

# Learning Communities

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## DESCRIPTION OF LEARNING COMMUNITIES:

- Based on concept of paired courses
  - One course is always UCC101 (mandatory course for first year students)
  - Other paired course is either developmental math (MAT011, MAT015), developmental English (ENG088, ENG098, ENG099), English composition for ESL (ENG111), a college-level course (ENG101) or (BUS101)
- Two classes with the same students
- Instructors communicate with each other and coordinate coursework between two courses
- Special individualized and group support from your own designated tutor and counselor

## BENEFITS OF BEING IN A LEARNING COMMUNITY:

- Convenient schedule
- Make friends and meet new people
- Friendly and approachable faculty and support system:
  - More communication with faculty
  - Your own tutor to work with you and your group
  - Your own counselor to help you with academic major and career decisions
  - Librarian's help in researching information for class projects
  - A mentor to help you navigate through the first semester at UCC