OHLINE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

TO: Board of Trustees
FROM: Dr. Eric Bishop
DATE: June 9, 2021
SUBJECT: New, Revised, and Deactivated Credit Courses and Programs for 2021-2022

The revised credit courses listed on the following memorandum were approved by the Curriculum Committee for implementation in the 2021-2022 academic year.

RECOMMENDATION

The Superintendent/President recommends approval of the following curriculum items.
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TO:    Dr. Eric Bishop, Superintendent/President
FROM:  Anthony DiSalvo, Vice President, Academic Affairs/Deputy Superintendent
DATE:  June 9, 2021
SUBJECT: New, Revised, and Deactivated Credit Courses and Programs for 2021-2022

The following new credit courses were approved by the Curriculum Committee:

Environmental Studies

**ENVS-113**  Public Policy and the Environment

Health

**HLTH-102**  Introduction to Public Health
**HLTH-103**  Health and Social Justice
**HLTH-109**  Nutrition

The following course was approved for reactivation by the Curriculum Committee:

**ART-112**  Watermedia Painting

The following revised credit courses were approved by the Curriculum Committee:

American Sign Language

**ASL-150**  Linguistics of ASL

Arabic

**ARBC-101A**  Elementary Arabic
**ARBC-101B**  Elementary Arabic

Art

**ART-105B**  Advanced Glass Fabrication

Chemistry

**CHEM-102**  Preparation for General Chemistry
Chinese
CHIN-101A Elementary Mandarin Chinese I
CHIN-101B Elementary Mandarin Chinese II

English
ENGL-125A British Literature: From the Middle Ages to the Restoration/18th Century

Fire Technology
FT-150A5 Emergency Medical Technician

Geography
GEOG-102 Cultural Geography
GEOG-105 California Geography
GEOG-121 Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (GIS)

Multimedia
MM-121A 3D Modeling
MM-121B 3D Animation

Music
MUS-369 Jazz, Rock, Pop, Blues Piano

The following credit courses were approved by the Curriculum Committee for deactivation as the courses are no longer being offered.

Administration of Justice
AJ-245A1 Citizen Police Academy
AJ-26015 Skills and Knowledge Modular Training
AJ-260A3 Skills and Knowledge Modular Training
AJ-260A35 Skills and Knowledge Modular Training
AJ-260A4 Skills and Knowledge Modular Training
AJ-261 Skills and Knowledge Modular Training
AJ-276 Rural Crime School

Chemistry
CHEM-106A Principles of Chemistry I
CHEM-106B Principles of Chemistry II

Consumer Family Sciences
CFS-201 Special Projects
CFS-203 Special Projects

Fire Technology
FT-241 Confined Space Rescue
The following new credit programs were approved by the Curriculum Committee:

**Environmental Studies**

**Environmental Health and Safety Technician Certificate of Achievement**

**Goals and Objectives:**

- The Certificate of Achievement Environmental Health and Safety Technician prepares students for the front line of implementing policy and equipment that contribute towards general environmental quality. Using existing organizational policy, students will better learn and understand how compliance, policy, and management are used to provide a safe and healthy workplace. Students will learn to understand and keep up with modern developments in environmental health & safety, and engineering. With a broad foundation across the natural, physical and biological sciences, students will better understand the interrelated nature of environmental and social systems. This program is designed to equip students with the skills and tools to successfully use the scientific method while studying and solving environmental problems.

- **Master Planning:** The field of environmental studies addresses various interdisciplinary relationships by providing the flexibility necessary for students to explore the social, cultural, and scientific issues pertaining to the environment. As such, the program at Ohlone College tries to prepare students in a variety of introductory social science, humanities, and natural science courses. This certificate fits into Ohlone’s master plan by allowing students to complete general education requirements. Students will learn the importance of balancing human needs with the preservation of a functional biosphere. To minimize human impact and move toward more sustainable practices, students will learn to understand the causes of environmental change and the complex interactions within ecosystems.

- **Resources:** The following resources are available to support this program: library and media center resources; facilities and equipment; financial support; and faculty.

**Environmental Science and Technology Associate in Science**

**Goals and Objectives:** Completion of the requirements for the Associate in Science in Environmental Science and Technology prepares a student for transfer to a university of their choice to further engage in work towards a baccalaureate degree in Environmental Science, or to enter the job market. As an interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary course of study, students will be prepared to further their studies in ecological and biological principles, environmental health and safety, environmental epidemiology, environmental chemistry, resource conservation and management solutions, environmental justice, industrial hygiene, and applied ecology, all aimed to better understand the interrelationships between organisms and their environment. Through laboratory intensive curriculum, students will also learn quantitative skills in utilizing analytical tools.

**Master Planning:** The field of Environmental Science is a multidisciplinary field that focuses on documenting the impacts that people have on the environment, on reducing the harmful effects of these impacts, and on restoring aspects of the environment to benefit both nature and people. This program is a perfect blend of both physical and biological sciences, and it includes an emphasis on their interactions with life. As such, the program at Ohlone College tries to advance an in-
depth reflection on how the planet’s fauna and flora and its citizens are intertwined, interactive, and how they operate across a broad range of experience. Students will learn that environmental scientists analyze environmental issues and develop practical solutions, all aimed at help to provide a more equitable and socially just world for all. They look to repair and prevent damage caused by climate change, overpopulation, loss of biodiversity and other crises. They’re protectors of the planet, champions of clean energy and self-admitted tree huggers. This certificate fits into Ohlone’s master plan by allowing students to complete general education requirements.

- Resources: The following resources are available to support this program: library and media center resources; facilities and equipment; financial support; and faculty.

The following revised credit programs were approved by the Curriculum Committee:

**English**
English for Transfer Associate in Arts

**Environmental Studies**
Environmental Studies Certificate of Achievement
Environmental Studies Associate in Arts

**Ethnic Studies**
Ethnic Studies Certificate of Accomplishment

**Geography**
Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Certificate of Accomplishment

The following program has been approved for deactivation as it has been replaced by the CCCCO with another Business Administration for Transfer Associate in Science:

**Business Administration**
Business Administration for Transfer Associate in Science

The Business Administration Department continues to offer two associate degrees for transfer (Business Administration 2.0, Economics), one associate degree (Business), one certificate of achievement (Accounting), one certificate of accomplishment (Business Information Worker, Introductory), and two noncredit certificates (Entrepreneurial Business Advanced for Food Services; Entrepreneurial Business Basics).