# Reedley College Proposed Course Modification

Course # / Title Art 13 /Beginning Watercolor Painting

## **CHECK OFF SHEET**

**PRELIMINARY STEPS.** Do before completing Course Modification Form.

(EA	CH I	BOX SHOULD BE CHECKED AS COMPLETED BEFORE SUBMISSION.)
	1.	Communicate with the Curriculum Chair regarding intent to modify an existing course outline (recommended, not required).
	2.	List term for implementation of modifications:  x Fall 2010 □ Spring □ Summer
	3.	Check one:  Do not complete Fresno City College course alignment page if:  No similar course or program at FCC.  Course currently in common with FCC course or accepted in lieu of and changes will not affect status.
		Complete Fresno City College course alignment page if:  Course currently in common with FCC course or accepted in lieu of. Changes may affect status. Consult with counterparts at FCC and complete alignment page  Course not in common or accepted in lieu of but may be with proposed changes consult with FCC counterparts
	4.	Changes sought in the following:
		CSU General Education Code Yes No $X$ Transfer Baccalaureate List Yes No $X$
	5.	If yes to either, schedule an appointment with the Articulation Officer Changes sought in number of repeats for credit:
		${x}$ Yes No
PR □	OPC	If yes, secure a <b>Course Repetition</b> form from the Curriculum Office. <b>OSED COURSE MODIFICATION FORM</b> Appropriate sections of Course Outline of Record completed.
FIN	IAL	steps (Do after completing Course Outline of Record)
	1.	Signature Form. Secure signatures of the Department Chair and the Associate Dean before submitting the completed course proposal to the Curriculum Office.
	2.	<u>Program Description</u> . Course modification will change an existing program which is or will be described in the college catalogue.
		Yes No
		If yes, complete <b>Program Description Form</b> before submitting modification.
	3.	<u>Final Check</u> . All items above have been completed and checked off before modification is submitted.

#### Reedley College PROPOSED COURSE MODIFICATION

<u>All</u> changes and modifications in the official course outline must come to the Curriculum Committee. Though minor changes may seem obvious, even these need to come to committee for information and to update the official curriculum. Changes in programs or in several department offerings should be submitted together if possible so that the whole picture is clear.

OUTLINE. Please fill in current existing course number, title, a	nd units for course to be modified.
Department Art	Course No. 13
Course Title Beginning Watercolor Painting	Units 3.0
	Effective Date Fall 2010
A. PROPOSED CHANGES. (Indicate below all proposed changes to be made in the course outling)	ne.)
I. Cover Page  1. Course ID  2. Course Title  3. Units  4. Lecture/Lab Hours  5. Grading Basis  6. Entrance Skills: Basic Skills Prerequisites/Advisories  7. Subject Prerequisites/Corequisites/Advisories	8. Classification (Degree applicable, Non-degree applicable, or Pre-collegiate Basic skills)  9. General Education Pattern, Graduation Requirement, and Major Category  10. General Education Pattern/Baccalaureate (CSU)  11. Repeatability  12. Catalog Description
Other pages	
X II. Course Outcomes III. Course Objectives IV. Course Content Outline V. Approved Readings	VI. Methods of Grading VII. Levels of Educational Materials  Additional Pages (optional depending on course) Request for Repeatability/Limitation on Enrollment

#### B. DESCRIPTION OF CHANGES AND MODIFICATIONS.

ITEM NO.	CHANGED FROM	CHANGED TO	REASON
VI.	(see outline, changes are highlighted)	(see outline)	Consolidation of Student Learning Outcomes.
IV. VII.	Old books	New Books	Update reading materials/books

(Additional sheets may be attached if necessary.)

**C. EXPLANATIONS.** If course modification results in changes in the program which will require use of the program description form, please give rationale.

Please attach the complete outline before modifications to this form. If only the first page of the outline is being modified, <u>also attach</u> the new first page. If other pages of the outline are being modified, please attach the complete new outline.

