## MINNESOTA WEST COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE COURSE OUTLINE

Faculty members are required to have the outline submitted to the Academic Affairs Office. The course outline is the form used for approval of new courses by the Academic Affairs and Standards Council.

**DEPT.** LWMP COURSE NUMBER: 1102 **NUMBER OF CREDITS:** 1 Lecture: 0 Lab: 0 OJT 0 All Management **Course Title:** Selection Methods **Catalog Description:** Selection methods will study selection methods and concepts to improve flock productivity. Students will also become familiar with tools for genetic improvement and selection programs for economically important traits. Prerequisites or Necessary Entry Skills/Knowledge: None FULFILLS MN TRANSFER CURRICULUM AREA(S) Goal 1: Communication: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 2: Critical Thinking: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 3: Natural Sciences: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 4: Mathematics/Logical Reasoning: \_\_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 5: History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences: \_\_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 6: The Humanities and Fine Arts: \_\_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 7: Human Diversity: \_\_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 8: Global Perspective: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 9: Ethical and Civic Responsibility: \_\_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies: Goal 10: People and the Environment: \_\_\_\_ by meeting the following competencies:

Topics to be Covered	
•	Selection programs
•	Genetic improvement
•	Factors affecting genetic selection and methods of selection.
Student Learning Outcomes	
1.	Identify selection programs for commercial producers.
2.	Describe selection programs.
3.	Describe tools used for genetic selection.
4.	Describe methods of selection.
5.	Identify factors affecting genetic selection.
Is this course part of a transfer pathway: Yes □ No ☒	
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