



ALLAPATTAH FLATS -GATORS-

COURSE TITLE: YEARBOOK
COURSE NUMBER: 1700100
COURSE LENGTH: YEAR
LOCATION: 1-125

INSTRUCTOR INFORMATION:

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SUPPLIES NEEDED:

1 USB Flash Drive (minimum 4GB), Digital Camera (optional)

COURSE DESCRIPTION¹:

The purpose of this course is to assist students in making informed decisions regarding their future academic and occupational goals and to provide information regarding careers in the Additional CTE Programs/Courses career cluster. The content includes but is not limited to: exploration of basic principles, concepts, processes, and knowledge of subject areas to which the student is exposed, specific content based on selected intended outcomes from existing courses, instruction in making career choices and basic employability skills. Instruction and learning activities are provided in a laboratory setting using hands-on experiences with the equipment, materials and technology appropriate to the course content and in accordance with current practices.

LABORATORY ACTIVITIES¹:

Laboratory activities are an integral part of this program. These activities include instruction in the use of safety procedures, tools, equipment, materials, and processes related to these occupations. Equipment and supplies should be provided to enhance hands-on experiences for students.

STANDARDS¹:

After successfully completing this course, the student will be able to perform the following:

- 01.0 Demonstrate competencies and skills from the subject area.
- 02.0 List career or further study opportunities in the subject area.
- 03.0 Demonstrate problem-solving skills related to, or use techniques in the subject area.
- 04.0 Locate and use data related to the subject area.

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- 05.0 Exercise creativity related to the subject area.
- 06.0 Communicate personal reactions to the subject area.
- 07.0 Describe community resources related to the subject area.

GRADING:

<u>Scale:</u>		<u>Grade Distribution:</u>	
A =	90%-100%	Career Profile =	30%
B =	80%-89%	Classwork =	30%
C =	70%-79%	Tests/Projects =	<u>40%</u>
D =	60%-69%		100%
F =	59% and below		

CAREER PROFILE:

Students will create a career profile on flchoices.org with specific focus on careers in the Arts, Audio-Video Technology, and Communications career cluster. Students will be required to know about the different types of career pathways involved in this cluster and all it entails to actively work in that career.

CLASSWORK:

Classwork will be assigned based on objectives and will require heavy participation due to the “hands-on” aspect of this course. Grades will be based on knowledge of the material and ability to use the equipment/tools. Grades will be affected negatively if deadlines are not met. **Some classwork assignments may require students to participate in afterschool activities.**

TESTS/PROJECTS:

Tests and projects will be assigned periodically for cumulative purposes. Grades will be based on knowledge of the material and ability to use the equipment/tools. **Some projects may require students to participate in afterschool activities.**

REFLECTIONS:

Reflections will be done on a regular basis to assist the instructor in gauging the students’ understanding of the material covered, as well as give the opportunity to ask questions that students’ may feel uncomfortable asking.

CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT:

We are a Positive Behavior Support (PBS) school. This means students are awarded Gator Bucks for displaying positive behavior expectations, which are being responsible, respectful, and safe. Students are able to use Gator Bucks to attend various school-wide incentive activities.

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CLASSROOM RULES:

Complete your own work on time.

Listen when others are speaking.

Always arrive on time and be prepared for class.

Stay focused, on task, and always follow directions.

Speak only when called on.

FBLA:

Allapattah Flats will be establishing a **F**uture **B**usiness **L**eaders of **A**merica (FBLA) chapter this school year. This will be a voluntary co-curricular group of students. The cost is estimated to be \$15 to join. These costs are membership fees and Allapattah Flats and St. Lucie County School Board in no way profit from them. Upon joining, students will be able to take part in various community service projects including Operation Christmas Child, Carenet's Walk For Life, and the walk with March of Dimes. Students will also be able to take part in district and state competitions that test their performance in various business related activities.

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