

**J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College  
Course Content Summary**

**Course Prefix and Number:** CIV 299

**Credits:** 3

**Course Title:** Supervised Study in Civil Engineering: CAD for Hydraulics and Drainage Design

**Course Description:** Assigns problems for independent study, incorporating previous instruction, and supervised by the instructor. Develops expertise in the use of computer-aided design specifically in relation to the design of drainage and hydraulic systems as addressed in civil engineering projects. Prerequisite: MTH 115. Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 3 hours. Total 5 hours per week.

**General Course Purpose:** This is a CAD-based course that will enable students to execute projects designed to develop their knowledge of principles and practices involving drainage and flow design in civil engineering.

**Course Prerequisites and Co-requisites:**

Prerequisite: MTH 115

**Course Objectives:**

Upon completing the course, the student will be able to

- a. Utilize CAD technology in civil engineering hydraulic/drainage design;
- b. Modify site characteristics to accommodate drainage flow;
- c. Perform quantity takeoff and volume calculations; and
- d. Create plan profile sheets.

**Major Topics to Be Included:**

- a. Analysis of topology and site contour
- b. Surface 3D development
- c. Pipe networks – configuration and layout
- d. Pond grading
- e. Determination of mass haul and material volumes

**Effective Date of Course Content Summary:** February 15, 2012