

J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Course Content Summary

Course Prefix and Number: HRT 260

Credits: 3

Course Title: Introduction to Floral Design

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

Teaches skills required for the composition of basic table arrangements. Includes the history of design styles, identification of flowers and green, identification and use of equipment, and conditioning and handling of flowers. Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 2 hours. Total 4 hours per week. 3 credits

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. 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
- 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

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