Course Information

Students are held responsible for understanding and fulfilling all requirements presented herein, and for understanding and fulfilling any changes in those requirements which may have occurred since the printing of the catalog. Students are advised to check at the division or department levels for these changes.

Course Student Learning Outcomes

Student Learning Outcomes identify the knowledge, skills, abilities and attitudes that students will be able to demonstrate at the end of a course or program of study. Student Learning Outcomes are assessed regularly, and assessment results are used for making improvements to the course, if necessary.

A list of Student Learning Outcomes for Palomar College courses is available at http://www.palomar.edu/slo The list is updated twice annually.

General Education/Institutional Student Learning Outcomes are also available at http://www.palomar.edu/slo/

Course Numbering System

Palomar College operates on a semester system. The course numbering system has meaning with regard to level and transfer. The college numbering system, effective summer 1990, is as follows:

I – 49: Remedial or college preparatory courses which do not apply toward an A.A. degree and which are not intended for transfer to another community college or four-year college or university.

50 - 99: Courses which apply toward an AA degree but which are not intended for transfer to a four-year college or university.

100-299: Courses which count toward an AA degree and/or are intended for transfer to a four-year college or university (refer to Transfer Identification below). Freshman-level courses are generally given numbers from 100-199, and sophomore-level courses are generally given numbers from 200-299.

700 – 799: Apprenticeship courses apply toward certificate and AA degree.

Courses numbered 100 through 299 are intended as lower division transferable course work. The final decision in regard to transferability rests with the institution to which the credits are transferred.

Numbers in parentheses indicate the units granted for a course.

Transfer Identification

Courses at Palomar College which transfer to public four-year universities in California are identified at the beginning of each course description with the abbreviation CSU and/or UC.

The notation CSU means the course will transfer to the 23 campuses of the California State University system.

The notation UC means the course will transfer to the 10 campuses of the University of California system.