# El Paso Community College Syllabus Part II Official Course Description

| SUBJECT AREA             | <u>Music</u>          |
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| COURSE RUBRIC AND NUMBER | MUSI 1182             |
| COURSE TITLE             | Piano Class II        |
| COURSE CREDIT HOURS      | 1 0 3 Credits Lec Lab |

#### I. Catalog Description

Continues piano instruction, second semester. Open to all. Prerequisite: MUSI 1181. (0:3). Lab fee.

### II. Course Objectives

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

- A. Demonstrate the use of proper fingering, hand position, and control on the keyboard through playing the major scales in parallel motion two octaves and chords hands together.
- B. Sight read and play moderately easy piano literature, solo, or in ensembles.
- C. Demonstrate an understanding of more extensive music symbols and terminology, more complex rhythm patterns, and basic harmony.

#### III. Evaluation

- A. The student will be evaluated on the basis of 6 piano performance tests of assigned material (major/minor, compound rhythms, sixteenth notes, dotted eighth/sixteenth note combinations, 12 major scales with I-IV-V7 chords) and 5 class review tests on notation, rhythm, and harmony, that will be either written or oral.
- B. The final exam will include written work over the principles of notation, rhythm, and harmony, as well as the performance of one piece selected by the student and the instructor.
- C. Grades from the 6 keyboard performance tests and 5 class review tests will be added to the final exam and converted to the following scale:

90 to 100 = A 80 to 90 = B 70 to 80 = C 60 to 70 = D below 60 = F

## IV. Disability Statement (American with/Disabilities Act [ADA])

EPCC offers a variety of services to persons with documented sensory, mental, physical, or temporary disabling conditions to promote success in classes. If you have a disability and believe you may need services, you are encouraged to contact the Center for Students with Disabilities to discuss your needs with a counselor. All discussions and documentation are kept confidential. Offices located: VV Rm C-112 (831-2426); TM Rm 1400 (831-5808); RG Rm B-201 (831-4198); NWC Rm M-54 (831-8815); and MDP Rm A-125 (831-7024).

# V. 6 Drop Rule

Students who began attending Texas public institutions of higher education for the first time during the Fall 2007 semester or later are subject to a 6-Drop limit for all undergraduate classes. Developmental, ESL, Dual Credit and Early College High School classes are exempt from this rule. All students should consult with their instructor before dropping a class. Academic assistance is available. Students are encouraged to see Counseling Services if dropping because exemptions may apply. Refer to the EPCC catalog and website for additional information.