

What is Foundations and Corequisite Support?

Foundations and Corequisite Support are Learning Support courses designed to help build the foundational skills needed for success in college-level courses. Students enrolling in these courses will have a program of study specifically designed to fulfill their unique learning needs.

How do I get placed?

Placement will be determined using COMPASS scores that are no more than one year old.

What is the Coursework like?

LS courses will be offered in two discipline areas: English and Mathematics.

Foundations Level courses are stand-alone courses while Corequisite Level course has the student in both an LS course and a corresponding collegiate course (called a Gateway course)

Corequisite & Collegiate (Gateway)

Courses:

ENGL 0999 (1) & ENGL 1101 (3)

MATH 0997 (1) & MATH 1001 (3)

MATH 0999 (2) & MATH 1111 (3)

Foundations-level courses:

ENGL 0989 (4)

MATH 0987 (3) (to MATH 1001)

MATH 0989 (3) (to MATH 1111)

The number, in parenthesis, is the number of credit hours for the courses.

Course descriptions are in the College Catalog -

<http://catalog.gsu.edu/associate20162017/>.

Note that while LS courses do not count toward GPA or degree credit, they do count toward Financial Aid/HOPE, and appear on transcripts.

How do I exit Learning Support?

To exit LS, you will have to pass the gateway collegiate course (ENGL 1101, MATH 1001, or MATH 1111)

Do I have to take my LS class now?

A student required to take LS courses will be required to enroll in all required courses before any college classes can be taken. A student with two LS requirements, however, may register for PCO1020 after registering for 1 required LS course.

What happens if I don't go to a required LS class?

Students who never attend their LS course(s) in the first week of classes are dropped from all of their courses for the semester.

Instructors in LS English will withdraw students from the course (and co-requisite) if they violate the attendance policy by the mid- point of the semester.

Can I take college classes?

Students can take courses for which they meet all pre-requisites. For example, LS Foundations English is a pre-requisite for Social Science, Natural Science, and Physical Science courses, while a student must exit

LS English area entirely as a prerequisite for ENGL 1101 or COMM 1201.

What are attempts? How many do I have?

An attempt occurs when a student earns a final grade (of "A", "B", "C", "F", "IP", or "WF") in the Foundations course. Attempts do not apply to Co-Requisite Classes.

There are 2 attempts in Foundations English and 2 Foundations Mathematics.

What happens if I use all my attempts in a Foundations course?

There is a 1-year suspension period. It applies to all University System of Georgia schools (including GSU -PC).

What is the 30-Hour Rule?

A student must complete all LS requirements before he or she accumulates more than 30 GPA hours of college-level credit. If 30 hours of GPA credit are completed, the student must take the required LS course only.

Where can I find more information?

Contact the departments listed on the back, or go to the Learning Support webpage at:

<http://advisement.gsu.edu/freshmen/learning-support-program/>

ENGLISH

Reading Score (COMR)	English Score (COME)	Placement
00 - 61	00 - 31	Inadmissible
62-65	32 - 99	ENGL 0989
66 - 73	32-39	ENGL 0989
	40-59	Engl 1101 + English 0999
	60-99	Engl 1101 + English 0999
74-99	32-39	ENGL 0989
	40-59	Engl 1101 + Engl 0999
	60 or higher	ENGL 1101

MATHEMATICS

Math Score (COMM)	Non-STEM (Non-Algebra) Track Placement
00 - 19	Inadmissible
20 - 24	MATH 0987
25 - 36	MATH 1001 + MATH 0997
37 - 99	MATH 1001

MATH Score (COMM)	STEM (Algebra) Track Placement
00 - 19	Inadmissible
20 - 24	MATH 0989
25 - 46	MATH 1111 + MATH 0999
47 - 99	MATH 1111

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Questions & Answers

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