Central Connecticut State University
UNIVERSITY SENATE ACTION

Senate Motion Number FS 11.12.029B

TO: President Jack Miller
FROM: President of the University Senate

1. The attached motion of the University Senate, dealing with: Academic Standards—Eng Department Pre-Req for BSED is presented to you for your consideration.

2. This motion was adopted by the University Senate on 3/12/2012.

3. After considering this motion, please indicate your action on this form, and return it together with the original copy to the President of the University Senate.

4. Under the By-Laws of the University Senate, Section 3.8, the following schedule of action is to be observed.

   a) By 3/19/2012, Senate action reported to the President of the University. (Within five school days of the session in which they are adopted).

   b) By 4/2/2012, the President of the University to return the motion to President of the Senate. (Within ten school days of its receipt).

3/15/2012
Date

Candace Barrington, President, University Senate

ENDORSEMENT:

TO: President of the University Senate
FROM: President Jack Miller

1. Motion Approved: √

2. Motion Disapproved: (Explanatory statement must be appended).

3. Action "is deferred":

4. Resolution Noted:

5. Other:

3/23/12
Date

President Jack Miller
Academic Standards Committee
Report for the Senate

On February 28th the Academic Standards Committee reviewed and unanimously passed a proposal from the English Department to replace English 449 (Major American Authors) with English 298 (Introduction to Literary Studies) as a prerequisite for majors applying to the professional program for Secondary Education. Since the methods course, English 298, is already a requirement for English Secondary Education majors and must be taken early on – well before application to the professional program – it provides the necessary grounding for majors (and future teachers) without delaying their application to the professional program. English 449 will remain a requisite course for majors but can be taken later in a student’s academic career, after his or her acceptance to the program.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jaclyn Geller (English)
Chair, Academic Standards Committee