

CCSF Catalog Changes for 2016-17

Policy Updates

Transfer of Coursework to CCSF – clarification of procedures (page 452)

Language was added to clarify how credit from other colleges may be applied to CCSF programs.

Commencement Ceremony (page 53-54)

Commencement information (including eligibility) was added to Associate Degree Graduation Requirements section.

Math Courses and Associate Degree Graduation Requirements

- Math courses (in MATH, BTEC, CDEV, ET) at or below the minimum intermediate algebra Mathematics graduation requirement were removed from CCSF General Education Area A, page 48
- Standardized tests scores that meet the Mathematics graduation requirement were modified to align with CSU requirements (vs. UC requirements), page 51

New program and course information: Minimum times to completion are now shown on all programs in catalog; course offering frequency is also shown (e.g., “Offered Spring Semesters”)

Program Changes of Note

Majors:

New majors for the CCSF Associate Degree for Transfer (includes majors approved and in the addendum in 2015, but where details were first added to the print catalog in 16-17):

- Biology (AS-T), page 114
- Film, Television and Electronic Media (AS-T), page 120
- Journalism (AA-T), page 318
- Theatre Arts (AA-T), page 401

The following is in the review queue at the State Chancellor’s Office level and, if approved in time, will be detailed in the 16-17 catalog addendum:

- Geography (AA-T)

Removal of ADTs – Due to increased units, the following were removed from the 16-17 catalog, since there was no longer a 60-unit pathway to the degree as required by Ed Code 66746 (note that ways to restore degrees are being explored):

- Chemistry (AS-T)
- Computer Science (AS-T)
- Physics (AS-T)

Deletion of Major

- Radiation Therapy Technology

Certificates:

New Certificates of Achievement

Eight Certificates of Achievement in Broadcast Electronic Media Arts are in process of regional-state review and, if approved in time, will be detailed in the 16-17 catalog addendum.

New Certificates of Accomplishment (includes certificates added to the 15-16 online catalog addendum, but appear for the first time in the print catalog for 16-17):

- Asian American Studies, page 97
- Foundations in Broadcast Electronic Media Arts, page 121
- Office Administration Specialist, page 129

- Advanced Web Development Techniques, page 173
- JavaScript Specialist, page 174
- Mobile Web App Development, page 175
- Linux Administration II, page 185
- Creative Writing, page 229
- Infectious Disease Prevention in Priority Populations, page 299

Noncredit Certificates

- New Customer Service Noncredit Certificate, page 129
- Business – various revisions and deletions
- ESL – various additions, revisions and deletions
- Transitional Studies – certificates deactivated due to significant course deletions (may be revised and restored):
 - Adult Secondary Education Level 3
 - Vocational Foundation Skills

Deleted Credit Certificates: Several certificates were removed due to increase in units (exceeded limits for Certificate of Accomplishment) or significant course deletions and may be revised and restored in the 16-17 catalog addendum.

- Fire Officer
- Automotive Alternative Fuel Technology
- Residential Wiring
- Broadcast Electronic Media Arts – Certificates of Accomplishment were converted to Certificates of Achievement and are in process of regional-state review
- Green and Sustainable Business
- Green and Sustainable Travel
- Routing and Switching (Cisco)
- Windows Networking
- Biomedical Equipment Technician
- Bioprocess Instrumentation and Control
- Biotechnology Lab Assistant – being converted to Certificate of Achievement, will require regional-state review
- Environmental Control Technology
- Genomics Technology
- Diversity and Social Justice
- Cesar Chavez
- Solidarity Forever/Si Se Puede
- Home Health Aide/Nurse Assistant
- Social and Folk Dance

Course Changes of Note

- Unit changes on many courses, esp. math and science courses, to conform to policy for calculating lecture/lab hours to units
- Course hours listed in terms of total hours (no longer in weekly hours)
- Numerous course deletions based on outdated course outline or because courses had not been offered in the last 6 years (or if a new, never-yet-offered course, two years since creation and still not offered)

Note: The 2016-17 Catalog and Catalog Addendum are available at www.ccsf.edu/catalog