

**El Camino College and El Camino College Compton Center
Program Learning Outcomes (PLO)
Humanities**

English PLOs

Subject	PLO Number	PLO Description
Composition Writing	PLO 1	Students will demonstrate readiness for transfer-level composition courses by composing an appropriately developed expository essay that integrates and documents sources. The essay should include an introduction with a thesis, body paragraphs with topic sentences, a conclusion and a Works Cited page, and be relatively free of errors in grammar and mechanics.
Literary Knowledge	PLO 2	Students will demonstrate knowledge of literary elements, and familiarity with authors and cultural contexts of representative works.
MLA Formatting	PLO 3	Students will create a thesis-driven, coherent, unified, and well-developed essay in MLA format that demonstrates reading and writing competence at the transfer level.
Creative Writing Process	PLO 4	Students will demonstrate knowledge of the creative writing process, an understanding of a variety of creative writing conventions, the ability to critique the work of others, and the ability to produce and revise their own written work within a specific creative genre.
Analysis and Comprehension Skills	PLO 5	Students will give evidence of preparedness for transfer-level composition courses by successfully comprehending and analyzing essay-length non-fiction texts written for college-bound readers at both literal and critical levels of meaning.