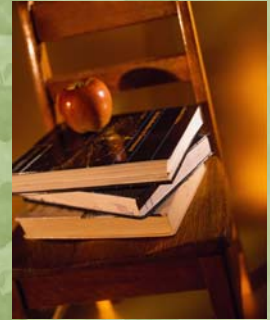


# Articulation NewsBrief

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## San Diego Community College District (SDCCD) English and Mathematics Course Changes Effective Fall 2009



FROM	TO
<b>English</b>	
51 Basic Composition	49 Basic Composition
56 College Reading and Study Skills	48 College Reading and Study Skills
<b>Mathematics</b>	
95 Elementary Algebra and Geometry	46 Elementary Algebra and Geometry <i>Note: Course changed from Degree Applicable to Non-Degree Applicable</i>
35 Pre-Algebra (3 units)	38 Pre-Algebra and Study Skills (4 units)
32 Fundamentals of Mathematics (5 units)	34A Basic Mathematics and Study Skills (4 units)
<b>Mathematics (New Courses)</b>	
84 – Practical Geometry	Completion of this course with a grade of “C” or better will clear the SDCCD Math Competence requirement for the associate degree.
85 – Practical Career Mathematics	Completion of this course with a grade of “C” or better will clear the SDCCD Math Competence requirement for the associate degree.

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# CSU Lower Division Transfer Patterns (LDTP) Project Transition Plans

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## Plans for Transitions for the Lower Division Transfer Patterns

In the light of the significant reductions in the CSU budget, the university's leadership is considering some transitions for the Lower Division Transfer Patterns (LDTP) and looks forward to working more closely with California Community Colleges regarding moving forward with a revised and increasingly useful transfer plan.

While a more useful and yet less costly transfer plan is being developed, no additional courses will be reviewed for inclusion in the LDTP program. Each of 488 courses already in the "queue" will be reviewed, and responses will be provided to the CSU's community college colleagues.

The previously anticipated addition of LDTP to CSUMentor such that individual students' LDTP plans could be electronically tracked and admissions agreements initiated will not go forward at this time.

Using the LDTP patterns as provided at <http://www.calstate.edu/acadaff/ldtp/agreements.shtml> is still a good choice as a source of "roadmaps" through the California community colleges and towards the CSU.

A comprehensive statement of interim actions and CSU plans for collaborating with the community colleges of California to facilitate successful student transfer is forthcoming.

Many as yet un-answered questions are likely to be addressed in the forthcoming statement. In the meantime, questions regarding the future of the work of LDTP and plans for the development of a useful and yet less expensive transfer plan may be referred to Allison G. Jones, Assistant Vice Chancellor, Student Academic Support [ajones@calstate.edu](mailto:ajones@calstate.edu) or Jim Blackburn [jblackburn@calstate.edu](mailto:jblackburn@calstate.edu).



## 2009–2010 University of California Transfer Course Agreement (UCTCA)

The following courses have been submitted as new proposals to the UC Office of the President for the University of California Transfer Course Agreement (UCTCA) consideration:

ARTF 125	Art History: Arts of the Asian Continent
ARTF 191	Cultural Influences on Photography
ARTF 194	Critical Photography
CHEM 111	Chemistry in Society
CHEM 111L	Chemistry in Society Laboratory
DANC 150	Dance Making: Ballet
DANC 151	Dance Making: Jazz
DANC 152	Dance Making: Modern
DANC 153	Dance Making: Dance Theater

## 2009–2010 SDCCD General Education Pattern

The following SD Mesa courses have been added to the SDCCD General Education pattern:

ARTF 194	Critical Photography	C–Humanities
CHEM 111	Chemistry in Society	B2 –Natural Science–Physical Science
CHEM 111L	Chemistry in Society Laboratory	B2–Natural Science–Physical Science
HUMA 205	Exploring Human Values Through Film	C–Humanities
MATH 84	Practical Geometry	A2–Communication/Analytical Thinking
MATH 85	Practical Career Mathematics	A2–Communication/Analytical Thinking

## Mesa Curriculum Review Committee (CRC) Meeting Schedule 2009 –2010 Thursdays ~ 2:00 p.m.

### Fall

September 3, 2009  
September 17, 2009  
October 1, 2009  
October 15, 2009  
November 5, 2009  
November 19, 2009  
December 3, 2009

### Spring

January 21, 2010 *Virtual Vote*  
February 4, 2010  
February 18, 2010  
March 4, 2010  
March 18, 2010  
April 15, 2010 *Spring Break April 1*  
April 29, 2010  
May 6, 2010

## Publication Deadlines for CRC Review

2009 – 2010

### CRC MEETING

February 4, 2010

March 4, 2010

May 6, 2010

February 2010

### PUBLICATION

Summer Schedule 2010

Fall Schedule 2010

Spring Schedule 2011

Mesa Catalog – 2010/2011

\*Please note that all items submitted prior to and by these deadlines remain dependent upon subsequent CIC/Board of Trustee's and/or State approval. Until the appropriate subsequent approvals are given items cannot be included in the above publications. For updates and changes to deadlines please contact the Curriculum Chair (Shirley Flor 388-2986)

## SDCCD Curriculum and Instructional Council (CIC) Meeting Schedule

2009–2010

Thursdays—2:00 p.m.

### CIC Meeting Dates

September 10, 2009

September 24, 2009

October 8, 2009

October 22, 2009

November 12, 2009

December 10, 2009

January 28, 2010 – *Virtual*

February 11, 2010

February 25, 2010

March 11, 2010

March 25, 2010

April 8, 2010

April 22, 2010

May 13, 2010

### Proposals due to the District

August 21, 2009

September 4, 2009

September 18, 2009

October 2, 2009

October 16, 2009

November 20, 2009

December 18, 2009

January 22, 2010

February 5, 2010

February 19, 2010

March 5, 2010

March 19, 2010

March 26, 2010

Apr 16, 2010



## Important Dates

### 2009

*November*

UCTCA Submission Response for 2009—2010

*December*

CSUGE-B/IGETC Submission Deadline for 2010—2011

### 2010

*April*

CSUGE-B/IGETC Submission Response for 2010—2011

SDSU Articulation Renewal Deadline for 2010—2011

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