EMIS Change 26-31: Updates to CTE subject codes Public Comment open from December 5, 2024, through January 3, 2025

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This change adds several Arts & Communications subject codes, adds several Information Technology subject codes, and updates the names of a four subject codes.

SECTION 4.7: SUBJECT CODES

CAREER-TECHNICAL EDUCATION SECTION

Workforce Development Section

Table 20. Career Field 02: Arts & Communications Codes (04xxxx, 34xxxx)

Subject Code	Description	Suggested Subject Area for Credit	Core Subject Area (for proper cert)
340110	Introduction to Media Arts-Primer In this first course of the Media Arts pathway students will learn the basics of how to convey messages through journalism, commercial ad- vertising, and marketing. They review the accuracy and impact of words and visuals used in news, advertisements, and commercials. They learn essential terminology and basic tools for delivering mes- sages. They understand the content length, deadlines, and responsi- bilities of various delivery channels.	СТА	_
340210	Introduction to Performing Arts-Primer In this first course for the Performing Arts pathway, students examine how music, dance and theatre disciplines connect to create a produc- tion. They compare and contrast different genres, social contexts, and cultural aspects of dance, music and theatre from early Greek to pre- sent day. They learn the role of stagecraft, including new and emerg- ing technology.	СТА	_
340216	Fundamentals of Dance Students will explore dance as a career field and various career oppor- tunities within the field. Students learn the necessary skills and apti- tudes to be a successful dancer, exhibiting various dance steps, and the artistic dynamics of performance. Maintenance of physical and mental health is prioritized. The course will focus on introducing stu- dents to the vocabulary and fundamentals of dance as well as the re- lationships among theatrical disciplines.	<u>CTA</u>	
340217	Applied Techniques in Dance This advanced course is for students who are interested in pursuing dance professionally. The course is designed to further the concepts, skills, and techniques introduced in previous CTE dance courses. The course is structured to mirror professional practices and standards. Students will design and produce a dance production from start to fin- ish while holding key leadership positions in the production process.	<u>CTA</u>	

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<u>340246</u>	Fundamentals of Musical Theatre	<u>CTA</u>	_
	In this course, students will explore music, dance, and acting with the		
	goal of integrating them into a musical theatre performance. Students will identify important skills and knowledge necessary for a successful		
	career in musical theatre. Students will understand how to prepare		
	for a musical theatre performance, including audition, practice, re-		
	hearsal, and tech week.		
340247	Musical Theatre Production	СТА	_
	Production for musical theatre requires specific knowledge of design		
	elements, production processes, and business techniques to create		
	successful work. In this course, students will focus on the allied skills		
	needed to produce work for the musical theatre stage. Students will		
	be able to produce an independent theatre show, including produc-		
	tion elements, at the completion of this course.		
<u>340252</u>	Fundamentals of Technical Theatre	<u>CTA</u>	—
	This course is an introduction to technical theater and the elements		
	that contribute to the visual and spectacle elements of a production. Students will explore the fields of stage lighting, scenery construction,		
	sound design, stage rigging, costuming, and makeup. Historical appli-		
	cations, production research, elements of art and color theory, tools,		
	and terminology will be explored in relation to one or more of the ar-		
	eas of technical theater while demonstrating the collaborative nature		
	of the field.		
340253	Skills and Application in Technical Theatre	CTA	_
	This course is designed to provide a focused and hands-on experience		
	for students to develop the skills needed to specialize in one or more		
	of the areas needed to be a theater technician. An emphasis is placed		
	on demonstrating the collaborative nature of the field. Students will		
	develop the skills to capably fill roles on backstage running crews for		
240254	all types of theatrical and other productions.	CTA	
<u>340254</u>	Advanced Theatre Design and Technology The course is designed to further the concepts, skills, and techniques	<u>CTA</u>	—
	used in the performing arts fields of lighting, sound, and scenic design		
	and construction introduced in previous CTE technical theatre		
	courses. Structured to mirror current industry practices and standards		
	for technical theatre, students will get hands-on experience in one or		
	more areas of technical theater while working productions and other		
	performances.		
340310	Introduction to Visual Design Primer	СТА	—
	Visual design takes the form of charts, drawings, boxes and more. In		
	this first course for the Visual Design and Imaging pathway, students		
	gain a perspective of symbols, typography and product output. They		
	acquire basic knowledge of today's role of graphics in communication		

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	industries. Focusing on the consumer, students analyze products and create their own designs for critique. They learn how safety, dead- lines, teamwork, and ethics relate to the work.		
340350	Social Media Communications In this course, students will learn concepts and principles used in so- cial media communications. Students will learn data-driven marketing and communications strategies and how to apply them to various forms of social media. Students will discuss social, historical, ethical, and economic dimensions of social media.		_

Table 29. Career Field 12: Information Technology Codes (14xxxx)

Subject Code	Description	Suggested Subject Area for Credit	Core Subject Area (for proper cert)
145005	Introduction to Information Technology This first course in the IT career field is designed to provide students with a working knowledge of computer concepts and essential skills necessary for work and communication in today's society. Students will learn safety, security, and ethical issues in computing and social networking. Students will also learn about input/output systems, computer hardware and operating systems, and office applications.	СТА	_
145130	Applications of Artificial Intelligence This course will prepare students to apply artificial intelligence, ma- chine learning, and neural networks to common workflows, pro- cesses, and problems in programming and design. Students will ana- lyze the broader societal, technological, and ethical impacts and im- plications of its usage and development. Students will learn how to construct prompts and queries and how to critically analyze generated responses.	<u>CTA</u>	
<u>145135</u>	Fundamentals of Operating Systems Students will perform desktop client administrator duties by providing support for users in various work environments including professional offices, small businesses, work groups, departments, and/or corpo- rate information services (IS). Students will learn to install, configure, and update commercial and open-source operating systems.	<u>CTA</u>	
145140	Hard Surface Modeling Students will use current industry standard commercial and open- source programming software to create 3D visual elements in a web or standalone environment. Students will learn how to create static objects using polygonal modeling for applications like environmental design and level building. Students will learn standard techniques for preparing, smoothing, sculpting, and surfacing 3D objects.	<u>CTA</u>	_

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<u>145145</u>	Introduction to GIS In this course students will be introduced to geospatial information systems and the basic principles of cartography, coordinate systems, and map projections. Students will learn to analyze data for quality and accuracy, assess the quality of data sources, and interface with spatial databases.	<u>CTA</u>	_
<u>145150</u>	Introduction to Programming Concepts Students will learn basic concepts in computer science and program- ming. Students will learn about logical reasoning, decision trees, trou- bleshooting, and problem solving. Students will be introduced to nu- merous programming languages and learn their various uses.	CTA	_
<u>145155</u>	Organic Modeling Students will use current industry standard commercial and open- source programming software to create 3D visual elements in a web or standalone environment. Students will learn basic principles and techniques for modeling naturally occurring objects such as humans, plants, animals, and creatures.	CTA	<u> </u>
<u>145160</u>	Personal Computers Students will learn to install, repair, and troubleshoot computer hard- ware systems. They will perform preventative maintenance practices and learn techniques for maintaining computer hardware security. Communication skills and professionalism in troubleshooting situa- tions will be emphasized.		
<u>145165</u>	User-Focused Design Principles Students will learn the principles of designing user-centric experiences and apply them to issues in programming and design. Students will learn vision mapping, wireframing, and skeuomorphic design. Stu- dents will learn to conduct user-focused research, including develop- ing user tasks and personas. Students will learn how human psychol- ogy influences consumers interacting with a program or design.		_