ESOL Mission Statement

The mission of the English for Speakers of Other Language services at St. Cloud Technical and Community College is to provide linguistically diverse speakers of English with foundational academic writing, reading, listening, and speaking skills necessary to improve their performance at the college level.

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ESOL Courses

- Foundations for Grammar and Writing – ESOL 0710
- Foundations for Reading – ESOL 0720
- Foundations for Speaking and Listening – ESOL 0730
- Writing for Academic Purposes – ESOL 0810
- Reading for Academic Purposes – ESOL 0820
- Listening for Academic Purposes – ESOL 0830
- Writing for College – ESOL 0910
- Reading for College – ESOL 0920
- Listening for College – ESOL 0930
SCTCC will be offering courses for English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) starting fall 2017. The courses offered will include 3 writing courses, 3 reading courses, and 3 speaking and listening courses.

SCTCC’s ESOL courses are designed for students whose first language is not English, and who wish to improve their general and academic English. Student placement into one of the 3 courses will be determined by the ESL Reading Accuplacer test score, an intake interview, and an optional writing sample.

For more information visit our website: https://www.sctcc.edu/esl

ESOL Pathway

SCTCC’s ESOL courses consist of 3 levels. Not all students will need to take all three levels. Each level will include a reading course, a writing course and a speaking and listening course.

Level 1: Foundations
This level includes foundational courses in writing, reading and speaking and listening. Students will learn basic communication skills that can be applied in general settings.

Level 2: Academic Purposes
This level includes courses in writing, reading, and speaking and listening that introduce students to academic and professional communications.

Level 3: College Purposes
This level includes courses in writing, reading, and listening and speaking that prepare students for the high communication demands found in college level courses.

Mosaic Program

Mosaic is a state-funded program that offers support services to students of color, first generation college students and low-income students. Below is a list of some of Mosaic’s offerings.

- Mosaic Fast Track summer program for ESOL students
- Book loans
- Advising
- Financial Aid Services
- Career Counseling
- Scholarships

http://www.sctcc.edu/mosaic