Entry Level Writing and Composition Requirements

ELWR Pathway at UCSC

Students who have not satisfied the Entry Level Writing Requirement (ELWR) prior to starting at UCSC must enroll in the appropriate ELWR writing course every quarter until they have met the requirement. In each ELWR course, students will assemble a portfolio to be evaluated for ELWR satisfaction. Crown College offers a different sequence. Contact your college adviser for more information.

ELWR Enrollment Hold

Students who do not satisfy the ELWR by the end of their fourth quarter, will have an enrollment hold placed on their account.

To satisfy ELWR after the fourth quarter, students will submit an appeal packet of work from an appropriate composition course (often from a Community College). If the appeal packet satisfies ELWR, the student's ELWR enrollment hold will be lifted and they will be eligible to enroll in UCSC courses. Students need to contact their college adviser for more information on re-enrolling at UCSC.