

Centenary College Assessment Matrix for Academic Program Student Learning Outcomes

Academic Program:

Submitted by:

Years Covered:

Academic Year Submitted:

I. Purpose Statement

Provide your program's purpose statement and explicitly link it to the [College's mission and vision statement](#).

II. Goals and Outcomes.

Provide the current goals and outcomes for your unit. Goals are broad statements describing overarching, long-range intended outcomes for the unit. Goals are usually not measurable and need to be further developed as separate, distinguishable outcomes that, when measured appropriately, provide evidence of how well you accomplish your goals. Outcomes should be quantitatively measurable. Each goal should have at least one outcome. Programs should have *at least* three goals and three outcomes.

Replace this text. This is just an example.

1. Goal One: Students will learn to perform basic calculations
 - a. Outcome One: Students will successfully add two numbers on three occasions.
2. Goal Two
 - a. Outcome Two
3. Etc.

III. Outcomes, Method of Assessment, Target, Findings, Actions for Improvement

Each row should include one outcome, method of assessment¹, the target (e.g., 20% of students will reach level 1), the findings for each year (note whether they are improving or declining), the actions for improvement you proposed in your last report, and the proposed actions for improvement based on the data.

Goal 1

Student Learning Outcome	Method of Assessment	Target	Findings (Y1)	Findings (Y2)	Findings (Y3)	Previous Actions for Improvement	Proposed Actions for Improvement
Outcome One							
Outcome Two							
Outcome Three							

IV. Implementation of best practices

Describe how the program implements the best practices in the particular field of expertise. Outside standards or reviewers are especially helpful.

¹ We encourage programs to use the standard ranking system: 0 No competence, 1 Novice, 2 Developing, 3 Proficient and 4 Exemplary. Students who do not complete the assessed artifact should not be included.