TA code)—One
course required (5 credits)

One five-credit course or equivalent is required that has as its primary methodology the interpretation or analysis of texts.

- Biology: Molecular, Cell, and Developmental 114, 126, 127
- Biomolecular Engineering 122H, 132, 177, 178
- Chinese 103, 104, 105, 107, 108
- Carson College 80A, 80B, 80C
- Cowell College 161C
- Crown College 80F
- History 13, 100, 147D, 167A, 170C, 184B
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- Porter College 130D
- Sociology 164
- Spanish 156F
- Stevenson College 23, 36, 81A, 81B
- Theater Arts 61A, 61B, 61C, 80K, 80X, 163H, 163K

Perspectives (5 credits)

Choose one five-credit course or equivalent from any of the three following categories: PE-E, PE-H, PE-T.

Environmental Awareness (PE-E code)

Courses focus on humankind's interactions with nature.

- Anthropology 110E, 110I, 110W, 146, 147
- Art 80B
- Biology: Evolutionary and Ecology 85, 125
- College Ten 105
Community Studies 149  
Crown College 80L  
Earth and Planetary Sciences 1, 9, 106, 110A  
Electrical Engineering 80J, 180J  
Environmental Studies 25, 65, 80B, 125, 146  
History 177  
History of Art and Visual Culture 44, 48, 116, 141P, 142, 143G  
Kresge College 161  
Latin American and Latino Studies 80P  
Literature 167G  
Music 80K  
Ocean Sciences 80B  
Physics 2  
Sociology 125, 173, 173X, 185  
Technology and Information Management 155  

**Human Behavior (PE-H code)**  
Courses focus on aspects of individual human behavior or the operation of human groups.  

Anthropology 110D, 110F, 110N, 110S, 125  
Applied Linguistics 80  
Art 80X  
Art and Design: Games and Playable Media 80I  
Community Studies 156  
Cowell College 82, 138A  
Economics 1, 2, 20  
History 76, 118A  
Latin American and Latino Studies 149, 174  
Linguistics 80D  
Philosophy 23, 24  
Politics 1, 70  
Psychology 1  
Sociology 136, 137, 172  
Technology and Information Management 80L  
Theater Arts 80C  

**Technology and Society (PE-T code)**  
Courses emphasize issues raised by the prevalence of technology in society.
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**Practice (minimum 2 credits)**

Choose one minimum two-credit course from any of the three following categories: PR-E, PR-C, PR-S

**Collaborative Endeavor (PR-E code)**

Courses provide significant experience with collaboration on a project.

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Linguistics 144
Literature 80O
Mathematics 101
Merrill College 38, 80F
Music 1C, 2
Oakes College 11
Physics 9B, 180
Porter College 131C
Psychology 182
Stevenson College 11A, 11B, 11C, 12, 13, 86
Technology and Information Management 20, 21
Theater Arts 139

Creative Process (PR-C code)

Courses teach creative process and techniques in the arts (including creative writing), at an individual or a collaborative level.

Anthropology 81A, 81B, 81C, 82, 154
Art and Design: Games and Playable Media 179
College Ten 106
Computational Media 25, 26, 150, 178, 179
Computer Science 80V
Crown College 86
Environmental Studies 18
Film and Digital Media 20P, 150, 170A, 170B, 171C
Kresge College 65F, 65M, 65W, 90A
Latin American and Latino Studies 81A, 81B, 81C
Literature 61L, 80U, 90, 90X, 91A, 91B, 179A, 179C
Music 5A, 5B, 5C, 8A, 8B, 9, 10, 12, 55, 56, 80Z, 163, 166
Service Learning (PR-S code)

Courses provide the opportunity for supervised campus or community service that contributes to a student's overall education.

Biology: Ecology and Evolutionary 95
Biology: Molecular, Cell, and Developmental 191
Chemistry and Biochemistry 182
Carson College 55, 155, 162
College Ten 98, 110, 110B, 115
Community Studies 191, 198
Cowell College 168, 184A, 184B, 184C
Crown College 70
Economics 193, 193F, 198, 198F
Education 50A, 50B, 50C, 180
Environmental Studies 83, 184
History of Art and Visual Culture 193F
Kresge College 12A, 12B, 12C, 62, 63, 64
Literature 191
Mathematics 188, 189
Merrill College 85B, 85C, 90, 90F
Oakes College 73B, 76, 130, 151B, 152, 153
Politics 136F
Psychology 155, 193, 193A, 193B, 193C, 193D
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Composition (C1 and C2 code) (10 credits) Two five-credit courses.

C1

Carson College 80A, 80D
College Nine 80A, 80D
College Ten 80A, 80D
Cowell College 80A
Crown College 80A
Kresge College 80A, 80D
Merrill College 80A
Oakes College 80A, 80D
Porter College 80A
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C2
Carson College 80B
College Nine 80B
College Ten 80B
Cowell College 80B
Crown College 80B
Kresge College 80B
Merrill College 80B
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Writing 2

Disciplinary Communication (DC code)

Students satisfy the DC Requirement by completing 1-3 upper-division courses required for their major totaling a minimum of five credits.

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