

## INFORMATION SHEET

The following information is provided in connection with recent actions taken by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board and reported to your institution in a letter from Rex Peebles dated January 17, 2014.

### **ACTION: SOUTHWEST TEXAS JUNIOR COLLEGE**

On January 17, 2014, the Coordinating Board approved at the staff level the submission from Southwest Texas Junior College in regards to revisions of the Texas Core Curriculum. Changes will be effective beginning in the fall 2014 semester.

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### **Southwest Texas Junior College: 2014 Core Curriculum Revision**

**Component I. Course Selection Process:** Approved

**Component IIa. Core Objective Attainment Process:** Approved

**Component IIb. Core Objective Assessment Plan:** Approved

Comments: Southwest Texas Junior College's plans clearly and effectively address all aspects for assessing the core curriculum. Although the targets for achievement of the Core Objectives are still in development and not included in the documentation, SWTJC does not need to send an updated plan once the targets are determined.

### **Component III. Approved Courses:**

#### **010 Communication**

ENGL 1301	Composition I	3.00 SCH
ENGL 1302	Composition II	3.00 SCH

#### **020 Mathematics**

MATH 1314	College Algebra (3 SCH version)	3.00 SCH
MATH 1324	Mathematics for Business & Social Sciences	3.00 SCH
MATH 1332	Contemporary Mathematics I (Math for Liberal Arts Majors I)	3.00 SCH
MATH 1342	Elementary Statistical Methods (3 SCH version, freshman level)	3.00 SCH

#### **030 Life and Physical Sciences**

BIOL 1306	Biology for Science Majors I (lecture)	3.00 SCH
BIOL 1307	Biology for Science Majors II (lecture)	3.00 SCH
BIOL 1308	Biology for Non-Science Majors I (lecture)	3.00 SCH
BIOL 1309	Biology for Non-Science Majors II (lecture)	3.00 SCH
CHEM 1311	General Chemistry I (lecture)	3.00 SCH
CHEM 1312	General Chemistry II (lecture)	3.00 SCH
PHYS 1301	College Physics I (lecture)	3.00 SCH
PHYS 1302	College Physics II (lecture)	3.00 SCH

PHYS 2325	University Physics I (lecture)	3.00 SCH
PHYS 2326	University Physics II (lecture)	3.00 SCH
<b>040 Language, Philosophy and Culture</b>		
ENGL 2322	British Literature I	3.00 SCH
ENGL 2323	British Literature II	3.00 SCH
ENGL 2327	American Literature I	3.00 SCH
ENGL 2328	American Literature II	3.00 SCH
ENGL 2332	World Literature I	3.00 SCH
ENGL 2333	World Literature II	3.00 SCH
HUMA 1301	Introduction to the Humanities I	3.00 SCH
PHIL 1301	Introduction to Philosophy	3.00 SCH
PHIL 2306	Introduction to Ethics	3.00 SCH
<b>050 Creative Arts</b>		
ARTS 1301	Art Appreciation	3.00 SCH
DRAM 2361	History of the Theater I	3.00 SCH
MUSI 1306	Music Appreciation	3.00 SCH
<b>060 American History</b>		
HIST 1301	United States History I	3.00 SCH
HIST 1302	United States History II	3.00 SCH
<b>070 Government/Political Science</b>		
GOVT 2305	Federal Government (Federal constitution & topics)	3.00 SCH
GOVT 2306	Texas Government (Texas constitution & topics)	3.00 SCH
<b>080 Social and Behavioral Sciences</b>		
ECON 2301	Principles of Macroeconomics	3.00 SCH
PSYC 2301	General Psychology	3.00 SCH
SOCI 1301	Introductory Sociology	3.00 SCH
<b>090 Component Area Option</b>		
BCIS 1305	Business Computer Applications (3 SCH version)	3.00 SCH
BUSI 1307	Personal Finance	3.00 SCH
COSC 1301	Introduction to Computing (3 SCH version)	3.00 SCH
HECO 1307	Personal Finance	3.00 SCH
HECO 1322	Nutrition & Diet Therapy	3.00 SCH
PHED 1304	Personal/Community Health I (may also be single-semester course)	3.00 SCH
PSYC 2314	Lifespan Growth & Development	3.00 SCH
SPCH 1311	Introduction to Speech Communication	3.00 SCH
SPCH 1321	Business & Professional Communication	3.00 SCH