

**GENERAL STUDIES – SUCCESS STRATEGIES
COURSE OUTCOME AND ASSESSMENT SUMMARY**

Fall 2010

COURSE ASSESSED	ASSESSMENT STRATEGIES & CRITERIA	ASSESSMENT RESULTS and ANALYSIS	ACTION PLAN RELATIVE TO RESULTS
<p>10890100 Success Strategies I</p> <p><i>This course is designed to facilitate greater learner success affecting the academic, professional, and personal lives of students.</i></p>	<p>The 2008-09 Success Strategies Summary and Assessment report examined student completion in five programs that require (but often waive) 10890100 in the first semester.</p>	<p>The data showed that <u>students who earned a C or higher in Success Strategies in their first semester were more than twice as likely to complete the program as students who did not.</u></p> <p><u>Of program completers, 80 percent had taken Success Strategies in their first semester.</u></p>	<p>More communication about Success Strategies, particularly with counselors and program instructors, is vital. Myths persist that the course is only for students with problems and/or that it is a study skills course.</p> <p>Success Strategies teachers will focus, both formally (e.g. publishing a brochure) and informally (e.g. presenting activities at campus Academic Affairs and all-staff meetings), on internal communication 2010-11.</p>