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Dear Colleagues,

Given the continuing confusing statements about the current hours devoted to the teaching of writing at CUNY, I thought it would be helpful for me to write to you with the following information.

Currently every CUNY undergraduate institution requires its students to take one or more courses in English Composition/Writing. In the majority of our institutions, these courses each carry three credits and three contact hours, the same requirement that exists for the two English Composition courses in Pathways. The Pathways Common Core specifies that written communication learning outcomes figure prominently in other Common Core courses, as well.

If you would like additional information, please contact me or Associate University Provost Julia Wrigley.

Thank you.

Sincerely, Lexa

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