

**SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY**

**SAULT STE. MARIE, ON**

**COURSE OUTLINE**

**COURSE TITLE:** WELD TESTING and INSPECTION

**CODE NO:** WLD119 **SEMESTER:** WINTER

**PROGRAM:** WELDING and FABRICATING-Techniques  
AVIATION WELDING

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**TOTAL CREDITTS:**

**PREREQUISITE(S):** Successful completion of the following semester 1 courses:  
Oxy-Fuel Gas Welding and Cutting plus Basic Shielded *Metal* Arc Welding ...  
<0R> a combination of education and previous trade experience equal to the above.

**I. PHILOSOPHY/GOALS:**

To provide students with the background and academic training necessary to inspect completed weldments for the purpose of identifying, testing and correcting the more common types of weld defects.

**n. STUDENT PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES (OUTCOMES):**

**Upon successful completion of this course the student will:**

1. Comprehend the basic requirements of CSA W59.1 that fall into the scope of this course.
2. Apply the basic requirements of CSA W59.1 to the realm of everyday welding and fabrication activities.
3. Visually inspect and measure welds for compliance to the basic requirements of CSA W59.1.
4. Organize and prepare written reports of inspection.

**m. TOPICS TO BE COVERED:**

**Approximate Time**

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| 1) Course Introduction and Orientation |          |
| 2) Basic Mechanical Properties         |          |
| 3) CSA W59.1 (Basic) Requirements      |          |
| Independent Reading Assignments        |          |
| — Theory Test # 1 and Review —         | 12 Hours |
| 4) (Fillet) Weld Inspection            |          |
| 5) (Groove) Weld Inspection            |          |
| Independent Reading Assignments        |          |
| Independent Study Assignment           |          |
| ~~~ Theory Test # 2 and Review ~       | 12 Hours |

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**IV. LEARNING ACTIVITIES/REQUIRED RESOURCES**

**Topic Unit - # 1. Course Introduction and Orientation**

**Learning Activities;**

- 1.1 > A lecture presentation of the following major course documents:
- a) course outline
  - b) course guidelines
  - c) course marking system including attendance requirements

**Resources;**

- > printed handouts, overheads, chalkboard notes

**Topic Unit - #2. Basic Mechanical Properties**

**Learning Activities;**

- 2.1 > A classroom/lab demonstration and lecture presentation of the following mechanical properties:
- a) elasticity and elastic limit
  - b) yield strength
  - c) tensile strength
  - d) ductility
  - e) toughness
  - f) hardness and brittleness
- 2.2 > A classroom discussion and summary of the previous learning activity.  
> Presentation and discussion of (Faculty) prepared definitions for each of the above mechanical properties.
- 2.3 > **Independent Reading Assignment** c/w instructions and review questions designed to make students:
- a) List and describe the units of measurement for each of the above mechanical properties.
  - b) List and describe the importance of mechanical properties as they relate to weld testing and inspection.  
( TEXT: Modern Welding)

**Resources:**

- > Text: 'Modem Welding'  
Printed Handouts, Overheads, Chalkboard Notes

**Topic Unit - #3. CSA W59.1 (Basic) Requirements**

**Learning Activities:**

- 3.1 > A lecture presentation with classroom discussion of the following W59.1 requirements for structures that are to be fabricated by welding:
  - a) material identification and cleanliness
  - b) edge preparation
  - c) joint fit-up prior to welding  
( TEXT: CSA W59.1 and Notes)
  
- 3.2 > A second lecture presentation with classroom discussion of W59.1 requirements for structures that are to be fabricated by welding to include:
  - a) allowable variation from design / detailed size(s)
  - b) control of distortion
  - c) identification of defects and discontinuities
  - d) repair of discontinuities and defects  
(TEXT: CSA W59.1 and Notes)

**Resources:**

- > Text: 'Modem Welding'  
'Mathematics for Sheetmetal Fabrication'  
'CSAW59.1\*'  
Printed Handouts, Overheads, Chalkboard Notes

**Topic / Unit: - THEORY TEST # 1 and REVTEW**

**Resources:**

- > Test Booklets, Student Response Sheets, Grade / Answer Sheets

## **Topic Unit - #4.      Fillet Weld Inspection**

### **Learning Activities:**

- 4.1    > Prepare a written welding procedure via computer software for the joining of identified base metals by means of a fillet weld.
  
- 4.2    > Shop demonstration and assignment dealing with the preparation and inspection of typical fillet weld joints to include:
  - a) base metal dimensions                      b) base metal cleaning
  - c) joint alignment and spacing                d) specified weld size
  - e) specified electrode                              f) required preheat / postheat
  
- 4.3    > Shop demonstration and assignment dealing with the welding and non-destructive inspection and testing of previously prepared tee joints to include:
  - a) leg size    b) convexity
  - c) profile    d) undercut
  - e) porosity                                         f) HAZ and or weld metal cracks

### **Resources:**

- > Text: 'Modern Welding'  
'Mathematics for Sheetmetal Fabrication'  
'CSAW59.1'  
Printed Handouts, Overheads, Chalkboard Notes

## **Topic Unit - #5.      Groove Weld Inspection**

### **Learning Activities:**

- 5.1    > Prepare a written welding procedure via computer software for the joining of identified base metals by means of a groove weld.
  
- 5.2    > Shop demonstration and assignment dealing with the preparation and inspection of typical groove weld joints to include:
  - a) base metal dimensions                      b) base metal cleaning
  - c) joint alignment and spacing                d) groove angle
  - e) specified electrode                              f) required preheat / postheat

- 5.3 > Shop demonstration and assignment dealing with the welding and non-destructive inspection and testing of previously prepared vee-groove butt joints to include:
- a) reinforcement / appearance
  - b) undercut
  - c) porosity
  - d) HAZ and / or weld metal cracks

5.3 > **Independent (Team) Study Assignment** c/w written informal report based upon:

- a) The visual inspection of both fillet and groove welds according to a written set of standardized acceptance criteria.
- b) A written record of the inspection results.
- c) The preparation of a written report on the acceptance or rejection of the said welds according to the written set of standardized acceptance criteria.

**Resources:**

- > Text: 'Modem Welding'  
'Mathematics for Sheetmetal Fabrication'  
'CSAW59.1'  
Printed Handouts, Overheads, Chalkboard Notes

**Topic / Unit: - THEORY TEST # 2 and REVTEW**

**Resources:**

- > Test Booklets, Student Response Sheets, Grade / Answer Sheets



## VI. SPECIAL NOTES:

Students with special needs (eg. physical limitations, visual impairments, hearing impairments, learning disabilities etc..) are encouraged to discuss required accommodations confidentially with their professor.

Your professor reserves the right to modify the course as he/she deems necessary to meet the needs of students.

\* Student evaluations concerning the 'Final Mark' are further affected by the conditions set forth in the printed handout, 'Welding Department Guidelines'.

\*\* Special guidelines for class attendance are included in the above paper.