

**College Curriculum Committee Meeting Agenda**  
**Tuesday, June 18, 2019**  
**2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.**  
**President's Conference Room**

<b>Item</b>	<b>Action</b>	<b>Attachment(s)</b>	<b>Presenter(s)</b>
1. Minutes: June 4, 2019	Action	#6/18/19-1	Armerding
2. Report Out from Division Reps	Discussion		All
3. Announcements a. New Course Proposals  b. Notification of Proposed Requisites c. CCC Meeting Dates for 2019-20 d. Title 5 Changes Affecting Distance Education Addendum	Information	#6/18/19-2 —20 #6/18/19-21 #6/18/19-22	Armerding
4. Consent Calendar a. GE Application	Action	#6/18/19-23	Armerding
5. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 426	2nd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-24	Armerding
6. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 427	2nd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-25	Armerding
7. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 435	2nd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-26	Armerding
8. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 436	2nd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-27	Armerding
9. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 437	2nd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-28	Armerding
10. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEN 401A	2nd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-29	Armerding
11. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEN 442A	2nd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-30	Armerding
12. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEN 442B	2nd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-31	Armerding
13. Student Petition for Credit by Exam	3rd Read/ Action	#6/18/19-32	Armerding
14. CCC Topics for 2019-20	Discussion		Armerding
15. Good of the Order			Armerding
16. Adjournment			Armerding

**Consent Calendar:**

Foothill General Education (attachments #6/18/19-23a/b/c)

*Area IV—Social & Behavioral Sciences: Plumbing Technology Apprenticeship Program*

**Attachments:**

- #6/18/19-1 Draft Minutes: June 4, 2019
- #6/18/19-2 New Course Proposal: C S 49A
- #6/18/19-3 New Course Proposal: C S 55G
- #6/18/19-4 New Course Proposal: C S 55J
- #6/18/19-5 New Course Proposal: C S 55K

- #6/18/19-6 New Course Proposals: ITSC 101, 105, 106, 110, 113, 114, 115, 123, 125,  
—20 127, 128, 130, 131, 132, 134
- #6/18/19-21 CCC Notification of Proposed Requisites
- #6/18/19-22 CCC Meeting Dates for 2019-20
- #6/18/19-24 Stand Alone Course Approval Request: NCEL 426
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- #6/18/19-30 Stand Alone Course Approval Request: NCEN 442A
- #6/18/19-31 Stand Alone Course Approval Request: NCEN 442B
- #6/18/19-32 Petition for Credit by Examination—draft (updated)

**2018-2019 Curriculum Committee Meetings:**

<u>Fall 2018 Quarter</u>	<u>Winter 2019 Quarter</u>	<u>Spring 2019 Quarter</u>
<del>10/2/18</del>	1/22/19	4/23/19
<del>10/16/18</del>	2/5/19	5/7/19
<del>10/30/18</del>	2/19/19	5/21/19
<del>11/13/18</del>	3/5/19	6/4/19
<del>11/27/18</del>	3/19/19	6/18/19

*Standing reminder: Items for inclusion on the CCC agenda are due no later than one week before the meeting.*

**2018-2019 Curriculum Deadlines:**

- ~~12/1/18~~ Deadline to submit courses to CSU for CSU GE approval (Articulation Office).
- ~~12/1/18~~ Deadline to submit courses to UC/CSU for IGETC approval (Articulation Office).
- ~~2/15/19~~ Deadline to submit local GE applications for 2019-20 catalog (Faculty/Divisions).
- ~~3/1/19~~ Curriculum Sheet updates for 2019-20 catalog (Faculty/Divisions).
- ~~6/1/19~~ Deadline to submit new/revised courses to UCOP for UC transferability (Articulation Office).
- 6/21/19 COR/Title 5 updates for 2020-21 catalog (Faculty/Divisions).
- Ongoing* Submission of courses for C-ID approval and course-to-course articulation with individual colleges and universities (Articulation Office).

**Distribution:**

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**COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE**

Committee Members – 2018-19

Meeting Date: 6/18/19Co-Chairs (2)

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**College Curriculum Committee  
Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, June 4, 2019  
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Item	Discussion
1. Minutes: May 21, 2019	<b>Approved by consensus.</b>
2. Report Out from Division Reps	<p><b>Speaker: All</b> Happy retirement to Bernie Day! The group gratefully acknowledged Day for her years of service and thanked her for her dedication. Her expertise and kindness will be missed!</p> <p>Counseling: Working on Title 5 list.</p> <p>PSME: Working on Title 5 list.</p> <p>Kinesiology: Working on Title 5 list.</p> <p>Bio Health: Finishing up new ADT in Environmental Science; working to clarify Distance Ed approvals (online vs. hybrid); BIOL 58 changing to PHT 58—has always been taught by Pharmacy Technology faculty.</p> <p>Language Arts: Fast-tracking noncredit corequisites for ENGL 1A, 1S/1T; working on new noncredit certificates.</p> <p>Library: No updates to report.</p> <p>BSS: Working on CORs for new BUSI courses; working on Title 5 list.</p>
<p>3. Announcements</p> <p>a. New Course Proposals</p> <p>b. Honors Course Prerequisite</p> <p>c. CLEP Pilot Project</p> <p>d. Division Reps for 2019-20</p>	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b> The following proposals were presented: BIOL 70R series; C S 85; GID 1A; MATH 10B. Please share with your constituents. Day noted that UC transferability might be possible for C S 85, but still researching for GID 1A. Shared that UC San Diego created new program in Data Science and looking to articulate related courses—Day emailed relevant Foothill faculty.</p> <p>Related to discussions at previous meetings; conversation will continue in the fall. Armerding encouraged reps to continue to provide feedback (or reach out to their constituents) to Honors Institute coordinators (Debbie Lee and Voltaire Villanueva).</p> <p>Day presented announcement. Last year we established our local CLEP policy. Foothill recently invited to participate in national pilot project with College Board, to identify veterans and current military service members for outreach purposes. Foothill will be able to select which CLEP exams to include and specify parameters regarding minimum score.</p> <p>Armerding asked group to please get a head start on identifying division reps for 2019-20. PSME rep asked for update regarding possibility of new STEM division receiving additional vote—Armerding spoke with Academic Senate president Isaac Escoto but has yet to receive confirmation. Clarified that should be fine to add another rep but will verify with Eric Kuehnl (next year’s faculty</p>

<p>e. Upcoming COR Deadline—June 21</p>	<p>co-chair). Library rep recalled similar conversation when Library became part of Language Arts but was allowed to continue to have its own vote on CCC and AS. Armerding encouraged PSME reps to ask AS reps to introduce topic at AS meeting; Armerding will also follow up with Escoto. PSME rep asked Bio Health rep if new STEM division will also include Allied Health programs—Bio Health rep has heard that is now the plan (current Bio Health and PSME divisions will fully become one).</p> <p>Vanatta reminded the group about the June 21st deadline for CORs to be in Review1 status in C3MS, for the 2020-21 catalog. Same deadline for new and updated CORs, including those on the Title 5 list. Vanatta sent an updated Title 5 list to the reps on May 16th; plans to check in once or twice more (if necessary) before the deadline.</p>
<p>4. Credit for Prior Learning</p>	<p><b>Speakers: Ben Armerding, Dolores Davison</b></p> <p>Discussion began at previous meeting; present today is Dolores Davison, VP of ASCCC and co-chair of state-wide Credit for Prior Learning (CPL) committee at CCCC. Davison provided background: issue first arose in 2012 when CA legislation passed to align community college curriculum with military learning; interest arose regarding industry-related CPL when baccalaureate degree pilot began. Recently, two related bills passed: SB 1071, to require colleges have local policies to award CPL for military veterans—state-wide task force convened, guidelines will be released in the upcoming weeks, Title 5 changes drafted to replace Credit by Exam (CBE) language with CPL (currently in Board of Governors [BOG] review); AB 1786, to require CCCC initiative to expand CPL beyond military learning (e.g., industry credentials, etc.). Noted that baccalaureate pilot has been extended, which has increased interest in AB 1786.</p> <p>Moving forward, state-wide pilot being convened in September, bringing together faculty in seven CTE disciplines to create crosswalk for CPL for military veterans to receive credit for specific courses. Processes like CBE can be onerous and time-consuming; idea behind pilot to create something that any college can use, vetted by discipline faculty across the state (similar to how C-ID process works). Hoping to unveil crosswalks end of spring 2020. Aforementioned guidelines and Title 5 changes should come out in July.</p> <p>PSME rep asked about need for local faculty to be involved in process related to crosswalk—Davison noted that, like AP credit, staff such as registrars will be able to use crosswalk to identify local courses for which credit may be awarded to a student. BSS rep asked for list of seven disciplines—automotive technology, health, cybersecurity, business administration, administration of justice, information technology, fire science. Starer noted that crosswalk will be recommendations and not mandated—correct. Title 5 changes mandated, but policies and procedures will be more general for colleges to interpret locally. Hueg asked about apportionment—question has been raised at BOG, and CCCC is planning to look into, but nothing has been determined yet. Current BOG focused on saving money for students, which may influence outcome. Starer noted foreign language not included in disciplines—Davison noted work is occurring regarding CPL for foreign languages. Noted that joint services transcripts only available when students request them; trying to figure out a pass-</p>

	<p>through with the CCCCO or adding ability via CCCApply for student to designate they'd like transcript forwarded.</p> <p>Day noted max units for CBE—Davison says discussions ongoing regarding min/max units for CPL, as well as residency. Day asked about crosswalk for GE—currently, majority of credit granted to veterans is for electives; project focused on awarding major credit, and GE isn't really being discussed at this time. Once this project implemented, next step will be to address GE credit. Bio Health rep asked about awarding credit for Allied Health programs—first discipline likely to be reviewed is EMT, but CPL could be tricky for many programs with external governing bodies; current plan is to review programs to see if any commonalities exist and move forward from there. Noted similar process of reviewing courses for commonality when C-ID was introduced. Starer asked about competency-based instruction—part of discussion, especially around expanding minimum qualifications. Plan is for pilot to be expanded beyond veterans into other industries. Also included in discussions is the topic of bridge courses, to fill in any gaps in student's prior learning.</p>
<p>5. Consent Calendar a. GE Application</p>	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b> The following GE application was presented: Area IV—Plumbing Technology Apprenticeship Program. Would approve GE Area IV for students who complete the full program, not one individual course. Similar to previous approval for Area III GE. BSS rep expressed concern that program content does not meet Area IV GE criteria—Starer noted that analysis performed by faculty within BSS, and will invite them for discussion at next meeting.</p> <p>Group agreed to hold application for further review at next meeting.</p>
<p>6. New Program Application: Nutrition and Dietetics ADT</p>	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b> Second read of new Nutrition and Dietetics ADT. Feedback Form has been sent to governance groups but no feedback has yet been received. No discussion.</p> <p>Motion to approve <b>M/S</b> (Serna, Gilstrap). <b>Approved.</b></p>
<p>7. Stand Alone Approval Request: C S 55A</p>	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b> Second read of Stand Alone Approval Request for C S 55A. Group agreed to discuss and vote on all C S Stand Alone requests as one motion. No comments.</p> <p>Motion to approve <b>M/S</b> (Serna, Venkataraman). <b>Approved.</b></p>
<p>8. Stand Alone Approval Request: C S 55B</p>	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b> Second read of Stand Alone Approval Request for C S 55B.</p> <p><i>See item 7 for motion/approval details.</i></p>
<p>9. Stand Alone Approval Request: C S 55C</p>	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b> Second read of Stand Alone Approval Request for C S 55C.</p> <p><i>See item 7 for motion/approval details.</i></p>
<p>10. Stand Alone Approval Request: C S 55D</p>	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b> Second read of Stand Alone Approval Request for C S 55D.</p> <p><i>See item 7 for motion/approval details.</i></p>
<p>11. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 426</p>	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b> First read of Stand Alone Approval Request for NCEL 426. Will be temporarily Stand Alone—included in new ESL-Intermediate</p>

	<p>noncredit certificate. Counseling rep asked if NCEL courses are mirrored versions of credit courses—yes.</p> <p>Second read and possible action will occur at next meeting.</p>
12. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 427	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b>            First read of Stand Alone Approval Request for NCEL 427. Will be temporarily Stand Alone— included in new ESL-Intermediate noncredit certificate. <i>[Note: see item 11 for comments.]</i></p> <p>Second read and possible action will occur at next meeting.</p>
13. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 435	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b>            First read of Stand Alone Approval Request for NCEL 435. Will be temporarily Stand Alone— included in new ESL-Advanced and ESL-Oral Proficiency noncredit certificates. <i>[Note: see item 11 for comments.]</i></p> <p>Second read and possible action will occur at next meeting.</p>
14. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 436	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b>            First read of Stand Alone Approval Request for NCEL 436. Will be temporarily Stand Alone— included in new ESL-Advanced noncredit certificate. <i>[Note: see item 11 for comments.]</i></p> <p>Second read and possible action will occur at next meeting.</p>
15. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEL 437	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b>            First read of Stand Alone Approval Request for NCEL 437. Will be temporarily Stand Alone— included in new ESL-Advanced noncredit certificate. <i>[Note: see item 11 for comments.]</i></p> <p>Second read and possible action will occur at next meeting.</p>
16. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEN 401A	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b>            First read of Stand Alone Approval Request for NCEN 401A. Will be temporarily Stand Alone— included in new Bridge to College Level English noncredit certificate. Will serve as corequisite for ENGL 1A. If approved by CCCCCO in time, plan to teach in fall 2019.</p> <p>Second read and possible action will occur at next meeting.</p>
17. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEN 442A	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b>            First read of Stand Alone Approval Request for NCEN 442A. Will be temporarily Stand Alone— included in new Bridge to College Level English noncredit certificate. NCEN 442A/B similar to existing portfolio corequisites for ENGL 1S/1T. If approved by CCCCCO in time, plan to teach in fall 2019.</p> <p>Counseling rep asked for clarification regarding reduction in units on 1S/1T from 5 units to 4 units—yes, effective for 2019-20 catalog. Day noted potential articulation-related concerns— still approved for UC transfer, in general, but certain campuses may take issue with lower units (re: course-to-course articulation). Day noted that most students take 1S/1T to transfer as GE and not for specific major course, so hopefully will not affect many students. PSME rep noted that when MATH coreqs created (related to AB 705), division was told they could not be noncredit— Armerding noted that this was the understanding last spring, but later information revealed that noncredit is allowable and, under certain situations, may be possible to receive enhanced funding. Noted that CCCCCO has yet to review/approve any Foothill noncredit coreqs (or associated certificates), so definitive answer is still to</p>

	<p>come. Language Arts rep noted that coreq/Advisory language for 442A/B still being discussed at division and will be finalized for second read.</p> <p>Second read and possible action will occur at next meeting.</p>
18. Stand Alone Approval Request: NCEN 442B	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b>          First read of Stand Alone Approval Request for NCEN 442B. Will be temporarily Stand Alone—included in new Bridge to College Level English noncredit certificate. <i>[Note: see item 17 for comments.]</i></p> <p>Second read and possible action will occur at next meeting.</p>
19. Student Petition for Credit by Exam	<p><b>Speaker: Ben Armerding</b>          Second read of petition form used by students to request Credit by Exam (CBE) for a course. First read was of form used in the past by a dept., and CCC Team has created updated draft for second read based on that form and comments/suggestions made during first read. (First read draft also attached for comparison.) Note that once CCC has approved form, plan to ask Marketing to create fillable PDF form to match existing student forms. Counseling rep shared feedback from colleagues in counseling: suggested certain bullets from page 2 be moved to page 1 and include check boxes for students to confirm receipt of information. Stressed that, even though student will complete form with a counselor, still important to acknowledge. Also suggested change MATH examples used on page 2 to SPAN or something else likely to be available for CBE. Other Counseling rep noted need to figure out process for student, including where form will be picked up by student. Armerding and Vanatta noted they have not heard about any courses approved for CBE under new policy.</p> <p>Draft will be updated to change bullet points to check boxes or spaces for student’s initials, and signature lines moved to bottom of page 2. Group discussed requiring counselor’s signature on form—agreement, but Counseling reps would like to follow up with constituents. Discussion regarding potential process, including whether or not form should be available on Admissions &amp; Records website. Starer stressed that process should begin with instructor of record, and then student would meet with counselor—group agreed. Library rep noted webpage exists for faculty forms. Language Arts rep noted concern that student unlikely to seek out instructor of record as first step; more likely to reach out to dean. Armerding noted that, in those situations, dean could explain process to student. Counseling rep agreed that same explanation would occur if student tries to begin process with counselor.</p> <p>Group agreed to bring form back for a third read before considering for approval; will occur at next meeting.</p>
20. Good of the Order	
21. Adjournment	<b>3:32 PM</b>

**Attendees:** Ben Armerding (Faculty Co-Chair), Zachary Cembellin (PSME), Dolores Davison (guest—ASCCC), Bernie Day (Articulation Officer), Kimberly Escamilla (LA), Valerie Fong (Acting Dean, LA), Marnie Francisco (PSME), Evan Gilstrap (CNSL), Allison Herman (LA), Kurt Hueg (Dean, BSS), Katy Ripp (KA), Lisa Schultheis (BH), Ben Schwartzman (SRC), Lety Serna (CNSL), Paul Starer (Administrator Co-Chair), Mary Thomas (LIBR), Nick Tuttle (BSS), Mary Vanatta (Curriculum Coordinator), Anand Venkataraman (PSME), Bill Ziegenhorn (BSS)

**Minutes Recorded by:** M. Vanatta



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New Course Proposal**

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**Faculty Author:** Mike Murphy

**Proposed Number:** C S 49A

**Proposed Units:** 4.5

**Proposed Hours:** 4 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** CSU/UC

**Proposed Title:** Introduction to Programming Concepts & Methodologies

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

Specification, design, implementation, testing, debugging, maintenance, and documentation of computer programs. Topics include algorithms, languages, software engineering, control structures, functions, data abstraction using classes, and arrays. Numerous programs are written in Python. Intended for both computer science majors and for those seeking a general introduction to computer programming.

**Proposed Discipline:** Computer Science

(For guidance, refer to the Minimum Quals handbook, available on [the CCC webpage](#).)

*Note: If any proposed discipline falls within the purview of another division, please verify approval from that division. Division Rep: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_*

**To which Degree(s) or Certificate(s) would this course potentially be added?**

Computer Science AS Degree

Enterprise Networking

**Are there any other departments that may be impacted from the addition of this course? Please identify those departments and the effect:**

No

**Comments & Other Relevant Information for Discussion:**

This course will map to C-ID: COMP 112.

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**Instruction Office:**

Date presented at CCC:

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**Faculty Author:** Mike Murphy

**Proposed Number:** C S 55G

**Proposed Units:** 4.5

**Proposed Hours:** 4 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** CSU

**Proposed Title:** AWS Cloud Practitioner

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

Introduction to the AWS Cloud and the basic global infrastructure. The student will be able to describe basic AWS Cloud architectural principles, the AWS Cloud value proposition, key services on the AWS platform and their common use cases (for example, compute and analytics), and the basic security and compliance aspects of the AWS platform and the shared security model. This class provides preparation for the AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner Certification.

**Proposed Discipline:** Computer Science

(For guidance, refer to the Minimum Quals handbook, available on [the CCC webpage.](#))

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**To which Degree(s) or Certificate(s) would this course potentially be added?**

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**Are there any other departments that may be impacted from the addition of this course? Please identify those departments and the effect:**

No

**Comments & Other Relevant Information for Discussion:**

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**Faculty Author:** Mike Murphy

**Proposed Number:** C S 55J

**Proposed Units:** 4.5

**Proposed Hours:** 4 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** CSU

**Proposed Title:** AWS Solutions Architect

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This course covers the fundamentals of building IT infrastructure on the AWS platform. Students learn how to optimize the AWS Cloud by understanding how AWS services fit into cloud-based solutions. In addition, students explore AWS Cloud best practices and design patterns for architecting optimal IT solutions on AWS, and build a variety of infrastructures in guided, hands-on activities. The course also covers how to create fledgling architectures and build them into robust and adaptive solutions.

**Proposed Discipline:** Computer Science

(For guidance, refer to the Minimum Quals handbook, available on [the CCC webpage.](#))

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**Faculty Author:** Mike Murphy

**Proposed Number:** C S 55K

**Proposed Units:** 4.5

**Proposed Hours:** 4 hours lecture, 2 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** CSU

**Proposed Title:** AWS Developer

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

Provides a practical introduction to designing, developing and deploying cloud based solutions using AWS. The student will learn the core AWS services, uses, and basic architecture best practices. The student will learn and practice developing and maintaining applications written for Amazon Simple Storage Services (S3), Amazon DynamoDB, Amazon Simple Queue Service (SQS), Amazon Simple Notification Service (SNS), Amazon Simple Workflow Service (SWF), AWS Elastic Beanstalk, and AWS CloudFormation. This course provides preparation for the AWS Certified Developer Certification.

**Proposed Discipline:** Computer Science

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Enterprise Networking

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No

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 101

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 15 hours total per quarter: 9 hours lecture, 6 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Structured Cabling

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Structured Cabling course covers the essentials in structured cabling; including telephony, industry standards, performance, and wiring. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest standards and practices within the structured cabling field as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 105

**Proposed Units:** 1

**Proposed Hours:** 15 hours lecture total per quarter

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Fiber 1

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Fiber 1 course is an introduction to fiber optics and covers safety involved with optical cable, optical cable terms, fiber optic cable types, bandwidth performance, effects of attenuation, fiber optic termination, splices, and types of connectors. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest standards and practices within the fiber optic cabling and terminations as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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No

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 106

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 17 hours total per quarter: 8 hours lecture, 9 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Fiber 2

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Fiber 2 course covers fiber optic transmission, testing, fiber optic networks, fiber optic installation and testing practices. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest standards and practices within the fiber optic cabling and terminations as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

Prerequisite: ITSC 105

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 110

**Proposed Units:** 1

**Proposed Hours:** 26 hours total per quarter: 12 hours lecture, 14 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Electrical Theory Essentials

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Electrical Theory Essentials class covers the basics of electrical circuits, how electricity works, how to calculate and measure voltage, current, resistance and power in a series and/or parallel circuit. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in electrical theory. These skills are essential for installation and troubleshooting electrical systems. Electrical theory knowledge is also required for California State Certifications (VDVT and Fire Life Safety).

