

Block Scheduling

HB 1583

House Bill 1583, passed by 84th Legislature, Regular Session, requires public junior colleges to offer five associate degree or certificate programs from the fields of health science, nursing, or career and technology as block scheduled programs by the fall of 2016 in addition to any programs which may be currently offered in block. The legislation requires a block scheduled program to allow a full-time student to enroll in a defined block of courses, such as a morning, full-day, afternoon, evening, or weekend to provide course scheduling predictability from semester to semester. In addition, the block scheduled program should allow students to enroll in a block of courses rather than individual courses and for the college to provide the schedule for the next semester in advance.

Out of state students can go by the same schedule as listed within each program. For costs of semesters and programs, out of state students should contact the program director for more information due to individual state licensure requirements.

Programs with Available Block Schedules

Cosmetology
Nail Technology

Welding

Cosmetology Instructor
Vocational Nursing

Cosmetology

(1 year program CIP: 120401)

Fall 2016 August 22 nd – December 13 th Cosmetology In District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$2529.94	Fall 2016 August 22 nd – December 13 th Cosmetology Out of District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$2929.94		
Spring 2017 January 17 th – May 11 th Cosmetology In District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$2035.00	Spring 2017 January 17 th – May 11 th Cosmetology Out of District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$2035.00		
Summer 2017 June 5 th – August 17 th Cosmetology In District Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Total Cost: \$1185.00	Summer 2017 June 5 th – August 17 th Cosmetology Out of District Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Total Cost: \$1435.00		
Block			
Course		Course Name	
Credit Hours			
1st Fall* Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm	CSME 1443	Manicuring & Related Theory (CSME)	4
	CSME 1310	Introduction to Haircutting & Related Theory	3
	CSME 1447	Principles of Skin Care/Facials & Related Theory	4
	CSME 1505	Fundamentals of Cosmetology	5
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for 1st semester: In District: \$2529.94 Out of District: \$2929.94			
2nd Spring* Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm	CSME 1553	Chemical Reformation & Related Theory	5
	CSME 2310	Intermediate Haircutting & Related Theory	3
	CSME 2337	Advanced Cosmetology Techniques	3
	CSME2501	Principles of Hair Coloring & Related Theory	5
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for 2nd semester: In District: \$1635.00 Out of District: \$2035.00			
3rd Summer* Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm	CSME 2539	Advanced Hair Design	5
	CSME 2541	Preparation for Texas Cosmetology Examination	5
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for 3rd semester: In District: \$1185.00 Out of District: \$1435.00			

Total Credit Hours for Completion of a Certificate in Cosmetology: 42

*Times and days only are dependent upon semester.

Cosmetology Instructor
(2 semester program CIP: 120413)

Fall 2016 August 22 nd – December 13 th Cosmetology Instructor In District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$1506.00		Fall 2016 August 22 nd – December 13 th Cosmetology Instructor Out of District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$1806.00	
Spring 2017 January 17 th – May 11 th Cosmetology Instructor In District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$942.00		Spring 2017 January 17 th – May 11 th Cosmetology Instructor Out of District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$1142.00	
Block	Course	Course Name	Credit Hours
1 st Fall* Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm	CSME 1434	Cosmetology Instructor I	4
	CSME 1435	Orientation to the Instructor of Cosmetology	4
	CSME2414	Cosmetology Instructor II	4
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for program: In District: \$1506.00 Out of District: \$1806.00			
2 nd Spring* Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm	CSME 2415	Cosmetology Instructor III	4
	CSME 2445	Instructional & Theory Clinical Operation	4
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for program: In District: \$942.00 Out of District: \$1142.00			

Total Credit Hours for Completion of a Certificate in Nail Technology: 20

*Times and days only are dependent upon semester.

Nail Technology

(1 semester program CIP: 120410)**

Any Semester Nail Technology In District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$2611.04		Any Semester Nail Technology Out of District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$3086.04	
Block	Course	Course Name	Credit Hours
1st	CSME 1330	Orientation to Nail Technology	3
Fall & Spring* Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Or Summer* Monday – Thursday	CSME 1431	Principles of Nail Technology I	4
	CSME1441	Principles of Nail Technology II	4
	CSME 1443	Manicuring & Related Theory (Nails)	4
	CSME 2430	Nail Enhancement	4
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for program: In District: \$2611.04 Out of District: \$3086.04			

Total Credit Hours for Completion of a Certificate in Nail Technology: 19

*Times and days only are dependent upon semester.

**Program may be taken over more than one semester.

Vocational Nursing*

(1 year program CIP: 513901)

