

California Community Colleges
Management Information System
Data Element Dictionary

Course Data Elements

DED#	DATA ELEMENT NAME	FORMAT
CB11	COURSE-CLASSIFICATION-STATUS	X(01)
This element classifies a course in accordance with its primary objective.		

CODING	MEANING
Credit Courses	
Y	Credit Course
Noncredit Courses	
J	Workforce Preparation Enhanced Funding Use code "J" if the course is part of an approved noncredit program in the area of Workforce Preparation authorized by CCR Title 5. §55151.
K	Other Noncredit Enhanced Funding Use code "K" if the course has been approved for noncredit enhanced funding in noncredit categories (CB22) A, C or I and does not meet the criteria for "J".
L	Non-Enhanced Funding Use code "L" if the course has not been approved for noncredit enhanced funding.

CALIFORNIA EDUCATION CODE – §70901 as amended by AB 1943 (Nava)
70901. (b) (3) Conduct necessary system wide research on community colleges and provide appropriate information services, including, but not limited to, definitions for the purpose of uniform reporting, collection, compilation, and analysis of data for effective planning and coordination, and dissemination of information.

70901. (b) (5) (C) (10) Review and approve all educational programs offered by community college districts. The board of governors shall adopt regulations defining the conditions under which a community college district may offer, without the need for approval by the board of governors, a credit course that is not part of an approved educational program. Regulations adopted under this paragraph shall ensure that appropriate safeguards involving training and monitoring are in place, and shall ensure that the authority to offer credit courses that are not part of an approved educational program does not have the effect of permitting community college districts to operate educational programs without the approval of the board of governors.

CALIFORNIA EDUCATION CODE – §84760.5 as amended by SB 361 (Scott)
84760.5. (a) For purposes of this chapter, the following career development and college preparation courses and classes for which no credit is given, and that are offered in a sequence of courses leading to a certificate of completion, that lead to improved employability or job placement opportunities, or to a certificate of competency in a recognized career field by articulating with college-level coursework, completion of an associate of arts degree, or for transfer to a four-year degree program, shall be eligible for funding subject to subdivision (b):

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- (1) Classes and courses in elementary and secondary basic skills.
- (2) Classes and courses for students, eligible for educational services in workforce preparation classes, in the basic skills of speaking, listening, reading, writing, mathematics, decision making, and problem solving skills that are necessary to participate in job-specific technical training.
- (3) Short-term vocational programs with high employment potential, as determined by the chancellor in consultation with the Employment Development Department utilizing job demand data provided by that department.
- (4) Classes and courses in English as a second language and vocational English as a second language.
 - (b) The board of governors shall adopt criteria and standards for the identification of career development and college preparation courses and the eligibility of these courses for funding, including the definition of courses eligible for funding pursuant to subdivision (a). The criteria and standards shall be based on recommendations from the chancellor, the statewide academic senate, and the statewide association of chief instructional officers. The career and college preparation courses to be identified for this higher rate of funding should include suitable courses that meet one or more of the qualifications described in subdivision (a).
 - (c) A district that offers courses described in subdivision (a), but that is not eligible for funding under subdivision (b), shall be eligible for funding under §84757.
 - (d) The chancellor, in consultation with the Department of Finance and the Office of the Legislative Analyst, shall develop specific outcome measures for career development and college preparation courses for incorporation into the annual report required by subdivision (b) of §84754.5.