

# COMMON COURSE NUMBERING (CCN) SYSTEM



**MISSION COLLEGE**  
**WEST VALLEY COLLEGE**

## WHAT IS THE COMMON COURSE NUMBERING (CCN) SYSTEM?

The California Community Colleges are implementing a Common Course Numbering (CCN) system to make transferring easier! Under Assembly Bill 1111 (Berman), courses with the same content will have the same number across all community colleges in the state. This means less confusion, better planning, and a smoother transfer process! You will see the following CCNs in the Fall 2025 class schedule, with additional CCNs rolling out over the next few years.

**A Common Course Number is comprised of four elements:**

- **Subject:** 4-letter standardized abbreviation to be used across the state
- **Course Type Identifier:** All CCN courses are indicated with a "C" prefix before the number
- **Number:** 4-digit standardized course number
- **Course Specialty Identifier:** System-level suffixes for special courses (H=Honors, E=Embedded Support)

## COURSE NAME PRIOR TO FALL 2025

COMM 001 Public Speaking  
COMM 001H Honors Public Speaking

COM 001 Introduction to Public Speaking  
COM 001H Introduction to Public Speaking - Honors

ENGL 001A English Composition

ENG 001A English Composition I  
ENG 001AX Intensive English Composition

ENGL 001C Critical Thinking and Writing  
ENGL 001CH Honors Critical Thinking and Writing

ENG 001C Clear Thinking in Writing

MATH 010 Elementary Statistics  
MATH 010H Honors Elementary Statistics

MAT 010 Elementary Statistics  
MAT 010X Elementary Statistics with Support  
MAT 010H Elementary Statistics - Honors

POLI 001 American Government  
POLI 001H Honors American Government

POL 001 American Government and Politics  
POL 001H American Government and Politics - Honors

PSYC 001 General Psychology

PSY 001 Introduction to Psychology  
PSY 001H Introduction to Psychology

## COURSE NAME EFFECTIVE FALL 2025

COMM C1000 Introduction to Public Speaking

COMM C1000H Introduction to Public Speaking-Honors

ENGL C1000 Academic Reading and Writing

ENGL C1000E Academic Reading and Writing with Support

ENGL C1001 Critical Thinking and Writing

ENGL C1001H Critical Thinking and Writing - Honors

STAT C1000 Introduction to Statistics

STAT C1000E Introduction to Statistics with Support

STAT C1000H Introduction to Statistics - Honors

POLS C1000 American Government & Politics

POLS C1000H American Government & Politics - Honors

PSYC C1000 Introduction to Psychology

PSYC C1000H Introduction to Psychology - Honors

# COMMON COURSE NUMBERING FAQs

## How does this affect me?

If you took courses before Fall 2025, you'll want to check the new numbers to make sure you're not accidentally repeating a class you've already completed. Stay on top of your academic plan by checking with a counselor if you haven't done so yet.

## Why is this happening in Fall 2025?

When colleges make big updates, they roll them out at the start of an academic year. That's why the first phase of CCN starts in Fall 2025—with more updates coming in future Fall semesters.

## How can I tell if a course is part of the CCN system?

All the CCNs at both Mission and West Valley will have 4 letters for the subject codes and a "C" in the course number (e.g., Mission's ENG 001A and West Valley's ENGL 001A are both now ENGL C1000).

## How will I find these in the class search?

Mission and West Valley's CCNs can be found by selecting one of these subjects (with WVC/MC at the end) from the dropdown menu:

- Communication Studies – WVC/MC
- English – WVC/MC
- Math/Statistics – WVC/MC
- Political Science – WVC/MC
- Psychology – WVC/MC

Search

COMM

Term:

Fall 2025

College:

Mission College

Subject

Communication Studies - WVC

More Options

Clear Search

Search Results

COMM C1000H: Introduction to Public Speaking - Honors

 Mission College

Search

STAT

Term:

Fall 2025

College:

West Valley College

Subject

Math/Statistics - WVC/MC

More Options

Clear Search

Search Results

STAT C1000: Introduction to Statistics

 West Valley College

## Will courses that aren't part of CCN still transfer?

Yes! Courses that haven't changed will still transfer as usual under existing agreements with CSU, UC, private colleges and HBCUs.

## I completed MAT 010 but my degree now lists STAT C1000. Do I need to retake it?

No! MAT 010 and MATH 010 = STAT C1000, so your previous course still meets the requirement.

## I took PSYC 001 and didn't pass. If I take PSYC C1000 and pass, will that replace my grade?

Yes! PSYC C1000 is the same course as PSY 001 and PSYC 001, so your new passing grade will count.

## I took an honors CCN course (e.g., ENGL C1000H) at another college, but Mission and West Valley do not offer it. Will it count?

Yes! Honors courses count toward degree requirements and will be used in the same way as ENGL C1000 or ENGL C1000E.

## The General Education requirements I am currently following include ENG 001A. If I take ENGL C1000, will it satisfy the same requirement?

Yes! ENGL C1000 will satisfy the same requirements as ENG 001A and ENGL 001A on the AA/AS Graduation Requirements, CSU GE-B, IGETC as well as the upcoming Cal-GETC.

## I took an honors CCN course (e.g., ENGL C1000H) at another college, but Mission doesn't offer it. Will it count?

Yes! Honors courses (with an H) count toward degree requirements and be used in the same way as ENGL C1000.

## The General Education requirements I am following include ENG 001A and ENG 001AX. If I take ENGL C1000 or ENGL C1000E, will they satisfy the same requirement?

Yes! Both ENGL C1000 and ENGL C1000E satisfy the same requirements as ENG 001A and ENG 001AX on the AA/AS Graduation Requirements, CSU GE-B, IGETC as well as the upcoming Cal-GETC.

## The upcoming Cal-GETC includes COMM C1000. Will the COM 001 or COMM 001 course I have already completed satisfy this Cal-GETC Area 1C?

No. COM 001 or COMM 001 will not satisfy the new Cal-GETC Area 1C requirement which takes effect in Fall 2025. Current transfer students are encouraged to continue following CSU GE-B or IGETC.

***Counseling is here to help! Visit the Mission College Counseling Department or West Valley College Counseling Department if you have additional questions.***