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# SIGNATURE FORM

# Submission/Recommendation/Action

Course Departn	nent and Number: A	rt 13					
Course Title:	Beginning Watercolor Painting						
		Effective Date: Fall 2	010				
1. Submitted By:	Steve Norton		Date:	02/09/10			
2. Reviewed by Do	epartment: Departi ment recommendation. (op	ment Chair's Signature tional)	Date:				
3. Received/Review	red by Dean of Instruction:	Dean's Signature	Date:				
4. Approved by C	urriculum Committee on:	Date					
		Curriculum Committee	Chair	 Date			
		Vice President of Instru	uction	Date			
5. Reviewed by Arti	culation Officer:			Date:			
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# **CREDIT COURSE OUTLINE**

## I. COVER PAGE

(1) Course ID: ART 13	(2) Course Title: Begin	(3) Units: 3.0			
(4) Lecture / Lab Hours:			(8)Classification:		
Semester course Hours per week	Lec hrs:	2			
	Lab hrs:	4	Degree app	olicable:	X
Lab will generate	hour(s) per week out	side work.	Non-degree	e applicable:	
Short-term course: Hours per course	Lec hrs:		7	ate basic skills:	
	Lab hrs:				
Lab will generate to	otal hour(s) outside wo	rk.	(9)RC Fulfills AS/AA degr (area)	ee requirement:	
(5)Grading Basis:	Grading scale only		General education ca	ategory:	С
	CR/NC option	X	Major:	ART	
	CR/NC only				
(6)Basic Skills Prerequisite			(10)CSU: Baccalaure	ate:	
			(11) Repeatable: (A course in three times)		3
Basic Skills Advisories:	GL 125, ENGL 126			fice Use Only	1
Engionity for En	JE 123, ENGE 120		CATID:101725.02	DATATEL: 393	1
(7)Subject Prerequisites:			Course LHE: 5.00	Unit Code: 2440	010
			VEA Code: N	SAM Priority: E	
			TOPS Code: 1002.00	Effective Date: 1	Fall 2003
Subject Corequisites:			CSU/Transfer Code: F Purpose: A	Replaces: 1017	25.01
Subject Advisories:			CAN: Transfer Status: A (CSU/UC)	Replaced by: Date:	
(12)Catalog Description:			· · · · · ·	I	
			rough lecture and studio practic painting. Traditional and experi		
					11/00

#### II. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

(Specify major objectives in terms of the observable knowledge and/or skills to be attained.)

In the process of completing this course, students will be able to:

- A. Identify, discuss, and integrate the Elements and Principles of Design into the painting process.
- B. Identify, discuss, and use historical and contemporary painting techniques and media.
- C. Create the illusion of space and volume on a two-dimensional surface using various painting techniques and aerial perspective.
- D. Differentiate between representational, abstract, non-objective, and conceptual paintings.
- E. Paint in representational, abstract, non-objective, and conceptual ways.
- F. Think of creative solutions to painting and design exercises and problems.
- G. Begin to make aesthetic decisions autonomously.
- H. Use vocabulary that is specific to the watercolor painting.
- I. Critique formal and subjective aspects of paintings individually and in groups.
- J. Express oneself through the painting process.

#### III. COURSE CONTENT OUTLINE:

- A. Watercolor Media/Supplies
  - 1. Brushes
    - a. Kolinsky sable
    - b. "Combo"
    - c. Synthetic
  - 2. Pigments
    - a. Artist Quality
    - b. Student Quality
  - 3. Paper
    - a. Sheets
      - 1) mould made
      - 2) handmade
      - 3) Rag vs. wood pulp
        - a) Archival PH
        - b) Sizing
        - c) Absorbency
    - b. Blocks
    - c. Stretching
      - 1) Board/staple gun
      - 2) Board/Tape
    - d. Surfaces
      - 1) Hot press
      - 2) Cold press
      - 3) Rough
    - e. Weights (300, 260, 140, 90 pound)
  - 4. Miscellaneous
    - a. Palettes
    - b. Masking fluid
    - c. Tracing paper