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 113

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 9 hours total per quarter: 6 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Master Clocks

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

The Master Clocks class covers the theory and installation of a Master Clock system. Lessons include; types of clocks, wired clocks, wireless clocks, clock syncing, and advanced clocks. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the field of master clocks. These skills are essential for installation and troubleshooting master clock systems.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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No

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 114

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 12 hours total per quarter: 6 hours lecture, 6 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Nurse Call

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Nurse Call class covers the theory and installation of a nurse call system. Lessons include; Components, ancillary systems, and working in a healthcare environment. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the field of Nurse Call. These skills are essential for installation and troubleshooting nurse call systems.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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No

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 115

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 12 hours total per quarter: 6 hours lecture, 6 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Computer Literacy 1 (Microsoft Word & Excel)

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to learn Microsoft Word and Excel fundamentals to write industry correspondence such as letters, request for information, documentation, and creating spreadsheets.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 123

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 21 hours total per quarter: 6 hours lecture, 15 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Fire Alarm Essentials

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Fire Alarm course covers the essentials of fire alarm systems. Including fundamentals, general requirements, fire alarm circuits, and wiring. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest codes/standards and practices within the fire alarm system field as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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No

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 125

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 15 hours total per quarter: 9 hours lecture, 6 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Paging/ECS/Mass Notification

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Paging/ECS/Mass Notification course covers the essentials of paging systems; including functionality, power supplies, evacuation signals, speech intelligibility, ECS circuits, components and installation. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest standards and practices within the Paging/ECS/Mass Notification system field as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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**To which Degree(s) or Certificate(s) would this course potentially be added?**

None

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No

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 127

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 12 hours total per quarter: 7 hours lecture, 5 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** CATV/DAS

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Closed Antenna Television/Distributed Antenna Systems course covers the basic structure, cabling, tools, connectors, terminations, hardware, headend equipment and testing of a CATV/DAS systems. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest standards and practices within the CATV and DAS systems as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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No

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 128

**Proposed Units:** 1

**Proposed Hours:** 21 hours total per quarter: 14 hours lecture, 7 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Network Video

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Network Video course covers; basic networking, components, and installation of Network video systems. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest standards and practices within the Network Video systems as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 130

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 12 hours total per quarter: 8 hours lecture, 4 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Intrusion Systems

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Intrusion Systems course covers the applicable standards, preventing false alarms, components, wiring and installation of intrusion systems. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest standards and practices within the Intrusion system field as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 131

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 9 hours total per quarter: 6 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Access Control Systems

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Access Control course covers; categories, components, credentials, types of locks, wiring and installation of access control systems. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the latest standards and practices within the Intrusion system field as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 132

**Proposed Units:** 1

**Proposed Hours:** 18 hours total per quarter: 12 hours lecture, 5 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Audio Visual Essentials

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Audio Visual Essentials course covers; analog and digital signals, basics of sound, microphones, amplifiers, speakers, video signals, and projection technology. This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in the essentials of audio visual systems as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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**To which Degree(s) or Certificate(s) would this course potentially be added?**

None

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**Faculty Author:** Michael Sheriff

**Proposed Number:** ITSC 134

**Proposed Units:** 0.5

**Proposed Hours:** 9 hours total per quarter: 6 hours lecture, 3 hours laboratory

**Proposed Transferability:** None

**Proposed Title:** Blueprints, LEED, Title 24

**Proposed Catalog Description & Requisites:**

This Blueprint, LEED, and Title 24 course covers; reading blueprints, Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED), and energy efficiency standards (Title 24). This course is designed for Installer/Technicians to keep current in blueprint reading, LEED, and Title 24 as it pertains to the Sound and Communication Industry.

**Proposed Discipline:** Telecommunication Technology

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None

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No

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### CCC Notification of Proposed Prerequisites/Co-Requisites

The following courses are currently undergoing review for requisite additions or changes. Please contact the Division Curriculum Rep if you have any questions or comments.

Target Course Number & Title	Editor	Requisite Course Number & Title	New/Ongoing
ENGL 1A: Composition & Reading	B. Armerding	Coreq: NCEN 401A (Bridge to Transfer English) - adding as option to existing coreq of ENGL 246A	New, eff. upon state appr. of NCEN 401A (hopefully fall 2019 quarter)
ENGL 1S: Integrated Composition & Reading	B. Lewis	Coreq: NCEN 442A (Critical Thinking: Student Managed Portfolio Development) - adding as option to existing coreq of ENGL 242A	New, eff. upon state appr. of NCEN 442A (hopefully fall 2019 quarter)
ENGL 1T: Integrated Composition & Reading	B. Lewis	Coreq: NCEN 442B (Critical Thinking: Portfolio Management & Publication) - adding as option to existing coreq of ENGL 242B	New, eff. upon state appr. of NCEN 442B (hopefully fall 2019 quarter)

**Foothill College  
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2019-20 Meeting Dates**

**Fall Quarter:**

October 8  
October 22  
November 5  
November 19  
December 3

**Winter Quarter:**

January 21  
February 4  
February 18  
March 3  
March 17

**Spring Quarter:**

April 21  
May 5  
May 19  
June 2  
June 16

All meetings fall on Tuesday and will be held from 2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. in the President's Conference Room.

*Note: Meeting dates are tentative and subject to change. The final schedule will be confirmed via calendar invitations sent to CCC Reps via email.*

## General Education Review Request AREA IV - SOCIAL & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Course Number & Title: Plumbing Technology Apprenticeship Program

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### Breadth Criteria:

At Foothill College, the primary objective of the general education requirements is to provide students with the depth and breadth of knowledge and understanding required to be independent, thinking persons who are able to interact successfully with others as educated and productive members of our diverse society. Design and implementation of the general education curriculum ensures that students have exposure to all major disciplines, understand relationships among the various disciplines, and appreciate and evaluate the collective knowledge and experiences that form our cultural and physical heritage. General education courses provide content that is broad in scope and at an introductory depth, and all require critical thinking.

A general education enables students to clarify and present their personal views as well as respect, evaluate, and be informed by the views of others. This academic program is designed to facilitate a process that enables students to reach their fullest potential as individuals, national and global citizens, and lifelong learners for the 21st century.

In order to be successful, students are expected to have achieved minimum proficiency in math (MATH 105) and English (ENGL 1A, 1AH or ESL 26) before enrolling in a GE course.

A completed pattern of general education courses provides students with opportunities to acquire, practice, apply, and become proficient in each of the core competencies listed below.

- B1. Communication (analytical reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills including evaluation, synthesis, and research).
- B2. Computation (application of mathematical concepts, and/or using principles of data collection and analysis to solve problems).
- B3. Creative, critical, and analytical thinking (reasoning, questioning, problem solving, and consideration of consequence).
- B4. Community and global consciousness and responsibility (consideration of one's role in society at the local, regional, national, and global level in the context of cultural constructs and historical and contemporary events and issues).
- B5. Information competency (ability to identify an information need, to find, evaluate and use information to meet that need in a legal and ethical way) and digital literacy (to teach and assess basic computer concepts and skills so that people can use computer technology in everyday life to develop new social and economic opportunities for themselves, their families, and their communities).

### Depth Criteria for Area IV-Social & Behavioral Sciences:

The social sciences embrace a large number of interrelated subjects that examine the relationship of human beings to society.

Courses meeting the General Education Requirement in Social and Behavior Sciences **must** include **all of the following** student learning outcomes:

- S1. Explain the interactions of people as members of societies, cultures and social subgroups;
- S2. Exercise critical thinking and analytical oral and/or written skills including consideration of events and ideas from multiple perspectives;
- S3. Demonstrate knowledge and application of the scientific method in conducting research and in other methods of inquiry relative to the discipline.

In addition, courses meeting this requirement **must** include **at least three** of the following student learning outcomes:

- S4. Demonstrate appreciation of and sensitivity towards diverse cultures -- their social, behavioral and organizational structure;
- S5. Explain world development and global relationships;
- S6. Recognize the rights, duties, responsibilities, and opportunities of community members;
- S7. Analyze the relationship of business and economic activities to the functioning of society as a whole;
- S8. Assess the distribution of power and influence;
- S9. Analyze current events and global issues in the context of historic, ethical and social patterns;
- S10. Comprehend and engage in social, economic and political issues at the local, national and global level;
- S11. Display knowledge of human motivations, behaviors and relationships;
- S12. Understand the evolutionary origins of humanity and how this relates to present day human interactions;
- S13. Describe how individual interaction with the natural world and external societies shapes and influences human behavior;
- S14. Explain the association between psychological well-being, mental processes, emotions & societal functioning.

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**Course Number & Title:** Plumbing Technology Apprenticeship Program

Please map each appropriate component from the **Course Outline of Record** to the appropriate depth and breadth criteria. You can use any part of your COR including course outcomes, expanded content, methods of instruction/evaluation, and/or lab content.

**Depth Map: Must include the following:**

**S1.** Explain the interactions of people as members of societies, cultures and social subgroups;

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 1, Sem 1 = 1.3, 1.4, 1.7, 1.8, Special Project

**S2.** Exercise critical thinking and analytical oral and/or written skills including consideration of events and ideas from multiple perspectives;

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 1, Sem 2 = 9.10, 1.11, 9.30

Year 2, Sem 1 = 12.1, 12.14

Year 3, Sem 1 = 17.4

Year 5, Sem 2 = Special Project

**S3.** Demonstrate knowledge and application of the scientific method in conducting research and in other methods of inquiry relative to the discipline.

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 1, Sem 2 = 10.2, 10.4, 10.12, 10.13, 10.14

**Depth Map: Additionally, must include at least three of the following:**

**S4.** Demonstrate appreciation of and sensitivity towards diverse cultures -- their social, behavioral and organizational structure;

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 5, Sem 2 = 25.1, 25.2, 25.3, 25.4, 25.5

**S5.** Explain world development and global relationships;

**Matching course component(s):**

**S6.** Recognize the rights, duties, responsibilities, and opportunities of community members;

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 1, Sem = 1.1, 1.3, 1.4, 1.9

**S7.** Analyze the relationship of business and economic activities to the functioning of society as a whole;

**Matching course objective(s):**

Year 4, Sem 1 = 20.1, 20.2, 20.3, 20.5

**S8.** Assess the distribution of power and influence;

**Matching course component(s):**

**S9.** Analyze current events and global issues in the context of historic, ethical and social patterns;

**Matching course component(s):**

**S10.** Comprehend and engage in social, economic and political issues at the local, national and global level;

**Matching course component(s):**

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**S11.** Display knowledge of human motivations, behaviors and relationships;

**Matching course component(s):**

**S12.** Understand the evolutionary origins of humanity and how this relates to present day human interactions;

**Matching course component(s):**

**S13.** Describe how individual interaction with the natural world and external societies shapes and influences human behavior;

**Matching course component(s):**

**S14.** Explain the association between psychological well-being, mental processes, emotions & societal functioning.

**Matching course component(s):**

**Breadth Mapping: please indicate all that apply (if applicable)**

**B1.** Communication (analytical reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills including evaluation, synthesis, and research)

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 1, Sem 1 = 3.5, 4.1, 4.10

Year 1, Sem 2 = 7.1, 7.4, 7.8

Year 2, Sem 1 = 10.1, 10.2

**B2.** Computation (application of mathematical concepts, and/or using principles of data collection and analysis to solve problems).

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 1, Sem 2 = 3.6

Year 3, Sem 2 = 19.1, 19.2, 19.3, 19.4, 19.5, 19.6

**B3.** Clearly and precisely express their ideas in a logical and organized manner using the discipline-appropriate language

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 1, Sem 1 = 3.1

Year 1, Sem 2 = 9.2, 9.3, 9.9

Year 2, Sem 1 = 10.12, 10.17, 10.18, 10.21

**B4.** Community and global consciousness and responsibility (consideration of one's role in society at the local, regional, national, and global level in the context of cultural constructs and historical and contemporary events and issues).

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 1, Sem 1 = 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4

**B5.** Information competency (ability to identify an information need, to find, evaluate and use information to meet that need in a legal and ethical way) and digital literacy (to teach and assess basic computer concepts and skills so that people can use computer technology in everyday life to develop new social and economic opportunities for themselves, their families, and their communities).

**Matching course component(s):**

Year 4, Sem 2 = 22.82, 22.83





Below please find the key to interpreting the codes provided on the GE applications for the Pipes apprenticeship. Please send any questions you may have to: [starerpaul@fhda.edu](mailto:starerpaul@fhda.edu)

**101** - Year and Semester (first year, first semester in the case of "101." In the case of "102," this means first year, second semester, and so on....).

**.1** - Module number (".1" is the first module. ".2" is the second module and so on....)

Example: P101.1 = Plumbing Curriculum, first year, first semester, module 1



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## Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 1 – P 101 Course Title:

- Module 1: Union Heritage (6 hours)
- Module 2: Construction Safety (24 hours)
- Module 3: Use and Care of tools (12 hours)
- Module 4: Pipe and Tube Installations (42 hours)
- Module 5: Soldering and Brazing (24 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

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## Resources

1. United Association, “Your Heritage and Future in the Pipe Trades”, Chapters 1-3.
2. SmartMark CD
3. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, “Job Safety and Health” for United Association Journeymen & Apprentices, 1999.
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5. J.J. Keller, “Forklift Safety for Construction”, Video.
6. J.J. Keller, “Forklift Safety for Construction”, Instructor’s Guide.
7. J.J. Keller, “Forklift Safety for Construction”, Preparation Guide.
8. 29 CFR Part 1910.178(1) “Powered Industrial Truck Operator Training”, Final Rule
9. Horizon High Lift, “Self-Propelled Aerial Lift – Operator Safety Training”, (1998), California.
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13. United Association, “Pipe, Fittings, Valves, Supports and Fasteners for United Association for Journeyman and Apprentices,” 2000.
14. Swagelok—TM Swagelok Company, “Hand Tube Bender Manual”© 1999, 2003 Swagelok Company Printed in U.S.A., GLLMa [www.swagelok.com/downloads/webcatalogs/EN/MS-13-43.PDF](http://www.swagelok.com/downloads/webcatalogs/EN/MS-13-43.PDF)
15. United Association, “Water Supply,” 2000.

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### Course Title:

#### Resources (continued)

16. United Association- Book, “Soldering and Brazing”, 2002.
17. Smith Equipment 2601 Lockheed Avenue Watertown, SD 57201 605-882-3200, “Oxyfuel Safety”, 25 min. 30 sec- Video.
18. Kennecott Utah Copper Public Affairs Department P.O. Box 6001 Magna, Utah 84004, “Kennecott’s Bingham Canyon Mine”, 14 min. 00 sec. Video.
19. National Association of Plumbing-Heating Cooling Contractors, P.O. Box 6808, Falls Church, VA 22046-1148, 703-237-8100, “Soldering and Brazing Copper”, 18 min. 00 sec.
20. J.W. Harris Co, Inc., 4501 Quality Place, Mason, OH 45040-1971, 513-237-8100, “J.W. Harris Practical Braze Training”, 18 min. 35 sec. – Video.
21. Smith Equipment, 2601 Lockheed Avenue, Watertown, SD 57201, 605-882-3200, “Quickbraze Torch Systems”, 6 min. 00 sec. – Video.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 1 - Union Heritage

1. Identify partners in an apprenticeship.
2. Describe how to get off to the right start.
3. Identify the collective voice.
4. Identify role of employer as a partner.
5. Describe the effectiveness on the job.
6. Define the most important partner-YOU.
7. Describe the role and responsibilities of contractors.
8. Describe qualities that promote effectiveness on the job.
9. Identify characteristics and goals of outstanding journeymen.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 2 - Construction Safety

1. Identify the purpose and responsibilities of OSHA.
2. Describe workplace hazards.
3. Identify safety issues relating to hoisting.
4. Describe the importance of fall protection.
5. Identify Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).
6. Describe the importance of electrical safety.
7. Describe the importance of tool safety.
8. Describe the importance of stairway and ladder safety.
9. Describe proper methods for lifting and carrying objects.
10. Identify safety issues related to excavation.
11. Describe the characteristics of confined spaces.
12. Describe atmospheric hazards.

**Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 1 – P 101**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 2 - Construction Safety, (continued)**

13. Identify the responsibilities of parties involved with confined spaces.
14. Describe the importance of fire safety.
15. Describe policies and procedures related to environmental management systems.
16. Define regulations for the Resource Conservation Recovery Act.
17. Describe policies and procedures for handling hazardous waste.
18. Define procedures for dealing with storm water.
19. Define policies and procedures for dealing with asbestos and its abatement.
20. Describe policies and procedures for lead safety.
21. Define methods currently being taken to protect San Francisco Bay.
22. Safely operate a rough terrain vehicle (forklift) to prevent accidents.
23. Discuss self-propelled and boom supported aerial lift safety.

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 3 - Use and Care of Tools**

1. Describe safe use of tools and equipment.
2. Identify types of and common use of the following tools:
  - a. Screw drivers, pliers and nut drivers.
  - b. Wrenches.
  - c. Vises and clamps.
  - d. Hammers and saws.
  - e. Files.
  - f. Punches and chisels.
  - g. Pipe wrenches, vises and miscellaneous tools.
3. Convert between English and Metric measurements.
4. Use common layout and measuring tools.
5. Use and read common marking tools.
6. Convert construction measurements from fractions to decimal measurements.
7. Properly use:
  - a. Pipe cutting tools.
  - b. Pipe reaming tools.
  - c. Drilling tools.
8. Pipe boring tools.
9. Recognize and use:
  - a. Digging and lifting tools and equipment.
  - b. Finishing tools and equipment.
  - c. Testing tools and equipment.

## Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 1 – P 101

### Course Title:

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 4 - Pipe and Tube Installations

1. Describe common terms associated with steel pipe.
2. Identify the various types of steel pipe.
3. Identify the various types of fittings for steel pipe.
4. Perform joining methods used for steel pipe.
5. Prepare steel pipe for threading.
6. Use the flanged method of joining steel pipe.
7. Use the grooved coupling method of joining steel pipe.
8. Identify plastic pipe nomenclature.
9. Define plastic pipe materials.
10. Describe plastic pipe features.
11. Identify and properly use plastic pipe fittings.
12. Assemble plastic pipe using multiple joining methods.
13. Identify cast iron pipe nomenclature.
14. Describe cast iron pipe features.
15. Identify the types and uses of fittings.
16. Prepare cast iron joints for joining.
17. Properly cut cast iron pipe.
18. Discuss the components and functions of hangers.
19. Identify fire-stop materials.
20. Describe methods of fire-stop installation.
21. Discuss tube bending procedures.
22. Describe pressure testing.
23. Describe hydrostatic testing.
24. Create water supply mock-up.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 5 - Soldering and Brazing

1. Describe safe work practices including:
  - a. Handling high pressure gas cylinders.
  - b. Using torches in soldering and brazing.
  - c. Identifying methods of fire prevention.
  - d. Using personal protective equipment (PPE).
2. Define the terms generally used in conjunction with the methods used for soldering and brazing copper tube.
3. Identify the common types of fittings used with copper tubing.
4. Describe the manufacture and materials of copper pipe.
5. Describe the manufacture and materials of copper tubing.
6. Describe the types of solders used for joining copper tube.
7. Describe the type of brazing filler metals used for joining copper tube.
8. Describe the types of fluxes used for soldering and brazing copper tube.
9. Prepare and assemble copper joints.
10. Identify the various uses of heating equipment.
11. Perform the soldering process.

**Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 1 – P 101**  
**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 5 - Soldering and Brazing, (continued)**

- 12. Prepare and assemble copper joints.
- 13. Use heating equipment to make a soldered joint.
- 14. Perform a soldering joint test.
- 15. Make a brazed joint.
- 16. Perform a brazed joint test.

**Course Policies**

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## Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 2 – P 102

### Course Title:

- Module 6: Related Math (12 hours)
- Module 7: Related Science (27 hours)
- Module 8: Fuel Gas Installations (30 hours)
- Module 9: Drainage (39 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

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#### Resources

1. United Association, “Related Mathematics,” 2002.
2. Videos from “The UA Related Science Course” CD.
3. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc., “Related Science”, 2004.
4. United Association 2000 UPC Plumbing Code, “Gas Installations Manual”, 2001
5. Phillips Driscopipe, “Heat Fusion Qualification Guide 6500”, 1997.
6. Performance Pipe, “Heat Fusion Procedures and Qualification Guide”, 2004.
7. Performance Pipe, “Heat Fusion (Video)”, 2004.
8. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc, “Drainage Assignments”, Sewage Disposal; 1999.
9. Chevron Chemical Company, “Qualification Procedures for Making Heat Fusion Joints”, 1997.
10. American Technical Publishers, “Plumbing Design and Installation”, 2006.
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12. American Technical Publishers, “Plumbing Design and Installation Workbook”, Third Edition, Plumbing Traps, 2006.
13. International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials, “Uniform Plumbing Code Study Guide”, 2000 Edition.
14. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc, “Drainage”, 2001.
15. International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials, “Uniform Plumbing Code”, 2000 Edition, 1999.



**Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 2 – P 102**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 6 - Related Math**

1. Review purpose and functions of fractions.
2. Add fractions.
3. Subtract fractions.
4. Practice adding and subtracting fractions.
5. Multiply fractions.
6. Divide fractions.
7. Practice multiplying and dividing fractions.
8. Perform math operations with decimals.
9. Perform math operations with percentages.
10. Practice working with decimals and percentages.
11. Add and subtract compound units.
12. Convert decimals dimensions to feet and inches.
13. Review triangle basics.
14. Apply Pythagorean Theorem.
15. Use 3-4-5 triangles.
16. Apply triangles to piping applications.
17. Calculate pipe fitting allowances in pipe measurements
18. Define grade as applied to piping problems.
19. Apply grade formulas to piping problems.

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 7 - Related Science**

1. Describe properties, peculiarities, and characteristics of water.
2. Define states of matter and units of measurement.
3. Interpret the Periodic Table.
4. Describe the expansion of water.
5. Define temperature changes in substances (specific, sensible and latent heat).
6. Describe vaporization and evaporation.
7. Define characteristics and properties of steam.
8. Describe principles of hydraulics and pneumatics.
9. Define work.
10. Define basic classifications of simple machines.
11. Define prime movers.
12. Describe characteristics of common metals.
13. Differentiate between metals, alloys and synthetics.
14. Describe methods of joining synthetic materials.
15. Describe methods of controlling expansion and contraction issues.
16. Describe properties and methods to control expansion of metals.
17. Measure high temperatures.

**Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 2 – P 102**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 7 - Related Science, (continued)**

18. Describe properties of solids which depend on cohesive force.
19. Describe hazards and type of corrosion.
20. Anticipate, diagnose and deal with corrosion problems including:
  - a. Galvanic cell problems.
  - b. Underground piping problems.
  - c. Corrosion resistant situations.
  - d. Cathodic protection.
  - e. Corrosion inhibitors.
  - f. Coatings.

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 8 - Fuel Gas Installations**

1. Identify the characteristics of fuel gas.
2. Define combustion of fuel gases.
3. Describe types of air needed for combustion.
4. Identify basic styles of burners.
5. Define and identify terms in gas piping installations.
6. Identify approved gas piping materials.
7. Identify approved fittings and appurtenances.
8. Describe approved joining methods.
9. Describe approved installation methods.
10. Describe underground PE piping methods.
11. Identify testing methods and requirements.
12. Describe process required for sizing fuel gas piping.
13. Calculate fuel gas pipe sizes.
14. Construct fuel gas piping system.
15. Discuss appliance installation and venting.
16. Explain the evolution of polyethylene piping.
17. Understand and apply related codes.
18. Recognize various fittings and specialty tools.
19. Join polyethylene pipe.

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 9 - Drainage**

1. Describe public health benefits and parameters of sewage disposal.
2. List principles of sewage treatment.
3. List requirements for private sewage disposal systems.
4. Discuss on-site sewage disposal.
5. Describe use of sand filters.
6. Examine alternatives for septic tanks.
7. Explain use of commercial package disposal units.

**Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 2 – P 102**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 9 – Drainage (continued)**

8. Discuss wastewater treatment plants.
9. Use appropriate terminology for sewer and drain piping.
10. Explain function of sewers and drains.
11. Explain basic system principles.
12. Install sewers.
13. Review sewage treatment processes.
14. Install sewers.
15. Identify components of building drainage systems.
16. Explain hydraulic operation of building drainage systems.
17. Describe different types of building drainage systems.
18. Describe types of major appurtenances used in building drainage systems.
19. Identify components and installation requirements for roof drains.
20. Identify components and installation requirements for planter drains.
21. Identify components and installation requirements for ornamental fountain drains.
22. Identify components and installation requirements for floor drains.
23. Identify components and installation requirements for cleanouts in building drainage systems.
24. Identify components and installation requirements for cleanouts in drainage systems.
25. Describe components of gray water systems.
26. Describe use of plumbing traps.
27. Describe use of P-traps.
28. Discuss prohibited traps.
29. Discuss trap seals.
30. Explain causes of trap seal loss.
31. Install different types of traps.
32. Explain principles of drainage system venting.
33. Describe various venting methods.
34. Discuss alternate venting methods.
35. Describe other types of venting methods.
36. Describe effects of hydraulic gradient.
37. Define length restrictions.
38. List installation requirements.
39. Demonstrate proper vent sizing.
40. Demonstrate proficiency in sizing of sanitary drainage and vent piping systems in different types of structures.
41. Sketch sanitary drainage and vent piping systems.
42. Design sanitary drainage and vent piping systems.

**Syllabus – Year 1, Semester 2 – P 102**  
**Course Title: Applied and Related Theory**

**Course Policies**

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## Syllabus – Year 2, Semester 1 – P 201 Course Title:

Module 10: Storm Drains; Interceptors (18 hours)  
Module 11: Water Supply (27 hours)  
Module 12: Applied Drawing (63 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

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## Resources

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4. Joint Plumbing Apprentice and Journeyman Training, Inc, “A Guide to Service Work”, Section L-3, “Troubleshooting Plumbing Systems”, 1994.
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7. United Association “Related Science”, 2000.
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9. American Technical Publishers, Inc, “Plumbing Design & Installation”, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, L.V. Ripka, 2002.
10. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc. “Introduction to Basic Drawing Tools, Measuring Tools, and Lettering Skills”, Drawing Interpretation and Plan Reading for United Association Journeyworkers and Apprentices, 2006.
11. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc., “Drawing Interpretation and Plan Reading for United Association Journeyworkers and Apprentices”, 2006.

## Syllabus – Year 2, Semester 1 – P 201

### Course Title:

#### Resources (continued)

12. Michael A. Joyce, “Blueprint Reading and Drafting for Plumbers”.
13. IAPMO, “Uniform Plumbing Code Study Guide”, 2000 Edition.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 10 - Storm Drains; Interceptors

1. Describe storm water drainage.
2. Describe requirements specific to San Jose.
3. Discuss installation of underground piping.
4. Discuss installation of rainwater piping.
5. Define different types of storm water piping joints.
6. Demonstrate procedures used to make joints.
7. Discuss miscellaneous installation procedures.
8. Describe different types of drains.
9. Discuss roof drainage.
10. Describe use of cleanouts.
11. Demonstrate knowledge of roof drains and cleanouts.
12. List procedures for the removal of blockages.
13. Describe use of conductors, leaders and connections.
14. Test drainage systems.
15. Discuss use of interceptors.
16. Describe use of grease traps and interceptors.
17. List different ways grease interceptors can operate.
18. List ways to remove grease from interceptor.
19. Describe use of other kinds of interceptors and separators.
20. Describe use of modular type oil/water separators.
21. List how to troubleshoot problems with storm water systems.
22. Identify common water distribution system problems.
23. Identify methods to correct common water distribution system problems.
24. Continue installation of water distribution system.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 11 - Water Supply

1. Describe characteristics of water.
2. Identify sources of water.
3. Define water contaminants.
4. Describe methods used for water purification.
5. Identify water treatment equipment.
6. Define types of water main.
7. Identify sections of the water main.
8. Describe water main piping.
9. Describe water main joining methods.
10. Describe protection devices for water main piping joints.

## Syllabus – Year 2, Semester 1 – P 201

### Course Title:

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 11 - Water Supply (continued)

11. Describe water service piping systems.
12. Demonstrate the installation of water meter fittings.
13. Demonstrate the installation water service valves.
14. Describe water distribution systems.
15. Define water distribution system requirements.
16. Define building water distribution system design requirements.
17. Define building water distribution system layout methods.
18. Calculate building water distribution pipe sizing.
19. Describe the differences between potable and non-potable piping systems.
20. Identify control devices and describe methods to protect against cross contamination.
21. Identify buildings where cross contamination control devices are required.
22. Identify UPC Code requirements in reference to cross connection control.
23. Define characteristics and properties of hot water.
24. Identify common types of water heaters.
25. Identify hot water safety devices.
26. Continue installation of water distribution system mock up.
27. Demonstrate pressure testing.
28. Demonstrate hydrostatic testing.
29. Finish water supply mock up.
30. Identify five factors that determine size of water piping.
31. Size water supply piping.
32. Size water supply piping in larger installations.
33. Size water supply piping for a four-unit, multi-family dwelling.
34. Size water supply piping for a public building.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 12 - Applied Drawing

1. Identify basic drafting tools used by journey workers for making sketches.
2. Comply with proper drafting protocol for lines and lettering.
3. Identify importance of location when creating a three-view drawing.
4. Demonstrate the correct method for arranging plan and elevation views.
5. Describe graphic symbols for pipe fittings and valves.
6. Identify various piping symbols.
7. Interpret technical drawings for proper installation of piping systems.
8. Describe riser diagrams.
9. Interpret isometric drawings.
10. Define rules for making isometric drawings.
11. Describe building plans.
12. Describe architectural specifications.
13. Discuss codes from various aspects of building.
  
14. Apply code information to determine proper code applications from prints from Drawing Interpretation and Plan Reading Building Plans.

**Syllabus – Year 2, Semester 1 – P 201**  
**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 12 - Applied Drawing (continued)**

15. Identify and describe various plumbing symbols.
16. Discuss features of shop drawings.
17. Describe process of creating a shop drawing.
18. Discuss adding detail to shop drawings
19. Review code sections for UPC Chapter 6, Water Supply and Distribution.
20. Draw water sizing diagram.
21. Interpret ADA requirements for fixture installation.
22. Create ADA compliant drawing for a water closet installation.
23. Create storm drain system.
24. Create interceptor for a commercial application.

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# Commercial Plumbing Apprenticeship Program



## Syllabus – Year 2, Semester 2 – P 202

### Course Title:

- Module 13: Knots and Rigging (15 hours)
- Module 14: Builder's Level-Transit (27 hours)
- Module 15: Related Electricity (12 hours)
- Module 16: Industrial Safety (54 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

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## Syllabus – Year 2, Semester 2 – P 202

### Course Title:

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 13 - Knots and Rigging

1. Identify safety protocol relative to barricade and notification of people in the area.
2. Perform calculations using mathematical formulas to determine the weights of structural shapes, equipment and construction materials.
3. Identify safe work practices when fastening fiber rope to heavy objects.
4. Demonstrate ability to identify and tie types of knots and hitches used for rigging operations.
5. Describe the selection and use of wire rope.
6. Demonstrate knowledge in the selection and use of slings.
7. Demonstrate the proper use of hoisting and jacking equipment.
8. Identify proper rigging hardware and sling configurations.
9. Describe special procedures and safe work practices required during rigging operations using helicopters.
10. Demonstrate types of cranes, operating hazards and capacity factors.
11. Identify industry recognized signals used for hoisting materials and equipment.
12. Demonstrate crane operation for conducting a rigging operation.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 14 - Builder's Level- Transit

1. Identify process for gaining approval to excavate.
2. Describe elevation concepts.
3. Discuss combination transits and levels.
4. Discuss leveling procedures.
5. Discuss elevation readings.
6. Discuss layout of a line.
7. Identify the process of laying out a line.
8. Describe establishing depth.
9. Discuss invert elevations.
10. Identify stations.
11. Discuss elevation of a ditch.
12. Describe profile drawing.
13. Describe the laser level.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 15 – Related Electricity

1. Describe electrical safety.
2. Define electricity.
3. Define methods of producing electricity.
4. Explain relationship between magnetism and electricity.
5. Describe rules and laws of electric circuits.
6. Define and calculate Ohm's Law.
7. Describe electrical power and energy.
8. Define simple circuits.
9. Define series circuits.
10. Define parallel circuits.

## Syllabus – Year 2, Semester 2 – P 202

### Course Title:

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 15 – Related Electricity, continued

11. Define purpose and operation of transformers.
12. Explain operation and common vocabulary of motors.
13. Use electric meters and instruments.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 16 - Industrial Safety

1. Identify regulators, legislation and HAZWOPER working environment.
2. Describe roles and responsibilities of Federal Regulators.
3. Define HAZWOPER regulations and standards.
4. Differentiate between various agencies definition of Hazardous Waste.
5. Describe characteristics and effects on humans of six categories of toxic hazards.
6. Describe systemic poisons and biohazard toxic hazards.
7. Describe fire hazards.
8. Describe explosive and propellant hazards.
9. Describe corrosive hazards.
10. Describe chemical reactivity hazards.
11. Describe radioactivity hazards.
12. Describe characteristics and effects on humans of six categories of toxic hazards.
13. Describe how toxic materials affect one's health.
14. Describe types of common personal protective equipment and their safe use.
15. Describe types of common fall protection systems and demonstrate their safe use.
16. Describe the importance of using ergonomics to improve the workplace.
17. Describe types of respirators.
18. Identify methods to assess exposure to respiratory hazards.
19. Properly use and maintain various types of respirators
20. Describe the three major systems of signage for hazardous material containers.
21. Become familiar with and use the Emergency Response Guidebook (ERG).
22. Describe program elements and requirements for hazard communication regulation.
23. Describe specific workplace hazards.
24. Describe conditions that require locking out and blocking out of machinery.
25. Explain the decontamination process.
26. Describe various rescue operations, rescue training, and equipment.
27. Define scientific and regulatory confined space terms.
28. Describe scientific and regulatory confined space terms.
29. List the dangers or potential dangers within or nearby a confined space.
30. Describe the dangers or potential dangers within or nearby a confined space.
31. List control measures for the elimination and controls of hazards.

**Syllabus – Year 2, Semester 2 – P 202**  
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# Commercial Plumbing Apprenticeship Program



## Syllabus – Year 3, Semester 1 – P 301

### Course Title:

Module 17: Plumbing Fixtures (54 hours)

Module 18: Plumbing Codes (54 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

### Class Information

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**Syllabus – Year 3, Semester 1 – P 301**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 17 - Plumbing Fixtures**

1. Define and classify plumbing fixtures.
2. Describe operation of water closets.
3. Describe flushing action of various types of water closets.
4. Identify names and design features for various types of water closets.
5. Describe design characteristics of various types of water closets.
6. Describe design characteristics and installation procedures for bidets and urinals.
7. Install a wall-hung siphon jet urinal. Describe design characteristics of lavatories.
8. Describe design styles and characteristics of bathtubs and commercial showers.
9. Identify characteristics of service sinks and floor drains.
10. Describe design styles and characteristics of drinking fountains and water coolers.
11. Describe general safety, sanitary and Americans with Disabilities Act principles.
12. Identify requirements for connecting to potable water supply.
13. Describe types and operation of plumbing traps
14. Install a lavatory trap.
15. Install a bath/shower trap.
16. Identify uses of special tools and equipment for setting fixtures.
17. Select and install anchors and fasteners.
18. Install plumbing fixtures requiring wood backing.
19. Demonstrate procedures for installing slab-top lavatory.
20. Identify parts of and function of closet carriers.
21. Describe function of water closet carrier fittings.
22. Calculate measurements for installing water closet.
23. Install flush valve.
24. Sequence and layout plumbing fixtures.
25. Install a control stop and waste valve.
26. Describe fixture supply stops.
27. Describe installation procedures for fixture supply stops.
28. Identify types of traps for waste connections to fixtures.
29. Describe procedures for installing a water closet.
30. Repair a ball cock on a water closet.
31. Install a floor-mounted water closet.
32. Install a wall-mounted lavatory.
33. Describe purposes and types of fixture controls.
34. Describe operation and components of float valves.
35. Describe operation and components of flush valves.
36. Describe operation of vacuum assist water closet flushing cycle.
37. Describe operation of diaphragm direct flush valves.
38. Describe operation of piston type direct flush valves.
39. Describe types and operation of flushing controls for urinals.
40. Describe operation of 120V AC line voltage circuit timers.

**Syllabus – Year 3, Semester 1 – P 301**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 17 - Plumbing Fixtures  
(continued)**

41. Describe battery powered automatic flushing devices.
42. Identify types and applications of bedpan cleaners.
43. Describe types and operation of bibb faucets.
44. Disassemble and reassemble a push-button type single lavatory faucet.
45. Describe operation of thermostatic mixing valve water control devices.
46. Describe operation of piston type pressure balancing valves.
47. Describe operation of stoppers and pop-up waste drains.
48. Describe waste cleaning devices and backflow preventers.
49. Install dual control lavatory faucet.
50. Describe operation of water heaters.
51. List components of gas water heaters.
52. Describe operation of gas water heaters.
53. Describe operation of electric water heaters.
54. Install gas water heater.
55. Demonstrate electric water heater installation procedures.
56. List common complaints about hot water heaters.
57. Describe how pressure affects water heater operations.
58. Describe procedures to check continuity between lower E.C.O. terminal and body of valve.
59. List thermocouple troubleshooting procedures.
60. Demonstrate closed circuit testing.
61. Describe how manifold pressures should be measured.
62. List the test procedures for electric water heater components.
63. Test operation of thermocouple on gas hot water heater.
64. Test operation of upper and lower thermostats in electric hot water heater.
65. Replace thermostat on electric hot water heater.
66. Replace screw-in element on electric hot water heater.
67. Fix malfunctions on pressure-flush valve toilets.
68. Demonstrate knowledge of tempering valves.
69. Demonstrate the replacement of stem units.
70. Describe the service requirements of horizontal pumps.
71. Define pump troubleshooting procedures.
72. Discuss circulating pumps.
73. Install circulating pumps.
74. Replace a horizontal pump.
75. Replace the impeller on a pump.
76. Troubleshoot malfunctioning pumps.

## Syllabus – Year 3, Semester 1 – P 301

### Course Title:

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 18 - Plumbing Codes

1. Describe the importance of testing and inspecting plumbing systems.
2. Identify the various types of plumbing system tests.
3. Coordinate the testing and inspection of plumbing systems.
4. Identify national, state and local standards and codes.
5. Demonstrate knowledge of code sections for UPC Chapter 1, Administration.
6. Demonstrate ability in researching answers to code questions.
7. Define terms in UPC, Chapter 2.
8. Demonstrate knowledge of general regulations as presented in Chapter 3.
9. Demonstrate knowledge of sections for UPC Chapter 3, General Regulations
10. Demonstrate knowledge of codes related to Chapter 4, Plumbing Fixtures and Fixture Fittings in UPC.
11. Demonstrate knowledge of codes related to Plumbing Fixtures and Fixture Fittings as presented in Chapter 4 of UPC.
12. Demonstrate knowledge of code sections for UPC Chapter 4, Plumbing Fixtures and Fixture Fittings including accessibility and ADA requirements.
13. Demonstrate knowledge of codes related to Water Heaters as presented in Chapter 5 of the UPC.
14. Identify and know codes for Water Heaters as presented in the UPC Chapter 5.
15. Demonstrate knowledge of codes related to Water Heaters as presented in Chapter 5 of UPC.
16. Identify and know code sections for UPC Chapter 6, Water Supply and Distribution.
17. Identify and know code sections for UPC Chapter 6, Water Supply and Distribution.
18. Demonstrate knowledge of codes related to Water Supply and Distribution as presented in Chapter 6 of UPC.
19. Describe code sections 701-712 for UPC Chapter 7, Sanitary Drainage Part 1.
20. Describe code sections 713 for UPC Chapter 7, Sanitary Drainage Part 2.
21. Describe code sections 714-723 for UPC Chapter 7, Sanitary Drainage Part 2.
22. Demonstrate knowledge of calculating drainage pipe sizing.
23. Demonstrate knowledge of code sections for UPC Chapter 8, Indirect Wastes.
24. Demonstrate knowledge of code sections for UPC Chapter 9, Vents.
25. Describe code sections for UPC Chapter 10, Traps and Interceptors.
26. Identify sections for UPC Chapter 11, Storm Drainage.
27. Identify and know codes related to Fuel Piping as presented in Chapter 12 of UPC.
28. Demonstrate methods and procedures for sizing fuel gas piping.
29. Identify code sections for UPC Chapter 13, Health Care Facilities.
30. Review questions for UPC Chapter 13, Health Care Facilities.
31. Identify organizations and agencies that have regulations and requirements that relate to plumbing installations.
32. Describe code sections for UPC Chapter 14, Referenced Standards.
33. Review questions for UPC Chapter 14, Referenced Standards.
34. Identify sections for UPC Chapter 15, Firestop Protection.
35. Review questions for UPC Chapter 15, Firestop Protection.



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# Commercial Plumbing Apprenticeship Program



## Syllabus – Year 3, Semester 2 – P 302 Course Title:

Module 19: Advanced Trade Math (108 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

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### Resources

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### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 19 - Advanced Trade Math

1. Explain basic rules of mathematics (Unit 1).
2. Use formulas (Unit 2).
3. Solve using formulas/equations (Unit 3).
4. Calculate square root (Unit 4).
5. Measure angles (Unit 5).
6. Convert length measurements (Unit 6).
7. Define standard pipe weights and calculate clearances (Unit 7).
8. Determine allowance for threaded fittings (Unit 8).
9. Define uses of copper tubing and calculate wall thickness (Unit 9).
10. Determine allowances for copper fittings (Unit 10).
11. Define styles, weights, and chemical composition of plastic pipe (Unit 11).
12. Determine allowances for plastic fittings (Unit 12).
13. Define materials and considerations for welded steel pipe (Unit 13).
14. Determine allowances for welded fittings (Unit 14).
15. Calculate equal spacing (Unit 15).
16. Use angles in plumbing (Unit 16).
17. Determine offsets, diagonal, rise and run (Unit 17).
18. Solve for 45° Constants (Unit 18).
19. Calculate pipe diagonals and derive pipe lengths (Unit 19).
20. Calculate three-pipe diagrams with a 45° offset (Unit 20).
21. Use a 45° angle to make a right angle (Unit 21).

