

CYPRESS COLLEGE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

Tuesday, February 2, 2016

(TLC) Teaching Learning Center in the LRC.

3:00 p.m.

AGENDA

PLEASE BE ON TIME...The meeting will begin promptly at 3:00 p.m. in the **(TLC) Teaching Learning Center in the LRC.** Your attendance is critical in helping to meet the curriculum needs of Cypress College. Remember if you are unable to attend please find an alternate representative.

Call to Order:

Mark Majarian, Chair

1. **Approval of *December 8, 2015 minutes*:** (attached)
2. **Chair Report**
3. **Introductions**
4. **Baccalaureate Degrees**

Cypress College Graduation requirements for Baccalaureate Degrees - CATALOG COPY DRAFT

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Graduation Requirements for a Baccalaureate Degree

Graduation requirements for the Baccalaureate Degree are prescribed by the California Community Colleges Board of Governors, Title 5, and the North Orange County Community College District Board of Trustees. Specifications are based upon recommendations by the Academic Senate of California Community Colleges. A Baccalaureate Degree may be earned upon satisfactory completion of all of the following:

1. Total Unit Degree Requirement

Any Cypress College Baccalaureate Degree will contain a minimum of 120 units.

2. Residence Requirement

At least 24 units of upper division coursework must be completed at Cypress College and of that, 6-9 units in upper division general education coursework.

3. Cultural Diversity Requirement

Students must take a minimum of one (3 unit) course approved as a Cultural Diversity course by Cypress College. This course may be double-counted for major or general education degree

requirements.

4. General Education Requirements

All students are required to complete general education. Students may choose to complete:

- a. CSU General Education Breadth pattern of 39 units; or
- b. IGETC (Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum) of 37 units.

5. Major Requirement

- a. All students must take required major courses as specified by the major department and earn a grade of ``C'' or better in each course,
- b. Students should review specific major admissions requirements and prerequisites in the program descriptions area of the catalog for more detail.

6. Scholarship Requirement

A cumulative grade-point average (GPA) of 2.0 in all course work attempted and a 2.0

``C'' in all courses taken within the discipline.

7. Elective Courses

A student may complete additional degree-applicable classes to meet the minimum degree requirement of 120 units if needed and depending on specific major requirements.

NOTE: If applicable, students should contact a major counselor to discuss using coursework from other regionally accredited colleges and universities, Advanced Placement (AP) exam credit, College Level Exam Program (CLEP) exam credit, or International Baccalaureate (IB) exam credit towards degree requirements.