

J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Course Content Summary

Course Prefix and Number: HRT 227

Credits: 3

Course Title: Professional Landscape Management

Course Description (including lecture hours, lab hours, total contacts)

Focuses on basic practices and techniques involving landscape management. Includes development of a year-round management calendar and preparation of bid and contract proposals.
Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 2 hours. Total 4 hours per week.

Course Prerequisites/Corequisites (*Entry-level competencies **required** for enrollment*)

None

Course Objectives (Each item should complete the following sentence.)

Upon completing the course, the student will be able to:

- a. Schedule appropriate timing of horticultural practices
- b. Identify common pests in the landscape
- c. Select appropriate controls for pests
- d. Maintain turf, shrubs, trees and groundcovers properly

Major Topics to be Included

- a. Pest control
- b. Landscape maintenance
- c. Proper pruning practices
- d. Lawn and landscape establishment
- e. Bidding

Effective Date of Course Content Summary (Month, Date Year): 2/12/09