Basic Course Information: Aviation Maintenance Technician Program

Course Number(s): AMT03 and AMT04

Section Number(s): 6103 and 6104

Class rooms: AT B201

Class hours: (4:45 – 8:10) and (8:10 – 10:25)

Title: Basic Aircraft Science and Basic Aircraft Science Lab.

Instructor’s name: Mr. Moy JM

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Office hours: Monday – Thursday (3:30 pm - 4:00 pm)

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Disabled Students Programs & Services

DSP&S opens doors for students with special physical, communication or learning needs. DSP&S is located on the First Floor of HRLC phone number 310-287-4450. In addition, DSP&S students may qualify for: priority registration, registration assistance, special parking permits, sign language, interpreters and assistive technology.

Prerequisite/Co-Requisite:
Recommended: Co-requisite, AMT03 and AMT04 must be taken concurrently.

Required textbooks:

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<td>FAA-H-8083-30; FAA-H-8083-31; FAA-H-8083-32 (or equivalent textbooks and workbooks, as are currently available)</td>
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Recommended materials/equipment:

Course(s) description overview:

Instruction is offered in applied mathematics, physics, aircraft drawing, and woodworking, application of aircraft coverings, doping, and corrosion control.

Course(s) learning goals/objectives:

This course will help students achieve the following institutional Student Learning Outcomes: To provide the student with a broad understanding in areas of mathematics, physics, aircraft wood, aircraft drawings, aircraft fabric coverings, various paints and doping, and composite materials and repairs.

The student will identify and use the basic mathematics and physics related to the aviation maintenance field. Student will understand terminology and proper usage applied to aircraft wood structures, aircraft drawing and blueprints, aircraft covering, aircraft finishes, corrosion control and composite repairs.

Students Learning Outcomes

1. Student will be able to use basic mathematics and physics applies to aviation maintenance field.
2. Student will be able to understand and describe principles of physics as used in aviation, using mathematic formulas and procedures necessary to quantitative values.
3. Student will be able to apply fabric coverings, finishes and make repairs to airworthiness standards.
4. Student will learn and understand terminology on aircraft drawing and blueprints.
5. Student will know proper repairs, inspection of composite materials and corrosion control.
6. Student will be able to make independent and airworthiness judgment as well as able to perform all skill operations to a return-to-service standard using appropriate data, tools and equipment.

Tentative Schedule: (September 1, 2014 – October 26, 2014)

Week 1: Orientation
- Math (Gen 1)
  1. Arithmetic
  2. Algebra
  3. Geometry and Trigonometry

Week 2:
- Physics (Gen 2)
  1. Matter and Energy
  2. Work, Power, Force, and Motion
  3. Gas and Fluid Mechanics
  4. Aerodynamics
  5. High-Speed Aerodynamics
  6. Helicopter Aerodynamics
Week 3:
- Aircraft Drawings (Gen 5)
  1. Types of Drawings
  2. Drawing Practices
  3. Charts and Graphs

Week 4:
- Corrosion Control (Gen 12)
  1. Aircraft Cleaning
  2. Types of Corrosion
  3. Corrosion Detection
  4. Treatment of Corrosion

Week 5:
- Aircraft Wood structures (AF 3A)
  1. Types of aircraft wood (s) and aircraft wood structures

Week 6:
- Fabric Covering (AF 5)
  1. Fabric Covering Processes
  2. Covering Procedures
  3. Inspection and Repair of Fabric Covering

Week 7:
- Paint and Finishes (AF 6)
  1. Fabric Finishing Processes
  2. Aircraft Painting Processes
  3. Finishing Equipment and Safety

Week 8:
- Composite Structures (AF 3B)
  1. Inspection, testing and repair of fiberglass, plastics, honeycomb and composite
  2. Inspection of bonded primary and secondary structures

**Instructional Methods:**

Lecture with PowerPoint presentation, video presentation of subject matter, chalk (white) board and hand out materials.

**Lecture and class participation:** Reading assignments are given in class. Lecture and class discussions will follow the order in the book being used. You are requested and encouraged to participate in the lecture classes. Participation is important and can make a difference in your grade.

**Lab and participation:** You are required to complete all lab assignments to receive a passing grade in lab. Lab projects may consist but not limited to the following projects: assigned workbook assignments, group project assignments, and aircraft drawings.

**Grading System:** A grade of “C” or better is required for FAA credit (14 CFR Part 147)

**Lecture grade** – all lecture (Subject Areas) test scores (80%); PowerPoint presentation (5%); Final exam (10%) and attendance/class participation (5%).
**Lab grade rating scale:** Practical/Skills (50%), Oral/Knowledge (50%)

1. A (90-100%) demonstrates the ability to take accurate measurements and accurately follow maintenance procedures.
2. B (80-89%) demonstrates competence in taking measurements and competence following procedures.
3. C (70-79%) demonstrates understanding of the basic principles and procedures.
4. D (60-69%) demonstrates only partial basic understanding of correct procedure.
5. F (<70%) demonstrates no understanding of correct procedure. Incomplete lab assignments.

**Policies**

**Attendance policy:**

Students will sign in upon arrival on a daily class attendance sheet provided by the instructor for each class, and the instructor will hold a roll call to verify the presence of each student (at the start of the class, after lunch and at end of the class). There is a strong correlation between attendance and grades. Poor attendance goes along with poor grades.

You are responsible for information, exams, date changes etc. Presented in class whether you are present or not.

