



**Santiago Canyon College
Transfer-Level Course Grade Distribution, Fall 2008
(Success Rates Below 60%)
March 2010**

The Basic Skills Initiative has given Santiago Canyon College resources and an opportunity to focus on an issue that touches all facets of the college, across all discipline areas, as well as across the student services programs and services. In the hope of making SCC's academic support systems more effective, the Basic Skills Task Force is proposing:

- A centralized learning center where students can access the center and not feel isolated,
- Training for peer tutors and other tutors in effective practices for learning in general as well as in specific subject matter,
- Training for faculty in effective use of tutors,
- Offering new supplemental learning opportunities in basic skills courses and in transfer classes that have large numbers of basic skills students.

Do classroom tutors make a difference in students' performance? Literature review shows that it does and so the committee has requested the RSCCD Research Department provide a list (beginning on Page 2) of all transfer-level courses offered at SCC during Fall 2008 (with success rates of 60% or below). Understanding that this data does not take into consideration the many variables that could/do alter the "success" rates, faculty will use it along with other resources to assist them in strategizing programs and services to assist student learning. The list only contains classes that have 20 or more enrollments.

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Final Course Grade Distributions in Transfer-Level Coursework

	Final Course Grades, Fall 2008 (<=60% successful)											Total
	Percent Successful					Percent Not Successful				Percent Incomplete/Withdrawal		
	A	B	C	CR	Total	D	F	NC	TOTAL	I	W	
HIST 133 HIST/CAL			13%		13%	8%	29%		38%		50%	24
EXER 134 CIRCUIT				19%	19%			69%	69%		11%	36
THEA 110 ACT FUND	8%	4%	12%		23%		39%		39%		39%	26
MATH 150 CALCULUS	5%	8%	15%		28%	8%	9%		17%		55%	76
MGMT 120 PRIN/MGMT	17%	17%	3%		37%				0%		63%	30
HIST 162 ASIAN CIV		14%	24%		38%	17%	21%		38%		24%	29
EXER 135 CARDIOVASC				40%	40%			32%	32%		28%	25
ART 129 CONCEPTS	15%	20%	5%		40%		5%		5%		55%	20
GEOG 101 PHYS GEOG	12%	18%	12%		42%	6%	9%		15%		42%	33
MATH 180 GEOM/CALC	10%	14%	19%		42%	5%	11%		15%	1%	41%	104
HIST 121 FROM 1865	11%	16%	15%		42%	7%	19%	0%	26%		33%	295
MATH 160 TRIGNMTRY	14%	12%	18%		43%	13%	9%		22%		35%	129
EXER 116 PERSNL FIT				44%	44%			3%	3%		54%	39
BUS 171 BUS PLAN	26%	17%			44%	4%	17%		22%		35%	23
HIST 127 WOMN/U.S.	13%	21%	13%		46%		29%		29%		25%	24
ANTH 103 INTR/ARCH	16%	28%	4%		48%		4%		4%		48%	25
MATH 219 STATISTCS	11%	18%	19%		48%	6%	9%		15%		37%	189
BIOL 109 FUND/BIOL	10%	14%	23%		48%	8%	11%		19%		34%	752
ASTR 110 STAR/GALX	11%	21%	18%		49%	9%	17%		25%		25%	237
C-IS 106 MS EXCEL	32%	10%		7%	49%		10%		10%		42%	31
DNCE 108A/B INT BALLE	41%			9%	50%			18%	18%		32%	22
IDS 111 INT LOGIC	10%	15%	25%		50%	5%			5%		45%	20
HU-D 110 CHLD,FAML	9%	32%	11%		52%	2%	11%		14%		34%	44

