Course Repetition and Families of Courses

New State regulations severely limit the ability of courses to be repeated after receiving a passing grade. In addition, there are groupings of courses in the West Valley-Mission Community College District with similar active participatory content called ‘families’ within the Kinesiology, Wellness & Human Performance, Physical Education, Art, Theatre, and Music disciplines. West Valley and Mission Colleges’ courses in these defined families are linked, independent of location taken, and students may only attempt up to 4 courses in any single family. An attempt is defined as receiving any grade or notation (e.g., W for withdrawal) in any previous or current terms – this is a cumulative count of attempts. If a family has less than 4 courses in its offerings and you have received passing grades for each of its courses, the maximum attempts allowed may be less than 4.

Students with documented, extenuating circumstances must complete and submit a Student Petition to the Admissions & Records Office for consideration of attempts beyond 4 within an individual family.

Refer to the table in the on-line schedule, campus catalog or consult with a Counselor to review the full list of courses within families.

All courses, course sections, and classes of the District shall be open for enrollment to any person who has been admitted to West Valley-Mission Community College District or TIN as a student identifier – we assign a unique student ID to every student. Mission College does not use the SSN or TIN numbers to the IRS. This IRS mandate requires colleges to collect the SSN or TIN. A student may refuse to disclose his or her SSN or TIN to the IRS but the IRS is then authorized to fine the student in the amount of $50.

All SSNs and TINs collected as mandated are protected by federal regulations under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).

Notification of Tax Identification Numbers (TIN) or Social Security Numbers (SSN) Required Collection & Usage

Federal legislation relating to the Hope Tax Credit and Internal Revenue Service (IRS) 1098T production mandates that all colleges report student SSN or TIN numbers to the IRS. This IRS mandate requires colleges to collect the SSN or TIN. A student may refuse to disclose his or her SSN or TIN to the IRS but the IRS is then authorized to fine the student in the amount of $50.

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The information in this schedule is accurate as of the printing date, November 1, 2013.

For the most up-to-date course listings, go to: www.missioncollege.edu and click on MC Portal and log on. Or choose Search for Courses under the Top Destinations on the right-hand side of the home page.

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