1035-A5-1981 **Debasree Raychaudhuri*** (draycha@calstatela.edu), Department of Mathematics, California State University, Los Angeles, 5151 State University Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90032. Assessing student attitude toward mathematics, their mathematical skills and critical thinking abilities in general education classrooms.

The 2007 general education assessment task undertaken by the mathematics department at the California State University at Los Angeles had the goal of assessing three objectives; student attitude toward mathematics, their mathematical skills and critical thinking abilities. In this talk we will describe our experience of designing, coordinating and implementing this project and present our findings. In addition, we will describe faculty and departmental responses to our findings. (Received September 21, 2007)