**Syllabus – Year 3, Semester 2 – P 302**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 19 - Advanced Trade Math  
(continued)**

22. Use a 45° offset with a wye fitting (Unit 22).
23. Use a wye and tee-wye assembly (Unit 23).
24. Find the offset using the length of the diagonal (Unit 24).
25. Solve for other angles (Unit 25).
26. Describe methods and calculations of pipe bending (Unit 26).
27. Allow hubbed and non-hub cast iron pipe (Unit 27).
28. Solve for e-e length and lead amounts of cast iron pipe (Unit 28).
29. Calculate bend offsets (Unit 29).
30. Combine assemblies with cast iron wyes and tee-wyes (Unit 30).
31. Layout single loop back venting (Unit 31).
32. Calculate grade, percent grade, and drop (Unit 32).
33. Calculate elevation and grade (Unit 33).
34. Calculate elevation in a plan view (Unit 34).
35. Calculate two patterns of jumper offsets (Unit 35).
36. Calculate center-to-center and end-to-end lengths for 45° offsets in parallel (Unit 36).
37. Calculate 90° turns with parallel offsets (Unit 37).
38. Calculate rolling offsets (Unit 38).
39. Calculate combination offsets (Unit 39).
40. Create pipe length layouts (Unit 40).
41. Calculate end-to-end measurements using cast iron flanged fittings (Unit 41).
42. Calculate the setback of any miter cut (Unit 42).
43. Design shower pans (Unit 43).
44. Design tank liners (Unit 44).
45. Design a roof flange (Unit 45).
46. Design an elliptical roof opening (Unit 46).
47. Calculate water weights and volumes (Unit 47).
48. Calculate volume of rectangular solids (Unit 48).
49. Calculate volume of cylindrical tanks (Unit 49).
50. Calculate volumes of spheres and half-spheres (Unit 50).
51. Calculate volumes of partly filled tanks (Unit 51).
52. Calculate partial volumes and weights of compound shapes (Unit 52).
53. Calculate water pressure, head and force (Unit 53).
54. Determine ratio of pipe capacities (Unit 54).
55. Use “Unit of Flow” method for pipe sizing (Unit 55).
56. Calculate heat loss for radiator sizes (Unit 56).
57. Calculate radiation sizing for total heat loss of a room (Unit 57).
58. Estimate size of piping (Unit 58).
59. Size ventilation for commercial buildings (Unit 59).
60. Calculate heat loss for an entire house (Unit 60).
61. Define words used in leveling (Unit 61).
62. Keep field notes using the conventions used in site leveling (Unit 62).

**Syllabus – Year 3, Semester 2 – P 302**  
**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 19 - Advanced Trade Math (continued)**

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# Commercial Plumbing Apprenticeship Program



## Syllabus – Year 4, Semester 1 – P 401

### Course Title:

Module 20: Domestic and Industrial Water Installations (54 hours)

Module 21: Cutting and Welding (54 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

#### Class Information

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## Syllabus – Year 4, Semester 1 – P 401

### Course Title:

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 20 - Domestic and Industrial Water Installations

1. Describe the operation of municipal water distribution systems.
2. Describe factors required to operate and maintain water distribution systems.
3. Describe the process of water testing.
4. Describe the water treatment process.
5. Describe various aspects of water distribution.
6. Describe the components and operation of high purity water systems (HPW).
7. Identify purification technologies and materials required for HPW system operation.
8. Describe factors required for an effective building water supply
9. Describe backflow connection and cross-connection control.
10. Discuss backflow and backsiphonage prevention assemblies.
11. Follow recommended procedures to assure accurate results of backflow prevention assembly tests completed in the field.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 21 - Cutting and Welding

1. Discuss the proper techniques for lifting and caring for your back.
2. Identify the various types and proper use of lifting equipment.
3. Illustrate the physical and mechanical properties of pipe.
4. Discuss the aspects of welding, cutting and general shop safety.
5. Discuss the theoretical principles associated with cutting, heating and bending steel.
6. Identify the integral components of the oxy-fuel system and their function.
7. Select appropriate tips and establish the gas pressures for various oxy-fuel operations.
8. Demonstrate the proper assembly of oxy-fuel equipment.
9. Review the proper start up and shut down procedure for using the oxy-fuel torch.
10. Demonstrate the proper techniques associated with the start up, operation and shut down of the torch to cut, heat and bend steel.
11. Supervise the apprentice in their practice of setting up, operating and shutting down the oxy-fuel torch system.
12. Supervise the apprentices in their practice of setting up, operating and shutting down the oxy-fuel torch system.
13. Provide individual guidance for the apprentices as they complete torch cutting activities.
14. Assess the apprentice's skills and recommend repeat of activities as necessary.
15. Illustrate methods of laying out pipe for manual cutting with the torch.
16. Demonstrate the proper techniques associated with cutting steel pipe with the torch.
17. Assess apprentice skills and recommend repeat of torch activities as necessary.
18. Make minor external repairs to equipment and accessories.
19. Illustrate the various methods of beveling plate and pipe.
20. Demonstrate the use of the mechanical beveling machines.

**Syllabus – Year 4, Semester 1 – P 401**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 21 - Cutting and Welding  
(continued)**

21. Demonstrate the required techniques for using the oxy-fuel torch to manually bevel steel plate.
22. Supervise each apprentice in their practice of beveling plate with the oxy-fuel torch and mechanical beveling machine.
23. Apply skills and knowledge learned to beveling steel pipe.
24. Assess the apprentice's skills and recommend repeat of activities as necessary.
25. Demonstrate beveling pipe with the oxy-fuel torch beveling machine.
26. Supervise the apprentice in their practice of beveling pipe with the oxy-fuel torch machine.
27. Practice cutting, beveling operations.
28. Introduce the apprentice to plasma arc cutting principles.
29. Introduce the apprentice to the principles of the plasma arc cutting torch.
30. Demonstrate cutting aluminum and stainless steel plate and pipe with the plasma torch.
31. Supervise apprentice's practice of plasma arc cutting aluminum and stainless plate and pipe.
32. Provide an open lab for students to practice, complete lab assignments and prepare for written and practical examinations.
33. Supervise and provide individual instruction of student practice activities.
34. Assess the apprentice's skills and knowledge.
35. Review the basic safety precautions and personal protective equipment required for shielded metal arc welding (SMAW).
36. Illustrate the theoretical principles of shielded metal arc welding.
37. Identify the integral components and assemble the SMAW equipment.
38. Demonstrate striking the arc and producing weld beads on flat plate.
39. Discuss electrodes and the fundamental operating characteristics of SMAW.
40. Review striking the arc and producing flat weld beads on steel plate.
41. Supervise the apprentice in striking the arc and producing flat beads.
42. Demonstrate producing horizontal fillet welds in lap joints.
43. Supervise the apprentice in producing horizontal fillets in lap joints.
44. Demonstrate producing welds in square butt joints in the flat position (1G).
45. Supervise the apprentice's practice by providing individualized instruction of welding in the horizontal lap and flat square butt joints.
46. Discuss and provide examples of weld defects and discontinuities.
47. Discuss the aspects of bead sequencing and bead layers.
48. Demonstrate bead sequencing by producing multi-pass layers of stringer and weave beads in lap and T-joints in the vertical (3F) position.
49. Supervise the apprentice's practice of welding fillets in vertical lap and T joints.
50. Demonstrate welding butt joints in the vertical (3G) position.
51. Demonstrate welding fillets in the overhead (4F) position.
52. Supervise apprentice practice of welding joints in the horizontal (2G), vertical (3G) and overhead (4F) positions.
53. Introduce the apprentice to destructive weld testing techniques.

**Syllabus – Year 4, Semester 1 – P 401**  
**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 21 - Cutting and Welding (continued)**

54. Demonstrate welding in the overhead position (4G) on steel plate butt joints.
55. Supervise the apprentice's practice of overhead plate welding butt joints.
56. Introduce the apprentice to all position welding and the fit up and tacking of pipe.
57. Demonstrate welding pipe butt joints in the horizontal fixed (5G) position.
58. Conduct destructive testing of groove welded butt joints.
59. Supervise apprentice welding pipe in the horizontal fixed (5G) position.
60. Discuss the principles associated with shielded metal arc welding stainless steel.
61. Determine requirements and lay out parts for the fabrication of brackets and supports.
62. Layout and fabricate according to a drawing.
63. Evaluate fabrications using destructive and non-destructive testing to insure accuracy and weld quality.

**Course Policies**

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# Commercial Plumbing Apprenticeship Program



## Syllabus – Year 4, Semester 2 – P 402 Course Title:

Module 22: Advanced Drawing and Blueprint Reading (108 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

<b>Class Information</b>	<b>Instructor Information</b>
Day(s) – TBD	Name – TBD
Time – TBD	Phone – TBD
Room – TBD	Email – TBD
Day(s) – TBD	Name – TBD
Time – TBD	PH: (408) 453-6330
Room – TBD	Email – TBD

### Resources

1. American Technical Publishers, Inc., “Printreading for Residential and Light Commercial Construction Part 2”, Fourth Edition, 2005.
2. American Technical Publishers, Inc., “Plumbing – Design and Installation”, Second Edition, L.V. Ripka.
3. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc., “Advanced Plan Reading and Related Drawing for United Association Journeymen and Apprentices”, 1999.

### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 22 - Advanced Drawing and Blueprint Reading

1. Describe basic print reading concepts.
2. Identify common types of drawings.
3. Discuss different types and styles of lines.
4. Describe size description for prints.
5. Describe shape descriptions of prints.
6. Describe written descriptions for prints.
7. Identify print conventions.
8. Identify standard symbols for plumbing that would be used on a construction print.
9. Identify standard electrical symbols for that would be used on a construction print.
10. Describe HVAC symbols that would appear on a construction print.
11. Identify standard architectural symbols that would be used on a construction print.
12. Identify standard plot plan symbols that would be used on a construction print.
13. Identify standard line types that would be used on a construction print.
14. Describe symbols used on prints for wood construction materials.

**Syllabus – Year 4, Semester 2 – P 402**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 22 - Advanced Drawing and Blueprint Reading (continued)**

15. Identify common types and structural properties of wood.
16. List and describe common types and applications of concrete.
17. Describe common types of masonry construction materials.
18. Explain the function of common types of metal construction materials.
19. List common types of insulation used in building construction.
20. Identify common types of glass products used in building construction.
21. Describe the uses of gypsum products in construction.
22. List common materials used in roofing.
23. Describe common components of electrical systems.
24. List and describe common components used in mechanical systems.
25. Identify fundamental principles of platform framing.
26. Describe common methods of frame construction in addition to platform framing.
27. Identify fundamental principles in monolithic concrete construction.
28. List and describe common types of unit masonry construction.
29. Identify fundamental principles of metal framing.
30. Describe regional considerations for light frame construction.
31. Identify key elements used as a reference when reading plans for the multifamily dwelling.
32. List elements of the multifamily dwelling included in the Site Plan.
33. Identify information contained on the Foundation Plan for the multifamily dwelling.
34. List elements of the multifamily dwelling included on the Penthouse Floor Plan.
35. Describe components of the multifamily dwelling roof design found on the roof plan and details.
36. Describe key components of the multifamily dwelling design found on exterior elevations.
37. Describe types of building information contained on the Section Thru Decks.
38. List information for the multifamily dwelling contained on detail sections and elevations.
39. Describe elements of the multifamily dwelling included on wall and window details.
40. Identify elements included on stairway details for the multifamily dwelling.
41. Describe features that the elevations show for bathrooms and powder rooms of the multifamily dwelling.
42. Describe key components of the design of the commercial building.
43. Identify concrete work specifications for the commercial building.
44. List elements of the rough structure for the commercial building.
45. List and describe building codes that apply to stairways.
46. Identify where information for windows and doors may be found.
47. Describe the operation of the commercial building heating system.
48. Describe key components of the Branch Bank design.
49. List elements of the Branch Bank included on the Site Plan.
50. List elements of the Branch Bank included on the floor plan.
51. Identify information contained in elevations for the Branch Bank.
52. List information found on the foundation plan of the Branch Bank.

**Syllabus – Year 4, Semester 2 – P 402**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 22 - Advanced Drawing and Blueprint Reading (continued)**

53. Describe components of the Branch Bank steel structure, roof, and lintels.
54. List elements of the Branch Bank included on the sections.
55. Identify information contained on the detail drawings for the Branch Bank.
56. List information for the Branch Bank included on the schedules.
57. Identify information found on the Geometric Plan.
58. List types of information included on the Grading Plan.
59. Describe the contents of the Utility Plan and related project details.
60. Identify common items included on a set of site details.
61. Describe information contained on the Photometric Plan.
62. Identify information found on the Foundation Plan.
63. Describe items found on section drawings.
64. List common information included in structural plans and related details and notes.
65. Identify general information and symbol references found on floor plans.
66. Describe information contained on elevations and schedules related to specific rooms.
67. Describe the purpose of specifications and explain how they are organized according to the CSI MasterFormat™.
68. List items contained in Division 1 – General Conditions of MasterFormat specifications.
69. Describe common elements found in Division 2 – Site Construction of MasterFormat specifications.
70. List items commonly contained in Division 3 – Concrete and Division 4 – Masonry of MasterFormat specifications.
71. Identify common types of information included in Division 5 – Metals of MasterFormat specifications.
72. Describe common elements found in Division 6 – Wood and Plastics of MasterFormat specifications.
73. Identify information commonly included in Division 7 – Thermal and Moisture Protection of MasterFormat specifications.
74. Identify common types of information contained in Division 8 – Doors and Windows of MasterFormat specifications.
75. Describe common elements found in Division 9 – Finishes of MasterFormat specifications.
76. List types of building features and systems contained in Division 10 – specialties of MasterFormat specifications.
77. Describe common elements found in Division 15 – Mechanical of MasterFormat specifications.
78. Describe common elements found in Division 16 – Electrical of MasterFormat specifications.
79. List common types of exterior finish materials included in takeoff.
80. List common types of interior finish materials included in a takeoff.

**Syllabus – Year 4, Semester 2 – P 402**  
**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 22 - Advanced Drawing and Blueprint Reading (continued)**

81. Describe items contained in takeoffs for mechanical and electrical systems.
82. Describe basic theory and concepts of Computer Aided Design (CAD).
83. Visually portray CAD applications and its uses in the pipe trades.
84. Identify layout tools.
85. Research layout tools and equipment.
86. Demonstrate ability to use layout tools.
87. Create shop drawings for the commercial building prints.
88. Identify equipment on shop drawing.
89. Describe factors that determine the size of water supply piping.
90. Sizing water supply piping.
91. Describe advanced plan reading and sketching.
92. Discuss sleeve drawing and deck layout.
93. Identify drawing coordination and piping systems design.
94. Describe advanced plan reading and sketching.

**Course Policies**

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# Commercial Plumbing Apprenticeship Program



## Syllabus – Year 5, Semester 1 – P 501 Course Title:

Module 23: Process Piping Installations (54 hours)  
Module 24: Medical Gas Installations (54 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

### Class Information

Day(s) – TBD  
Time – TBD  
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### Instructor Information

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### **Resources**

1. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc., “High Purity Piping Training Program”.
2. Ruth Carranza Production, “Silicon Run”, I and II Videos.
3. United Association Medical Gas Certified Instructors, “Certified Medical Gas Systems Installers and Brazer Qualification”- Training Course, 2005.
4. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), “NFPA 99C Gas and Vacuum Systems”, 2005 Edition.
5. Brazing Workmanship Certification.

### **Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 23 - Process Piping Installations**

1. Identify risks of working with hazardous materials commonly used in high purity piping installations.
2. Describe information, procedures, regulations, and requirements for safely working with hazardous materials in high purity piping installations.
3. Identify risks of working with common process gases found in high purity piping installations.
4. Describe procedures for safely working with and monitoring process gases.
5. Describe basic principles and requirements of high purity water (HPW) production.
6. Describe theory of operation and processes of typical water purification technologies.
7. Define basic principles of contamination control to ensure process and product purity.

**Syllabus – Year 5, Semester 1 – P 501**

**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 23 - Process Piping Installations (continued)**

8. Describe physical and chemical properties of common metal alloys used in high purity piping systems.
9. Describe plastics used in high purity piping systems.
10. Describe proper handling, installation and use of plastic piping in high purity water applications.
11. Describe the importance of maintaining high purity standards for process gases and UPW used in the manufacture of semiconductor devices.
12. Describe the pharmaceutical and biotech manufacturing (bio-pharmaceutical) industry utilities and clean steam parameters.
13. Describe the pharmaceutical and biotech manufacturing (bio-pharmaceutical) industry water treatment.
14. Describe the process of microbiological control during pretreatment and final treatment.
15. Describe water system passivation processes.
16. Describe instrumentation, control and monitoring used within pharmaceutical water systems.
17. Describe validation procedures in a pharmaceutical process.
18. Discuss regulations and standards related to the bio-pharmaceutical industry.
19. Administer the final examination.

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 24 - Medical Gas Installations**

1. Present class overview.
2. Describe gas and vacuum systems.
3. Define Level 1 medical air supply systems.
4. Describe medical-surgical vacuum systems.
5. Describe instrument air supply systems and Level 1 valves.
6. Define station outlets and inlets.
7. Describe manufactured assemblies.
8. Identify pressure and vacuum indicators.
9. Describe Level 1 warning systems.
10. Describe Level 1 distribution.
11. Describe performance criteria and testing.
12. Describe Level 1 support gases.
13. Define Level 2 requirements.
14. Define Level 3 requirements.
15. Review material from sessions 1-10.
16. Give practice exam covering all worksheet material.
17. Administer third party exam.
18. Describe brazing medical gas piping.
19. Identify requirements for brazing qualification test.

**Syllabus – Year 5, Semester 1 – P 501**  
**Course Title:**

**Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 24 - Medical Gas Installations (continued)**

- 20. Provide the apprentice with opportunity to gain hands-on-experience by practicing brazing.
- 21. Administer brazing qualification exam.

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# Commercial Plumbing Apprenticeship Program



## Syllabus – Year 5, Semester 2 – P 501

### Course Title:

- Module 25: Customer Service and Administrative Skills (6 hours)
- Module 26: Pumps and Valves (24 hours)
- Module 27: Tube Bending (12 hours)
- Module 28: Code Review (12 hours)
- Module 29: Special Topics (54 hours)

108 hours (Lecture/Lab)

### Class Information

Day(s) – TBD

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### Resources

1. Joint Plumbing Apprentice & Journeyman Training, Inc. “A Guide to Service Work”, 1994.
2. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc., “Pipe, fittings, valves, supports and fasteners for United Association Journeyworkers & Apprentices”. Washington, D.C., Author, 2005
3. American Water Works Association, “Water Transmission and Distribution”, Third Ed. Denver, CO, 2003.
4. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc., “Water Supply for United Association Journeyworkers & Apprentices”, Washington, D.C., 2004.
5. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc., “Pumps for United Association Journeymen & Apprentices”, Washington, D.C., 2000.
6. F.J. Callahan, Swagelok Tube Fitters Manual, Swagelok Company, Solon, Ohio USA, 1998.
7. Swagelok—TM Swagelok Company © 1999, 2003 Swagelok Company Printed in U.S.A., “Hand Tube Bender Manual”, GLLMa, [www.swagelok.com/downloads/webcatalogs/EN/MS-13-43.PDF](http://www.swagelok.com/downloads/webcatalogs/EN/MS-13-43.PDF).
8. IAPMO, Uniform Plumbing Code Illustrated Training Manual.
9. IAPMO, Uniform Plumbing Code 2006 Edition, 2005.
10. IAPMO, Uniform Plumbing Code Study Guide, 2006 Edition.
11. American Technical Publishers, Inc., Plumbing Design and Installation, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, 2002.
12. International Pipe Trades Joint Training Committee, Inc., Plumbing Fixtures and Appliances, 2001.



## Syllabus – Year 5, Semester 2 – P 501

### Course Title:

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 25 - Customer Service and Administrative Skills

1. Describe characteristics of good public and customer relations.
2. Identify communication skills as they relate to providing good customer service.
3. Discuss how professionalism and ethics are demonstrated on the job.
4. Identify office procedures associated with jobsite work.
5. Identify documentation completed as part of each job.
6. Identify ways to comply with job specifications.
7. Discuss basic computer and technology knowledge.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 26 - Pumps and Valves

1. Describe pump applications and operating theory.
2. Define terminology used to assess levels of pump and system operation.
3. Describe the operation of various pump designs including:
  - a. Identifying the two basic classifications of pumps.
  - b. Describing the basic operation of reciprocating type pumps.
  - c. Describing the basic operation of rotary type pumps.
  - d. Explaining the basic operation of centrifugal pumps.
  - e. Describing the design and operation of various centrifugal pump impellers.
4. Apply general rules for proper pump installation.
5. Install and maintain booster pumps.
6. Install and maintain submersible pumps.
7. Install and maintain ejector pumps.
8. Install and maintain circulating pumps.
9. Install and maintain vacuum pumps
10. Describe the design, operation and maintenance of a compressed air system.
11. Understand the function and ratings of valves.
12. Select general purpose valve designs appropriate for basic operating functions.
13. Describe the characteristics of typical general purpose valves.
14. Identify the common variable features available when ordering valves.
15. Describe the factors that are critical to valve installation.
16. Replace selected valve in a plumbing system.
17. Install system controls in a plumbing system.

