

Reading Competency Modification  
Resolution 2010-08

Whereas, the Academic Senate is the organization whose primary function is to make recommendations with respect to academic and professional matters (Title 5, 53200) and is primarily relied upon for curriculum and instruction, for grading policies, for student preparation and success, and for degree and certificate requirements (Board Policy 3255); and,

Whereas, Mt. San Antonio College's Associate in Science and Associate in Arts degree requirements include reading, writing, and mathematical competencies; and,

Whereas, Mt. San Antonio College has previously adopted Academic Senate Resolution 04-09, stipulating that any of the following are sufficient to meet the reading competency requirement:

- a score that qualifies the student for READ 100 at the time of initial placement
- a satisfactory score on the Reading Competency Test
- the successful completion of READ 90
- the successful completion of READ 100
- the successful completion of AMLA 54; and,

Whereas, the Academic Senate approved AP 4025 in May 2010 with the intention of making possession of a baccalaureate or higher degree from a regionally accredited post-secondary institution sufficient to verify reading competency, provided that the instruction for the baccalaureate or higher degree was in the English language;

Resolved, the Academic Senate recommends that any of the following will be sufficient to meet the reading competency requirement:

- a score that qualifies the student for READ 100 at the time of initial placement
- a satisfactory score on the Reading Competency Test
- the successful completion of READ 90
- the successful completion of READ 100
- the successful completion of AMLA 33R
  - possession of a baccalaureate or higher degree from a regionally accredited post-secondary institution where English is the primary language of instruction

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