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- Bucket (clean water source) e.
- 3-H pencil f.
- Oil free erasers g.
- B. Paint Application Methods
  - Washes
    - Flat a.
    - Gradated b.
  - Glazing
  - Dry brush
  - Wet in wet
    - Shiny wet (flooded paper: less control, looser effect) a.
    - Dull wet (semi-dry paper: thicker paint, more control, tighter effect) b.
  - 5. Creating Texture
    - Sponge a.
    - Scumbling b.
    - Plastic Wrap c.
    - d. Alcohol
    - Dropping objects in wet paint e.
    - f. Lifting
    - Scraping g.
- C. Color Theory
  - Color Wheel 1.
    - Primary a.
    - Secondary b.
    - Intermediate (Tertiary)
  - Terms/Concepts
    - Value a.
    - Monochromatic b.
    - c. Analogous
    - d. Scheme
    - Palette e.
  - Color Schemes
    - Primary triad a.
    - Secondary triad b.
    - Intermediate triad (2) c.
    - Split-complimentary d.
    - Clash e.
    - Quad f.
- D. **Brief Historical Overview** 
  - 1. German (Northern Renaissance, 1490)
    2. Dutch (16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> Century)
    3. English (18<sup>th</sup> Century)
    4. English (19<sup>th</sup> Century)
    5. American (19-20<sup>th</sup> Century)
    6. European (19-20<sup>th</sup> Century)

  - Global/Contemporary

#### E. Painting Composition

- 1. The Elements of Design
- 2. Line
- 3. Shape
- 4. Form
- 5. Color
- 6. Value
- 7. Texture
- 8. Time & Motion
- 9. Space

#### F. The Principles of Design

- 1. Unity
- 2. Balance
- 3. Emphasis
- 4. Rhythm
- 5. Pattern
- 6. Directional Forces

#### G. Painting Content

- 1. Realism (Use Multicultural Examples)
- 2. Abstraction (Use Multicultural Examples)
  - a. Progressive
  - b. Organic
  - c. Geometric
  - d. Distortion
  - e. Non-objective
- 3. Conceptual
  - a. Signals, Signs and Symbols Defined

#### IV. APPROPRIATE READINGS

#### Reading assignments may include but are not limited to the following:

1. Sample Text Title:

<u>Wonderful World of Watercolor: Learning and Loving Transparent Watercolor,</u> Mary Baumgartner, Watson-Guptill, 2008. ISBN-13: 978-0823099108

<u>Paint Watercolors that Dance with Light</u>, Elizabeth Kincaid, North Light Books, 2008. ISBN-13: 978-1600611933

How to Make a Watercolor Paint Itself: Experimental Techniques for Achieving Realistic Effects, Nita Engle, Watson-Guptill, 2007. ISBN-13: 978-0823099771

X	Global or international materials or concepts are appropriately included in this course
X	Multicultural materials and concepts are appropriately included in this course.

If either line is checked, write a paragraph indicating specifically how global/international and/or multicultural materials and concepts relate to content outline and/or readings.

Paintings from many geographical locations and cultures are studied in the historical overview of painting methods and materials.

#### V. METHODS TO MEASURE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND DETERMINE GRADES:

Students in this course will be graded in at least one of the following four categories. Please check those appropriate. A degree applicable course must have a minimum of one response in category A, B or C.

A. W	A. Writing								
		Check either 1 or 2 below							
X	1.	1. Substantial writing assignments are required. Check the appropriate boxes below and provide a written description in the space provided.							
	2.	Substantial writing assignments are NOT required. If this box is checked leave this section blank. For degree applicable courses you must complete category B and/or C.							
	a.	essay exam(s)		d.	written homework				
X	b.	term or other papers(s)		e.	reading reports				
	c.	laboratory reports	X	f.	other (specify) written critiques				

Required assignments may include but are not limited to the following:

- 1. Written/oral research report summarizing the life, working process, and paintings of a master watercolorist
- 2. Written/oral research report chronicling the development/evolution of Watercolor history.
- 3. Written/oral research: global perspectives (multicultural Art)
- 4. Written/oral critiques of masters' works
- 5. Written/oral critiques of student work
- 6. Written/oral self-evaluations/critiques

B. Problem Solving						
1.	Computational or non-computational pro	blem-so	olving demonstrations, including:			
X	x a. exam(s) d. laboratory reports					
X	b. quizzes		e. field work			
X	c. homework problems	X	f. other (specify) sketchbook and painting assignments			

#### Required assignments may include, but are not limited to the following:

- 1. Quizzes and exams covering course content (see outline)
- 2. Weekly painting homework assignments/exercises
- 3. Finished paintings

C.	Skill demonstrations, including:		
X	a. class performance(s)	c. performance exam(s)	
	b. field work	d. other (specify	

Required assignments may include, but are not limited to the following:

Active participation in classroom (studio) learning activities. Students follow instructions, engage in instructor directed exercises and assignments; participate in discussions and critiques, and work to build painting skills with focused, disciplined, measurable effort.

