

COUN 5: Introduction to College CRN 13400, CRN 13401 and CRN 13402

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Required Texts:

- [De Anza College Catalog \(Links to an external site.\)](#).

Course Description:

COUN 5 is an introduction to De Anza College that includes information about programs, services, policies, degrees, certificates, transfer requirements and college culture. The focus is on strategies needed for academic success and the development of a preliminary comprehensive education plan.

Course Requirements:

COUN 5 is a 1 unit, Pass/No Pass course.

To pass this course you must:

1. Attend all class meetings
2. Complete all quizzes and the final with a minimum of 80% completion. There are 80 possible points so this translates to earning 64 or more points total. The good news is that you can retake all quizzes and the final as many times as you need.

Student Learning Outcomes:

- Students will learn how to use Degree Works to complete a comprehensive Student Educational Plan that supports their individualized educational goal.

Course objectives:

- Become familiar with De Anza College and reasons why students choose to attend here.

- Learn about De Anza's policies and procedures such as how to add/drop courses and information on the academic calendar, probation, time management, GPA calculation and more.
- Review Placement information for English, ESL, Math and some science courses.
- Learn about degrees offered at De Anza and at four-year colleges.
- Learn about major selection and how to find your major requirements.
- Be introduced to different General Education (GE) options.
- Learn transfer information and processes.
- Learn how to use Degree Works to complete audits and a comprehensive educational plan.