

ORNAMENTAL PLANT IDENTIFICATION I

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Classmate name: _____
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Meeting Days & Times: Tuesdays, 6:00 - 8:50 p.m.
Spring Semester 2000, 9 week course.

Prerequisites: None

Materials: 3 ring binder, paper, transparent contact paper.

Books: New Sunset Western Garden Book, Editors of Sunset
"Ornamental Plant Identification Syllabus", Ron Nishinaka

ATTENDANCE:

- * Attendance is required since most of the learning occurs in a lecture/laboratory situation.
- * Students are responsible for obtaining notes/information missed due to an absence from the instructor.
- * Please notify the instructor in advance that you will be absent from class.
- * College policy dictates that an instructor should drop a student with two consecutive weeks of unexcused absences.
- * The last day to drop a class is Friday, July 11, 2000.
- * Students must attend at least 7/9 classes to be eligible for course certificate.

POLICY ON CHEATING & PLAGIARISM

In keeping with the philosophy that students are entitled to the best education available, and in compliance with Board Policy 5410, each student is expected to exert an entirely honest effort toward attaining an education. Violation of this policy will result in disqualification for the course.

METHODS OF MEASURING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT & GRADES

- * This class will be graded Credit/No Credit.
- * Grades are determined by a numerical point system. Points are accumulative.
- * All class assignments, class participation, labs, quizzes, exams, will be assigned point values at time of assignment.
- * Successful completion of 70% of total points possible will be considered a passing score.
- * Final exam will be on T [REDACTED]

COURSE OUTLINE

* Specific Plant Information

Botanical & common name
Family & origin
Texture, leaves, foliage color
Flower & fruits
Growth rates
Height & spread
Ecology
Water requirements
Exposure, zone, hardiness
Landscape uses
Etc.

* Types of Plants

Evergreen & deciduous shrubs.
Evergreen & deciduous trees.
Groundcovers
Vines

SCHEDULE

- Jan 11 Introduction, classification of plants,
Plant material Section 1.
- Jan 18 Plant Material Section 1.
- Jan 25 Plant Material Section 2.
- Feb 1 Plant Material Section 2.
- Feb 8 Midterm, & notebook of plant samples for Sections 1 & 2 due.
Plant Material Section 5
- Feb 15 Plant Material Section 5 & 4
- Feb 22 Plant Material Section 4.
- Feb 29 Plant Material Section 4 & 3
- Mar 7 Final exam & notebook of plant samples for sections 3,4, & 5 due.