J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Course Content Summary

Course Prefix and Number: HRT 260   **Credits:** 3

Course Title: Introduction to Floral Design

Course Description: Teaches skills required for the composition of basic table arrangements. Includes the history of design styles, identification of flowers and greens, identification and use of equipment, and conditioning and handling of flowers. Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 2 hours. Total 4 hours per week.

General Course Purpose: Introduces students to the design principles needed to create basic floral designs, and the identification of the materials used in the floral industry.

Course Prerequisites and Co-requisites:
None

Student Learning Outcomes:
Upon completing the course, the student will be able to
a. Complete a variety of design projects in class with time limits;
b. Compile a portfolio of work;
c. Complete a design with an assigned theme; and
d. Identify cut flowers and foliage used in the floral industry.

Major Topics to Be Included:
a. Design style history
b. Flower and foliage identification
c. Conditioning and handling of flowers

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