

Jacks Planner Glossary of Terms

Advisor Message: A personalized message from an advisor to a student on a particular course.

Arrange My Planner: Clicking this button will take the user to a page where courses can be rearranged and moved from one term to another.

Clear Locks: Clicking this button will unlock all courses. Locked courses stay in the assigned term while unlocked courses may be assigned to another term when the plan is refreshed.

Completed: Course has been satisfied.

In Progress: Student is currently enrolled in the course.

Planned: A specific course option has been suggested for an upcoming term.

Co-requirement (COREQ): Courses that should be enrolled and completed in the same term.

Critical Course: A course identified by the college as a milestone for predicting successful progress towards degree completion.

Jacks Planner: An interactive academic planning tool designed to help students efficiently complete a degree program.

Edit Term Preferences: Clicking this button takes the user to a page where terms can be added or deleted and the amount of units for each term can be adjusted.

Edit Location Preferences: Clicking this button takes the user to a page where location (campus) preferences can be added or deleted.

Info (blue button): Clicking this button will display the course description and pre/co requisites from the academic catalog.

Lock: If a course is locked, the course will not move from the term.

Pre-requirement (PREREQ): Course(s) that must be completed prior to taking the next course.

Not Selected: There are multiple courses which can satisfy the requirement. Click "Select" to choose a course.

Note: Conveys important details about a course.

Remove: Removes a course from the planner and views it as satisfied. Removed courses are kept at the bottom of the main page and can be restored at any time.

Reset Defaults: On the Edit Preferences page, this button will reset the preferences back to the default values.

Refresh Suggestions: On the main page, this button reruns the planner to suggest the default sequence for the plan. Locked courses will remain where they are.

Requirement: Can refer to a single course or a block of courses (i.e. major electives).

Select Course: Allows the user to choose a course using the course picker.

Unassigned Requirements: Courses that could not be planned based on current preferences. It may be due to unit/term preferences, course offerings or pre-requisites.

What-if Report: Allows you to look at a Jacks Planner report for another major.