Curriculum Committee Agenda

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March 10, 2026 • 2:30-4:30 pm • Hall of Fame

Zoom link for 2025-2026 public attendees: https://rccd-edu.zoom.us/j/84509114251?pwd=vbRhaHTaCtObtbCVNdLM2PWTICCV8S.1

1. Call to Order

2. Approval of the Agenda
   The agenda will be reviewed, discussed, and considered for approval.

3. **Approval of Minutes: February 24, 2026**
   The minutes will be reviewed, discussed, and considered for approval.

4. Public comment
   Public comment period provided for members of the public; Curriculum Committee Chair may limit comment period by a vote of the committee.

5. **Action Items:** See curriculum proposals below

6. Reports

   a. Curriculum Chair – Kelly Douglass

      i. Phase IIB Reminders & Discipline lead inquiry – June 5 launch

      ii. Phase III – Fall 2028 (June 2027 local launch) is earliest possible now

   b. Articulation Officer – Nicole Banerjee

   c. Curriculum Coordinator – *Vacant* (Casandra Greene filling in):

      i. TOP/CIP report update

      ii. Very important dates:

         1. Friday, April 17 email received

         2. Friday, May 15 email reply deadline

   d. Tech Review Chair – Steven Schmidt

   e. Academic Standards – Brock Russell

   f. VPAA – Lynn Wright

   g. ASRCC Co-Representatives – Isabella Semin and Abraham Jefferson

   h. SAAM-related tips from the disciplines

   i. Equity-Minded Curriculum

Riverside City College MISSION: Riverside City College serves a diverse community of learners by offering certificates, degrees, and transfer programs that help students achieve their educational and career goals. The college strives to improve the social and economic mobility of its students and communities by being ready to meet students where they are, valuing and supporting each student in the successful attainment of their goals and promoting an inclusive, equity-focused environment.

VISION: Riverside City College strives to provide excellent educational opportunities that are responsive to the diverse needs of its students and communities, and empowers both to be active participants in shaping the future.

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7. Curriculum Policy & Procedure:

    a. Tech Review Committee return proposal information

    b. Spring Curriculum elections

8. Open Forum
    Discussion forum provided for members of the committee to clarify points on agendized topics or request an item be added to a future agenda..

9. Next Meeting: March 24, 2026

Action Items:

1. **Technical/Proofreading edits** from shared spreadsheet – *list ONLY items that are technical/grammar edits and require NO discussion to fix*
2. **Modifications**
    a. Course Major Modifications: pg. 2-3
    b. Program (Certificate/Degree) Modifications: pg. 3
3. **RCC Catalog Additions/Removals**: Course Deletions: pg. 3
4. **New Curriculum**
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    b. New Programs (Certificates/Degrees): pg. 4
5. **Curriculum System Changes**: Distance Education: pg. 4

Information Items: All Information and Action Items for MVC and NC: p. 4-5

1. Course Deletions
2. Course Exclusions
3. Course Inclusions
4. State/Locally Approved Certificate/Degree Modifications

Attachments: February 24, 2026 minutes

Action Items:

-   Technical Corrections on Spreadsheet https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1egOnWLuOsuJ-3EH78lLS_MaELvZSlr5jXLVequ6np64/edit#gid=2018103253
    See "Proposal Review Spreadsheet"

Proposal Link	Long_Title	*Rationale*	Campus	CCRIV_ Decision
Course Major Modifications				
CUL-825	Menu Planning	*This course has been reviewed and requires no changes except for a Textbook update at this time.* *Held at December 9 meeting to wait for program update because hours changed [Program not on 09 December 2025 agenda]*	R	
CUL-826	Food Cost Accounting	*This course is required for the RCC Cook & Pastry Apprenticeship Program* *Held at December 9 meeting to wait for program update because hours changed [Program not on 09 December 2025 agenda]*	R	

CUL-827	Culinary Purchasing and Receiving	*This course has been reviewed and requires no changes except for a Textbook update at this time. Held at December 9 meeting to wait for program update because hours changed [Program not on 09 December 2025 agenda]*	R
WKX-200	General Work Experience	*This course is being updated per state regulations.*	MNR

Program Modifications - Degree and Certificate

AIR	HVAC Commercial Technology	*The EST Program was discontinued. EST-22 is being replaced by the new course AIR-22.*	R

Course Deletions

NXN-81	Introduction to Critical Care Nursing	*There is no longer a need for this course. The course has not been offered in several years. Held at December 9 meeting to wait for program [Program not on 09 December 2025 agenda]*	R