## Syllabus – Year 5, Semester 2 – P 501

### Course Title:

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 27 - Tube Bending

1. Discuss general tube bending concepts.
2. Discuss tube bending procedures.
3. The apprentice will get hands-on experience with tube bending.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Module 28 - Code Review

1. Review the purpose, procedures and various types of plumbing system tests.
2. Describe national, state and local standards and model codes.
3. Review general information of UPC.
4. Review basic fittings and hangers and supports common to plumbing systems.
5. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Plumbing Fixtures and Fixture Fittings, Chapter 4.
6. Identify ADA requirements for Plumbing Fixtures and fittings regarding accessibility.
7. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Water Heaters, Chapter 5.
8. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Water Supply and Distribution, Chapter 6.
9. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Sanitary Drainage, Chapter 7.
10. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Indirect Wastes, Chapter 8.
11. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Vents, Chapter 9.
12. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Traps and Interceptors, Chapter 10.
13. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Storm Drainage, Chapter 11.
14. Review and understand code sections for UPC, Fuel Piping, Chapter 12.
15. Review and understand code sections for UPC Chapter 13, Health Care Facilities.
16. Demonstrate knowledge of UPC codes by completing Module 28 Final Exam.

#### Course Performance & Learning Objectives – Special Topics

Apprentices will select two electives from a list of special topics.

**Syllabus – Year 5, Semester 2 – P 501**  
**Course Title:**

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## FOOTHILL COLLEGE Stand-Alone Course Approval Request

If a Foothill credit course is **NOT** part of a State approved associate's degree, certificate of achievement or the Foothill College GE Pattern, it is considered by the State to be a "Stand Alone Course." Per Title 5, local curriculum committees must review and approve proposed stand-alone courses to ensure that they are consistent with credit course standards (§55002), the community college mission and there is sufficient need and resources for the course. To be compliant with State regulations, there must be a completed, approved Stand Alone Form on file in the Office of Instruction.

Per our local process, the same process of review and approval is used for noncredit Stand Alone courses.

Stand Alone Course Approval Requests should be completed and forwarded to your Division Curriculum Committee to begin the approval process.

**Course #:** NCEL 426

**Course Title:** HIGH-INTERMEDIATE GRAMMAR

**Credit Status:**

- Credit course  
 Noncredit course

**Catalog Description:**

A non-credit high-intermediate English course focusing on verb tenses, gerunds, infinitives, modal verbs in present, past, real present and future conditionals.

**Are you requesting Stand Alone approval for the course on a temporary or permanent basis?**

- The course will be **permanently** Stand Alone; there are no plans to add it to a State approved degree or certificate, nor to the Foothill GE pattern
- The course will be Stand Alone **temporarily**, and it will be incorporated into a new degree or certificate that is not yet State approved. In this case, identify the degree/certificate to which the course will be added:

English as a Second Language-Intermediate certificate of completion (noncredit)

- What is the specific timeline for program application/approval? (e.g., is your program application locally approved, or is it still in development and if so, what is your anticipated submission date?)

Plan to submit in late June, 2019

***NOTE:** If you have not submitted your program application to the State by the end of the current academic year, you must reapply for permanent Stand Alone approval.*

**The Curriculum Committee must evaluate this application based on the following criteria:**

**Criteria A. Appropriateness to Mission**

The Foothill College Mission states: Believing a well-educated population is essential to sustaining and enhancing a democratic society, Foothill College offers programs and services that empower students to achieve their goals as members of the workforce, as future students, and as global citizens. We work to obtain equity in achievement of student outcomes for all California student populations, and are guided by our core values of honesty, integrity, trust, openness, transparency, forgiveness, and sustainability. Foothill College offers associate degrees and certificates in multiple disciplines, and a baccalaureate degree in dental hygiene.

Please indicate how your course supports the Foothill College Mission (select all that apply):

- Transfer  
 Workforce/CTE  
 Basic Skills

### Criteria B. Need

A course may only be granted Stand Alone Approval if there is demonstrable need for the course in the college service area. Please provide evidence of the need or demand for your course, such as ASSIST documentation for transfer courses or Labor Market Information for workforce/CTE courses (if LMI is unavailable, advisory board minutes or employer surveys may be submitted). For basic skills courses, assessment-related data or information may be provided.

Evidence may be attached to this form or provided in the box below.

**Student need:**

Learning a language is not a linear path though the paths the students must take are often structured in such a way. Instead, students must be able to revisit these skills, as language learning is typically a recursive process. To this end, NCEL 426 gives NCEL students the chance to take a class that may be financially out of reach otherwise. Offering this mirrored course may also help transfer rates by acting as a bridge for students who have the skills to succeed in a credit class but lack the confidence or familiarity with community colleges to make the leap. For students pursuing career paths, offering students the option to take the course non-credit makes the course more equitable as it reduces the cost for students who only want to improve their English skills not earn college credit. This course could also be taken by credit students as a low-stakes support or review course which may be more valuable than ever now in light of the changes made due to AB705 legislation.

**Need in our service area:**

Our service area is one of the most diverse regions in the world and has a large need for ESL classes and specifically lower level ESL courses, as “Immigrants comprise more than 45 percent of Silicon Valley’s total labor force. While the majority of the immigrant workforce in San Mateo and Santa Clara Counties are fluent in English, about 21 percent are English language learners. About 47 percent of adult English language learners have household incomes that are below 250 percent of the federal poverty level, compared to 28 percent of the overall adult population” – National Immigration Forum on Building the Skills of the Immigrant Workforce in Silicon Valley (2017). There are many adult learners in the area who need to improve their English level to improve their standard of living and the “Non-credit ESL classes offered by some community colleges are a critical bridge between beginning/intermediate ESL and the higher level needed for college courses” - Silicon Valley Allies Research Brief (2015). NCEL 426 would benefit many of the residents in our service area who do not need college credit but do need low-cost and low-stakes ESL classes to improve standard of living.

### Criteria C. Curriculum Standards (please initial as appropriate)

\_\_\_\_\_ The outline of record for this course has been approved the Division Curriculum Committee and meets the requirements of Title 5

**Faculty Requestor:** Amy Sarver **Date:** 4/18/19

**Division Curriculum Representative:** Stephanie Chan **Date:** 4/19/19

**Date of Approval by Division Curriculum Committee:** 4/19/19

**College Curriculum Co-Chairperson:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Language Arts

### NCEL 426 HIGH-INTERMEDIATE GRAMMAR

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NCEL 426

HIGH-INTERMEDIATE GRAMMAR

Fall 2019

5 hours lecture.

0 Units

Total Contact Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture and Lab hours X 12)

Total Student Learning Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture, Lab and Out of Class hours X 12)

Lecture Hours: 5

Lab Hours:

Weekly Out of Class Hours:

Note: If Lab hours are specified, the item 10. Lab Content field must be completed.

#### Repeatability -

Statement:

Unlimited Repeatability.

Criteria:

Students can repeat the course to build their basic language skills.

#### Status -

Course Status: Active

Grading: Pass No Pass

Degree Status: Non-Applicable

Credit Status: Non-Credit

Degree or Certificate Requirement: Stand Alone Course

Foothill GE Status: Non-GE

#### Articulation Office Information -

C.I.D. Notation:

Transferability:

Validation: 4/29/19

#### Division Dean Information -

Seat Count: 25 Load Factor: .076 FOAP Code: 114000152013493085

#### Cross Listed as:

Related ID:

ESLL 226

#### Instruction Office Information -

FSA Code:

Distance Learning: no

Stand Alone Designation: no

Program Title:

Program TOPs Code:

Program Unique Code:

**Content Review Date:**

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**Need/Justification -**

This course prepares students for credit coursework in preparation for the composition course requirement for the AA/AS degree and/or transfer to UC/CSU. Additionally, will be included in an enhanced noncredit certificate, currently in development.

**1. Description -**

A noncredit high-intermediate English course focusing on verb tenses, gerunds, infinitives, modal verbs in present, past, real present and future conditionals.

Prerequisite: None

Co-requisite: None

Advisory: Designed for students whose native language is not English; concurrent enrollment in ESLL 227 or NCEL 427 recommended; completion of noncredit ESL sequence or previous ESL coursework at Adult School is recommended.

**2. Course Objectives -**

The student will be able to:

- A. Correctly identify and use the following structures: verb tenses, gerunds, infinitives, modal verbs in present, past, real present and future conditionals
- B. Write original sentences, dialogues, and short paragraphs using the above-mentioned structures
- C. Recognize and edit for common sentence-level errors with the above-mentioned structures

**3. Special Facilities and/or Equipment -**

None.

**4. Course Content (Body of knowledge) -**

- A. Correctly identify and use the following structures:
  - 1. Verb tenses in active voice
    - a. Simple present and present progressive
    - b. Simple past and past progressive
      - 1. Separate and in combination with each other
    - c. Future and future progressive
      - 1. Future time clauses
    - d. Present perfect and present perfect progressive
    - e. Past perfect and past perfect progressive
  - 2. Introduction to passive voice
    - a. Simple present tense
    - b. Simple past tense
  - 3. Gerunds and infinitives
    - a. Gerunds as subjects
    - b. Gerunds following certain verbs
    - c. Gerunds following prepositions
    - d. Gerunds in contrast to infinitives following stop, forget, remember
    - e. Infinitives following certain verbs
    - f. Infinitives requiring an object
    - g. Infinitives without to: make, let, help, have
  - 4. Modal and modal-like verbs (review of common modal verbs)
    - a. Ability
    - b. Advice
    - c. Necessity and non-necessity
    - d. Prohibition
    - e. Future possibility
    - f. Assumptions (degrees of certainty)
  - 5. Modal verbs in the past
    - a. Advisability and regret
    - b. Speculations and conclusions
  - 6. Real present conditionals
    - a. Use of if, when, whenever

7. Real future conditionals
  - a. Use of if, when, unless
  - b. Use of future time clauses
- B. Write original sentences, dialogues, and short paragraphs using the above-mentioned structures with correct capitalization, punctuation, and sentence boundaries
  1. Write original sentences based on exercises from the book
  2. Write original dialogues which give a context to the structures
  3. Write original paragraphs based on models from the book or teacher-generated models
- C. Recognize and edit for common sentence-level errors with the above-mentioned structures
  1. Tense
    - a. Incomplete verb form
    - b. Incorrect verb form
    - c. Inconsistency of tense
      1. Time markers not followed
    - d. Incorrect tense
  2. Question formation
    - a. Wh and yes/no questions
      1. With be verb (inversion)
      2. With do support for other verbs
        - a. No do when asking about the subject
  3. Gerunds and infinitives
    - a. Gerund or infinitive following wrong verb
    - b. Object missing before infinitive when required
  4. Modals
    - a. Modal verb form
    - b. Second verb always base form

5. **Repeatability** - Moved to header area.

#### 6. **Methods of Evaluation** -

1. Quizzes and tests to assess the targeted structures
  - a. Fill-in-the-blank
  - b. Question formation
  - c. Providing answers to questions
  - d. Sentence combining
  - e. Original sentences in response to a task
  - f. Error correction
2. Final exam covering all of the body of knowledge
3. Original paragraphs
  - a. Based on models from the textbook
  - b. Based on the shared viewing of a picture, film, skit

#### 7. **Representative Text(s)** -

Instructors must choose a textbook from the list below. If, however, a faculty member would prefer to use a textbook not on the list, he or she must contact a full-time faculty member who regularly teaches the course to explain how the adoption would serve to achieve the learning outcomes specified in the course outline of record. We encourage the faculty to share new adoptions with colleagues, solicit feedback, and suggest additions to the list of recommended textbooks.

Azar, Betty. Understanding and Using English Grammar. 5th ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Longman, 2016.

Azar, Betty. Understanding and Using English Grammar. Vol. A, 5th ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Longman, 2016. (This is first half of the book listed above.)

Fuchs, Marjorie and Margaret Bonner. Focus on Grammar. 4th ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Longman, 2012.

#### 8. **Disciplines** -

English as a Second Language (ESL) or English as a Second Language (ESL): Noncredit

#### 9. **Method of Instruction** -

Lecture, discussion, demonstration.

#### 10. **Lab Content** -

Not applicable.



**11. Honors Description** - No longer used. Integrated into main description section.

**12. Types and/or Examples of Required Reading, Writing and Outside of Class Assignments -**

A. Reading assignments

1. Textbook explanation of grammar points
2. Textbook- and teacher-generated texts demonstrating the targeted structures

B. Writing assignments

1. Textbook exercises ranging from mechanical to communicative
2. Original sentences using the targeted grammatical structures
  - a. Based on models from the textbook
  - b. Based on photos, pictures, descriptions
3. Original paragraphs
  - a. Based on models from the textbook
  - b. Based on the shared viewing of a picture, film, skit

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## FOOTHILL COLLEGE Stand-Alone Course Approval Request

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Per our local process, the same process of review and approval is used for noncredit Stand Alone courses.

Stand Alone Course Approval Requests should be completed and forwarded to your Division Curriculum Committee to begin the approval process.

**Course #:** NCEL 427

**Course Title:** HIGH-INTERMEDIATE READING SKILLS

**Credit Status:**

- Credit course  
 Noncredit course

**Catalog Description:**

An upper intermediate-level noncredit reading course focusing on developing comprehension skills and strategies for processing pre-college-level readings. In addition to developing vocabulary, students will demonstrate understanding of main ideas of texts by composing single- and multi-sentence writings in response to questions about the given texts.

**Are you requesting Stand Alone approval for the course on a temporary or permanent basis?**

- The course will be **permanently** Stand Alone; there are no plans to add it to a State approved degree or certificate, nor to the Foothill GE pattern
- The course will be Stand Alone **temporarily**, and it will be incorporated into a new degree or certificate that is not yet State approved. In this case, identify the degree/certificate to which the course will be added:

English as a Second Language-Intermediate certificate of completion (noncredit)

- What is the specific timeline for program application/approval? (e.g., is your program application locally approved, or is it still in development and if so, what is your anticipated submission date?)

Plan to submit in late June, 2019

***NOTE:** If you have not submitted your program application to the State by the end of the current academic year, you must reapply for permanent Stand Alone approval.*

**The Curriculum Committee must evaluate this application based on the following criteria:**

**Criteria A. Appropriateness to Mission**

The Foothill College Mission states: Believing a well-educated population is essential to sustaining and enhancing a democratic society, Foothill College offers programs and services that empower students to achieve their goals as members of the workforce, as future students, and as global citizens. We work to obtain equity in achievement of student outcomes for all California student populations, and are guided by our core values of honesty, integrity, trust, openness, transparency, forgiveness, and sustainability. Foothill College offers associate degrees and certificates in multiple disciplines, and a baccalaureate degree in dental hygiene.

Please indicate how your course supports the Foothill College Mission (select all that apply):

- Transfer

Workforce/CTE  
 Basic Skills

**Criteria B. Need**

A course may only be granted Stand Alone Approval if there is demonstrable need for the course in the college service area. Please provide evidence of the need or demand for your course, such as ASSIST documentation for transfer courses or Labor Market Information for workforce/CTE courses (if LMI is unavailable, advisory board minutes or employer surveys may be submitted). For basic skills courses, assessment-related data or information may be provided.

Evidence may be attached to this form or provided in the box below.

Student need:  
Learning a language is not a linear path though the paths the students must take are often structured in such a way. Instead, students must be able to revisit these skills, as language learning is typically a recursive process. To this end, NCEL 427 gives NCEL students the chance to take a class that may be financially out of reach otherwise. Offering this mirrored course may also help transfer rates by acting as a bridge for students who have the skills to succeed in a credit class but lack the confidence or familiarity with community colleges to make the leap. For students pursuing career paths, offering students the option to take the course non-credit makes the course more equitable as it reduces the cost for students who only want to improve their English skills not earn college credit. This course could also be taken by credit students as a low-stakes support or review course which may be more valuable than ever now in light of the changes made due to AB705 legislation.

Need in our service area:  
Our service area is one of the most diverse regions in the world and has a large need for ESL classes and specifically lower level ESL courses, as “Immigrants comprise more than 45 percent of Silicon Valley’s total labor force. While the majority of the immigrant workforce in San Mateo and Santa Clara Counties are fluent in English, about 21 percent are English language learners. About 47 percent of adult English language learners have household incomes that are below 250 percent of the federal poverty level, compared to 28 percent of the overall adult population” – National Immigration Forum on Building the Skills of the Immigrant Workforce in Silicon Valley (2017). There are many adult learners in the area who need to improve their English level to improve their standard of living and the “Non-credit ESL classes offered by some community colleges are a critical bridge between beginning/intermediate ESL and the higher level needed for college courses” - Silicon Valley Allies Research Brief (2015). NCEL 427 would benefit many of the residents in our service area who do not need college credit but do need low-cost and low-stakes ESL classes to improve standard of living.

**Criteria C. Curriculum Standards (please initial as appropriate)**

The outline of record for this course has been approved the Division Curriculum Committee and meets the requirements of Title 5

**Faculty Requestor:** Amy Sarver **Date:** 4/18/19

**Division Curriculum Representative:** Stephanie Chan **Date:** 4/19/19

**Date of Approval by Division Curriculum Committee:** 4/19/19

**College Curriculum Co-Chairperson:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Language Arts

### NCEL 427 HIGH-INTERMEDIATE READING SKILLS

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NCEL 427

HIGH-INTERMEDIATE READING SKILLS

Fall 2019

5 hours lecture.

0 Units

Total Contact Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture and Lab hours X 12)

Total Student Learning Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture, Lab and Out of Class hours X 12)

Lecture Hours: 5

Lab Hours:

Weekly Out of Class Hours:

Note: If Lab hours are specified, the item 10. Lab Content field must be completed.

#### Repeatability -

Statement:

Unlimited Repeatability.

Criteria:

Students can repeat the course to build their basic language skills.

#### Status -

Course Status: Active

Grading: Pass No Pass

Degree Status: Non-Applicable

Credit Status: Non-Credit

Degree or Certificate Requirement: Stand Alone Course

Foothill GE Status: Non-GE

#### Articulation Office Information -

C.I.D. Notation:

Transferability:

Validation: 4/29/19

#### Division Dean Information -

Seat Count: 25 Load Factor: .076 FOAP Code: 114000152013493085

#### Cross Listed as:

Related ID:

ESLL 227

#### Instruction Office Information -

FSA Code:

Distance Learning: no

Stand Alone Designation: no

Program Title:

Program TOPs Code:

Program Unique Code:

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**Need/Justification -**

This course prepares students for credit coursework in preparation for the composition course requirement for the AA/AS degree and/or transfer to UC/CSU. Additionally, will be included in an enhanced noncredit certificate, currently in development.

**1. Description -**

An upper intermediate-level noncredit reading course focusing on developing comprehension skills and strategies for processing pre-college-level readings. In addition to developing vocabulary, students will demonstrate understanding of main ideas of texts by composing single- and multi-sentence writings in response to questions about the given texts.

Prerequisite: None

Co-requisite: None

Advisory: Designed for students whose native language is not English; concurrent enrollment in ESLL 226 or NCEL 426 recommended; completion of noncredit ESL sequence or previous ESL coursework at Adult School is recommended.

**2. Course Objectives -**

The student will be able to:

- A. Apply reading skills appropriate for comprehending structure and meaning
- B. Apply active pre- and during-reading strategies to reinforce reading skills
- C. Compose single- and multi-sentence writings in response to readings discussed in class
- D. Demonstrate both active and passive vocabulary development

**3. Special Facilities and/or Equipment -**

None.

**4. Course Content (Body of knowledge) -**

- A. Apply reading skills appropriate for comprehending structure and meaning
  - 1. Locate main ideas
    - a. Thesis statements
    - b. Topic sentences
  - 2. Determine organizational patterns
    - a. Cause/effect
    - b. Compare/contrast
    - c. Narration
    - d. Description
    - e. Process (How to)
  - 3. Identify types of evidence
    - a. Anecdote
    - b. Personal experience/observation
    - c. Facts/statistics
    - d. Expert testimony/opinion
  - 4. Identify types of introductions
    - a. Background information
      - 1. Definitions
      - 2. Common beliefs
      - 3. Questions to engage readers
    - b. Anecdote
    - c. Description of problem/issue
  - 5. Identify types of conclusions
    - a. Summary of main ideas/restatement of thesis
    - b. Recommendation
    - c. Prediction
  - 6. Distinguish fact from opinion
  - 7. Make inferences
- B. Apply active pre- and during-reading strategies to reinforce reading skills
  - 1. To locate main ideas:
    - a. Examine titles

- b. Skim sub-headings
  - c. Examine photos and other visuals
  - d. Identify terms that signal generalities/opinions in thesis statements and topic sentences
- 2. To determine organizational patterns:
  - a. Analyze thesis statements and topic sentences for linguistic cues that signal patterns
  - b. Identify words and phrases that serve as transitions between and among ideas
- 3. To identify types of evidence:
  - a. Look for vocabulary that signals chronology in narratives (anecdotes)
  - b. Look for vocabulary that signals steps in process (how to) writings
  - c. Look for use of pronouns that suggest first person experience or third person observation
  - d. Skim for numeric items and citations that suggest statistical evidence
- 4. To identify types of introductions:
  - a. Search for descriptive and defining information that provides background
  - b. Look for vocabulary that signal chronology in narratives (anecdotes)
  - c. Look for vocabulary that signal steps in process (how to) writings
  - d. Identify descriptive detail that explains a problem
- 5. To identify types of conclusions:
  - a. Identify restated items that summarize the main ideas of a piece
  - b. Look for linguistic signals that suggest recommendation
  - c. Look for linguistic signals indicating prediction
- 6. To distinguish fact from opinion:
  - a. Identify terms that signal recognized facts or real states of being
  - b. Search for linguistic items that suggest a writer's beliefs and attitude, for example:
    - 1. Modal verbs
    - 2. Descriptive adjectives that show personal preferences
- 7. To make inferences:
  - a. Access prior knowledge (schema) to interpret information
  - b. Gather details to formulate generalities (induction)
- C. Compose single- and multi-sentence writings in response to readings discussed in class
  - 1. Make connections to personal experiences
  - 2. Express personal opinions on main topics from readings
- D. Demonstrate both active and passive vocabulary development
  - 1. Active: write original sentences using newly learned vocabulary accurately
    - a. Grammatically
    - b. Denotatively
  - 2. Passive: demonstrate ability to correctly identify meanings of new words in context
    - a. Use context clues to determine meanings of unfamiliar word
  - 3. Use an English-English dictionary to support vocabulary development
    - a. Identify parts of speech
    - b. Choose the appropriate definition of a word based on the context from readings

**5. Repeatability** - Moved to header area.

## **6. Methods of Evaluation -**

- A. Class performance
- B. Completion of required outside readings
  - 1. charts, diagrams and graphs
  - 2. short newspaper and magazine articles
  - 3. excerpts from textbooks
  - 4. short fictional works
- C. Exercises
- D. Quizzes
- E. Exams that demonstrate students' ability to apply the newly acquired reading skills to new reading selections comparable to those studied in class

## **7. Representative Text(s) -**

Instructors must choose a textbook from the list below. If, however, a faculty member would prefer to use a textbook not on the list, he or she must contact a full-time faculty member who regularly teaches the course to explain how the adoption would serve to achieve the learning outcomes specified in the course outline of record.

