



CYPRESS COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

Tuesday, October 6, 2026

Cypress College Complex (CCCPLX) 406

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AGENDA

Your attendance is critical in helping to meet the curriculum needs of Cypress College. Remember, if you are unable to attend, please find an alternate representative.

Call to Order:

Joyce Peacock, Chair

1. Establish Quorum and Acknowledge Alternates
2. Adoption of the Agenda
3. Approval of September 15, 2026 Minutes: (attached)
4. Public Commentary (3 minutes per speaker)
5. Curriculum Specialist Report: Mary Helen Albrecht (filling in)
6. Articulation Officer Report: Jacky Rangel
7. Division Reports: All division reps
8. CPL Coordinator Report: Jolena Grande
9. Administration Report
10. Retroactive Award Policy – Proposed Amendment (Jacky Rangel)
11. Curriculum Processes before Coursedog goes live
12. Approval of Curriculum
13. Other-any additional concerns committee members might want to bring up for items that do not require vote

Curriculum

Revised Courses					
Course	Action Taken	Class Size	Class Size Justification	Effective Date	Justification
BIOL 103 C Environmental Biology Units: 3 Lecture: 3 Laboratory: 0	• Title change • Outline update • Catalog/Schedule Description Update • SLOS Update • Course Content revised • Textbook update • Add/Revise Cal-GETC	45	Lecture/Discussion - The primary mode of instruction is lecture and may include discussion and/or group learning. Evaluation primarily through objective exams. Writing assignments are assessed mostly for	Fall 2027	Articulation for Cal-GETC area 5B

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			concepts and structure. primary mode of instruction is lecture and may include discussion and/or group learning.		
CHEM 101 C Chemistry for Health Science Majors I Units: 4 Lecture: 3 Laboratory: 3	- Hours (Lecture And/OR Lab) - Hours (Wsch And/OR Instructor) - Units - Catalog Description Update - Schedule Description Update - Prerequisite Validation - Textbook Update - Add/Revise Cal-GETC	25	This course contains labs in which the instructor provides extensive individualized feedback/evaluation on a regular basis. (e.g. problem sets, scientific experiments, lab reports)	Fall 2027	Six-Year Cycle Revision to hours and units
CHEM 111AC General Chemistry I Units: 5 Lecture: 3 Laboratory: 6	- Outline update - Prerequisite validation - Catalog /Schedule Description Update - Textbook updates	25	Labs in which the instructor provides extensive individualized feedback/evaluation on a regular basis. (e.g. problem sets, scientific experiments, vocational skills, lab reports).	Fall 2027	Six-Year Technical Review Course Update
CHEM 111BC General Chemistry II Units: 3 Lecture: 3 Laboratory: 0	- Outline update - Prerequisite validation - Catalog /Schedule Description Update - Course Content Change - SLOs	25	Labs in which the instructor provides extensive individualized feedback/evaluation on a regular basis. (e.g. problem sets, scientific experiments, vocational skills, lab reports).	Fall 2027	Six-Year Technical Review Course Update Prerequisite validation Textbook update
CHEM 201 C Chemistry for Health Majors II Units: 4 Lecture: 3 Laboratory: 3	- Hours (Lecture And/OR Lab) - Hours (Wsch And/OR Instructor) - Units	25	Labs in which the instructor provides extensive individualized feedback/evaluation on a regular basis.	Fall 2027	Six-Year Cycle Revision to hours and units

