SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY SAULT STE. MARIE, ONTARIO

COURSE OUTLINE

Course Tit.	CONTRACT MANAGEMENT le:
Code No.:	FOR 329-3
Program:	PARKS & FOREST RECREATION TECHNOLOGY, FOREST MGMT TECHNOLOGY, GEOLOGICAL ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN
Semester:	VI (FRT) V (FMT) II(GET)
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CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

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PHILOSOPHY/GOALS:

Instruction in this course will introduce students to current contracting guidelines, and types of contracts. Student will understand procedures, format and writing skills used in structuring tenders and proposals to be submitted for contracts. The concepts of small business practice will be applied to entrepeneurship in the natural resources field.

METHOD OF ASSESSMENT (GRADING METHOD):

Project, Bid Proposals	20%
Project, Small Business Plan	15%
Participation and Oral Communication	15%
Tests	45%
Quizzes	5%
TOTAL	100%

A+ - 90 to 100% A - 80 to 100% B - 70 to 79% C - 60 to 69% R - under 60%

On any written assignment or test, up to 20% of the grade may be based on writing communication skills.

- Late assignments: 1) May not be accepted.
 - 2) Marks will be deducted at a rate of 10% per school day that projects are overdue.

The instructor reserves the right to make minor revisions to the course content. Students will be notified in class of such changes.

Students with a grade of 50-59 at the end of the course may write a final exam on all course material. A pass on the exam will result in a C grade.

TOPIC NO.	PERIODS	TOPIC DESCRIPTION
1	2	Introduction and Overview of Contracting in Ontario
2	10	Guidelines for Contracts
		* Types of Contracts * Acts and Legislation * Subcontracting * Performance Bonds * Liability and Insurance * Contract Terminology * Writing a Contract * Reviewing and Selecting * Bids and Proposals * Managing the Contract
	TEST (1	5%)
3	10	Preparing Bids/Proposals on Contracts
		 * Reading and Evaluating Tenders and Tender Packages * Costing and Evaluation of Resources and Equipment * Profit Margins - Break Even Points * Overhead Costs * Bonds and Deposits * Legislation * Responsibilities of the Contractor * Preparing and Writing Bids and Proposals
	TEST (1	5%)
4	2	Introduction to Small Business
		* What is a Small Business* Small Business and Your Future* The Role of Small Business in the Natural Resource Industry

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TOPIC NO.	PERIODS	TOPIC DESCRIPTION
5	8	<pre>Small Business Set-Up and Structure * Types and Forms of Small Business * What is a Business Plan * Writing a Business Plan * Feasibility Studies * Analysis of Production and Services * Sources of Financing * Advertising and Marketing of Goods and Services</pre>

TEST (15%)

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