

PROCEDURE LIT.9.13.01 COURSE NUMBERING

SCOPE: Faculty, Staff, and Students

1. The majority of lecture courses meet three hours each week and have a credit value of three semester hours.
2. Lamar Institute of Technology (LIT) participates in the Texas Common Course Numbering System.
 - 2.1. Each course has an individual alphanumeric code (such as CDED 1311).
 - 2.1.1. The rubric (in this example: CDED) is a 4-character alphabetic abbreviation for the academic discipline.
 - 2.1.2. The first digit (in this example: 1311) generally indicates the level of the course:
 - 2.1.2.1. “1”, means it is freshman level, and
 - 2.1.2.2. “2”, means it is sophomore level.
 - 2.2. The second figure (in this example: 1311) indicates the credit value of the course, expressed in semester hours.
3. Course credits are often expressed with three digits separated by colons such as (3:1:4). This code provides the following information:
 - 3.1. The first number (3) is the semester hours of credit for the course.
 - 3.2. The second number (1) is the number of lecture hours per week.
 - 3.3. The third number (4) is the required laboratory hours per week.

Related Policies: LIT.9.13 Schedule Building

Relevant Forms/Documents:

Relevant TSUS Policies/Forms/Documents:

Relevant Statutes:

Relevant SACSOC Standards:

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