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EDUC 101 INTR/EDUC	17%	4%	30%		52%	17%	4%		22%		26%	23
ENGL 242 AMER LIT	22%	11%	19%		52%	7%	7%		15%		33%	27
PHIL 111 INTR/LOGC	22%	15%	15%		52%	4%	15%		19%		30%	54
ANTH 100 CULTL ANTH	25%	17%	12%		53%	6%	17%		22%		25%	278
SPAN 101 ELEMEN I	23%	19%	11%	1%	53%	3%	7%		11%	1%	36%	312
CJ 101 INTR/CJ	20%	19%	14%		53%	10%	13%		23%		24%	164
HIST 102 FROM 16TH	9%	27%	18%		54%	9%	13%		22%		23%	180
A-SV 121 PLANE SUV	37%	14%	3%		54%		3%		3%		43%	35
BUS 130 PRSNL FIN	33%	9%	13%		54%	9%	30%		39%		7%	46
ANTH 104 LANG/CLTR	19%	24%	11%		54%	5%	3%		8%		38%	37
BIOL 239 HUMN ANAT	19%	15%	21%		54%	9%	10%		19%		28%	200
EXER 130 CIRCUIT				54%	54%			36%	36%		10%	186
IDS 155 SEXUALITY	8%	23%	23%		54%	15%	12%		27%		19%	182
LIBI 100 FUNDAMENT	34%	6%	15%		55%	4%	17%		21%		23%	47
POLT 121 MODEL NAT	28%	24%	3%		55%		3%		3%		41%	29
MATH 145 FIN MATH	10%	21%	24%		55%	7%	14%		21%		24%	29
CMPR 111 COMP ORGAN	36%	5%	14%		55%		5%		5%		41%	22
ASTR 109 INTR SOLA	12%	19%	24%		56%	12%	14%		27%	1%	17%	202
BUS 127 INT E COM	28%	20%	8%		56%	12%	24%		36%		8%	25
HU-D 107 CHLD GROW	21%	16%	19%		56%	6%	8%		14%		31%	238
ACCT 101 ACCOUNTNG	13%	21%	22%		56%	6%	5%		11%	1%	33%	206
PHIL 108 ETHICS	10%	35%	10%		56%	2%	18%		20%		25%	97
MUS 102 WORLD MUS	26%	30%			56%	7%	26%		33%		11%	27
MGMT 135 HUMN MGMT	14%	17%	26%		57%	10%	2%		12%		31%	42

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EXER 131 CIRCUIT				57%	57%			29%	29%		15%	185
PHIL 112 WORLD REL	14%	36%	7%		57%	4%	20%		24%		20%	81
HIST 120 U.S./1865	22%	21%	16%		58%	7%	14%		20%		22%	321
WMNS 101 WOMN STDY	12%	23%	23%		58%	10%	8%		18%	1%	24%	186
TELV 100 ELECTRONC	27%	18%	12%		58%	15%	3%		18%		24%	33
PSYC 100 INTR/PSYC	13%	23%	21%		58%	10%	11%		20%		22%	590
COMM 111 ARGUMENT	22%	22%	14%		58%		10%		10%		33%	73
C-IS 124 PHOTOSHOP	30%	14%	16%		59%		8%	3%	11%		30%	37
CNSL 118 SELF EXPLR	17%	22%	20%		59%	9%	20%		30%	4%	7%	54
ART 100 ART CONCP	22%	22%	15%		59%	6%	12%		17%		24%	250
ERTH 110 INTR/ERTH	9%	24%	26%		59%	13%	12%		25%		16%	159
ECON 120 MACRO	18%	21%	21%		60%	8%	9%		18%	0%	22%	267
BUS 170 PRIN/SM B	51%	6%	3%		60%	3%			3%		37%	35
BUS 170 SMALL BSN	51%	6%	3%		60%	3%			3%		37%	35
ENGL 101 FRSH COMP	16%	24%	20%		60%	7%	9%		16%	1%	23%	1129
GEOG 101 INTRO GEO	19%	24%	18%		60%	9%	4%		14%		27%	237
MATH 140 COLL ALGB	13%	18%	29%		60%	11%	9%		20%		21%	298
ALL TRANSFER-LEVEL <=60% SUCCESS	2713	3270	3126	255	9364	1253	1860	172	3285	37	4875	17561
	15%	19%	18%	1%	53%	7%	11%	1%	19%	0%	28%	