

## FRESHMAN EXPERIENCE LEARNING COMMUNITIES AT SANTA ANA COLLEGE

Freshman Experience learning communities are an innovative approach to traditional course offerings, created by linking courses through thematic content, skill development, or a combination of these methods.

Teachers in the linked courses of a Learning Community work as a team, coordinating assignments, exams and other class activities in their specified courses. Students, too, become a team, joining together in a "cohort" or group, to take the linked classes. Recent research suggests that students in learning community classes get to know their teachers and each other better, and they are better able to connect and apply information and learning from one course to another. Participation in learning communities contributes to improved transfer rates, student success and reduced attrition.

Freshman Experience learning communities offer a fresh and exciting way of fulfilling requirements for an AA degree and transfer to Cal State or UC systems.

### Other Benefits Include:

- A coordinated work load for classes (assignments and exams).
- Classes that are generally transferable in different categories.
- Opportunities to learn across disciplines.
- Developing lasting friendships and learning from peers in an intimate academic atmosphere.
- Gaining refreshing insights into current schools of thought within traditional disciplines.

### Important:

Students are required to enroll in **all** classes within the Freshman Experience cohort. To enroll in this program, students may register on-line. For further information, call the Counseling Center at 714-564-6100.

### FRESHMAN EXPERIENCE COURSES—SPRING 2014

SECTION	COURSE	TIME	DAYS	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
1	79713 English 061 78302 Counseling 116	11:15a-1:20p 9:40a-11:05a	M W Tu Th	Cons A Vu I	D-212 I-208
2	79722 English 061 78315 Counseling 116	11:30a -1:35p 8:30a-9:55a	M W M W	Bassett D Lopez-Ediss C	D-210 I-108
3	79704 English 061 78300 Counseling 116	8:00a-10:05a 10:15a-11:40a	Tu Th Tu Th	Sosta R Kelley M	D-213 I-202
4	79890 English 101 78297 Counseling 116	2:30p-4:35p 12:45p-2:10p	Tu Th Tu Th	Greenberg H Palomares E	D-214 I-101
5	79867 English 101 79178 Psychology 100 78299 Counseling 116	10:00a-12:05p 8:00a-9:25a 12:15p-1:40p	Tu Th Tu Th Tu Th	Carroll A Ortiz F Romero A	I-207 D-102 I-108
6	79931 English 101 78313 Counseling 116	7:30a-9:35a 9:45a-11:10a	Tu Th Tu Th	Tran M Tran A	I-104 I-101
7 PUENTE	79861 English 101 78314 Counseling 106	10:15a-12:20p 12:30p-1:20p	Tu Th Tu	Martinez D Sanabria R	D-213 D-214
8 U-LINK	82603 Chemistry 109 Chemistry 109 LAB 78325 Counseling 128	12:00p-3:10p 3:30p-6:40p 2:15p-5:25p	M W Tu	Staff Staff Lopez-Ediss C	R-318 R-309 I-101
9 U-LINK	82512 Comm. Studies 206 78326 Counseling 128	2:00p-5:10p 12:45p-3:55p	M W	Fondren S Zook R	C-213 A-130
10 U-LINK	79826 Music 103 81997 Counseling 128	9:30a-10:55a 2:15p-5:25p	TuTh Tu	Lopez D Zook R	N-114 D-105
11	80903 Math 060 78320 Counseling 116	12:30p-2:35p 10:00a-11:25a	M W M W	Rogers N Castro R	I-204 I-108
12	80851 Math 060 78324 Counseling 116	8:00a-10:05a 10:15a-11:40a	Tu Th Tu Th	Marecek L Robledo R	H-109 I-108
13	80916 Math 081 (L) 78305 Counseling 116	12:00p-2:30p 2:45p-4:10p	Tu Th Tu Th	Meyers Giddings J Vu I	I-203 I-108
14	80913 Math 081 (L) 78323 Counseling 116	2:45p-5:15p 1:00p-2:25p	M W M W	Hoang K Moberly E	I-204 I-108
15	80904 Math 081 (L) 78294 Counseling 116	9:15a-11:45a 7:30a-8:55a	M W M W	Emigh J Everett K	I-102 I-209
16	80923 Math 105 78319 Counseling 116	9:45a-11:50a 8:15a-9:40a	Tu Th Tu Th	Everett M Everett K	H-105 I-108

(L) Weekly Lab Attendance Required

## FAST TRACK TO SUCCESS

Become part of a highly successful accelerated program at Santa Ana College. The Fast Track to Success Program is designed to accelerate your progression through Math and English courses in order to shorten your time to degree/certificate completion and/or transfer. Program Requirements include being placed into Math 060 and English N60.

Note: Students are required to enroll in all classes within the Fast Track cohort. To enroll in this program or for further information please contact Eva Palomares at [palomares\\_eva@sac.edu](mailto:palomares_eva@sac.edu) or (714) 564-6161.

### FAST TRACK TO SUCCESS—SPRING 2014

SECTION	COURSE	TIME	DAYS	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
FAST TRACK 1	80405 English N60 80411 English 061 80964 Counseling 111	8:00a-12:30p 8:00a-12:15p 1:00p-1:50p	M W M W W	Simmerman S Simmerman S Fernandez-Weston C	D-211 D-211 I-104
FAST TRACK 2	80410 English N60 80412 English 061 82179 Counseling 111	6:00p-10:15p 6:00p-10:15p 5:00p-5:50p	TuTh TuTh Tu	Rocke B Rocke B Fernandez-Weston C	D-205 D-205 CI-209
FAST TRACK 3	81998 Math 060 81999 Math 080 82156 Counseling 100	7:00p-9:05p 7:00p-9:30p 3:30p-5:40p	MTWTh MTWTh W	Yi P Yi P Palomares E	R-303 R-303 I-209

## LEARNING COMMUNITIES II LEARNING COMMUNITIES AREN'T JUST FOR FRESHMEN!

Learning Communities II affords innovative approaches to traditional course offerings by creating linked classes in which students and instructors will explore subjects, themes, and academic skills and competencies that are common to both classes.

**Note:** Students are required to enroll in **all** classes within the Learning Communities II cohort. To enroll in this program, students may **register online**

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### LEARNING COMMUNITIES II—SPRING 2014

SECTION	COURSE	TIME	DAYS	INSTRUCTOR	ROOM
STEM 1	80943 Math 170 82462 Study Skills 091	9:15a-11:45a 12:30p-1:20p	M W M	McClure C Shaffer C	H-105 I-209
PRE STEM 2	80939 Math 081 (L) 78307 Counseling 116	9:15a-11:45a 12:30p-1:55p	TuTh TuTh	Vu D Shaffer C	H-107 I-202

(L) Weekly Lab Attendance Required

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