Fall 2016 August 22 nd – December 13 th Vocational Nursing In District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$3741.49	Fall 2016 August 22 nd – December 13 th Vocational Nursing Out of District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$4166.49																																															
Spring 2017 January 17 th – May 11 th Vocational Nursing In District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$1944.00	Spring 2017 January 17 th – May 11 th Vocational Nursing Out of District Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 5:00 pm Total Cost: \$2294.00																																															
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for Fall semester: In District: \$3741.49 Out of District: \$4166.49																																																
1st Fall Monday – Friday 8 am – 4:30 pm	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 25%;">Block</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Course</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Course Name</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Credit Hours</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td rowspan="7" style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;"> 1st Fall Monday – Friday 8 am – 4:30 pm </td> <td>VNSG 1226</td> <td>Gerontology</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 1227</td> <td>Essentials of Medication Administration</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 1230</td> <td>Maternal-Neonatal Nursing</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 1231</td> <td>Pharmacology</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 1236</td> <td>Mental Health</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 1360</td> <td>Clinical-Practical Nurse Introductory</td> <td style="text-align: center;">3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 1402</td> <td>Applied Nursing Skills I</td> <td style="text-align: center;">4</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Block	Course	Course Name	Credit Hours	1st Fall Monday – Friday 8 am – 4:30 pm	VNSG 1226	Gerontology	2	VNSG 1227	Essentials of Medication Administration	2	VNSG 1230	Maternal-Neonatal Nursing	2	VNSG 1231	Pharmacology	2	VNSG 1236	Mental Health	2	VNSG 1360	Clinical-Practical Nurse Introductory	3	VNSG 1402	Applied Nursing Skills I	4	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 25%;">Block</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Course</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Course Name</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Credit Hours</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td rowspan="5" style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;"> 2nd Spring Monday & Friday 8 am – 4:30 pm Tuesday – Thursday 6:30 am – 4:30 pm </td> <td>VNSG 1234</td> <td>Pediatrics</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 1329</td> <td>Medical-Surgical I</td> <td style="text-align: center;">3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 1332</td> <td>Medical-Surgical II</td> <td style="text-align: center;">3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 2360</td> <td>Clinical-Practical Nurse Intermediate</td> <td style="text-align: center;">3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>VNSG 2363</td> <td>Clinical-Practical Nurse Advanced</td> <td style="text-align: center;">3</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Block	Course	Course Name	Credit Hours	2nd Spring Monday & Friday 8 am – 4:30 pm Tuesday – Thursday 6:30 am – 4:30 pm	VNSG 1234	Pediatrics	2	VNSG 1329	Medical-Surgical I	3	VNSG 1332	Medical-Surgical II	3	VNSG 2360	Clinical-Practical Nurse Intermediate	3	VNSG 2363	Clinical-Practical Nurse Advanced	3
Block	Course	Course Name	Credit Hours																																													
1st Fall Monday – Friday 8 am – 4:30 pm	VNSG 1226	Gerontology	2																																													
	VNSG 1227	Essentials of Medication Administration	2																																													
	VNSG 1230	Maternal-Neonatal Nursing	2																																													
	VNSG 1231	Pharmacology	2																																													
	VNSG 1236	Mental Health	2																																													
	VNSG 1360	Clinical-Practical Nurse Introductory	3																																													
	VNSG 1402	Applied Nursing Skills I	4																																													
Block	Course	Course Name	Credit Hours																																													
2nd Spring Monday & Friday 8 am – 4:30 pm Tuesday – Thursday 6:30 am – 4:30 pm	VNSG 1234	Pediatrics	2																																													
	VNSG 1329	Medical-Surgical I	3																																													
	VNSG 1332	Medical-Surgical II	3																																													
	VNSG 2360	Clinical-Practical Nurse Intermediate	3																																													
	VNSG 2363	Clinical-Practical Nurse Advanced	3																																													
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for Spring semester: In District: \$1944.00 Out of District: \$2294.00																																																

Total Credit Hours for Completion of a Certificate in Vocational Nursing: 48

*Pre-requisites are not included in the block.

Welding

(1 year program CIP: 480508)

Fall 2016 August 22 nd – December 13 th Welding In District Monday – Thursday Option 1: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Total Cost: \$1844.00	Fall 2016 August 22 nd – December 13 th Welding Out of District Monday – Thursday Option 1: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Total Cost: \$2144.00		
Spring 2017 January 17 th – May 11 th Welding In District Monday – Thursday Option 1: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Total Cost: \$1577.00	Spring 2017 January 17 th – May 11 th Welding In District Monday – Thursday Option 1: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Total Cost: \$1902.00		
Summer 2017 June 5 th – August 17 th Welding In District Monday – Thursday Option 1: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Total Cost: \$1658.00	Summer 2017 June 5 th – August 17 th Welding In District Monday – Thursday Option 1: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm Total Cost: \$1983.00		
Block			
	Course	Course Name	Credit Hours
1st Monday – Thursday Option 1*: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2*: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm	DFTG 1325	Blueprint Reading and Sketching	3
	WLDG 1204	Fundamentals of Oxy-Fuel Welding and Cutting	2
	WLDG 1317	Introduction to Layout Fabrication	3
	WLDG 1428	Intro. to Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW)	4
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for 1st semester: In District: \$1844.00 Out of District: \$2144.00			
2nd Monday – Thursday Option 1*: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2*: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm	WLDG 1206	Fundamentals of Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (GTAW)	2
	WLDG 1337	Intro. to Welding Metallurgy	3
	WLDG 1457	Intermediate Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW)	4
	WLDG2488	Internship – Welder/Welding Technologist	4
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for 2nd semester: In District: \$1577.00 Out of District: \$1902.00			
3rd Monday – Thursday Option 1*: 12:30 pm – 4:30 pm Option 2*: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm	WLDG 1202	Intro. to Gas Metal Arc Welding (GMAW)	2
	WLDG 1391	Special Topics	3
	WLDG 1435	Intro. to Pipe Welding	4
	WLDG 2451	Advanced Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (GTAW)	4
Approximate Cost of Tuition & Fees, Books, and other costs for 3rd semester: In District: \$1658.00 Out of District: \$1983.00			

Total Credit Hours for Completion of a Certificate in Welding: 38

*Option 1 or 2 maybe chosen each semester.