Dixie State College Family and Consumer Science
Syllabus
FALL 2012

INFORMATION

Course Number: FCS 1370
Course Name: INTRODUCTION TO INTERIOR DESIGN
Credit Hours: 3 HOURS CREDIT
Prerequisites: NONE
Dates August 21 -- December 6
Times: Tuesday-Thursday 10:30
Location: FCS 113
Text: BEGINNING OF INTERIOR ENVIRONMENT
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Supplement: 

INSTRUCTOR

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STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES
COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is open to all students and community members who have an interest in a well planned aesthetic interior environment. It is the introductory course for an interior design emphasis and recommended for the fashion and art students as well.

The course material includes a survey of basic design principles and elements as they apply to planning, designing and furnishing human environments. Color principles will be studied as well as selection skills for window treatment, wall and floor coverings, furniture and accessories. Concepts will be taught by lecture and through student completion of design projects. Students who complete the course may be able to design and appreciate human environments that contribute to positive human behavior and will being and aesthetic satisfaction.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Students successfully completing this course will be able to:

1. Have practical knowledge about planning and constructing a home
2. Have a basic knowledge of interior design process and profession
3. Have knowledge of the interior design principles and elements
4. Apply principles and elements in designing a space
5. Have a knowledge of materials used in designing environments
6. Have basic skills in putting together an environment

COLLEGE WITHDRAWL POLICY

If you must withdraw from this class for any reason, it is your responsibility to do this officially by completing paperwork at the registrar's office. This must be done before the drop deadline Sept 10 for complete withdrawal. If you fail to do this you will still receive a grade in this class regardless of whether you attend or not.
CLASS POLICIES

IMPORTANT!!!! PLEASE READ

Attendance:
Attendance is very important to successfully completing this course. Many of the assignments and activities are done in class. Unless special arrangements have been made and it is an emergency situation, these cannot be made up. Come to class!

Disruptive behavior in class may lead to an administrative withdrawal. Disruptive behavior is defined as any behavior that interferes with the teacher’s ability to teach or the learning of other students.

You will be notified of your withdrawal in this way:
1. A verbal request to comply with behavioral expectations of the class
2. One written “warning” notifying you that you have not made the required behavioral adjustments.
3. Administrative withdrawal.

Academic Integrity

Failure to comply with academic integrity, honesty, and behavior standards may result in course failure or administrative withdrawal from the class. Don’t cheat!

ASSIGNMENTS

There will be class assignments. This allows the student to collect examples of the basics of design.

There will be assignments to create and demonstrate principles and elements of design.

There will be assignments to create specific rooms and put together a finished designs.

GRADING

Grades will be based on the following:

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<td>8 assignments</td>
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TOTAL 1350 points

The final grade will be calculated upon the following percentages:

- A 95-100%
- A- 91-94%
- B+ 88-90%
- B 84-87%
- B- 81-83%
- C+ 78-80%
- C 74-77%
- C- 71-73%
- D+ 68-70%
- D 64-67%
- D- 60-63%
- F 59% and below

SPECIAL NOTES:

THIS CLASS IS JUST LIKE ANY OTHER – THERE IS NO CELL PHONE USE OR TEXT MESSAGING DURING CLASS.

TESTS

All tests will be in class. Most tests will be given at the end of each chapter of the text.

EXTRA CREDIT

There will be opportunities for extra credit. You must be in class to receive and earn this extra credit!!!!
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Tues Dec 11-- 9:30 FINAL -- PICK UP PROJECTS