MINNESOTA WEST COMMUNITY & TECHNICAL COLLEGE
COURSE OUTLINE

Faculty is 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.       COURSE NUMBER: 1115
art                      1115
NUMBER OF CREDITS: 3  COURSE TITLE: Painting
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CATALOG DESCRIPTION:
Introduces traditional and contemporary painting techniques. Students will explore their own visual communication style
AUDIENCE: students interested in the painting

FULFILLS MN TRANSFER CURRICULUM AREA(S) (Leave blank if not applicable)
Area: 6 by meeting the following competencies:  a, b, c, d, e

PREREQUISITES OR NECESSARY ENTRY SKILLS/KNOWLEDGE: none

LENGTH OF COURSE: one semester

THIS COURSE IS USUALLY OFFERED:
Every other year [ ] fall [ ] x [ ] spring [ ] summer [ ] undetermined [ ]

Four goals are emphasized in course at Minnesota West Community & Technical College:

1) ACADEMIC CONTENT: The academic objectives of this course are:
   Introduction of painting materials
   Techniques of making a canvas frame for painting
   Introduction of painting history
   To gain personal confidence in painting

2) THINKING SKILLS: This course will help students improve the effectiveness of their thinking skills through:
   Critiques
   Introduction to a variety of painting exercises
   Problem solving in painting assignments

3) COMMUNICATIONS SKILLS: This course will help students improve their oral and written communication skills through:
   a. critiquing artwork
   b. discussion of art work

4) HUMAN DIVERSITY: This course will help students recognize, understand, and appreciate human diversity through:
   a. Introductions to a variety of cultures through painting
   b. Meeting a variety of artists from diverse cultures
   c. History of painting

TOPICS TO BE COVERED:
1. History of painting
2. Techniques of painting
3. Frame construction
4. Surface applications
5. Variety of painting assignments
6. 

LIST OF EXPECTED COURSE OUTCOMES:
   a. Knowledge of canvas frame construction
   b. Knowledge of treating raw canvas
   c. Application of paint in a variety of styles
   d. Creative growth

LEARNING/TEACHING TECHNIQUES used in the course are:
   ☑ Collaborative Learning       ☑ Problem Solving
   ☑ Student Presentations        ☑ Interactive Lectures
   ☑ Creative Projects            ☑ Individual Coaching
   ☑ Lecture                      ☑ Films/Videos/Slides
   ☑ Demonstrations               ☑ Other (describe below)
   ☑ Lab

ASSIGNMENTS AND ASSESSMENTS FOR THIS CLASS INCLUDE:
   ☑ Reading                      ☑ Tests              ☑ Individual Projects
   ☑ Oral Presentations           ☑ Worksheets          ☑ Collaborative Projects
   ☑ Textbook Problems            ☑ Papers              ☑ Portfolio
   ☑ Group Problems               ☑ Term Paper
   ☑ Other (describe below)

EXPECTED STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:
   Students will become familiar with painting techniques
   Students will become more confident in their own creative process
   Students will become better at problem solving and critical thinking
   Students will become familiar with the history of painting

"This course will cover the characteristics of hazardous wastes and its safe handling, storage, and disposal."

Veteran Services: Minnesota West is dedicated to assisting veterans and eligible family members in achieving their educational goals efficiently. Active duty and reserve/guard military members should advise their instructor of all regularly scheduled military appointments and duties that conflict with scheduled course requirements. Instructors will make every effort to work with the student to identify adjusted timelines. If you are a veteran, please contact the Minnesota West Veterans Service Office.

The information in this course outline is subject to revision

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