

PROGRAM ASSESSMENT UPDATE, Fall 2012 *(revised 10-09-12)*

For purposes of assessment, a program is defined as a program of study leading to a degree, a state-approved certificate or an organized service or sequence of courses leading to a defined objective. These programs should develop and assess program-level student learning outcomes (PSLOs). The following list identifies which programs have PSLO reports posted to the P-drive 2010-11, 2011-12 or prior to Fall:

POSTED / 11-12	1. Administration of Justice – Degree
POSTED / 10-11*	2. Anthropology – Degree (as dept. through GE)
POSTED / 11-12	3. Appliance Service Technology – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 10-11	4. Fine Arts – Degree
POSTED / 11-12	5. Graphic Communications – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / PRIOR 08	6. Automotive Technology – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 10-11, PRIOR 06	7. Biological Science – Degree
POSTED / 10-11**	8. Accounting – Degree, Certificate (as dept./capstones)
POSTED / 10-11**	9. Office Administration – Degree, Certificate (as dept./capstones)
POSTED / 10-11**	10. Small Business Operations – Degree, Certificate (as dept./capstones)
POSTED / 10-11**	11. Retail Management – Certificate (as dept./capstones)
POSTED / 10-11 & 11-12	12. Chemistry – Degree
POSTED / 10-11, PRIOR 08	13. Child Development – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 10-11 & 11-12	14. Computer Science – 3 Degrees, 5 Certificates
POSTED / 10-11 & 11-12	15. Drama – Degree (pending)
POSTED / 11-12	16. Electrical Technology – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 10-11	17. Engineering – Degree
NOT BEING OFFERED	18. Environmental Science – Degree
POSTED / 11-12	19. Fire Technology – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 11-12	20. Journalism – Degree
POSTED / 10-11**	21. Management and Supervision – Degree, Certificate (as dept./capstones)
POSTED / 11-12	22. Mathematics – Degree
POSTED / 10-11	23. Music – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 06 & 11-12	24. Nursing – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / PRIOR 08	25. Process Technology – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 10-11*	26. Psychology – Degree (as dept. through GE)
NOT BEING OFFERED	27. Real Estate – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 11-12	28. Recording Arts – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 10-11*	29. Sociology – Degree (as dept. through GE)
POSTED / 10-11, PRIOR 08	30. Travel Marketing – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 11-12	31. Welding Technology – Degree, Certificate
POSTED / 11-12	32. ESL – Sequence of Courses
POSTED / 10-11	33. Developmental English – Sequence of Courses
POSTED / 10-11	34. Developmental Math – Sequence of Courses
DONE/GE	35. Liberal Arts (uses GE SLOs, so measured through GE assessment)

Total = 35-2 not currently offered = 33

33 posted / 33 = 100% completed

* / ** **Note:** In its first iteration, the PSLO assessment process was integrated into program review on a two-year cycle and departments with multiple programs were allowed to decide whether to assess all their programs individually, or in aggregate as a department writing just one assessment report. Behavioral Science, Business and Computer Science programs fall into this category. The thinking was that since each program had to assess only one PSLO each at the outset, one they all held in common would be selected in the first go around and others would be assessed in future cycles. Going forward in the new assessment model, all programs will need to assess all PSLOs once in a five-year cycle and produce separate assessment reports for each program. They may opt to use common data for those PSLOs they share, but will need to collect and analyze unique assessment data for unique PSLOs. In addition, for most all programs that offer both a degree program and a certificate program, the key difference is that students need to complete GE for the degree. Program assessment captures information about the major whether for a certificate or a degree so only one report is needed for both. GE SLO assessment captures other required courses.

Additional note: *Based on the old definition of program, Astronomy also posted an assessment in 2010-2011.*