Revised Courses					
Course	Action Taken	Class Size	Class Size Justification	Effective Date	Justification
	- Catalog Description Update - Schedule Description Update - Prerequisite Validation - Textbook Update - Methods Of Instruction - Methods Of Evaluation - Course Content Change - Add/Revise Cal-GETC		(e.g. problem sets, scientific experiments, vocational skills, lab reports).		
ENGR 299 C Independent Study Units: 0.5-2 Lecture: 0 Laboratory: 1.5-6.00	- Course Outline - Textbooks	25	Labs in which the instructor provides extensive individualized feedback/evaluation on a regular basis. (e.g. problem sets, scientific experiments, vocational skills, lab reports).	Fall 2027	Six-Year Technical Review
MATH 142 C Trigonometry Units: 3 Lecture: 3 Laboratory: 0	- Course outline - Textbooks	35	While the instructor does lecture, much of the class time focuses on discussion, group learning, and formal/informal student presentations. Evaluation primarily through objective exams.	Fall 2027	Update course effective dates as part of the normal curriculum cycle.
STAT 0014S C Skills for Statistics Units: 2 Lecture: 2 Laboratory: 0	- CCN - title change - Course outline - Catalog/Schedule Description - SLOS	30	Class time focuses on individualized instruction, student presentation time, and/or group learning.	Fall 2027	Changing the name to match STAT 1400S (previously MATH 120P). STAT 1400S is the co-requisite course.
STAT 1400 S Introduction to Statistics with Support Units: 4 Lecture: 4 Laboratory: 0	- Title - Course Outline - Catalog/Schedule Description Update - Textbook Update - Prefix/ Course Number Change	30	This course is needed for AB 705 implementation. The course is hard linked to a co-requisite skills course, which has a class size of 30. Class time focuses on	Fall 2027	AB 1111 Changes – Common Course Numbering – MATH 120 to STAT C1000

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			individualized instruction, student presentation time, and/or group learning.		

Deactivate Programs/Certificates		
Programs/Certificates	Curriculum Changes	Effective Date
Biology Associate in Science Degree for Transfer (AS-T)	Deactivate the existing Biology Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) degree as it is being replaced by the new Biology 2.0 AS-T, developed to align with the revised 2026 Biology Transfer Model Curriculum (TMC) and current statewide transfer requirements.	Fall 2027

Modify Degrees/Certificates		
Programs/Certificates	Curriculum Changes	Effective Date
Environmental Science Associate in Science Degree for Transfer (AS-T)	Revisions made to align with the newly released Cal-GETC-aligned TMC, including an increase in units required for state submission	Fall 2027

Program Revisions Due to Course Changes		
Course Changes	Programs Impacted – Revised Programs	Effective Date
BIOL 103 C – Environmental Biology Title change	- California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) Certificate of Achievement - Environmental Science Associate in Science Degree for Transfer (AS-T) - Geographic Information Systems Certificate - Global Citizenship Studies Certificate - Global Studies Associate in Arts Degree - Liberal Arts Associate in Arts Degree with an Area of Emphasis in Math and Science	Fall 2027

Program Revisions Due to Course Changes		
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CHEM 101 C – Chemistry for Health Science Majors I - Units: 4.5 → 4 - Lecture hours: 3 - Lab hours: 3	- ESL Milestone Certificate: Pathway to Dental Hygiene, Nursing, and Psychiatric Technology — Change CHEM 101 C to 4 units; totals not affected - Health Sciences General Studies Associate in Arts Degree — Change CHEM 101 C to 4 units; totals not affected - Liberal Arts Associate in Arts Degree with an Area of Emphasis in Math and Science — Change CHEM 101 C to 4 units; totals not affected - Public Health Associate in Science for Transfer (AS-T) — Change CHEM 101 C to 4 units; totals not affected	Fall 2027
CHEM 201 C – Chemistry for Health Science Majors II - Units: 4.5 → 4 - Lecture hours: 3 - Lab hours: 3	- California General Education Transfer Curriculum (Cal-GETC) Certificate of Achievement — Change CHEM 201 C to 4 units; totals not affected - Dental Hygiene Bachelor of Science Degree — Change CHEM 201 C to 4 units; other lower-division course requirements 22.5 → 21.5 units; update program description and total to 120–125 units - Liberal Arts Associate in Arts Degree with an Area of Emphasis in Math and Science — Change CHEM 201 C to 4 units; totals not affected	Fall 2027

