



LPC Mission Statement

Las Positas College is an inclusive, learning-centered, equity-focused environment that offers educational opportunities and support for completion of students' transfer, degree, and career-technical goals while promoting lifelong learning.

LPC Planning Priorities

- ❖ Establish a knowledge base and an appreciation for equity; create a sense of urgency about moving toward equity; institutionalize equity in decision-making, assessment, and accountability; and build capacity to resolve inequities.
- ❖ Increase student success and completion through change in college practices and processes: coordinating needed academic support, removing barriers, and supporting focused professional development across the campus.

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Draft Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Review and Approval of Agenda
3. Review and Approval of Minutes
 - 3.1. August 31, 2026
4. Public Comments (This time is reserved for members of the public to address the Curriculum Committee. Please limit comments to three minutes. In accordance with the Brown Act, the Curriculum Committee cannot act on items not already on the agenda)
5. First Reading ([see Attachments](#))
 - 5.1 New Courses
 - AUTO L2 Advanced Diesel Engine Performance
 - AUTO L4 ADAS - Advanced Driver Assistance Systems
 - AUTO P2 Chassis Systems: Modifications for Performance
 - KIN PL3 Pilates 3
 - KIN PL4 Pilates 4
 - NAUT CL2 Advanced Diesel Engine Performance Concepts
 - NAUT CL4 ADAS - Advanced Driver Assistance Systems Concepts
 - NAUT CP2 Chassis Systems: Modifications for Performance Concepts
 - NAUT L2 Advanced Diesel Engine Performance
 - NAUT L4 ADAS - Advanced Driver Assistance Systems
 - NAUT P2 Chassis Systems: Modifications for Performance
 - NBUS 217 AI Fluency for Your Work and Business
 - NBUS 218 Applying AI Across Your Work and Business
 - NCIS 288A Word Processing Essentials: MS Word, Google Docs, AI Tools
 - POLI 27 Introduction to Gender, Sexuality, and Politics
 - 5.2 Course Modifications
 - AJ 54 Investigative Report Writing
 - AJ 60 Criminal Law
 - AJ 61 Evidence
 - AJ 63 Criminal Investigation
 - AJ 64 Police Patrol Operations
 - AJ 66 Juvenile Procedures
 - AJ 68 Police Ethics and Leadership
 - AJ 85 Introduction to Forensics

- ARTS 2A Introduction to Drawing
- ARTS 3A Figure and Composition I
- ARTS 7A Introduction to Watercolor Painting
- ARTS 12A Oil/Acrylic Painting: Beginning I
- AUTO A1 Engine Repair
- AUTO LABA Beginning Automotive Lab
- AUTO LABB Advanced Automotive Lab
- AUTO LABC Specialized Bench Work Automotive Lab
- AUTO LABD Specialized Electronic Work Automotive Lab
- AUTO P1 Powertrains: Modifications for Performance
- AUTO SDR Specified Diagnostic and Repair
- AUTO SMOG Smog Level One and Level two
- CIS 88A Word Processing Essentials: MS Word, Google Docs, AI Tools
- CS 1 Computing Fundamentals I
- CS 7 Introduction to Computer Programming Concepts
- CS 45 Database Programming
- EMS 10 Paramedic Theory 1
- EMS 11 Paramedic Theory 2
- EMS 12 Paramedic Skills 1
- EMS 13 Paramedic Skills 2
- EMS 16 Paramedic Clinical Internship
- EMS 17 Paramedic Field Internship
- EMS 20 Emergency Medical Technician
- EMS 30 Emergency Medical Responder
- EMS 62 Basic Medical Terminology
- EMS 70 CPR for Healthcare Providers
- FREN 1A Beginning French
- FREN 1B Elementary French
- GDDM 53 Adobe Photoshop I
- GDDM 54 Adobe Illustrator I
- GDDM 64 Adobe InDesign I
- NAVI 210 Summer Camp Drone Coding and Piloting
- NENG 210 Craft of the Sentence
- NENG 215 Personalized Coaching for Academic Reading and Writing
- NESL 213 Speaking and Listening Fluency for Academic and Professional Purposes
- NESL 223 Intermediate Oral Communication
- NESL 226 Intermediate Pronunciation and Fluency
- NESL 233 Beginning Oral Communication
- NESL 236 Beginning Pronunciation and Fluency
- NFRN 201 Beginning French for Older Adults
- NFRN 202 Elementary French for Older Adults

- NMAT 200C Concurrent Support for SLAM Mathematics
- NMAT 201C Concurrent Support for BSTEM Mathematics
- NMUS 248 Piano Technology
- SPAN 1B Elementary Spanish
- THEA 10 Introduction to Dramatic Arts

5.3 New Programs

- AI Workforce, NCL
- Automotive Advanced Chassis Systems, CA
- Automotive Advanced Diesel Systems, CA
- Automotive Performance Modifications, CA
- Early Childhood Administration, CA

5.4 Program Modifications

- Business Workforce Proficiency, CA
- Cal-GETC, CA
- Computer Applications Software, CA
- Data Analytics, CA
- Economics, AA-T
- English, AA-T
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies, CA
- Liberal Arts & Sciences: Arts and Humanities, AA
- Liberal Arts & Sciences: Business, AA
- Liberal Arts & Sciences: Computer Studies, AA
- Liberal Arts & Sciences: Health and Wellness, AA
- Liberal Arts & Sciences: Language Arts and Communication, AA
- Liberal Arts & Sciences: Social and Behavioral Sciences, AA
- Marketing, AA
- Marketing, CA
- Mathematics 2.0, AS-T
- Philosophy, AA-T
- Physical Therapy Aide, CA
- Social Justice Studies: Gender Studies, AA-T
- Social Justice Studies: LGBTQ Studies, AA-T
- Supervisory Management, CA
- Theater Arts, AA

5.5 Course Deactivations

- FST 10 Fire Academy Preparation

6. Second Reading/Voting ([see Attachments](#))

6.1 New Courses

Course Outline of Record – Effective Term: **Fall 2027**

- BIO 29D Independent Study, Dissection

6.2 Course Modifications

Course Outline of Record – Effective Term: **Fall 2027**

- CIS 89A Desktop Presentation

Credit for Prior Learning – Effective Term: **Fall 2026**

- AUTO A2 Automatic Transmission/Transaxle (remove Credit-by-Exam)
- NAUT LAB Automotive Lab (remove Credit-by-Exam)

6.3 Course Deactivations

Effective Term: **Fall 2027**

- AUTO C1 Automotive Service Consultant

6.4 Program Modifications

Program Narrative Modifications – Effective Term: **Fall 2027**

- IT Support Professional, CA
- Elementary Teacher Education: Integrated Programs, AA-T
- Spanish, AA-T

Program Map Modifications – Effective Term: **Fall 2027**

- IT Support Professional, CA

7. Discussion Items ([see Attachments](#))

7.1 Credit for Prior Learning

8. Reports

8.1. Vice President's Report

8.2. Chair's Report

8.3. Articulation Officer's Report

9. Good of the Order

10. Adjournment

Next Regular Meeting: **October 5th, 2026**