

APPROVED CLASSES FOR THE BASIC SKILLS REQUIREMENT

This is a list of classes from Stanislaus State and local community colleges that can be used for the Basic Skills Requirement. Please note that this may not be a complete list. Classes not included on this list, or classes from other colleges, may still be accepted, provided they meet the criteria for approval listed below. Please contact credentials@csustan.edu for advising on applicable coursework.

CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL:

- Must be worth 3 or more semester units (or equivalent quarter units)
- Must be degree applicable (no remedial coursework accepted)
- Must have a grade of **B- or higher** (or “CR” if taken as credit/no credit)
- **READING** can be fulfilled by course in critical thinking, literature, philosophy, reading, rhetoric, *or* textual analysis.
- **MATH** can be fulfilled by a course in algebra, geometry, mathematics, quantitative reasoning, *or* statistics.
- **WRITING** can be fulfilled by a course in composition, English, rhetoric, written communication, *or* writing.

STANISLAUS STATE

READING

Critical Thinking

COMM 2110 – Group Discussion Processes
COMM 2300 - Argumentation and Critical Thinking
ENGL 1006 – First Year Composition (Stretch A)
ENGL 1007 – First Year Composition (Stretch B)
ENGL 2000 - Critical Inquiry
PHIL 2000 - Introduction to Critical Thinking
PHIL 2005 - Honors Critical Thinking Seminar
PHIL 2100 - Logic

Literature

ENGL 1010 - Introduction to Literature
ENGL 2100 - British Literature to 1800
ENGL 2110 - British Literature after 1800
ENGL 2200 - American Literature to 1865
ENGL 2210 - American Literature after 1865
ENGL 3209 - Medieval Literature
ENGL 3210 - English Renaissance Literature
ENGL 3215 - 17th Century English Literature
ENGL 3220 - 18th Century British Lit
ENGL 3225 - British Romantic Literature
ENGL 3230 - British Victorian Literature
ENGL 3235 - Modern British Literature
ENGL 3400 - Early American Literature
ENGL 3410 - American Literature: Romanticism and Transcendentalism
ENGL 3420 - American Literature: Realism and Naturalism
ENGL 3430 - American Literature: 20th Century to 1950
ENGL 3440 - American Literature: 20th Century from 1950 to Present

ENGL 3550 - Years of War, Days of Peace
ENGL 3920 - Survey of World Literature
ENGL 3940 - Multicultural American Literature
ENGL 3945 - Multicultural California Literature
ENGL 4130 - Dramatic Literature I
ENGL 4135 - Dramatic Literature II
ENGL 4320 - African American Literature and Cultural Studies
ENGL 4330 - Latinx Literature and Cultural Studies
ENGL 4530 - Gender and Sexuality in Literature
ENGL 4620 - Children’s Literature
ENGL 4630 - Adolescent Literature
ENGL 4990 – Senior Seminar in Literature
COMM 3400 – Oral Interpretation of Children’s Literature

Philosophy

Any Stan State **Philosophy** course can be used to fulfill the Reading portion of the Basic Skills Requirement (GE or other)

Reading

HONS 1010 - Reading Seminar in Humanities
HONS 2010 - Reading Seminar in Social Sciences

Rhetoric

ENGL 4010 - Introduction to Rhetoric

Textual Analysis

HONS 3500 - Information and Research and Analysis
THEA 2500 - Script Analysis

MATH

MATH 1000 - Excursions into Mathematics
MATH 1030 - Elementary Foundations of Mathematics I
MATH 1035 – Elementary Foundations of Mathematics with support IA
MATH 1036 - Elementary Foundations of Math with Support IB
MATH 1040 – Elementary Foundations of Mathematics II
MATH 1070 - College Algebra
MATH 1071 – College Algebra with Support I
MATH 1072 - College Algebra with Support II
MATH 1080 - Trigonometry
MATH 1100 - Precalculus
MATH 1410 - Calculus I
MATH 1420 – Calculus II
MATH 1500 - Finite Mathematics
MATH 1552 - Finite Mathematics and Business Statistics II

MATH 1553 – Finite Mathematics and Business Statistics III
MATH 1600 - Statistics
MATH 1601 – Statistics with Support I
MATH 1602 - Statistics with Support II
MATH 1610 - Statistics for Decision Making
MATH 1910 - Calculus with Applications I
MATH 2530 - Linear Algebra
MATH 3030 - Geometry for Teachers
MATH 3050 - Exploring Mathematics
MATH 3060 - Modern Geometry
MATH 3350 - Applied Mathematical Models
MATH 4020 – Math for Secondary Teachers
MATH 4530 – Abstract Algebra
MATH 4540 – Abstract Algebra II
MATH 4940 – Linear Algebra

WRITING

Writing Proficiency (WP)

A Stan State **WP class** from any major can be used for Writing, provided the class is at least 3 units.

