



Types of SLOs and SUOs

- Student Learning Outcomes – 3 types:
 1. Course SLO (CSLO) – knowledge, skills, abilities a student should have after completing a course.
 - a. All courses are required to have at least two CSLOs
 - b. Example:
 - i. CD V22 – Develop behavioral support plans, based on assessments, for a toddler, preschooler, or early elementary school age child.
 2. Program SLO (PSLO) – knowledge, skills, abilities a student should have after completing a specific degree or certificate.
 - a. All programs are required to have at least two PSLOs
 - b. PSLOs for similar degrees and certificates are often identical to each other.
 - c. Example:
 - i. Social Media Marketing Program – Students will be able to combine the social media plan into a business marketing plan.
 3. Institutional/General Education SLO (ISLO) – knowledge, skills, abilities that every student who leaves VC with a degree, certificate, or vocational training should have.
 - a. VC has five ISLOs
 - i. Communication
 - ii. Scientific and Quantitative Reasoning
 - iii. Critical Thinking and Problem Solving
 - iv. Information Literacy
 - v. Personal/Community Awareness and Academic/Career Responsibilities
 - Service Unit Outcome (SUO) – student and administrative services – what a client (student or employee) will experience, receive, or know as a result of a given service.
 - All services are required to have at least two SUOs
 1. Example:
 - University Transfer Center: Students will evaluate types of general education available and select two types of transfer patterns.
 - Institutional Service Unit Outcome – broad service support goals that are shared across campus. These are the outcomes of every service unit on campus in terms of how they support students.
 - VC has two ISUOs:
 1. The Service will support or facilitate a positive learning or service environment for students.
 2. The Service will support or facilitate institutional accountability by monitoring and ensuring compliance with statutory mandates, local policy and procedures, and state or federal law.
- Current CSLOs, PSLOs, and SUOs are listed on the [Find an Outcome Page](#)
- Current ISLOs and ISUOs are listed on the [ISLO Page](#)