

NON-CREDIT EDUCATION

Bulletin

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NON-CREDIT NEWS

EVC Non-Credit Bridge to Career Pathways and Non-Credit Support Services increase access for students from diverse backgrounds and for those with the goal to improve their earning power, literacy skills and access to higher education.

During the past year, the EVC Non-Credit Teams have been working hard to develop viable and sustainable Non-Credit Pathways aimed at supporting student success and persistence in the areas of CTE and ESL.

Creating an *Infrastructure of Support* for Non-Credit Students

- Established a Non-Credit Service Center (SC-110) where students can readily access support services and academic tutoring
- Embedded Instructional Support Staff into all Non-Credit classrooms to provide students with additional support
- Added a Non-Credit Counselor to the Non-Credit Service Center to assist with orientation, assessment, retention, completion and transition to credit programs at EVC (*This will make us eligible to apply for additional Non-Credit SSSP funding in the coming year*)
- Established clear Non-Credit Guided Pathways that lead into credit certificate/degree programs (*see reverse side*)

STUDENTSUCCESS

ACADEMIC SENATE HIGHLIGHTS

- Established a Non-Credit Work Team to develop a cohesive vision for Non-Credit at our college and assure all new non-credit curriculum meets state guidelines
- EVC and SJCC Academic Senates voted in favor of honoring SP grading for non-credit as defined by Title 5
- Successful integration of SP grading into CurricUNET for faculty to easily select this grading option when developing new courses

OUTREACH

- Expanded outreach to various community-based organizations and public mall locations
- Launched Non-Credit promotional video and publications
- Enhanced our EVC Non-Credit web presence
- **New EVC Non-Credit web page** serves as a resource for other CCC's with emerging non-credit programs
- Served **198** students in the Non-Credit Bridge to Engineering pilot during the 2016-2017 academic year!

HOW NON-CREDIT EDUCATION SUPPORTS GUIDED PATHWAYS

AUTOMOTIVE GUIDED PATHWAY

NON-CREDIT EDUCATION

START
HERE

STEP 1 REGISTER

Complete the
Non-Credit Application

▶ Submit to Student Services
Center (SC-110) or your
Transition Specialist

25%

STEP 2 NON-CREDIT COURSES

AUTO 500 MATH FOR AUTOMOTIVE
TECHNOLOGY.....0
AUTO 501 ENGLISH FOR AUTOMOTIVE
TECHNOLOGY.....0

▶ Select the desired pathway and register for
Non-Credit Courses

50%

STEP 3 TRANSITION

CONGRATULATIONS! You made it
HALFWAY.
Meet with your counselor to work on a
Transition Plan if you wish to continue on
with a **credit certificate/degree** program in
Automotive Technology

▶ Contact your Counselor if you would
like job placement assistance

75%

STEP 4 ENTER CREDIT PROGRAM

AUTO 102 AUTOMOTIVE SYSTEMS.....3.5
AUTO 203 LIGHT LINE TECHNICIAN.....2.0
AUTO 119 INTRODUCTION TO ENGINE PERFORMANCE 2.5
AUTO 171 ENGINE SYSTEMS.....2.5
AUTO 173 AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE OPERATIONS.....2.0

▶ Complete these above courses with a "C"
grade or better to earn Automotive Technology
Basic Skills Entry Level Employment Certificate

100%

TOTAL CREDITS: 12.5
GRADUATION



Non-Credit Education (SC-110)
Evergreen Valley College
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Also

- Complete the Non-Credit Orientation
- Create a Non-Credit Student Ed Plan (NSEP) with a Counselor
- Follow the plan and complete the Non-Credit sequence

NON-CREDIT CURRICULUM UPDATES

We have established 3 Non-Credit CTE Pathways that bridge into credit degree and certificate programs in:

- Engineering
- Surveying & Geomatics
- Automotive Technology

These 3 CTE pathways will be resubmitted for approval as Career Development College Prep (CDCP) Programs in the Fall of 2017. All CDCP Programs must be approved by the state in order to receive enhanced apportionment which is equal to credit funding.

Looking to the Future

In the coming 2017-2018 year, EVC will **continue to build 5 more CDCP Programs** in the following areas:

- ESL
- Basic Skills Math
- Allied Health
- Counseling
- Computer Skills

NON-CREDIT DATA COLLECTION

- Established a preliminary process to collect additional MIS data elements required for State reporting
- Developed a formalized process for administering CASAS Pre-Post tests in ESL and Basic Skills courses
- Exploring the feasibility of acquiring iPads to administer CASAS E-Testing in the near future

EASY NON-CREDIT APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Visit evc.edu, Key word: **Non-Credit** to access and print the Non-Credit application
2. Fill out the required information
3. Submit form to EVC Student Services Center SC-110
-or- to the Transition Specialist at your local Adult School