

Crosswalks ~ September 30

General Thoughts:

The over-riding philosophy: SCC is not trying to take credits away from anyone or make students engage in courses that are not necessary; however, we do need to assure ourselves (and SACS) that we are not granting credit without a purpose or solid rationale.

When is the credit appropriate to count?

Allied Health: No set rule; however, typically three years appears to be the ceiling but all cases are handled on an individual basis. The deciding factor revolves around “Do no harm, safety first” which ultimately comes to a technology and knowledge driven decision.

Career Technologies: Six (6) year rule but will take concerns on a case by case basis. When classes do not have crosswalks, Thom looks for appropriate and reasonable equivalencies to award credit.

College Transfer: Ten (10) year rule; although the sum of the classes (degree) is more convincing than the parts. IE. If a student has the degree, blanket liberal studies credit will be awarded. Depending on the intended SCC major, students may choose to re-take a course within the liberal studies area.

Review of ENG classes:

ENG 111 ~ An expository writing course emphasizing thesis and support.

ENG 112 ~ An argument based research writing course.

ENG 113 ~ A literature based writing course with an academic research paper.

ENG 114 ~ A business and professional writing course.

