

# COURSE NUMBERING SYSTEM

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The following course numbering system provides a detailed explanation regarding course number designations. When in doubt about the transferability of a course, always consult a counselor. Students are responsible for reviewing prerequisites and repeatability as noted in course descriptions. Where there is a conflict between the catalog statements and published curriculum sheets, the latter will take precedence. New courses and programs may be added throughout the year.

A degree-applicable credit course is a course that has been designated as appropriate to Foothill College degrees, which has been recommended by the College Curriculum Committee and approved by the district governing board as a collegiate course meeting the needs of students.

- Courses numbered 1-49 are typically approved for transfer to the University of California (UC).<sup>1</sup>
- Courses numbered 1-99 are typically transferable to the California State University (CSU).<sup>1</sup>
- Courses numbered 100 and above are typically not transferable.<sup>1</sup>
- Courses numbered 200-299 are non-degree-applicable and include prerequisites for required courses that lead to the associate degree.
- Courses numbered 300-399 are upper division courses for the Foothill baccalaureate degree program.<sup>2</sup>
- Courses numbered 400-499 are non-credit, adaptive learning, or other areas that do not apply to the associate degree.
- Community services courses are fee-based, and are scheduled and publicized separately from the state-supported courses identified in this catalog.

<sup>1</sup> There are some exceptions to this rule; therefore, students should consult with a counselor and/or access [ASSIST.org](https://assist.org) to verify course transferability.

<sup>2</sup> Prior to the 2016-17 academic year, courses numbered 300-399 were workshop, review and other courses offered to meet special collegiate needs of a community nature.