# Reading

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## Program Description

Reading competency is a requirement of college success and reading courses provide instruction in fundamental reading skills necessary for this success. Reading courses enhances student achievement and include developmental classes and independent labs designed to improve vocabulary, spelling, reading comprehension and critical thinking.

## Learning Outcomes

- Develop the ability to use contextual clues to determine meaning of vocabulary words while expanding vocabulary usage and understanding.
- Model college-level reading pace and ability.
- Improve understanding of reading materials by using appropriate comprehension strategies.
- Evaluate and synthesize ideas to generate questions in order to apply reasoning and logic to material that is read.
- Construct critical meaning from readings as demonstrated through summative and analytical writing.