COURSE INFORMATION FORM

DISCIPLINE
Grounds and Turf Management

COURSE TITLE
Special Topics in Horticulture III

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CATALOG DESCRIPTION
This course will cover current topics relevant to horticultural practices in the areas of ornamental horticulture, arboriculture and turfgrass science.

PREREQUISITES
None.

EXPECTED STUDENT OUTCOMES IN THE COURSE
Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. Use the topical information as solutions to various horticultural challenges and problems.
2. Explain solutions to the topical horticultural problems to others relying on their expertise.
CLASS-LEVEL ASSESSMENT MEASURES
Student accomplishment of expected student outcomes will be assessed using the following measures. (Identify which measures are used to assess which outcomes.)

1. Written topical reports (1-2)
2. Oral Classroom reports (1-2)

PROGRAM-LEVEL OUTCOMES ADDRESSED
Student outcomes will vary with topics being covered and will be specified in the course syllabus.

General Education Outcomes
Specify which general education outcomes, if any, are substantially addressed by the course by completing the “Course/Program Assessment Matrix” to show the relationship between course and program outcomes and assessment measures.

The general education outcomes addressed, if any, will depend upon the topical content and will be listed on the course syllabus.

Occupational Program Outcomes
Specify which occupational program outcomes, if any, are substantially addressed by the course by completing the “Course/Program Assessment Matrix” to show the relationship between course and program outcomes to assessment measures.

The occupational program outcomes to be addressed, if any, will depend upon the topical content and will be listed on the course syllabus.
Individual instructors may order this outline as fits the needs of their individual courses. In addition, they may place more emphasis on some areas than on others. What is assured is that this particular list is covered in the course. Other topics may be added to a course as the instructor sees fit, and as time and interest allow. An *asterisk can be used to mark an item as optional.

I. This course will, by its very design and nature, differ by instructor, campus and semester. Since it calls for an intensive study of materials beyond the survey course level, the topics, content and assessment methods will be determined by instructors to best meet the needs of the students involved.