- 1. Gradated and flat wash studies
- 2. Cubism: practicing monochromatic gradated washes
- 3. Color charts: wheel, mixing, schemes, defining terms
- 4. Landscape painting: aerial perspective, wet in wet/glazing
- 5. Texture sample sheet (various techniques, choice of subject matter)
- 6. Texture painting: smooth vs rough
- 7. Wet in wet: crisp positive space, blurry (yet recognizable & representational) negative space
- 8. Using symbols to create meaning
- 9. Abstraction, choose two: Progressive, organic, geometric, distortion, non-objective
- 10. Conceptual: Mixed-media (collage, watercolor pencils, watercolor crayons, acrylic, etc.)
- 11. Painting done in four historical styles
- 12. Personal expression: Using symbols to create meaning

D.	Objective examinations, including:		
X	a. multiple choice	X	d. completion
X	b. true/false	X	e. other (specify) essay
X	c. matching items		

Description/Explanation: Based on the categories checked, it is the recommendation of the department that the instructor's grading methods fall within the following departmental guidelines; however, the final method of grading is still at the discretion of the individual instructor. The instructor's syllabus must reflect the criteria by which the student's grade has been determined. (A minimum of five (5) grades must be recorded on the final roster.)

If several methods to measure student achievement are used, indicate here the approximate weight or percentage each has in determining student final grades.

10 -15 small paintings or $5 - 7$ large paintings:	50%
Midterm painting critique (oral):	5%
Midterm painting critique (written):	5%
Final painting critique (oral):	5%
Final painting critique (written):	5%
Other written assignments and/or sketchbook:	10%
Quizzes/Exams	20%
	100%

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#### VI. COURSE OUTCOMES:

(Specify the learning skills the student demonstrates through completing the course and link critical thinking skills to specific course content and objectives.)

Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

- 1. Create a portfolio of artwork demonstrating a beginning level proficiency in watercolor painting, while addressing issues of form and content.
- 2. Demonstrates comprehension of the visual vocabulary of art through the creation of artwork.
- 3. Critique works of art.

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### VII. EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS

For degree applicable courses, the adopted texts, as listed in the college bookstore, or instructor-prepared materials have been certified to contain college-level materials.

Validati	on Language Level (check where applicable):	College Criteria	
		Yes	No
	Textbook	X	
	Reference materials	X	
	Instructor-prepared materials	X	
	Audio-visual materials	X	
Indicate	method of evaluation:		
	Used readability formulae (grade level 10 or higher)		
X	Text is used in a college-level course		
	Used grading provided by publisher		
	Other: (please explain; relate to Skills Levels)		
Comput	tation Level (Eligible for MATH 101 level or higher where applicable)		
Conten	t	•	•
	Breadth of ideas covered clearly meets college-level learning objectives of this course	X	
	Presentation of content and/or exercises/projects:		
	Requires a variety of problem-solving strategies including inductive and deductive reasoning.	X	
	Requires independent thought and study		
	Applies transferring knowledge and skills appropriately and efficiently to new situations or problems.	Х	
List of 1 Text (sa	Reading/Éducational Materials		I
Wonder ISBN-1	ful World of Watercolor: Learning and Loving Transparent Watercolor, Mary Baumgartner, Watson-Guptil 3: 978-0823099108  (atercolors that Dance with Light, Elizabeth Kincaid, North Light Books, 2008. 3: 978-1600611933	11, 2008.	
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Comme	ents:		
	This course requires special or additional library materials (list attached).		
v	This course requires special facilities:  Art studio with tables and sink		

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BASIC SKILLS ADVISORIES PAGE The skills listed are those needed for eligibility for English 125, 126, and Math 101. These skills are listed as the outcomes from English 252, 262, and Math 250. In the right hand column, list at least  $\underline{\text{three}}$  major basic skills needed at the beginning of the target course and check off the corresponding basic skills listed at the left.

