

SELF-ASSESSMENT | READING

Use this form to guide your thinking to determine the best first semester courses.

	1	2	3	4
Place a checkmark in the box that best describes you:	very much like me	mostly like me	not much like me	not at all like me
I frequently read for pleasure, such as novels, news articles, or blogs.				
My reading is not limited to social media or short text messages.				
There are few words I don't know when I read school material.				
In the past, I have seldom had trouble understanding and remembering content when reading books, textbooks, and long articles.				
I feel confident in my ability to distinguish fact from opinion.				
I rarely have a hard time fully understanding what I read, and I read regularly.				
I can explain the meaning of what I read accurately.				
When I read, I recognize an author's purpose, main ideas, and examples.				
COUNT THE NUMBER OF ANSWERS IN EACH COLUMN				

Use the last row on the other side of this form to match to your recommendation

If most of your answers are in
column 1 & 2:

**Take any Gateway
Reading-Intensive
(GRI) course**

required for your program

If most of your answers are in column 3 & 4:

COMM 110 with TSRE 55

OR

PSYC 201 with TSRE 55

(Speak with an advisor to choose COMM 110 or PSYC 201, depending on your program)

COMM 110 + TSRE 55:

Communication Studies (COMM 110) focuses on providing the student with experience in human communication, emphasizing becoming an effective communicator in various face-to-face communication situations. Students will prepare and deliver informative and persuasive speeches, analyze a film and research communication theory, following APA format. *3 credits.*

TSRE 55 is designed to develop reading comprehension, vocabulary, fluency, and critical reading skills. It supports the COMM 110 course with additional time and attention spent on the skills needed to be successful in COMM 110. This course provides three extra hours of class each week. *3 credits.*

TOTAL: 6 credits

PSYC 201 + TSRE 55:

Psychology is the science of behavior. Topics investigated: biological foundations of behavior, learning, child development, sensation and perception, thinking, emotion, motivation, individual differences, personality, frustration, and adjustment, abnormal behavior, and techniques of psychotherapy. *3 credits.*

TSRE 55 is designed to develop reading comprehension, vocabulary, fluency, and critical reading skills. It supports the PSYC 201 course with additional time and attention spent on the skills needed to be successful in PSYC 201. This course provides three extra hours of class each week. *3 credits.*

TOTAL: 6 credits

****If you choose a higher-level placement than the recommendation, you must see an Advisor, who will enter the registration permission****