Baker-Gonzalez, Joan, and Eileen K. Blau. World of Reading: A Thematic Approach to Reading Comprehension 2. 2nd ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Longman, 2009.

Barton, Laurie, and Carolyn Dupaquier Sardinas. NorthStar: Reading and Writing Level 3. 4th ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Education ESL, 2014.

Gramer, Margo, and Colin Ward. Q: Skills for Success Reading and Writing 3. 2nd ed. New York, NY: Oxford University Press, 2015.

Recommended:

Longman Dictionary of American English. 5th ed. Essex: Pearson Education ESL, 2014.

Although one or more text is older than the suggested "5 years or newer" standard, it remains a seminal text in this area of study.

**8. Disciplines -**

English as a Second Language (ESL) or English as a Second Language (ESL): Noncredit

**9. Method of Instruction -**

Lecture, discussion, demonstration.

**10. Lab Content -**

Not applicable.

**11. Honors Description -** No longer used. Integrated into main description section.

**12. Types and/or Examples of Required Reading, Writing and Outside of Class Assignments -**

A. Readings from the text and outside readings

B. Writing of journal entries, sentence and multi-sentence responses to readings

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Per our local process, the same process of review and approval is used for noncredit Stand Alone courses.

Stand Alone Course Approval Requests should be completed and forwarded to your Division Curriculum Committee to begin the approval process.

**Course #:** NCEL 435

**Course Title:** LISTENING/SPEAKING FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES

**Credit Status:**

- Credit course  
 Noncredit course

**Catalog Description:**

A noncredit listening/speaking course focusing on preparing students for listening to authentic lectures and participating in classroom discussions and presentations.

**Are you requesting Stand Alone approval for the course on a temporary or permanent basis?**

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- The course will be Stand Alone **temporarily**, and it will be incorporated into a new degree or certificate that is not yet State approved. In this case, identify the degree/certificate to which the course will be added:

English as a Second Language-Advanced certificate of completion (noncredit)  
English as a Second Language-Oral Proficiency certificate of completion (noncredit)

- What is the specific timeline for program application/approval? (e.g., is your program application locally approved, or is it still in development and if so, what is your anticipated submission date?)

Plan to submit in late June, 2019

***NOTE:** If you have not submitted your program application to the State by the end of the current academic year, you must reapply for permanent Stand Alone approval.*

**The Curriculum Committee must evaluate this application based on the following criteria:**

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- Transfer  
 Workforce/CTE



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Student need:  
Learning a language is not a linear path though the paths the students must take are often structured in such a way. Instead, students must be able to revisit these skills as language learning is typically a recursive process. To this end, NCEL 435 gives NCEL students the chance to take a class that may be financially out of reach otherwise. Offering this mirrored course may also help transfer rates by acting as a bridge for students who have the skills to succeed in a credit class but lack the confidence or familiarity with community colleges to make the leap. For students pursuing career paths, offering students the option to take the course non-credit makes the course more equitable as it reduces the cost for students who only want to improve their English skills not earn college credit. This course could also be taken by credit students as a low-stakes support or review course which may be more valuable than ever now in light of the changes made due to AB705 legislation.

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**Criteria C. Curriculum Standards (please initial as appropriate)**

\_\_\_\_\_ The outline of record for this course has been approved the Division Curriculum Committee and meets the requirements of Title 5

**Faculty Requestor:** Amy Sarver **Date:** 4/18/19

**Division Curriculum Representative:** Stephanie Chan **Date:** 4/19/19

**Date of Approval by Division Curriculum Committee:** 4/19/19

**College Curriculum Co-Chairperson:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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### NCEL 435 LISTENING/SPEAKING FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES [Edit Course Outline](#)

NCEL 435

LISTENING/SPEAKING FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES

Fall 2019

5 hours lecture.

0 Units

Total Contact Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture and Lab hours X 12)

Total Student Learning Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture, Lab and Out of Class hours X 12)

Lecture Hours: 5

Lab Hours:

Weekly Out of Class Hours:

Note: If Lab hours are specified, the item 10. Lab Content field must be completed.

#### Repeatability -

Statement:

Unlimited Repeatability.

Criteria:

Students can repeat the course to build their basic language skills.

#### Status -

Course Status: Active

Grading: Pass No Pass

Degree Status: Non-Applicable

Credit Status: Non-Credit

Degree or Certificate Requirement: Stand Alone Course

Foothill GE Status: Non-GE

#### Articulation Office Information -

C.I.D. Notation:

Transferability:

Validation: 4/29/19

#### Division Dean Information -

Seat Count: 25 Load Factor: .076 FOAP Code: 114000152013493087

#### Cross Listed as:

Related ID:

ESLL 235

#### Instruction Office Information -

FSA Code:

Distance Learning: no

Stand Alone Designation: no

Program Title:

Program TOPs Code:

Program Unique Code:

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**Need/Justification -**

This course prepares students for credit coursework in preparation for the composition course requirement for the AA/AS degree and/or transfer to UC/CSU. Additionally, will be included in an enhanced noncredit certificate, currently in development.

**1. Description -**

A noncredit listening/speaking course focusing on preparing students for listening to authentic lectures and participating in classroom discussions and presentations.

Prerequisite: None

Co-requisite: None

Advisory: Successful completion of ESLL 226 and 227, or NCEL 426 and 427 strongly recommended; placement test is suggested; intended for students whose native language is not English.

**2. Course Objectives -**

The student will be able to:

- A. Listen for different purposes
- B. Respond to listening tasks in different ways
- C. Recognize the basic features of spoken English in academic discourse
- D. Make connections between speech and writing
- E. Participate in conversations in class and in groups
- F. Participate in class and group activities
- G. Participate in multicultural group activities
- H. Speak with relative intelligibility in an academic context
- I. Give oral presentations on academic and personal subjects
- J. Develop an effective understanding of how thought groups and focus words facilitate the understanding of spoken English
- K. Demonstrate the use of thought groups with emphasis on focus words to facilitate better understand of spoken communication

**3. Special Facilities and/or Equipment -**

None.

**4. Course Content (Body of knowledge) -**

- A. Listening for different purposes
  - 1. learning about the spoken features of English
  - 2. getting information
  - 3. participating in conversations
  - 4. learning new concepts
  - 5. integrating information from multiple sources
  - 6. distinguishing among types of discourse
    - a. directions
    - b. announcements
    - c. narratives
    - d. conversations
    - e. simulated and authentic lectures
  - 7. appropriate strategies for listening tasks include:
    - a. tolerating ambiguity
    - b. adjusting to a variety of speakers
    - c. guessing meaning from context
    - d. making predictions
    - e. forming hypotheses
    - f. listening for main idea
    - g. listening for specific details
    - h. differentiating between fact and opinion
    - i. identifying lecture language that indicates main ideas, supporting ideas, transitions, and repetition
- B. Responding to listening tasks in different ways

1. taking lecture notes
  - a. using abbreviations
  - b. noting content words and eliminating function words
2. reconstructing notes into narrative form
3. taking dictation
4. writing critical responses
5. writing summaries of lectures
6. giving oral summaries using paraphrasing
  - a. using meaningful body and facial language to communicate in oral summaries
- C. Recognizing the basic features of spoken English in academic discourse
  1. listening for number of syllables
  2. listening for stressed syllables
  3. listening for grammatical signals at the ends of words, e.g., /s/, /d/
  4. listening for word blending in discourse
  5. listening for stress on content words
  6. listening for rhythm in discourse
- D. Making connections between speech and writing
  1. learning sound/spelling correspondences
  2. recognizing stylistic difference between speech and writing in academic vocabulary and discourse
- E. Participating in conversations in class and in groups
  1. responding appropriately in conversations
  2. initiating conversations
  3. sustaining conversations
  4. turn taking
  5. conducting interviews
- F. Participating in class and group activities
  1. asking questions in class
  2. asking for clarification
  3. negotiating class activities
  4. asking for repetition
  5. asking for specific information
  6. comparing and contrasting
  7. presenting and defending opinions
  8. explaining
  9. analyzing
  10. defining terms and concepts
  11. showing comprehension
  12. being active in class according to U.S. class cultural expectations
  13. working in groups according to U.S. academic cultural expectations
  14. discussing lectures and readings
  15. leading, participating in and reporting on discussions
- G. Participating in multicultural group activities
  1. learning to accommodate and negotiate differences in how students participate in American classrooms
  2. giving eye contact and body language to show interest and attention
- H. Speaking with relative intelligibility in an academic context
  1. using appropriate number of syllables in words
  2. pronouncing final syllables of words, especially syllables that show grammatical endings, e.g., plurality, possession, tense
  3. placing stress on the appropriate syllable of words
  4. placing sentence stress appropriately in common phrases to focus, emphasize, contrast
  5. using intonation appropriately, e.g., to introduce or conclude a topic, to distinguish between main points and descriptive details
  6. speaking in appropriate phrases and not single one-word-at-a-time sentences
- I. Giving oral presentations on academic and personal subjects
  1. applying the rules of pronunciation and stress in controlled and communicative practice with peers
    - a. using appropriate stress on content words in spoken English to create the anticipated rhythm in spoken discourse
    - b. using appropriate body language, facial expressions, and eye-contact
- J. Developing an effective understanding of how thought groups and focus words facilitate the understanding of spoken English
  1. identifying thought groups and their focus words for effective communication
  2. recognizing how the same group of words when put into different thought groups can change meaning
  3. recognizing how a shift on a focus word in a thought group can change the intent of the speaker
- K. Demonstrating the use of thought groups with emphasis on focus words to facilitate better understanding of spoken communication
  1. applying learned rules for thought groups in controlled and communicative oral practice
  2. shifting the focus to different words in the same thought groups and demonstrate how this changes meaning
  3. incorporating thought groups with focus words into formal and informal class presentations

**5. Repeatability** - Moved to header area.

**6. Methods of Evaluation** -

- A. Textbook- and/or teacher-generated listening quizzes
- B. Homework
  - 1. Listening to/watching a lecture
  - 2. Summarizing the lecture
  - 3. Being able to answer questions about the lecture
- C. Oral presentations
  - 1. Short presentations on personal or academic topics
- D. Group work
  - 1. Turn-taking
  - 2. Initiating questions
  - 3. Non-verbal signals and eye-contact

**7. Representative Text(s)** -

Instructors must choose a textbook from the list below. If, however, a faculty member would prefer to use a textbook not on the list, he or she must contact a full-time faculty member who regularly teaches the course to explain how the adoption would serve to achieve the learning outcomes specified in the course outline of record. We encourage the faculty to share new adoptions with colleagues, solicit feedback, and suggest additions to the list of recommended textbooks.

Frazier, Laurie, and Shalle Leeming. Lecture Ready 3, 2nd ed. Oxford, 2013.

AND

Gilbert, Judy. Clear Speech. NY: Cambridge University Press, 2013.

OR

Grant, Linda. Well Said: Pronunciation for Clear Communication, 4th ed. Boston: Heinle & Heinle, 2016.

**8. Disciplines** -

English as a Second Language (ESL) or English as a Second Language (ESL): Noncredit

**9. Method of Instruction** -

Lecture, class and group discussion, oral presentations.

**10. Lab Content** -

Not applicable.

**11. Honors Description** - No longer used. Integrated into main description section.

**12. Types and/or Examples of Required Reading, Writing and Outside of Class Assignments** -

- A. Readings in the texts
- B. Writing to support listening and speaking activities
- C. One-on-one survey taken on campus outside of the classroom
- D. Listening to lectures on campus in chosen discipline
- E. Listening to assigned videos (TED Talks, The World from PRI, etc.)
- F. Recording possible personal stories on The World from PRI

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## FOOTHILL COLLEGE Stand-Alone Course Approval Request

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Per our local process, the same process of review and approval is used for noncredit Stand Alone courses.

Stand Alone Course Approval Requests should be completed and forwarded to your Division Curriculum Committee to begin the approval process.

**Course #:** NCEL 436

**Course Title:** ADVANCED GRAMMAR

**Credit Status:**

- Credit course  
 Noncredit course

**Catalog Description:**

Continuation of NCEL 426. An advanced noncredit English grammar course focusing on clause and phrase structures.

**Are you requesting Stand Alone approval for the course on a temporary or permanent basis?**

- The course will be **permanently** Stand Alone; there are no plans to add it to a State approved degree or certificate, nor to the Foothill GE pattern  
 The course will be Stand Alone **temporarily**, and it will be incorporated into a new degree or certificate that is not yet State approved. In this case, identify the degree/certificate to which the course will be added:

English as a Second Language-Advanced certificate of completion (noncredit)

- What is the specific timeline for program application/approval? (e.g., is your program application locally approved, or is it still in development and if so, what is your anticipated submission date?)

Plan to submit in late June, 2019

**NOTE:** *If you have not submitted your program application to the State by the end of the current academic year, you must reapply for permanent Stand Alone approval.*

**The Curriculum Committee must evaluate this application based on the following criteria:**

**Criteria A. Appropriateness to Mission**

The Foothill College Mission states: Believing a well-educated population is essential to sustaining and enhancing a democratic society, Foothill College offers programs and services that empower students to achieve their goals as members of the workforce, as future students, and as global citizens. We work to obtain equity in achievement of student outcomes for all California student populations, and are guided by our core values of honesty, integrity, trust, openness, transparency, forgiveness, and sustainability. Foothill College offers associate degrees and certificates in multiple disciplines, and a baccalaureate degree in dental hygiene.

Please indicate how your course supports the Foothill College Mission (select all that apply):

- Transfer  
 Workforce/CTE  
 Basic Skills

### Criteria B. Need

A course may only be granted Stand Alone Approval if there is demonstrable need for the course in the college service area. Please provide evidence of the need or demand for your course, such as ASSIST documentation for transfer courses or Labor Market Information for workforce/CTE courses (if LMI is unavailable, advisory board minutes or employer surveys may be submitted). For basic skills courses, assessment-related data or information may be provided.

Evidence may be attached to this form or provided in the box below.

**Student need:**

Learning a language is not a linear path though the paths the students must take are often structured in such a way. Instead, students must be able to revisit these skills, as language learning is typically a recursive process. To this end, NCEL 436 gives NCEL students the chance to take a class that may be financially out of reach otherwise. Offering this mirrored course may also help transfer rates by acting as a bridge for students who have the skills to succeed in a credit class but lack the confidence or familiarity with community colleges to make the leap. For students pursuing career paths, offering students the option to take the course non-credit makes the course more equitable as it reduces the cost for students who only want to improve their English skills not earn college credit. This course could also be taken by credit students as a low-stakes support or review course which may be more valuable than ever now in light of the changes made due to AB705 legislation.

**Need in our service area:**

Our service area is one of the most diverse regions in the world and has a large need for ESL classes and specifically lower level ESL courses, as "Immigrants comprise more than 45 percent of Silicon Valley's total labor force. While the majority of the immigrant workforce in San Mateo and Santa Clara Counties are fluent in English, about 21 percent are English language learners. About 47 percent of adult English language learners have household incomes that are below 250 percent of the federal poverty level, compared to 28 percent of the overall adult population" – National Immigration Forum on Building the Skills of the Immigrant Workforce in Silicon Valley (2017). There are many adult learners in the area who need to improve their English level to improve their standard of living and the "Non-credit ESL classes offered by some community colleges are a critical bridge between beginning/intermediate ESL and the higher level needed for college courses" - Silicon Valley Allies Research Brief (2015). NCEL 436 would benefit many of the residents in our service area who do not need college credit but do need low-cost and low-stakes ESL classes to improve standard of living.

### Criteria C. Curriculum Standards (please initial as appropriate)

\_\_\_\_\_ The outline of record for this course has been approved the Division Curriculum Committee and meets the requirements of Title 5

**Faculty Requestor:** Amy Sarver **Date:** 4/18/19

**Division Curriculum Representative:** Stephanie Chan **Date:** 4/19/19

**Date of Approval by Division Curriculum Committee:** 4/19/19

**College Curriculum Co-Chairperson:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Language Arts

### NCEL 436 ADVANCED GRAMMAR

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NCEL 436

ADVANCED GRAMMAR

Fall 2019

5 hours lecture.

0 Units

Total Contact Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture and Lab hours X 12)

Total Student Learning Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture, Lab and Out of Class hours X 12)

Lecture Hours: 5

Lab Hours:

Weekly Out of Class Hours:

Note: If Lab hours are specified, the item 10. Lab Content field must be completed.

#### Repeatability -

Statement:

Unlimited Repeatability.

Criteria:

Students can repeat the course to build their basic language skills.

#### Status -

Course Status: Active

Grading: Pass No Pass

Degree Status: Non-Applicable

Credit Status: Non-Credit

Degree or Certificate Requirement: Stand Alone Course

Foothill GE Status: Non-GE

#### Articulation Office Information -

C.I.D. Notation:

Transferability:

Validation: 4/29/19

#### Division Dean Information -

Seat Count: 25 Load Factor: .076 FOAP Code: 114000152013493087

#### Cross Listed as:

Related ID:

ESLL 236

#### Instruction Office Information -

FSA Code:

Distance Learning: no

Stand Alone Designation: no

Program Title:

Program TOPs Code:

Program Unique Code:



**Content Review Date:**

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**Need/Justification -**

This course prepares students for credit coursework in preparation for the composition course requirement for the AA/AS degree and/or transfer to UC/CSU. Additionally, will be included in an enhanced noncredit certificate, currently in development.

**1. Description -**

Continuation of NCEL 426. An advanced noncredit English grammar course focusing on clause and phrase structures.

Prerequisite: None

Co-requisite: None

Advisory: Designed for students whose native language is not English; concurrent enrollment in ESLL 237 or NCEL 437 recommended; completion of noncredit ESL sequence or previous ESL coursework at Adult School is recommended; placement test is suggested.

**2. Course Objectives -**

The student will be able to:

- A. Identify and correctly use a variety of clauses and phrases in order to describe concrete and abstract ideas.
- B. Identify and correctly use all tenses and aspects.
- C. Write original sentences and paragraphs using the targeted structures in a variety of contexts.
- D. Recognize and edit for common sentence-level errors in regard to clauses and phrases and for broader paragraph-level errors.

**3. Special Facilities and/or Equipment -**

None.

**4. Course Content (Body of knowledge) -**

- A. Identify and correctly use a variety of clauses and phrases in order to describe concrete and abstract ideas
  - 1. Adjective clauses
    - a. Relative pronoun as subject
    - b. Relative pronoun as object
    - c. Relative pronoun as object of the preposition
    - d. Using whose, where, when
    - e. Use of commas: Essential vs. non-essential
  - 2. Adjective phrases
    - a. Deleting relative pronoun and be verb in adjective clauses
    - b. Deleting relative pronoun and adding -ing to base form of verb in adjective clauses
  - 3. Adverb clauses
    - a. Purpose and reason
    - b. Time
    - c. Contrast
    - d. Conditionals
      - 1. Real: present and future
      - 2. Unreal: present and past
    - e. Result
      - 1. So... that, such... that
  - 4. Adverb phrases
    - a. Time
    - b. Reason
  - 5. Noun clauses
    - a. After verbs and adjectives
    - b. Embedded question/statement in a statement
    - c. Embedded question in a question
    - d. Quoted speech
      - 1. Punctuation
    - e. Reported speech
      - 1. Sequence of tenses
      - 2. Report an imperative
      - 3. Report a question

- B. Identify and correctly use all tenses and aspects
  - 1. A brief review of tenses and aspects
  - 2. Passive voice
    - a. With a variety of tenses
    - b. Participles used as adjectives (-ed, -ing)
- C. Write original sentences and paragraphs using the targeted structures with correct punctuation in a variety of contexts
  - 1. Sentences
    - a. Sentences using correct tense and aspect
    - b. Sentences containing more than one independent clause
      - 1. Using FANBOYS (for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so) to connect sentences
    - c. Sentence connectors that connect two independent clauses
      - 1. In addition, furthermore, moreover
      - 2. However, nevertheless
      - 3. Therefore, as a result, for this reason
    - d. Sentences containing independent with dependent clauses
      - 1. Adjective clauses
      - 2. Adverb clauses
      - 3. Noun clauses
    - e. Sentences containing independent clauses with phrases
      - 1. Adjective phrases
      - 2. Adverb phrases
  - 2. Paragraphs
    - a. Descriptions of a person or place using adjective clauses and phrases
    - b. Narratives about personal, historical, or cultural events using adverb clauses and phrases, conditionals, and quoted and reported speech
    - c. Writer responses
- D. Edit for errors in tense, sentences, clauses, and phrases
  - 1. Sentence and clause fragments
  - 2. Run-on sentences
  - 3. Comma splices
  - 4. Verb complementation
  - 5. Double subjects or no subject
  - 6. Parallelism

**5. Repeatability** - Moved to header area.

## **6. Methods of Evaluation -**

- A. Textbook- and teacher-generated exercises (from mechanical to communicative)
  - 1. Recognition of grammatical structures
  - 2. Fill-in-the-blank
  - 3. Sentencing combining
  - 4. Question/answer formation
  - 5. Reducing clauses to phrases
  - 6. Transformation from quoted to reported speech
  - 7. Paragraph writing using targeted grammatical structures
  - 8. Error correction
- B. Textbook and teacher generated tests
  - 1. Fill-in-the-blank
  - 2. Sentencing combining
  - 3. Question/answer formation
  - 4. Reducing clauses to phrases
  - 5. Transformation from quoted to reported speech
  - 6. Paragraph writing using targeted grammatical structures
  - 7. Error analysis
- C. Comprehensive final exam covering all of the course content

## **7. Representative Text(s) -**

Instructors must choose a textbook from the list below. If, however, a faculty member would prefer to use a textbook not on the list, he or she must contact a full-time faculty member who regularly teaches the course to explain how the adoption would serve to achieve the learning outcomes specified in the course outline of record. We encourage the faculty to share new adoptions with colleagues, solicit feedback, and suggest additions to the list of recommended textbooks.