Math Skills (eligibility for Math 101) (as outcomes for Math 250)			
Performing the four arithmetic operations on whole numbers, arithmetic fractions, and decimal fractions.  Making the conversions from arithmetic fractions to decimal fractions, from decimal fractions to percents, and then reversing the process.  Applying the concepts listed above to proportions, percents, simple interest, markup and discount.  Applying the operations of integers in solving simple equations.  Converting between the metric and English measurement systems			
Reading Skills (eligibility for English 126) (as outcomes for English 262)	<ol> <li>Ability to read labels of potentially hazardous materials</li> </ol>		
<pre>x  Using phonetic, structural, contextual, and dictionary skills to attack and understand words. x  Applying word analysis skills to reading in context. x  Using adequate basic functional vocabulary skills. x  Using textbook study skills and outlining skills. x  Using a full range of literal comprehension skills and basic analytical skills such as predicting, inferring, concluding, and evaluating.</pre>	<ol> <li>Ability to understand technical terms and their use.</li> <li>Ability to interpret written directions and apply to visual forms.</li> <li>Ability to read text material.</li> </ol>		
Writing Skills (eligibility for English 125) (as outcomes for English 252)	Ability analyze paintings and write coherent critiques, self-evaluations.		
<pre>x Writing complete English sentences and avoiding errors most of the time. x Using the conventions of English writing: capitalization, punctuation, spelling, etc. x Using verbs correctly in present, past, future, and present perfect tenses, and using the correct forms of common irregular verbs. x Expanding and developing basic sentence structure with appropriate modification. x Combining sentences using coordination, subordination, and phrases. x Expressing the writer's ideas in short personal papers utilizing the writing process in their development.</pre>	<ol> <li>Ability to write coherent research reports.</li> <li>Ability to take information from numerous sources and summarize, organize, synthesize, rewrite (etc.) that information into a cohesive personalized paper.</li> </ol>		

#### Check the appropriate spaces.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Eligibility for Math 101 is **advisory** for the target course.
- Eligibility for English 126 is advisory for the target course.
   Eligibility for English 125 is advisory for the target course.

If the reviewers determine that an advisory or advisories in Basic Skills are all that are necessary for success in the target course, stop here, provide the required signatures, and

forward this form to the department chair, the appropriate associate dean, and the curriculum				
commit	tee.			
Content review completed by Date			te	
Reedley College  REQUEST FOR COURSE REPEATABILITY  (For reasons other than alleviating substandard work)				
Course I	D: ART 13	Course Title: Beginning Watercolor	Date: 3/3/03	
	Number of times course may be repeated, excluding initial enrollment (1, 2, or 3):			
or				
Maximum units to which course may be repeated, including initial enrollment:				
1. Explain how the course content differs each time it is offered:  Each time a student repeats the painting course he/she continues to develop their skills technically and conceptually. Although given assignments may be the same or similar each semester, the student's response to the assignment will be different. New work will be generated that will be representative of the student's growth since the previous instructional period.  2. Using reasons "A" or "B" listed below, explain how the student, by repeating this course will gain an expanded educational experience (A or B):  x A. Skills or proficiencies are enhanced by supervised instruction and practice within class periods.				
Explanation: The skill of painting is highly complex and takes years to master. Students must learn and apply two-dimensional design elements and principles while developing complex technical and conceptual skills. Because students are at different technical and conceptual levels, with varied learning rates (some slower, some faster), there will inherently be those students who will clearly benefit from course repetition.				
X		ticipatory experience in individual study or group assignment jectives are attained.	s is the basic mean	s by which
from the through	ir instructor, their the process of pai	onal studio environment actively creates opportunities for studies fellow students (through critiques, group activities, field trip nting themselves. Because of the complex nature of painting, rentice instructional model.	s, and studio intera	action), and