ASSESSMENT NEWSLETTER

Spring 2026 Courses

This semester's classes will be loaded into eLumen after the census date for late-start classes has passed. That means you won't see your Spring 2026 classes in eLumen until mid-February, but keep an eye out for an announcement when spring classes are available and ready to be assessed, along with upcoming opportunities for eLumen Basic Training and Refresher workshops!

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Assessment Showcase & Awards Ceremony

Assessment Showcase

Thank you to all those who contributed to making this year's Assessment Showcase a success! We had great representation from across the academic divisions and student services showing the amazing work being done to improve student learning. Be sure to **vote for your favorites** by 2/16!

Check out the online gallery of all the **Showcase Posters** and see the **full Awards Ceremony program and list of awardees** here!

Software Search Updates

As we announced last semester, our assessment software, eLumen, is scheduled for end-of-life in December 2026. On 12/10, the Assessment Committee posted a **Request for Information** inviting prospective vendors to submit information about their products in relation to PCC's needs for a user-friendly, flexible, robust, and secure software for assessment of student learning. The RFI will be open until 2/16, after which the committee will review submissions and arrange software demos for campus stakeholders. Stay tuned!

Assessment Awards

On January 29th, we had the honor of celebrating over 100 individuals for outstanding accomplishments in Assessment of Student Learning at our annual ***Showcase & Awards Ceremony***. The award categories included Years of Participation,, Milestone medals, Early Bird and Overachiever trophies, as well as Department Champion awards for 100% participation from faculty and instructors and top performers in completing assessments.

Medical & Behavioral Health was also crowned our 2026 Assessment Champion Division!

Resources & Opportunities

Assessment @PCC Blog: PCCassess.com (rubrics, glossary, eLumen guides)
Timeline & Support: Semesterly Task Checklist, Support Request Form
ASL Committee Meetings: 3rd Tuesdays 3:30-5:00 (contact for WebEx link)
Assessment Office Hours: M/W 1-3PM & by appointment (AB 250W/WebEx)

Be sure to vote for the showcase posters! bit.ly/vote-2026