Azar, Betty. Understanding and Using English Grammar. 5th ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Education, Inc., 2016.  
 Azar, Betty. Understanding and Using English Grammar Vol. B. 5th ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Education, Inc.,

2016. (This is the second half of the above mentioned book.)

Elbaum, Sandra. Grammar in Context 3, 6th ed. Boston: Cengage, 2016.

Maurer, Jay. Focus on Grammar 5, 5th ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Longman, 2017.

#### **8. Disciplines -**

English as a Second Language (ESL) OR English as a Second Language (ESL): Noncredit

#### **9. Method of Instruction -**

Lecture, discussion.

#### **10. Lab Content -**

Not applicable.

**11. Honors Description -** No longer used. Integrated into main description section.

#### **12. Types and/or Examples of Required Reading, Writing and Outside of Class Assignments -**

##### A. Reading assignments

1. Textbook explanations of targeted grammatical structures
2. Textbook- and/or teacher-generated texts that demonstrate the use of target structures
3. Student-found newspaper articles that contain the targeted structure

##### B. Writing assignments

1. Textbook exercises that move from mechanical to communicative exercises
2. Original sentences using the targeted grammatical structures
3. Original paragraphs using the targeted grammatical structures

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Stand Alone Course Approval Requests should be completed and forwarded to your Division Curriculum Committee to begin the approval process.

**Course #:** NCEL 437

**Course Title:** BASIC COMPOSITION SKILLS

**Credit Status:**

Credit course  
 Noncredit course

**Catalog Description:**

A basic noncredit course for non-native speakers focusing on college-level reading and writing skills. Development of readings skills through analysis of assigned readings. Production of short multi-paragraph compositions that develop focused main ideas using a variety of standard English sentences. Lecture, discussion, and individualized instruction. Does not meet the graduation requirement in composition.

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English as a Second Language-Advanced certificate of completion (noncredit)

- What is the specific timeline for program application/approval? (e.g., is your program application locally approved, or is it still in development and if so, what is your anticipated submission date?)

Plan to submit in late June, 2019

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**The Curriculum Committee must evaluate this application based on the following criteria:**

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- Transfer
- Workforce/CTE
- Basic Skills

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Evidence may be attached to this form or provided in the box below.

Student need:  
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**Criteria C. Curriculum Standards (please initial as appropriate)**

The outline of record for this course has been approved the Division Curriculum Committee and meets the requirements of Title 5

**Faculty Requestor:** Amy Sarver **Date:** 4/18/19

**Division Curriculum Representative:** Stephanie Chan **Date:** 4/19/19

**Date of Approval by Division Curriculum Committee:** 4/19/19

**College Curriculum Co-Chairperson:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Language Arts

### NCEL 437 BASIC COMPOSITION SKILLS

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NCEL 437

BASIC COMPOSITION SKILLS

Fall 2019

5 hours lecture.

0 Units

Total Contact Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture and Lab hours X 12)

Total Student Learning Hours: 60

(Total of All Lecture, Lab and Out of Class hours X 12)

Lecture Hours: 5

Lab Hours:

Weekly Out of Class Hours:

Note: If Lab hours are specified, the item 10. Lab Content field must be completed.

#### Repeatability -

Statement:

Unlimited Repeatability.

Criteria:

Students can repeat the course to build their basic language skills.

#### Status -

Course Status: Active

Grading: Pass No Pass

Degree Status: Non-Applicable

Credit Status: Non-Credit

Degree or Certificate Requirement: Stand Alone Course

Foothill GE Status: Non-GE

#### Articulation Office Information -

C.I.D. Notation:

Transferability:

Validation: 4/29/19

#### Division Dean Information -

Seat Count: 25 Load Factor: .076 FOAP Code: 114000152013493084

#### Cross Listed as:

Related ID:

ESLL 237

#### Instruction Office Information -

FSA Code:

Distance Learning: no

Stand Alone Designation: no

Program Title:

Program TOPs Code:

Program Unique Code:

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**Need/Justification -**

This course prepares students for credit coursework in preparation for the composition course requirement for the AA/AS degree and/or transfer to UC/CSU. Additionally, will be included in an enhanced noncredit certificate, currently in development.

**1. Description -**

A basic noncredit course for non-native speakers focusing on college-level reading and writing skills. Development of readings skills through analysis of assigned readings. Production of short multi-paragraph compositions that develop focused main ideas using a variety of standard English sentences. Lecture, discussion, and individualized instruction. Does not meet the graduation requirement in composition.

Prerequisite: None

Co-requisite: None

Advisory: Designed for students whose native language is not English; concurrent enrollment in ESLL 236 or NCEL 436 recommended; completion of noncredit ESL sequence or previous ESL coursework at Adult School is recommended; placement test is suggested.

**2. Course Objectives -**

The student will be able to:

- A. Analyze the rhetorical features of authentic reading selections.
- B. Respond to readings by making connections to personal schema.
- C. Write multi-paragraph compositions with a clear purpose and audience using focused, organized, and appropriately developed paragraphs.
- D. Use a variety of grammatically correct sentence structures appropriate to meaningful expression within the context of essay development.
- E. Revise and edit writing assignments.
- F. Write and edit a complete essay in class.

**3. Special Facilities and/or Equipment -**

None.

**4. Course Content (Body of knowledge) -**

- A. Analyze the rhetorical features of authentic reading selections
  1. Identify main ideas, both explicit and implied
  2. Identify audience and purpose
  3. Determine organizational patterns
  4. Analyze the rhetorical functions of introductions and conclusions
  5. Identify types and effectiveness of supporting detail
  6. Recognize cohesive devices
  7. Distinguish between fact and opinion
- B. Respond to reading selections in writing or orally
  1. Make connections to personal experiences and observations
  2. Discuss social, personal, and historical importance of authors' ideas
- C. Write focused multi-paragraph compositions
  1. Generate ideas for writing
    - a. Brainstorming
    - b. Freewriting
    - c. Journal response
  2. Determine a main idea, purpose, and audience for each composition
  3. Express a controlling idea for each paragraph in a topic sentence
  4. Use supporting details as appropriate
    - a. Examples
    - b. Anecdotes
    - c. Comparisons
    - d. Descriptions
    - e. Cause/effect
  5. Analyze/explain the meaning of supporting detail
    - a. Show cause/effect

- b. Make predictions
  - c. Describe compare/contrast relationships
- 6. Organize ideas using specific strategies
  - a. Blocking
  - b. Outlining
  - c. Clustering
- 7. Show relationships between and among ideas using a variety of coherence structures
  - a. Lexical repetition
  - b. Transition words and phrases
  - c. Pronoun reference
  - d. Subordinators
  - e. Conjunctions
- D. Use a variety of grammatically correct sentence structures as appropriate to meaningful expression within the context of essay development
  - 1. Simple, compound and complex sentences
  - 2. Adverb clauses
  - 3. Adjective clauses
  - 4. Correct verb tense and form
  - 5. Properly punctuated sentence boundaries
- E. Revise and edit writing assignments
  - 1. Make substantial changes in content (e.g., delete, add, or rearrange ideas) based on feedback from instructor, peers, and TLC tutors
  - 2. Edit for correctness
    - a. Sentence structure/word order
    - b. Subject-verb agreement
    - c. Verb tense
    - d. Pronoun reference
    - e. Word form
    - f. Word choice
    - g. Punctuation of dialogue
    - h. Fragments
    - i. Run-on sentences
- F. Write a complete essay in class in 80 minutes. When the in-class essay is given as the final exam, the allotted time will be 120 minutes

5. **Repeatability** - Moved to header area.

## 6. Methods of Evaluation -

- A. Written responses to assigned reading selections
- B. Journal assignments
- C. At least three revised essay assignments of approximately 500 words demonstrating academic essay structure. Essays must not be completely descriptive in nature but must also contain an analytical component. No quoting of outside materials is expected
  - 1. The first essay should explain the significance of a personal experience or the reasoning behind a personal opinion. Personal narrative or description may be used, but only to support controlling ideas. (Sample topics: "My Favorite Strategies for Learning English" or "Why I chose Foothill College")
  - 2. The second essay should be on a more general topic. In addition to developing examples based on general observations, student writers may still use some personal examples for support. (Sample topics: "Characteristics of a Good Teacher" or "The Biggest Problems in My Hometown")
  - 3. The third essay deals with a contrast, e.g., comparing a certain cultural aspect of the student's home country to one in the U.S., or discussing a change in cultural values. (Sample topic: "Traditional Family Values")
- D. At least two in-class compositions without advance notice of the prompt
- E. Exercises and quizzes

## 7. Representative Text(s) -

Instructors must choose a textbook from the list below. If, however, a faculty member would prefer to use a textbook not on the list, he or she must contact a full-time faculty member who regularly teaches the course to explain how the adoption would serve to achieve the learning outcomes specified in the course outline of record.

Boardman, Cynthia A., and Jia Frydenberg. Writing to Communicate 2: Paragraphs and Essays, 3rd ed. White Plains, NY: Pearson Education, Inc., 2008.

Mlynarczyk, Rebecca, and Steven Haber. In Our Own Words: A Guide with Readings for Student Writers, 3rd ed. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2005.

Smoke, Trudy. A Writer's Workbook. NY: Cambridge University Press, 2005.



Although these texts are older than the suggested "5 years or newer" standard, they remain seminal texts in this area of study.

**8. Disciplines -**

English as a Second Language (ESL) or English as a Second Language (ESL): Noncredit

**9. Method of Instruction -**

Lecture, discussion.

**10. Lab Content -**

Not applicable.

**11. Honors Description -** No longer used. Integrated into main description section.

**12. Types and/or Examples of Required Reading, Writing and Outside of Class Assignments -**

A. Readings from the text and other sources.

B. Three revised writing assignments and two in-class essays of approximately 500 words each.

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Stand Alone Course Approval Requests should be completed and forwarded to your Division Curriculum Committee to begin the approval process.

**Course #:** NCEN 401A

**Course Title:** Bridge to Transfer English

**Credit Status:**

- Credit course  
 Noncredit course

**Catalog Description:**

This course incorporates and contextualizes basic skills reading and writing strategies aligned with transfer level coursework. When taken as a corequisite to ENGL 1A, students receive additional basic skills support for success in ENGL 1A by practicing and reinforcing critical reading, thinking, and writing skills to engage further in the processes of expository and argumentative writing.

**Are you requesting Stand Alone approval for the course on a temporary or permanent basis?**

- The course will be **permanently** Stand Alone; there are no plans to add it to a State approved degree or certificate, nor to the Foothill GE pattern
- The course will be Stand Alone **temporarily**, and it will be incorporated into a new degree or certificate that is not yet State approved. In this case, identify the degree/certificate to which the course will be added:

Certificate of Competency in Bridge to College Level English

- What is the specific timeline for program application/approval? (e.g., is your program application locally approved, or is it still in development and if so, what is your anticipated submission date?)

The program is still in development and will be ready for submission Spring 2019.

***NOTE:** If you have not submitted your program application to the State by the end of the current academic year, you must reapply for permanent Stand Alone approval.*

**The Curriculum Committee must evaluate this application based on the following criteria:**

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Workforce/CTE  
 Basic Skills

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In compliance with legislation AB 705, this course provides students, who would otherwise be placed in basic skills, pre-transfer level courses, support and guided instruction to meet the learning objectives in ENGL 1A or other transfer level reading and writing intensive courses. These students will practice fundamental critical reading strategies and composition techniques to reinforce the objectives of ENGL 1A or other transfer level courses. This corequisite model aligns with recommendations from the state chancellor's office as well as the California Acceleration Project, and is supported by data showing that transfer level basic skills corequisites improve student throughput data to an average of 80%, which is significantly higher than our current pre-transfer basic skills series and higher than transfer-level success rates for this student population without the co-requisite.

**Criteria C. Curriculum Standards (please initial as appropriate)**

The outline of record for this course has been approved the Division Curriculum Committee and meets the requirements of Title 5

**Faculty Requestor:** Benjamin Armerding **Date:** 3/19/19

**Division Curriculum Representative:** Stephanie Chan **Date:** 3/21/19

**Date of Approval by Division Curriculum Committee:** 3/25/19

**College Curriculum Co-Chairperson:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Language Arts

### NCEN 401A BRIDGE TO TRANSFER ENGLISH

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NCEN 401A BRIDGE TO TRANSFER ENGLISH

Fall 2019

2 hours lecture.

0 Units

Total Contact Hours: 24 (Total of All Lecture and Lab hours X 12)

Total Student Learning Hours: 24 (Total of All Lecture, Lab and Out of Class hours X 12)

Lecture Hours: 2 Lab Hours: 0 Weekly Out of Class Hours: 0

Note: If Lab hours are specified, the item 10. Lab Content field must be completed.

#### Repeatability -

Statement: Unlimited Repeatability.

Criteria: Provides direct instruction and individualized skill-building activities in reading, writing, critical thinking and scaffolding high-stakes assignments. Students repeating this course will identify new goals and continue to build mastery in their skills. The course will also adapt to the needs of the students depending on the time of year offered. The instructor can cater the assignments to help students work toward their educational pursuits. Because students receive no college credit or grades, and there is no course fee, there are no concerns with repeatability.

#### Status -

Course Status: Active

Grading: No Credit

Degree Status: Non-Applicable

Credit Status: Non-Credit

Degree or Certificate Requirement: Stand Alone Course

Foothill GE Status: Non-GE

#### Articulation Office Information -

C.I.D. Notation:

Transferability:

Validation: 1/30/2019

#### Division Dean Information -

Seat Count: 30

Load Factor: .030

FOAP Code: 114000123093150100

#### Instruction Office Information -

FSA Code:

Distance Learning: no

Stand Alone Designation: no

Program

**Title:**

**Program**

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**Program**

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**Code:**

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### **Need/Justification -**

In compliance with legislation AB 705, this course provides students, who would otherwise be placed in pre-transfer level courses, additional basic skills support and guided instruction to meet the reading and writing learning objectives in transfer level courses, such as ENGL 1A. These students will practice fundamental critical reading strategies and composition techniques to reinforce the objectives of transfer level courses. Particularly, when used as a corequisite for ENGL 1A, this course aligns with recommendations from the state Chancellor's Office as well as the California Acceleration Project, and is supported by data showing that transfer level basic skills corequisites improve student throughput data to an average of 80%, which is significantly higher than our current pre-transfer basic skills series and higher than transfer-level success rates for this student population without the corequisite.

### **1. Description -**

This course incorporates and contextualizes basic skills reading and writing strategies aligned with transfer level coursework. When taken as a corequisite to ENGL 1A, students receive additional basic skills support for success in ENGL 1A by practicing and reinforcing critical reading, thinking, and writing skills to engage further in the processes of expository and argumentative writing.

Prerequisite: None

Co-requisite: None

Advisory: When enrolled in ENGL 1A, concurrent enrollment in NCEN 401A is required for students who do not meet the prerequisite requirement for ENGL 1A.

### **2. Course Objectives -**

The student will be able to:

- A. Practice integrated reading and writing strategies to support the writing process as applied to transfer level reading requirements.
- B. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes to support work in transfer level writing courses.

### **3. Special Facilities and/or Equipment -**

None.

### **4. Course Content (Body of knowledge) -**

- A. Practice reading and writing strategies to support the writing process as relevant to student needs in transfer level courses and/or ENGL 1A:
  1. Reading strategies for comprehension and critical reading, such as:
    - a. Activating schema: previewing, predicting, prior knowledge
    - b. Think aloud
    - c. Talking to the text (e.g., double entry journals, annotation)
    - d. Sectioning and reverse outlining
    - e. Vocabulary in context
    - f. Summary for comprehension
    - g. Questioning
    - h. Graphic organizers
    - i. Text-based discourse, including class discussion strategies
    - j. Create and foster personal connections to the texts
    - k. Establish a community of readers who are able to discuss texts with ease and critical attention (e.g., think/pair/share, response cards, idea gallery, "Cocktail Party")
  2. Writing strategies for all stages of writing process, such as:
    - a. Understanding and responding to a prompt

- b. Brainstorming: free-write, concept mapping, listing
  - c. Outlining
  - d. Thesis statements: closed versus open
  - e. Evaluation of evidence
  - f. Drafting
  - g. Understanding and incorporating feedback
  - h. Revision: essay level, paragraph level, sentence level
  - i. Sentence combining, such as coordination, subordination, correlatives, modifiers (noun phrases, adjective clauses, verbal phrases)
  - j. Proofreading to identify and eliminate errors, such as comma splices, fragments, spelling (e.g., homophones)
- B. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes to support work in transfer level writing courses and/or ENGL 1A:
1. Reflect on the student's own learning to identify and overcome difficulties during the reading and writing process
  2. Develop meta-cognitive awareness of the range of reading and writing strategies and when to employ them
  3. Apply writing rubrics to evaluate the effectiveness of writing artifacts at essay, paragraph, and sentence levels

**5. Repeatability** - Moved to header area.

**6. Methods of Evaluation** -

A. Midterm and final self-assessment

**7. Representative Text(s)** -

When this course is used as a corequisite for ENGL 1A, the course should primarily focus on texts assigned in the ENGL 1A corequisite; however, the following texts may be considered for additional assignment:

Behrens and Rosen. Writing and Reading Across the Curriculum. New York: Longman, 2015.

Graff and Berkenstein. They Say/I Say: The Moves that Matter in Academic Writing with Readings. New York: Norton, 2017.

**8. Disciplines** -

English

**9. Method of Instruction** -

Lecture presentations and class discussion (whole class and small group) on the processes and products of reading and writing.

**10. Lab Content** -

Not applicable.

**11. Honors Description** - No longer used. Integrated into main description section.

**12. Types and/or Examples of Required Reading, Writing and Outside of Class Assignments** -

- A. Reading of books and/or articles on the process and purpose of reading and writing in an academic setting
- B. Reading and evaluation of student work (self and that of peers)
- C. Written reflections and self-evaluations

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## FOOTHILL COLLEGE Stand-Alone Course Approval Request

If a Foothill credit course is **NOT** part of a State approved associate's degree, certificate of achievement or the Foothill College GE Pattern, it is considered by the State to be a "Stand Alone Course." Per Title 5, local curriculum committees must review and approve proposed stand-alone courses to ensure that they are consistent with credit course standards (§55002), the community college mission and there is sufficient need and resources for the course. To be compliant with State regulations, there must be a completed, approved Stand Alone Form on file in the Office of Instruction.

Per our local process, the same process of review and approval is used for noncredit Stand Alone courses.

Stand Alone Course Approval Requests should be completed and forwarded to your Division Curriculum Committee to begin the approval process.

**Course #:** NCEN 442A

**Course Title:** CRITICAL THINKING: STUDENT-MANAGED PORTFOLIO DEVELOPMENT

**Credit Status:**

Credit course  
 Noncredit course

**Catalog Description:**

A survey of basic theory, design, and implementation strategies for the student-managed formative portfolio. Students write at least 750 words, with emphasis on the reflective and evaluative processes necessary for portfolio development. Practice in managing and maintaining the information and artifacts of a portfolio as a comprehensive analysis of the student learning experience. Use of portfolio development to increase meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes; the student's location within discourse communities, including the campus community; and the behaviors necessary for college success across disciplines.

**Are you requesting Stand Alone approval for the course on a temporary or permanent basis?**

- The course will be **permanently** Stand Alone; there are no plans to add it to a State approved degree or certificate, nor to the Foothill GE pattern
- The course will be Stand Alone **temporarily**, and it will be incorporated into a new degree or certificate that is not yet State approved. In this case, identify the degree/certificate to which the course will be added:

Certificate of Competency in Bridge to College Level English

- What is the specific timeline for program application/approval? (e.g., is your program application locally approved, or is it still in development and if so, what is your anticipated submission date?)

The program is still in development and will be ready for submission Spring 2019.

**NOTE:** *If you have not submitted your program application to the State by the end of the current academic year, you must reapply for permanent Stand Alone approval.*

**The Curriculum Committee must evaluate this application based on the following criteria:**

**Criteria A. Appropriateness to Mission**

The Foothill College Mission states: Believing a well-educated population is essential to sustaining and enhancing a democratic society, Foothill College offers programs and services that empower students to achieve their goals as members of the workforce, as future students, and as global citizens. We work to obtain equity in achievement of student outcomes for all California student populations, and are guided by our core values of honesty, integrity, trust, openness, transparency, forgiveness, and sustainability. Foothill College offers associate degrees and certificates in multiple disciplines, and a baccalaureate degree in dental hygiene.