English

Most Stan State **English** classes can be used for Writing, **EXCEPT** for the following:

- Remedial classes (ENGL 110)
- Classes fewer than 3 units (ENGL 3015)
- Creative Writing classes (ENGL 2010, 3010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014)
- Copyediting/editing classes (ENGL 4016, 4019)

Other Written Communication

COMM 3140 - Persuasive Messages
JOUR 2150 - Writing for the Media
JOUR 3012 - Journalism Laboratory

MODESTO JUNIOR COLLEGE

READING

Critical Thinking

COMM 104 – Argumentation
ENGL 103 – Advanced Composition and Critical Thinking

Literature

COMM 120 – Oral Interpretation
ENGL 102 – Advanced Composition and Introduction to Literature
ENGL 112 - Introduction to the Novel and Short Story
ENGL 114 - Introduction to Poetry
ENGL 116 - Introduction to Drama
ENGL 131 - Introduction to World Literature 1

ENGL 132 - Introduction to World Literature 2
ENGL 135 - Survey of American Literature to 1850
ENGL 136 - Survey of American Literature: 1850 to the Present
ENGL 137 - Survey of English Literature to the late 18th Century
ENGL 138 - Survey of English Literature: Late Eighteenth Century to Present
ENGL 151 - Folklore
ENGL 156 - The Bible As Literature: The Hebrew Canon and Intertestamental Writings
ENGL 157 - The Bible As Literature: The New Testament

ENGL 163 – Introduction to Shakespeare
ENGL 168 – Adolescent Literature
ENGL 169 – Children’s Literature
ENGL 171 - Introduction to African-American Literature
ENGL 172 - Intro to Chicano/a Literature
ENGL 173 - Intro to Latin American Literature
ENGL 174 - Introduction to Modern Asian Literature
ENGL 175 - Introduction to Women's Literature
ENGL 179 - Introduction to Native American Literature,
Mythology, and the Oral Tradition

Philosophy

PHILO 101 - Philosophy
PHILO 103 - Symbolic Logic
PHILO 105 - Critical Reasoning and Analytic Writing
PHILO 107 - Philosophy of Science
PHILO 111 - Ethics: Theory and Application

MATH

MATH 70 – Elementary Algebra
MATH 89 - Intermediate Algebra for Non-STEM Majors
MATH 90 - Intermediate Algebra for STEM Majors
MATH 101 - Mathematical Ideas and Applications
MATH 105 - Structure of Mathematics 1
MATH 106 - Structure of Mathematics 2
MATH 111 - College Algebra
MATH 130 - Finite Mathematics
MATH 134 - Elementary Statistics

WRITING

English

ENGL 100 - Intensive Reading, Writing, and Reasoning
ENGL 101 - Composition and Reading
ENGL 102 - Advanced Composition & Introduction to Literature
ENGL 103 - Advanced Composition & Critical Thinking
ENGL 112 - Introduction to the Novel and Short Story
ENGL 114 - Introduction to Poetry
ENGL 116 - Introduction to Drama
ENGL 131 - Introduction to World Literature 1
ENGL 132 - Introduction to World Literature 2
ENGL 135 - Survey of American Literature to 1850
ENGL 136 - Survey of American Literature: 1850 to the Present
ENGL 137 - Survey of English Literature to the late 18th Century
ENGL 138 - Survey of English Literature: Late Eighteenth Century to Present

PHILO 113 - Philosophy and Art
PHILO 115 - Religion: Philosophical and Comparative Inquiry
PHILO 120 - History of Philosophy: Ancient
PHILO 121 - History of Philosophy: Modern
PHILO 123 - Twentieth Century Philosophy
PHILO 130 - Political Philosophy
PHILO 135 - Environmental Ethics
PHILO 140 - Philosophy and Film

