

Developmental coursework consists of non-degree-applicable basic skills courses.

A student's need for developmental coursework shall be determined using appropriate assessment methods or procedures.

No student shall receive more than 30 semester units for developmental coursework, subject to the following exceptions:

- A. A student who is enrolled in one or more courses of English as a Second Language is exempt from this unit limitation.
- B. A student who has been officially identified by the college as having a learning disability is exempt from this unit limitation.

Students who need more than 30 units to develop college-level basic skills will be restricted to taking only noncredit courses, non-degree-applicable courses that do not involve remediation, and those degree-applicable credit courses that do not have basic skills prerequisites or advisories on recommended preparation.

The district shall maximize the probability that a student will enter and complete transfer-level coursework in English and mathematics within a one-year time frame of the student's initial attempt in the discipline. For a student with a declared academic goal, the transfer-level coursework shall satisfy the English and mathematics course requirements of the intended certificate or associate degree, or a requirement for transfer within the intended major, within a one-year time frame of their initial attempt in the discipline.

The district shall not recommend or require students to enroll in pretransfer-level English or mathematics coursework unless the student is highly unlikely to succeed in a transfer-level English or mathematics course based on their high school grade point average and coursework and the enrollment in pretransfer-level coursework will improve the student's probability of completing transfer-level coursework in English and mathematics within a one-year time frame or, for credit English as a Second Language course students, completing transfer-level coursework in English within a three-year

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assure success in college-level courses, they may petition the Committee on Exceptions for reinstatement to proceed with college-level coursework.

The MiraCosta College catalog shall include a clear statement of the limited applicability of developmental coursework toward fulfilling degree requirements and any exemptions that may apply to this limitation.