Please indicate how your course supports the Foothill College Mission (select all that apply):

- Transfer
- Workforce/CTE
- Basic Skills

### Criteria B. Need

A course may only be granted Stand Alone Approval if there is demonstrable need for the course in the college service area. Please provide evidence of the need or demand for your course, such as ASSIST documentation for transfer courses or Labor Market Information for workforce/CTE courses (if LMI is unavailable, advisory board minutes or employer surveys may be submitted). For basic skills courses, assessment-related data or information may be provided.

Evidence may be attached to this form or provided in the box below.

In compliance with legislation AB 705, this course provides students, who would otherwise be placed in basic skills, pre-transfer level courses, support and guided instruction to meet the learning objectives in ENGL 1A or other transfer level reading and writing intensive courses. These students will practice fundamental critical reading strategies and composition techniques to reinforce the objectives of ENGL 1A, ENGL 1S/T or other transfer level courses. This corequisite model aligns with recommendations from the state chancellor's office as well as the California Acceleration Project, and is supported by data showing that transfer level basic skills corequisites improve student throughput data to an average of 80%, which is significantly higher than our current pre-transfer basic skills series and higher than transfer-level success rates for this student population without the co-requisite.

### Criteria C. Curriculum Standards (please initial as appropriate)

- The outline of record for this course has been approved the Division Curriculum Committee and meets the requirements of Title 5

**Faculty Requestor:** Brian Lewis **Date:** 3/19/19

**Division Curriculum Representative:** Stephanie Chan **Date:** 3/21/19

**Date of Approval by Division Curriculum Committee:** 3/25/19

**College Curriculum Co-Chairperson:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_



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## Language Arts

### NCEN 442A CRITICAL THINKING: STUDENT-MANAGED PORTFOLIO DEVELOPMENT

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NCEN 442A CRITICAL THINKING: STUDENT-MANAGED PORTFOLIO DEVELOPMENT

Fall 2019

2 hours lecture.

0 Units

Total Contact Hours: 24

(Total of All Lecture and Lab hours X 12)

Total Student Learning Hours: 24

(Total of All Lecture, Lab and Out of Class hours X 12)

Lecture Hours: 2

Lab Hours: 0

Weekly Out of Class Hours: 0

Note: If Lab hours are specified, the item 10. Lab Content field must be completed.

#### Repeatability -

**Statement:** Unlimited Repeatability.

**Criteria:** This course offers students a variety of context based learning tools and increased awareness of the learning process/product, which enhances learning if repeated any number of times. 1) Repeatability enhances the student's learning process; the course promotes seeing different possible learning process solutions in different learning contexts. While creating and capturing the learning process for an opinion essay, for instance, with a student recording a variety of steps and stages before writing in one course, students may learn one thing about their learning process, while if taken again in another course, the student will see how other steps or approaches to developing thinking might influence learning and the end product. The course not only makes the context based learning visible through a portfolio, but also provides a platform to evaluate how these steps and stages, as experienced in different contexts and times, might be beneficial to the producing of an essay or other academic product. 2) Repeatability enhances the learning product or writing; in addition, the student, if the course if repeated, will evaluate their essays or end products with more acuity as well, building on how they understand what makes "excellent" writing, as it relates to essay level, paragraph level, or sentence level considerations. Students will improve their ability to evaluate the end products of the learning process, internalizing the criteria of good writing so as to make their assessments of their own written work clearer.

#### Status -

**Course Status:** Active

**Grading:** Pass No Pass

**Degree Status:** Non-Applicable

**Credit Status:** Non-Credit

**Degree or Certificate Requirement:** Stand Alone Course

**Foothill GE Status:** Non-GE

#### Articulation Office Information -

**C.I.D. Notation:**

**Transferability:**

**Validation:** 2/25/19

#### Division Dean Information -

**Seat Count:** 25

**Load Factor:** .030

**FOAP Code:** 114000123093150100

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**Instruction Office Information -****FSA Code:****Distance Learning:** no**Stand Alone Designation:** no**Program Title:****Program TOPs Code:****Program Unique Code:****Content Review Date:****Former ID:**

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**Need/Justification -**

In compliance with legislation AB 705, this course provides students, who would otherwise be placed in basic skills, pre-transfer level courses, additional support and guided instruction to meet the reading and writing learning objectives in transfer level courses, such as ENGL 1S/T. These students will practice fundamental metacognitive strategies and portfolio development activities to enable them to meet the objectives of transfer level courses. Particularly when used as a corequisite for ENGL 1S/T, this course aligns with recommendations from the state Chancellor's Office as well as the California Acceleration Project, and is supported by data showing that transfer level basic skills corequisites improve student throughput data to an average of 80%, which is significantly higher than our current pre-transfer basic skills series and higher than transfer-level success rates for this student population without the corequisite.

This course can be offered independently or concurrently as a corequisite; additionally, the course will be included on the forthcoming Certificate of Competency in Bridge to College Level English.

**1. Description -**

A survey of basic theory, design, and implementation strategies for the student-managed formative portfolio. Students write at least 750 words, with emphasis on the reflective and evaluative processes necessary for portfolio development. Practice in managing and maintaining the information and artifacts of a portfolio as a comprehensive analysis of the student learning experience. Use of portfolio development to increase meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes; the student's location within discourse communities, including the campus community; and the behaviors necessary for college success across disciplines.

Prerequisite: None

Corequisite: When taught in conjunction with ENGL 1S, the course must be taken concurrently; when offered independently, no corequisite is required.

Advisory: While no corequisite is required and this course may be offered independently, it is highly encouraged to take course while enrolled in any college level English course or a reading/writing intensive course across the disciplines.

**2. Course Objectives -**

Note: the corequisite/Advisory language is still under discussion at the dept/division level and will be finalized for the 2nd read

The student will be able to:

- A. Apply basic theory to the design and implementation for student-managed formative (process) portfolios
- B. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes
- C. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the student's location within academic discourse communities and the behaviors necessary for college success at the transfer level

**3. Special Facilities and/or Equipment -**

- A. Access to the internet
- B. Smart classroom
- C. Lab cart or computer classroom when possible (highly recommended)

#### 4. Course Content (Body of knowledge) -

- A. Apply basic theory to the design and implementation for student-managed formative (process) portfolios
  - 1. Recognize the distinguishing features of formative portfolios
  - 2. Identify and develop the characteristics of effective formative portfolio design tied to purpose
- B. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes
  - 1. Managing a formative portfolio of reading and writing strategies, learning processes
    - a. Formative content highlights strengths and weaknesses (process)
      - 1. Record the steps and strategies of reading process (pre-, during, after)
      - 2. Record the steps and strategies of the writing process
      - 3. Write a culminating reflection of reading/writing processes and learning processes toward the success of a finished product
- C. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the student's location within academic discourse communities and the behaviors necessary for college success
  - 1. Evaluate the purpose and effectiveness of reading/writing steps and strategies
  - 2. Apply writing rubrics to evaluate the effectiveness of writing artifacts at essay, paragraph, and sentence levels
  - 3. Create, manage and maintain an exemplar formative portfolio including artifacts of reading and writing processes
    - a. Identify the qualitative differences among artifacts (process)
    - b. Effective choices of representative artifacts (process)
    - c. Effective organization of representative artifacts and design of the overall portfolio
      - 1. Selecting, ranking, and arranging information and artifacts
        - a. Strategies
        - b. Experiences
        - c. Outcomes - finished products
      - d. Formal self-evaluation of processes and products: Summarize coursework evaluations; determine and prioritize growth areas; develop goals to facilitate growth

#### 5. Repeatability - Moved to header area.

#### 6. Methods of Evaluation -

- A. Informal reflections on portfolio management
- B. Midterm self-assessment
- C. Finished formative portfolio, various media (evaluated by committee, if necessary)
- D. Formal analysis of the formative portfolio
  - 1. What portfolio demonstrates of learning outcomes (reading/writing, course-level, and institutional level)

#### 7. Representative Text(s) -

Reynolds, Nedra, and Rich Rice. Portfolio Keeping. 3rd ed. Boston: Bedford/St. Martin's, 2014.

Short articles, such as:

Dubinsky, Jim. "Creating new views on learning: ePortfolios." *Business Communication Quarterly* (Dec. 2003): 96+. Academic OneFile. Web: 23 May 2016.

Young, Jeffrey. "Creating Online Portfolios Can Help Students See 'Big Picture,' Colleges Say." *Chronicle of Higher Education* (21 Feb. 2002).

#### 8. Disciplines -

English

#### 9. Method of Instruction -

- A. Lecture presentations and class discussion (whole class and small group) on the processes and products of reading and writing
- B. Guided evaluation of the distinguishing features of formative portfolios
- C. Instructor-guided development of portfolios
- D. Presentations of portfolios followed by in-class discussion

#### 10. Lab Content -

Not applicable.

**11. Honors Description** - No longer used. Integrated into main description section.

**12. Types and/or Examples of Required Reading, Writing and Outside of Class Assignments -**

- A. Reading of books and/or articles on the process, purpose, and distinguishing characteristics of student-managed portfolios
- B. Reading and evaluation of student work (self and that of peers)
- C. Written reflections and self-evaluations
- D. Selection and compilation of portfolio artifacts

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## FOOTHILL COLLEGE Stand-Alone Course Approval Request

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Per our local process, the same process of review and approval is used for noncredit Stand Alone courses.

Stand Alone Course Approval Requests should be completed and forwarded to your Division Curriculum Committee to begin the approval process.

**Course #:** NCEN 442B

**Course Title:** CRITICAL THINKING: PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT & PUBLICATION

**Credit Status:**

Credit course  
 Noncredit course

**Catalog Description:**

Application of basic theory, design, and implementation strategies for the student-managed summative portfolio. Students write a total of at least 750 words, with emphasis on the reflective and evaluative processes necessary to enable them to meet the objectives of transfer level courses. Management and publication of the artifacts of a summative portfolio as a comprehensive demonstration of the student learning experience across the curriculum. Use of portfolio publication to demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes; of the student's location within discourse communities, including the campus community; and of the behaviors necessary for college success. Students will demonstrate ability to transfer knowledge and learning across disciplines.

**Are you requesting Stand Alone approval for the course on a temporary or permanent basis?**

- The course will be **permanently** Stand Alone; there are no plans to add it to a State approved degree or certificate, nor to the Foothill GE pattern
- The course will be Stand Alone **temporarily**, and it will be incorporated into a new degree or certificate that is not yet State approved. In this case, identify the degree/certificate to which the course will be added:

Certificate of Competency in Bridge to College Level English

- What is the specific timeline for program application/approval? (e.g., is your program application locally approved, or is it still in development and if so, what is your anticipated submission date?)

The program is still in development and will be ready for submission Spring 2019.

**NOTE:** *If you have not submitted your program application to the State by the end of the current academic year, you must reapply for permanent Stand Alone approval.*

**The Curriculum Committee must evaluate this application based on the following criteria:**

**Criteria A. Appropriateness to Mission**

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Foothill College offers associate degrees and certificates in multiple disciplines, and a baccalaureate degree in dental hygiene.

Please indicate how your course supports the Foothill College Mission (select all that apply):

- Transfer  
 Workforce/CTE  
 Basic Skills

### Criteria B. Need

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### Criteria C. Curriculum Standards (please initial as appropriate)

- The outline of record for this course has been approved the Division Curriculum Committee and meets the requirements of Title 5

**Faculty Requestor:** Brian Lewis **Date:** 3/19/19

**Division Curriculum Representative:** Stephanie Chan **Date:** 3/21/19

**Date of Approval by Division Curriculum Committee:** 3/25/19

**College Curriculum Co-Chairperson:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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# Language Arts

## NCEN 442B CRITICAL THINKING: PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT & PUBLICATION

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NCEN 442B CRITICAL THINKING: PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT & PUBLICATION

Fall 2019

2 hours lecture.

0 Units

Total Contact Hours: 24 (Total of All Lecture and Lab hours X 12)

Total Student Learning Hours: 24 (Total of All Lecture, Lab and Out of Class hours X 12)

Lecture Hours: 2 Lab Hours: 0 Weekly Out of Class Hours: 0

Note: If Lab hours are specified, the item 10. Lab Content field must be completed.

### Repeatability -

**Statement:** Unlimited Repeatability.

**Criteria:** This course offers students a variety of context based learning tools and increased awareness of the learning process/product, which enhances learning if repeated any number of times. 1) Repeatability enhances the student's learning process; the course promotes seeing different possible learning process solutions in different learning contexts. While creating and capturing the learning process for an opinion essay, for instance, with a student recording a variety of steps and stages before writing in one course, students may learn one thing about their learning process, while if taken again in another course, the student will see how other steps or approaches to developing thinking might influence learning and the end product. The course not only makes the context based learning visible through a portfolio, but also provides a platform to evaluate how these steps and stages, as experienced in different contexts and times, might be beneficial to the producing of an essay or other academic product. 2) Repeatability enhances the learning product or writing; in addition, the student, if the course if repeated, will evaluate their essays or end products with more acuity as well, building on how they understand what makes "excellent" writing, as it relates to essay level, paragraph level, or sentence level considerations. Students will improve their ability to evaluate the end products of the learning process, internalizing the criteria of good writing so as to make their assessments of their own written work clearer.

### Status -

**Course Status:** Active

**Grading:** Pass No Pass

**Degree Status:** Non-Applicable

**Credit Status:** Non-Credit

**Degree or Certificate Requirement:** Stand Alone Course

**Foothill GE Status:** Non-GE

### Articulation Office Information -

**C.I.D. Notation:**

**Transferability:**

**Validation:** 2/25/19

### Division Dean Information -

**Seat Count:** 25

**Load Factor:** .030

**FOAP Code:** 114000123093150100

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**Instruction Office Information -****FSA Code:****Distance Learning:** no**Stand Alone Designation:** no**Program Title:****Program TOPs Code:****Program Unique Code:****Content Review Date:****Former ID:**

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**Need/Justification -**

In compliance with legislation AB 705, this course provides students, who would otherwise be placed in pre-transfer level courses, additional support and guided instruction to meet the reading and writing learning objectives in transfer level courses, such as ENGL 1S/T. These students will practice fundamental metacognitive strategies and portfolio development activities to reinforce the objectives of transfer level courses. Particularly when used as a corequisite for ENGL 1ST, this course aligns with recommendations from the state Chancellor's Office as well as the California Acceleration Project, and is supported by data showing that transfer level basic skills corequisites improve student throughput data to an average of 80%, which is significantly higher than our current pre-transfer basic skills series and higher than transfer-level success rates for this student population without the corequisite.

This course can be offered independently or concurrently as a corequisite; additionally, the course will be included on the forthcoming Certificate of Competency in Bridge to College Level English.

**1. Description -**

Application of basic theory, design, and implementation strategies for the student-managed summative portfolio. Students write a total of at least 750 words, with emphasis on the reflective and evaluative processes necessary to enable them to meet the objectives of transfer level courses. Management and publication of the artifacts of a summative portfolio as a comprehensive demonstration of the student learning experience across the curriculum. Use of portfolio publication to demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes; of the student's location within discourse communities, including the campus community; and of the behaviors necessary for college success. Students will demonstrate ability to transfer knowledge and learning across disciplines.

Prerequisite: None

Corequisite: When taught in conjunction with ENGL 1T, the course must be taken concurrently; when offered independently, no corequisite is required.

Advisory: While no corequisite is required and this course may be offered independently, it is highly encouraged to take course while enrolled in any college level English course or a reading/writing intensive course across the disciplines.

**2. Course Objectives -**

The student will be able to:

- A. Apply basic theory to the design and implementation for student-managed summative (product) portfolios
- B. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes
- C. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the student's location within discourse communities across disciplines
- D. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the behaviors necessary for college success across disciplines

**Note: the corequisite/Advisory language is still under discussion at the dept/division level and will be finalized for the 2nd read**

**3. Special Facilities and/or Equipment -**



- A. Access to the internet
- B. Smart classroom
- C. Lab cart or computer classroom when possible (highly recommended)

#### 4. Course Content (Body of knowledge) -

- A. Apply basic theory to the design and implementation for student-managed summative (product) portfolios
  - 1. Recognize the distinguishing features of summative (product) portfolios
  - 2. Identify and develop the characteristics of effective summative portfolio design tied to purpose
- B. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the integration between reading and writing processes
  - 1. Collect and maintain reading and writing process artifacts
  - 2. Continued reflection of reading/writing processes and learning processes
- C. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the student's location within discourse communities across disciplines
  - 1. Create an exemplar summative portfolio including coursework (essays), experiences, and achievements across the curriculum
    - a. Identify the qualitative differences among artifacts (product)
    - b. Effective choices of representative works from ENGL 1S/T and other courses
    - c. Effective organization of representative works and design of the overall portfolio
      - 1. Selecting, ranking, arranging, and managing information and artifacts
        - a. Coursework
        - b. Experiences
        - c. Achievements
      - 2. Apply portfolio rubrics to evaluate the purpose and effectiveness of the summative portfolio
        - a. Reading and writing learning outcomes (essay, paragraph, and sentence levels)
        - b. Institutional SLOs
        - c. Individual learning outcomes (goals achieved)
        - d. The genre of portfolios (content, organization, and design)
- D. Demonstrate meta-cognitive awareness of the behaviors necessary for college success across disciplines
  - 1. Develop academic goals based on a review of his/her portfolio
    - a. Summarize coursework evaluations, including ENGL 1S/T and other courses
    - b. Determine growth areas
    - c. Prioritize growth areas needed
    - d. Develop goals to facilitate growth

#### 5. Repeatability - Moved to header area.

#### 6. Methods of Evaluation -

- A. Midterm self-assessment
- B. Published summative portfolio (various media)
- C. Formal analysis and evaluation of the portfolio
  - 1. The quality of the portfolio (genre)
  - 2. What portfolio demonstrates of learning outcomes (reading/writing, course-level, and institutional level)
- D. Formal presentation of the portfolio and analysis/evaluation

#### 7. Representative Text(s) -

Reynolds, Nedra and Rich Rice. Portfolio Keeping, 3rd ed. Boston: Bedford/St. Martin's, 2014.

Short articles, such as:

Dubinsky, Jim. "Creating new views on learning: ePortfolios." *Business Communication Quarterly*. (Dec. 2003): 96+. Academic OneFile. Web: 23 May 2016.

Young, Jeffrey. "Creating Online Portfolios Can Help Students See 'Big Picture,' Colleges Say." *Chronicle of Higher Education*. (21 Feb. 2002).

#### 8. Disciplines -

English

#### 9. Method of Instruction -

- A. Lecture presentations and class discussion (whole class and small group) on the processes and products of reading and writing
- B. Guided evaluation of the distinguishing features of formative portfolios

- C. Instructor-guided development of portfolios
- D. Presentations of portfolios followed by in-class discussion

**10. Lab Content -**

Not applicable.

**11. Honors Description -** No longer used. Integrated into main description section.

**12. Types and/or Examples of Required Reading, Writing and Outside of Class Assignments -**

- A. Reading of books and/or articles on the process, purpose, and distinguishing characteristics of student-managed portfolios
- B. Reading and evaluation of student work (self and that of peers)
- C. Written reflections and self-evaluations
- D. Selection and compilation of portfolio artifacts
- E. Design and publication of the summative portfolio

**FOOTHILL COLLEGE**  
**Petition for Credit by Examination**

*This petition will be filled out during the student's meeting with a Foothill counselor, and forwarded to the instructor of record by the counselor. Following the exam, the completed petition will be filed with Admissions & Records.*

Date:

Name:

CWID:

Email:

Phone Number:

Credit by Examination is being requested for the following course:

Dept. and Course Number (*e.g., SPAN 1*):

Course Title (*e.g., Elementary Spanish I*):

Number of Units:

Instructor Name:

Please describe your previous qualifying training or experience for which you have not received credit (the department may ask for proof or documentation):

**Conditions and Regulations for Earning Credit by Examination**

**Read and initial each of the following conditions and regulations, to confirm agreement:**

- Before submitting this petition, please meet with a Foothill counselor to discuss the implications of taking a course for Credit by Examination
- The grade received using Credit by Examination is final. The student may not drop the class after seeing the exam or retake the final exam with the rest of the class during finals week
- For any grade received by using Credit by Examination, the student transcript will clearly note that Credit by Examination was used
- Petitions for Credit by Examination will not be accepted after the second week of instruction during a regular quarter, or after the first week of summer session, or after the second meeting of a two-week course

- \_\_\_ Credit by Examination will not be granted for any course for which the student has received a grade from any institution of higher education
- \_\_\_ Units of credit received through Credit by Examination may not apply toward the minimum of 18 resident units required at Foothill College for an Associate Degree
- \_\_\_ A maximum of 20 units of credit may be earned by Credit by Examination
- \_\_\_ Credit by Examination may not be used for major courses
- \_\_\_ Special limitations apply to courses in a sequence:
  - If a student has completed a course within a sequence (using Credit by Examination or through regular enrollment), Credit by Examination may not be used to receive credit for a preceding course within that same sequence; e.g., a student who has successfully completed MATH 1B SPAN 2 may not use Credit by Examination for MATH 1A SPAN 1
  - Students may challenge only one course within a sequence
- \_\_\_ Acceptance of units of credit received through Credit by Examination by a transfer institution depends on the policies of that institution
- \_\_\_ The student must remain enrolled in the class being petitioned and may not enroll in another class scheduled at the same time

**I have read and agree to the conditions and regulations on page 2 of this document:**

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*Student Signature*

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**Counselor Signature**

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*Instructor Signature*

<p><b>Division Use Only</b></p> <p>Date of Exam:</p> <p>Grade:</p> <p>Examiner Name (printed):</p> <p>Examiner Signature:</p>
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