Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

ART 101 Drawing I

CREDIT HOURS: 3.00

CONTACT HOURS: 45.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:
Introduction to perspective, composition, rendering and other fundamental techniques and elements of drawing. Explores the potentials working with various media with emphasis on drawing, value, perspective, rendering, proportion, color, and composition. All of the subject matter areas including still life, the figure and landscape are explored.

PREREQUISITES:
None

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:
Upon completion of this course, the student will be familiar with:

1. develop an understanding of drawing concepts such as perspective, composition, rendering, by completing a series of assignments;
2. become familiar with various drawing tools and materials and their intended use;
3. demonstrate an understanding of the language and vocabulary of drawing by participating in class discussions and group critiques;
4. become acquainted with the drawing style of various artists as a springboard for original work.
5. be able to discuss theoretical concepts as relating to drawing;
6. be capable of utilizing basic techniques and materials needed to complete a drawing;
7. be capable of analyzing and discussing his/her drawings as well as that of other artists.

ASSESSMENT METHODS:
Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:
90%-100% = A
80%-89.9% = B
70%-79.9% = C
60%-69.9% = D
<60% = E