NNHS CTE Advanced Floral Design
Syllabus

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Mission

To educate students to be self-directed learners, collaborative workers, complex thinkers, quality producers, and community contributors

Course Description

This course builds upon basic floral design skills. Students will cover weddings, funerals, banquets, holiday and other complex styles used in the floral industry today. Students will learn more about flowers and foliages continuing from the basic floral design course. Preserving and using preserved flowers will be stressed. Students will learn business practices and other employability skills, including taking floral orders, floral accounting, customer relations, and starting a business. Career opportunities will be discussed. This may be used for a Fine Arts credit.

Course Learning Standards and Grading

**Standard 1 – AFNR.PS.02.** Apply principles of classification, plant anatomy, and plant physiology, plant production and management
- Units: Flower and Foliage Identification
  - Blooming Plant Identification
  - Conditioning of Cut Flowers and Foliage

**Standard 2 – AFNR.PS.04.** Apply principles of design in plant systems to enhance and environment (e.g. flora, forest landscape, and farm).
- Units: Design Elements & Principles
  - Bow making
  - Boutonnieres
  - Corsages
  - Novelty and Theme
  - Centerpieces
  - Budvases
  - Bridal

**Standard 3 – AFNR.ABS.05.** Use sales and marketing principles to accomplish AFNR business objectives.
- Units: Costs & Marketing
  - Ordering

Semester Grade Calculation for Each Semester:

Coursework: 85% Semester Grade
- **Standard 1:** 20% of Course Work
- **Standard 2:** 40% of Course Work
- **Standard 3:** 20% of Course Work
- **Standard 4:** 20% of Course Work

Final Exam: 15% of Semester Grade
Grading Disbursement:

A= 90-100  B= 80-89  C= 70-79  D=60-69  F= <59

Grades are rounded to the nearest percentage point

Reassessment Policy - (retakes are only on summative work, excluding final exams):
1. Students are only allowed retakes on assessments which they receive a 79% or below.
2. The maximum grade the student can get on the retake is an 80%.
3. The higher of the two scores will be entered in Infinite Campus.
4. The retake times and locations are left up to the individual teacher.
5. Students are required to meet with the teacher to determine additional practice to be completed before reassessment.

Communication
- Teachers make every effort to respond to emails and phone calls within 48 hours during the work week.
- The best way to communicate with teachers is through email; however, if you haven’t received a response in 48 hours, please resend the email or stop into the CTE office, Room 125, or Room 132.

Academic Assistance for students:
- By appointment with your teacher

Parents and Guardians
- Please check Infinite Campus for student progress
  - Grading in Infinite Campus will be accurate only at Mid-Quarter and Quarter. Prior to those dates, the grade reflected is fluid
  - Infinite Campus is a communication tool which reflects student progress and learning until final grade is posted
- Please ask your student about his or his learning in the course
- Check with your individual teacher for classroom procedures, assessment schedules, and upcoming events