Reading

ENGL 100 – Intensive Reading, Writing, and Reasoning
ENGL 101 – Composition and Reading
READ 184 – Critical Reading

Textual Analysis

THETR 114 – Script Analysis

MATH 138 - Calculus for Business & Social Sciences
MATH 161 - Trigonometry
MATH 162 - Precalculus
MATH 171 - Calculus: First Course
MATH 172 - Calculus: Second Course
MATH 173 - Calculus: Third Course
MATH 191 - Linear Algebra
MATH 193 - Ordinary Differential Equations

ENGL 151 - Folklore
ENGL 156 - The Bible As Literature: The Hebrew Canon and Intertestamental Writings
ENGL 157 - The Bible As Literature: The New Testament
ENGL 161 - Film Appreciation
ENGL 162 - History of Cinema
ENGL 163 - Introduction to Shakespeare
ENGL 168 - Adolescent Literature
ENGL 169 - Children's Literature
ENGL 171 - Introduction to African-American Literature
ENGL 172 - Intro to Chicano/a Literature
ENGL 173 - Intro to Latin American Literature
ENGL 174 - Introduction to Modern Asian Literature
ENGL 175 - Introduction to Women's Literature
ENGL 179 - Introduction to Native American Literature, Mythology, and the Oral Tradition

MERCED COLLEGE

READING

Critical Thinking

ENGL 1B – Introduction to Literature
ENGL 1C – Critical Thinking Across the Curriculum
ENGL 13 – Critical Reasoning and Writing
ENGL 13H – Honors Critical Reasoning and Writing
PHIL 10 – Critical Thinking
PHIL 13 – Critical Reasoning and Writing
PHIL 13H – Honors Critical Reasoning and Writing

Literature

COMM 02 – Oral Interpretation
ENGL 01B – Introduction to Literature
ENGL 02 – Oral Interpretation
ENGL 04A - Introduction to World Literature: Ancients to 1650
ENGL 04B - Introduction to World Literature: 1650 to Present
ENGL 06A - Major English Writers to the Late 18th Century
ENGL 06B - Major English Writers Since the Late 18th Century
ENGL 07 - Studies in Literature--Poetry

MATH

MATH 02 - Precalculus
MATH 02H - Honors Precalculus
MATH 03 - Calculus for Business
MATH 04A - Calculus I
MATH 04B - Calculus II
MATH 04C - Multivariable Calculus
MATH 06 - Elementary Differential Equations
MATH 07 - Discrete Structures
MATH 08 - Linear Algebra
MATH 09 - Differential Equations with Linear Algebra
MATH 10 - Elementary Statistics
MATH 11 - Elementary Statistics

WRITING

A course in composition, English, rhetoric, written communication, or writing.

English

ENGL 1C - Critical Thinking Across the Curriculum
ENGL 1A - College Composition and Reading
ENGL 1B - Introduction to Literature
ENGL 2 - Oral Interpretation
ENGL 4A - Introduction to World Literature: Ancients to 1650

ENGL 08 - Introduction to Shakespeare
ENGL 10 - American Literature - Beginnings to Civil War
ENGL 11 - American Literature - Civil War to Present
ENGL 15 - History of Dramatic Literature
ENGL 18 - African and African American Literature

Philosophy

PHIL 01 - Introduction to Philosophy
PHIL 01H - Honors Introduction to Philosophy
PHIL 02 – Social and Political Philosophy
PHIL 03 - Ancient Philosophy
PHIL 04 - Modern Philosophy
PHIL 05 - Contemporary Ethical Issues
PHIL 12 - Introduction to Logic
PHIL 15 – Comparative Religions

Reading

ENGL 1A – College Composition and Reading

Textual Analysis

DRAM 23 -Script Analysis: Plays in Performance

MATH 15 - Finite Mathematics
MATH 20A - Basic Structure of Mathematics I
MATH 20B - Basic Structure of Mathematics II
MATH 22 - Modern Mathematics
MATH 25 - Trigonometry
MATH 26 - College Algebra for Liberal Arts
MATH 27 - Precalculus and Trigonometry
MATH 32 - Probability and Statistics for STEM
MATH 62 – Algebra for STEM
MATH 62 – Algebra for Liberal Arts
MATH B – Applied Mathematics
MATH C – Intermediate Algebra

