INTERIOR DESIGN FUNDAMENTALS
Course Syllabus

Course Number: IDT-0246   OHLAP Credit: No
OCAS Code: None
Course Length: 15 Hours
Career Cluster: Arts, A/V Technology & Communications
Career Pathway: Visual Arts
Career Major(s): Interior Design Technician

Pre-requisite(s): IDT-0240 Interior Design Introduction; IDT-0042 Color & Design

Course Description: This course teaches the fundamentals of interior design and evaluates the factors that influence housing and commercial design choices. The student will explore how physical factors, lifestyle, and function affect choices. Students will identify the main types of housing comparing strengths and weaknesses, of the different types of housing. Students will also explore types of commercial designs.

Textbooks:
Instructor-created materials
Residential Drafting and Design by Clois E. Kicklighter and Joan C. Kicklighter (2004)
Residential Housing and Interiors by Clois E. Kicklighter and Joan C. Kicklighter (2005)

Course Objectives:
A. Elements Effecting Housing Choices¹
   1. Describe physical factors outside the house that affect housing choices.
   2. Examine the relationship between lifestyle and housing choices.
   3. Select a house and describe how lifestyle influences the design.

B. Types of Housing¹
   1. Identify the seven main types of housing.
   2. Compare the strengths & weakness of the different types housing.
   3. Explore examples of types of housing in our community.
   4. Identify styles of houses.
   5. Learn major details for housing (e.g., roof details, terminology, etc.).

¹ODCTE objectives
All unmarked objectives are TTC instructor developed.

Teaching Methods: The class will primarily be taught by the lecture and demonstration method and supported by various media materials to address various learning styles. There will be question and answer sessions over material covered in lecture and media presentations. Supervised lab time is provided for students to complete required projects.
Grading Procedures: 1. Students are graded on theory and shop practice and performance.
2. Each course must be passed with seventy (70%) percent or better.
3. Grading scale: A=90-100%, B=80-89%, C=70-79%, D=60-69%, F=50-59%.

Description of Classroom, Laboratories, and Equipment:
Tulsa Technology Center campuses are owned and operated by Tulsa Technology Center School District No. 18. All programs provide students the opportunity to work with professionally certified instructors in modern, well-equipped facilities.

Available Certifications/College Credit:
The student may be eligible to take state, national or industry exam after completion of the program. College credit may be issued from Oklahoma State University-Okmulgee or Tulsa Community College. See program counselor for additional information.

College Credit Eligibility:
The student must maintain a grade point average of 2.0 or better.