WELD 70 Course Outline as of Fall 2007

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: WELD 70 Title: BEGINNING WELDING

Full Title: Beginning Welding: Fundamentals

Last Reviewed: 11/13/2023

Units		Course Hours per Weel	k	Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	2.00	Lecture Scheduled	1.00	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	17.50
Minimum	2.00	Lab Scheduled	3.00	8	Lab Scheduled	52.50
		Contact DHR	0		Contact DHR	0
		Contact Total	4.00		Contact Total	70.00
		Non-contact DHR	0		Non-contact DHR	0

Total Out of Class Hours: 35.00 Total Student Learning Hours: 105.00

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade Only

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly: WELD 70A

Catalog Description:

Fundamentals of arc and oxy-acetylene welding and cutting.

Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended Preparation:

Limits on Enrollment:

Schedule of Classes Information:

Description: Fundamentals of arc and oxy-acetylene welding and cutting. (Grade Only)

Prerequisites/Corequisites:

Recommended:

Limits on Enrollment: Transfer Credit: CSU;

Repeatability: Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:

AS Degree: Area Effective: Inactive: CSU GE: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

IGETC: Transfer Area Effective: Inactive:

CSU Transfer: Transferable Effective: Fall 1981 Inactive: Fall 2019

UC Transfer: Effective: Inactive:

CID:

Certificate/Major Applicable:

Certificate Applicable Course

COURSE CONTENT

Outcomes and Objectives:

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- 1. Describe and demonstrate principles of welding safety.
- 2. Identify components of oxy-acetylene welding and cutting equipment.
- 3. Recognize a transformer, rectifier and motor generator type welding machine.
- 4. Explain the principle of the AC and DC welding current.
- 5. Identify components of gas metal arc welding equipment.
- 6. Set up and place in operation oxy-acetylene, arc and gas metal arc welding equipment.
- 7. Differentiate between plain carbon steel, alloy steel, ferrous and non-ferrous metals.
- 8. Produce a sample butt joint, lap joint, fillet weld and braze welded fillet using the oxy-acetylene welding process.
- 9. Produce a sample of free hand flame cutting and straight line beveling and piercing.
- 10. Produce a sample of stringer beads, padding, weaving in the flat position, a multipass filet weld in the horizontal position, a lap joint and a fillet weld in the vertical down position using shielded metal arc welding.
- 11. Produce a sample lap joint, fillet weld using the gas metal arc process.
- 12. Identify filler metals for oxy-acetylene and arc welding.
- 13. Recognize a light medium and heavy flux coated arc welding electrode.

Topics and Scope:

- I. Shielded Metal Arc
 - A. Arc welding safety
 - B. Electrical terms
 - C. Welding machines
 - D. Personal equipment
 - E. Shop equipment

F. Basic welding terms

II. Oxy-Acetylene

- A. Oxy-acetylene safety
- B. Oxy-acetylene chemistry
- C. Compressed gas cylinders
- D. Pressure regulators
- E. Hose, torches and tips

III. Metallurgy

- A. Steel production
- B. Ferrous and non-ferrous metals
- C. Alloy steels
- D. Effects of heat during welding
- E. Heat treating
- F. Case hardening
- G. Metals identification

IV. Striking and Arc

- A. Electrode selection
- B. Adjusting equipment
- C. Running short beads
- D. Running continuous beads
- E. Weaving the electrode
- F. Fillet welds
- G. Vertical down beads
- H. Joint design
- I. Manipulative practice

V. Carrying Puddles

- A. Tip selection and flame settings
- B. Torch position and motion
- C. Selecting a filler rod
- D. Laying beads with a filler rod
- E. Joint design
- F. Manipulative practice

VI. Flame Cutting

- A. Cutting safety
- B. Cutting torches
- C. Gas pressure settings
- D. Flame settings
- E. Torch manipulation
- F. Manipulative practice

VII. Brazing

- A. Joint preparation
- B. Filler rod selection
- C. Flame settings
- D. Fluxes
- E. Temperature control
- F. Manipulative practice

VIII. Gas Metal Arc Welding (MIG)

- A. MIG safety
- B. Power sources
- C. Shielding gases
- D. Wire feeders
- E. Guns and barrels

- F. Consumable wire
- G. Manipulative practice

Assignment:

- 1. Weekly reading assignments, 10 15 pages.
- 2. Regular quizzes based on reading (including handouts developed by instructor and from manufacturers).
- 3. Homework problems, including safety handouts.
- 4. Practical skills assignments and exams.
- 5. Midterm; final exam.

Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:

Writing: Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

None, This is a degree applicable course but assessment tools based on writing are not included because problem solving assessments and skill demonstrations are more appropriate for this course.

Writing 0 - 0%

Problem Solving: Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

Homework problems

Problem solving 5 - 10%

Skill Demonstrations: All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

Skills assignments and exams

Skill Demonstrations 40 - 60%

Exams: All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

Multiple choice, True/false

Exams 20 - 40%

Other: Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Attendance and participation

Other Category 0 - 10%

Representative Textbooks and Materials:

Instructor prepared materials.