

**CAREER INTERNSHIP & WORK EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITIES (CONT)**

Subject	Course Numbers	Units per course	Grade level offered				Prerequisites and related information
			9	10	11	12	
<b>Career Exploration Internship</b>	089641	0.5			X	X	Approval of cooperative work experience teacher
<b>Career Emphasis Internship</b>	089642	1			X	X	Approval of cooperative work experience teacher

**Career Exploration Internship (089641)** Students will have an opportunity to learn first-hand about a career of interest by volunteering (unpaid) at a business or community work site. A written proposal will be jointly agreed upon between the student and the cooperative work experience teacher. This can also include working in a school setting if the student has a faculty member who will be their sponsor/supervisor. Students will perform a variety of tasks that expose them to many facets of their career choice. The internship will enable students to obtain valuable knowledge and skills to help them make informed decisions about their future. Students must have at least a 2.5 GPA, an excellent attendance/discipline record, and a recommendation from a teacher/counselor. Applications may be picked up from the student's counselor. (See page 10 for details.)

**Career Emphasis Internship (089642)** Students will have an opportunity to work at one or more sites to gain in-depth knowledge and skills first-hand about one or more career fields. A written proposal will be jointly agreed upon between the student and the cooperative work experience teacher. Work experiences may consist of a variety of timeframes with possible periods of unemployment filled with volunteer service projects, self-directed studies, and school-related activities. Students may be paid for some of their work, but it depends on the situation(s). Placements will be dependent upon available sites and the student's skills. Students must have at least a 2.5 GPA, an excellent attendance/discipline record, and a recommendation from a teacher/ counselor. Recommendations for scholarship applications and opportunities for future employment based on contacts made during a successful internship experience are excellent. Applications may be picked up from the student's counselor. (See page 10 for details.)

**DRIVER EDUCATION**

Subject	Units per course	Grade level offered				Prerequisites and related information
		9	10	11	12	
<b>Driver Education</b>			X	X	X	Offered at Mississippi Bend AEA – 359-1371

**ESL (ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE) WEST HIGH ONLY**

Subject	Course Numbers	Units per course	Grade level offered				Prerequisites and related information
			9	10	11	12	
<b>ESL Writing- Level 1 (2 terms)</b>	101131 /101132	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Writing – Level 2 (2 terms)</b>	101134 /101135	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Writing – Level 3 (2 terms)</b>	101137 /101147	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Writing – Level 4 (2 terms)</b>	101138 /101148	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Reading – Level 1 (2 terms)</b>	103111 /103112	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Reading – Level 2 (2 terms)</b>	103121 /103122	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Reading – Level 3 (2 terms)</b>	103131 /103132	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Reading – Level 4 (2 terms)</b>	103141 /103142	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Math (2-terms)</b>	201211 /201212	1	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Transition Class</b>	083211	0.5	X	X	X	X	None
<b>ESL Science - Level 1 (2-term course)</b>	170111 /170112	1	X	X	X	X	None (Odd Years 2009-2010, etc.)
<b>ESL Science - Level 2 (2-term course)</b>	170113 /170114	1	X	X	X	X	None (Odd Years 2009-2010 etc.)

**ESL (ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE) WEST HIGH ONLY (CONT)**

<b>ESL Human Biology - Level 1</b> (2-term course)	171111 /171112	1	X	X	X	X	None (Even year 2008-2009, etc.)
<b>ESL Human Biology - Level 2</b> (2-term course)	171113 /171114	1	X	X	X	X	None (Even year 2008-2009, etc.)
<b>ESL American Government-Level 1</b>	273012	0.5	X	X	X	X	None (Even Years 2008-2009, etc.) Offered 4 <sup>th</sup> term only
<b>ESL American Government-Level 2</b>	273013	0.5	X	X	X	X	None (Even Years 2008-2009, etc.) Offered 4 <sup>th</sup> term only
<b>ESL American History-Level 1</b>	272101	0.5	X	X	X	X	None (Even Years 2008-2009, etc.) Offered 3 <sup>rd</sup> term only
<b>ESL American History-Level 2</b>	272102	0.5	X	X	X	X	None (Even Years 2008-2009, etc.) Offered 3 <sup>rd</sup> term only
<b>ESL Economics - Level 1</b>	274111	0.5	X	X	X	X	None (Odd Years 2009-2010, etc.) Offered 3 <sup>rd</sup> term only
<b>ESL Economics - Level 2</b>	274112	0.5	X	X	X	X	None (Odd Years 2009-2010, etc.) Offered 3 <sup>rd</sup> term only
<b>ESL Geography - Level 1</b>	270111	0.5	X	X	X	X	None (Odd Years 2009-2010, etc.) Offered 4 <sup>th</sup> term only
<b>ESL Geography - Level 2</b>	270116	0.5	X	X	X	X	None (Odd Years 2009-2010, etc.) Offered 4 <sup>th</sup> term only

**ESL Writing (101131/101132 - Level 1; 101134 - Level 2; 101137 - Level 3; 101138 Level 4)** This course is geared to help English Language Learners improve their writing skills. Instruction will also focus on grammar, punctuation and speaking and listening skills. Support for students in mainstream classes will be provided where needed.

**ESL Reading (103111 - Level 1; 103121 - Level 2; 103131 - Level 3; 103141 - Level 4)** This course is geared to help English Language Learners improve their reading skills, especially vocabulary and comprehension. Instruction will also focus on grammar, punctuation, and speaking and listening skills. Support for students in mainstream classes will be provided where needed.

**ESL Math (201211/201212)** A remedial class for those ESL students lacking basic skills in mathematics. Basic operations with whole numbers, fractions, and decimals, as well as necessary vocabulary are taught.

**ESL Transition (083211)** ESL Transition Class is a support class targeting English Language Learners who don't need intensive ESL services, but do need support for their other classes. In addition, through this course, students will develop study skills to help them become independent learners. This class can only be taken for one term elective credit.

**The following content-area classes are taught at two levels of difficulty to meet the needs of the students at differing levels of English proficiency. Level 1 is for beginning students.)**

**ESL Science (170111/170112 - Level 1; 170113/170114 - Level 2)** A two-term science class for ELL's. First-term study centers on the earth and its structure and the natural chemical and physical processes that affect it. Second-term study centers on the weather and climate of the earth. It also focuses on the earth and its relationship to outer space. ESL Science offered on alternate years beginning with an odd number, i.e. 2009-2010.

**ESL Human Biology (171111/171112 - Level 1; 171113/171114 - Level 2)** A two-term biology class for ELL's. Study centers on the human body and the structures, functions, and processes of its systems. ESL Human Biology is offered on alternate years beginning with an even number, i.e. 2008-2009.

**ESL American Government (273012 - Level 1; 273013 - Level 2)** A class for ESL students to learn the basic structure of the United States government. This course includes a study of the Constitution, and federal, state, and local governments. ESL Government is offered on alternate years beginning with an even number, i.e. 2008-2009.

**ESL American History (272101 - Level 1; 272102 - Level 2)** A class for ELL's to learn the basics of American history starting with the Native Americans and exploration of the New World. ESL American History is offered on alternate years beginning with an even number, i.e. 2008-2009.

**ESL Economics (274111 - Level 1; 274112 - Level 2)** A class for ESL students to learn the basic concepts of consumer economics that will be useful in every day life. ESL Economics is offered on alternate years beginning with an odd number, i.e. 2009-2010.

**ESL Geography (270111 - Level 1; 270116 - Level 2)** A study of the basic concepts of U.S. and world geography geared for the ESL student. ESL Geography is offered on alternate years beginning with an odd number, i.e. 2009-2010.