Minimum hours required by CFR 147.21(b) (1) (2) (3) are 400 hours for General Subjects, CFR 147.21 (C) 750 hours for Airframe Subjects and CFR 147 (D) 750 hours for Powerplant Subjects, totaling 1900 hours. (WLAC: Gen – 420, AF – 866, PP – 874)

To meet the code of Federal Regulation (14 CFR Part 147) related to attendance a student may be absent without make-up time as long as the total instruction hours meet the minimum hours required by 14CFR Part 147.21 General curriculum requirements (b)(1)(2)(3). **Note:** All lost time for General Curriculum Subjects Appendix B to Part 147 will require make-up time.

When a student absences or tardiness beyond **FIVE (5) DAYS** the instructor has the right to exclude the student from class at his/her discretion.

Time can be made up but it is at the **sole discretion** of the instructor, and the instructor is **not required** to allow you to make up (absences or tardiness) time.

Add slips must be completed and processed with admissions by the end of the first week of class. If you fail to do so you will be excluded from the class.

**West Los Angeles College “Standards of Student Conduct”** (Refer to the catalog and the Standards of Student Conduct in the Schedule of Classes for more information.). This includes on plagiarism, classroom disruption, cell-phone noise, or other issues.

**Safety Rules**

**Eye protection** – is required by each student and must be worn at all time in labs when working on any project/operating any machinery may cause hazardous if is not worn.

**Loose clothing** – may not be worn in the labs as it constitutes a safety hazard.

**Shoes** – shoe must be worn in all lab classes. Sandals and open toe shoes are not acceptable in labs.
Recommendations for student success:

1. Be in class every day, on time, and stay for the entire time.
2. Be prepared to work, and have your tools with you.
3. Learn to be organized.
4. Study and review for each day.
5. Keep up in the workbooks and do not fall behind.
6. Find someone in the class you can call if you miss a class so you know what is happening with the class.
7. If you do not know, ask. Remember the only stupid question is the one you did not ask! Keep in mind that nobody knows everything, so ask your question because the person seating next to you may not know!

* Standards of Student Conduct - Things to know on code of conduct * (Refer to the catalog and the Standards of Student Conduct in the Schedule of Classes for more information.)

The West LA College faculty, staff and administrators are dedicated to maintaining an optimal learning environment and will not tolerate any disruptive behavior in or outside of the classroom or any academic dishonesty. These standards apply to all students. Disruptive, disrespectful, or obstructive behavior will be dealt with in accordance with the LACCD Standard of Student conduct. Disciplinary action can be taken if student behavior interferes with instruction. (Refer to the catalog and the Standards of Student Conduct in the Schedule of Classes for more information.)

- Warning—A verbal or written notice, given to the student by the instructor.
- Removal by the Instructor—An instructor may remove a student from class for the day of the incident and the next class meeting. During the period of removal, the student shall not return to the class from which he or she was removed without the permission of the Vice President of Student Services.

Cell Phones and Lap Tops
Cell phones must be on vibrating mode, as a courtesy to your classmates and your professor. It is not acceptable to take phone calls or text in class. If you have to answer an emergency phone call, please step out of the classroom. You may take notes in class on your laptop, but do not let that be a distraction to participating in class.

Electronic Mail
E-mail is the best and quickest way to communicate with me. Every WLAC student has an e-mail address. Check your Student.LACCD@Edu account daily/weekly and to access your account visit www.wlac.edu, then click on the Student Email button. To log in use your student ID # and your birthday and month. Your Student.LACCD@Edu email can be forwarded to any other personal email account.

Dropping the course
According to college policy, you will be excluded for excessive absences or for not following the Standards of Student Conduct (printed in the Schedule of Classes). If you drop the course, be sure to do so at the Admissions and Business Offices and keep your receipt. Pay attention to drop dates in the Schedule of Classes. See below for the important date:

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**Classroom and Campus Cleanliness**

Please help us keep the classroom and campus grounds clean. No food or beverages, except for water, is permitted inside instructional classrooms/labs. Please use the receptacles to dispose of trash. All students must take part in shop cleanup prior to Lab class end time.

**Instructional Support and Monitoring**

- Monitor your academic progress online at [www.wlac.edu](http://www.wlac.edu) click “Counseling, Assessment and Orientation,” then on the DegreeWorks icon, or visit the Counseling Office.
- For instructional support and assistance with research projects, visit the Learning Skills Center and Library in HLRC.

**Required tooling list**

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<td>File - 8” smooth cut</td>
<td>Hammer - soft face and Ball peen 8oz</td>
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<td>Ratchet - 1/4” and 3/8” drive</td>
<td>Breaker bar - 1/4” and 3/8” drive</td>
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<td>Extension 1/4” drive - 3” and 6”</td>
<td>Pliers 6” slip joint and Diagonal 7”</td>
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<td>Set of Pin Punches</td>
<td>Scale 6”, 64th and 100ths</td>
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<td>Adapter (reducer) 3/8” to 1/4”</td>
<td>Combination square 12”</td>
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Student Acknowledgment (Fall 2014 AMT 03 & AMT 04)
(Please return this sheet to the instructor)

“I ________________________________, have completely read this syllabus and understand and agree to the course requirements.”

Please indicate below, any special needs or circumstances that may have some impact on your work in this class, and for which you may require special accommodations, including but not limited to physical or mental disabilities, inability to arrive in class on time or need to leave class early, and observance of religious holidays.

Special needs or circumstances:

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