New Courses

CIS-910	Introduction to Canvas: Essentials for Online Learning	*This course is the first of three in a series leading to a non-credit certificate. It has been developed to help students become proficient in navigating and utilizing the platform's features effectively. As Canvas is widely used for managing course materials, assignments, and course navigation, a foundational understanding is essential for academic success. Courses originally held at November 13 meeting because college committee wanted to ask for more info from originator (primarily why it is a three-course series); held again at December 9 meeting with repeated request for originator to join committee. Ongoing concern about three course series with additional concern that content divisions were even more a concern now given that there are DE addenda for the courses on the agenda; material in the third seems necessary for students in the first course if taking online. Second recommendation to re-organize.*	R
CIS-911	Intermediate Canvas: Communicating and Interacting in Canvas	*This course is the second of three in a series leading to a non-credit certificate. It has been developed to help students become proficient in navigating and utilizing the platform's features effectively. As Canvas is widely used for managing course materials, assignments, and course navigation, a foundational understanding is essential for academic success. See above.*	R
CIS-912	Advanced Canvas: Assignments and Quizzes	*This course is the second of three in a series leading to a non-credit certificate. It has been developed to help students become proficient in navigating and utilizing the platform's features effectively. As Canvas is widely used for managing course materials, assignments, and course navigation, a foundational understanding is essential for academic success. See above.*	R

PSYC-9H	Developmental Psychology - Honors	*Expanding honors offerings.*	MNR

New Program - Non-Credit Certificate

CIS	Canvas Skills Mastery: From Basics to Advanced	*The Canvas Skills Mastery noncredit certificate will equip learners with essential skills to effectively navigate and utilize Canvas for academic success. As the primary platform for web-enhanced, hybrid, and online instruction, mastering Canvas ensures students can fully engage with course materials, submit assignments, and communicate with instructors and peers. This program courses enhance digital literacy and fosters independence in managing learning in an increasingly technology-driven educational environment.* *Courses not yet passed.*	R

Distance Education Proposals

ACC-68DE	Taxation of Business Entities and Fiduciaries		R
ADM-66DE	Visual Storytelling	*Held at November 13 RCC CC to request changes to MOI and MOE sections [Re-vised proposal uploaded in Curricunet with December 1 date in title]; proposal held again at December 9 meeting after discussion that MOI and MOE while more detailed are still not related in a clear way to the ADM discipline and course – needs to be more specific.*	R
CIS-910DE	Introduction to Canvas: Essentials for Online Learning	*Held at December 9 meeting because courses not yet approved.*	R
CIS-911DE	Intermediate Canvas: Communicating and Interacting in Canvas	*Held at December 9 meeting because courses not yet approved.*	R
CIS-912DE	Advanced Canvas: Assignments and Quizzez	*Held at December 9 meeting because courses not yet approved.*	R
PSYC-9HDE	Developmental Psychology Honors		MNR

Information Items - Actions Items at MVC and NC

Course Deletions

CAT-65	Introduction to Microsoft PowerPoint	*Course has not been offered at MVC in several years. As the discipline has no plans to offer it in the foreseeable future we should remove it from the catalog to ensure the catalog represents our actual offerings.*	M
HMS-38	Introduction to Applied Behavioral Analysis	*Sunset list, course deletion; HMS discipline may choose to reactivate at a later time; request to keep historical record on file.*	M

HMS-69	Careers in Social Work- Entry Level Employment & Career Planning in Human Services	*Sunset to use at later date.*	M
Course Exclusions			
CAT-30	Business English	*Courses have not been offered at MVC in several years or in some cases at all. As the discipline has no plans to offer them in the foreseeable future we should remove them from the catalog to ensure the catalog represents our actual offerings.*	M
Course Inclusions			
ACC-40	Accounting for Managers	*Accounting for Managers is a recently developed and approved course that needs to be added to the Accounting Concentration degree and certificate.*	N
ACC-68	Taxation of Business Entities and Fiduciaries	*Taxation of Business Entities and Fiduciaries is a recently developed and approved course that needs to be attached to the Accounting Concentration degree and certificate.*	N
Program Modification - Degree and Certificate			
MDA	Transcriptionist/Health Documentation Specialist	*Removal of CAT-30 course from requirement, added ENGL-C1000. Included CIS-1A as elective option to Category A. There was a one unit increase to the requirement and total unit program.*	M

Frequent Use Resource Links:

- CCN finalized ASCCC templates
- CCN Sample Template with local district COR content included and labeled
- COR Review Tool – checklist for curriculum proposals (and reminder tool for curriculum reviewers)
- COR vs. C-ID vs. CCN – an explainer document
- Handbook – RCCD Curriculum Handbook with explanations and checklists
- Minutes Report Sheet for all proposals and all other **District Curriculum Resources**
- Standardized Attendance Accounting Method (SAAM) tool
- SAAM affected courses (courses with unit overhang)

- **RCC Curriculum page** and multiple other useful **curriculum resources**