ENGL 4B - Introduction to World Literature: 1650 to Present
ENGL 5 - Introduction to Fiction
ENGL 6A - Major English Writers to the Late 18th Century
ENGL 6B - Major English Writers Since the Late 18th Century
ENGL 7 - Studies in Literature: Poetry

ENGL 8 - Introduction to Shakespeare
ENGL 10 - American Literature from Beginnings to Civil War
ENGL 11 - American Literature from Post-Civil War to Present
ENGL 13 - Critical Reasoning and Writing

ENGL 13H - Honors Critical Reasoning and Writing
ENGL 14 - Introduction to Film
ENGL 15 - History of Dramatic Literature
ENGL 18 - African and African American Literature
ENGL 19 - Chicana/o Literature and Studies in the United States

DELTA COLLEGE

READING

Critical Thinking

COM ST 5 - Argumentation and Debate
ENG 1D - Advanced Composition and Critical Thinking

Literature

COM ST 2 - Oral Interpretation of Literature
ENG 1B – Composition and Literature
ENG 35 - Chicano Literature
ENG 37 - Women in Literature
ENG 38 - Mythology
ENG 42A - Survey of American Literature I
ENG 42B - Survey of American Literature II
ENG 43C - World Literature I
ENG 43D - World Literature II
ENG 45 - The Reading of Shakespeare
ENG 46A - Survey of British Literature I
ENG 46B - Survey of British Literature II
ENG 47 - The Bible as Literature
ENG 55A - Studies in Drama

ENG 55B - Studies in Fiction
ENG 55C - Studies in Poetry
ENG 57 - Children's Literature
ENG 62A - Race and Ethnicity in Literature
ENG 62B - Contemporary African American Literature
ENG 62C - Asian American Literature
ENG 62D - Indigenous American Literature

Philosophy

PHILO 6 - Introduction to Philosophy
PHILO 30 - Introductory Logic
PHILO 40 - Ethics
PHILO 45 - Philosophy of Religion
PHILO 50 - Asian Philosophy

Reading

ENG 1A - Reading and Composition
ENG 2A - Reading and Writing with Support

MATH

A course in algebra, geometry, mathematics, quantitative reasoning, or statistics.

MATH 1 - Calculus I
MATH 2 - Calculus II
MATH 3 - Vector Calculus
MATH 4 - Differential Equations
MATH 5 - Linear Algebra
MATH 10 - Introduction to Contemporary Mathematics
MATH 12 - Introduction to Probability and Statistics
MATH 12EX - Introduction to Probability and Statistics with Support
MATH 13 - Survey of Calculus
MATH 17A - Concepts and Structure of Mathematics

MATH 17B - Concepts and Structure of Mathematics
MATH 20 - Finite Mathematics
MATH 37 - College Algebra
MATH 37EX - College Algebra with Support
MATH 38A - Precalculus I
MATH 38B - Precalculus II
MATH 39 – Precalculus
MATH 92 – Intermediate Algebra
PSYCH 2 – Statistical Methods for Psychology & Social Science

WRITING

A course in composition, English, rhetoric, written communication, or writing.

English

ENG 1A - Reading and Composition
ENG 1B – Composition and Literature

ENG 1D - Advanced Composition and Critical Thinking
ENG 2A - Reading and Writing with Support

ENG 35 - Chicano Literature
ENG 37 - Women in Literature
ENG 38 - Mythology
ENG 42A - Survey of American Literature I
ENG 42B - Survey of American Literature II
ENG 43C - World Literature I
ENG 43D - World Literature II
ENG 45 - The Reading of Shakespeare
ENG 46A - Survey of British Literature I
ENG 46B - Survey of British Literature II
ENG 47 - The Bible as Literature
ENG 55A - Studies in Drama
ENG 55B - Studies in Fiction
ENG 55C - Studies in Poetry
ENG 57 - Children's Literature
ENG 62A - Race and Ethnicity in Literature
ENG 62B - Contemporary African American Literature
ENG 62C - Asian American Literature
ENG 62D - Indigenous American Literature