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<th>Introduction to Materials Science</th>
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<td>Prerequisites:</td>
<td>C- or better in Integrated Reading and Writing II (ENG<em>075) OR Introduction to College Reading &amp; Writing (ENG</em>093) OR Introduction to College English (ENG<em>096) OR Reading &amp; Writing VI (ESL</em>162), or placement into Composition (ENG<em>101) [including embedded ENG</em>101]</td>
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<td>Course Descriptors:</td>
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**Course Type:**
- L: Lecture
- C: Clinical
- D: Distance Learning
- I: Individual/Independent
- N: Seminar
- M: Seminar Internship
- X: Combined Lecture/Lab
- Y: Combined Lecture/Clinical/Lab
- Z: Combined Lecture/Studio

**Elective Type:**
- G: General
- AH: Art History
- E: English
- FA: Fine Arts
- FL: Foreign Language
- G: General
- HI: History
- HU: Humanities
- LAS: Liberal Arts & Sciences
- M: Math
- S: Science
- SS: Social Science

**Contact Hours:**
- Credit Hours: 3
- Developmental: No
- Lecture: 0
- Clinical: 0
- Lab: 0
- Studio: 0
- Other: 0
- TOTAL: 3

**Class Maximum:** 35

**Semesters Offered:** F/S

**Ability-Based Education (ABE) Statement:**
At Tunxis Community College students are assessed on the knowledge and skills they have learned. The faculty identified the General Education Abilities critical to students' success in their professional and personal lives. In every class, students are assessed on course abilities, sometimes program abilities, and, in most classes, at least one General Education Ability. Students will receive an evaluation of the degree to which they have demonstrated or not demonstrated that General Education Ability.

**Catalog Course Description:**
Introduces the principles and concepts of how industry changes forms of raw materials to increase value and usefulness. Awareness of the nature and characteristics of raw materials permits associations to be made regarding selection of processes by which materials may be changed.

**Topical Outline:**
1. Atoms, Matter and Material
2. Acquisition and Derivation of Materials
3. General Properties of Materials
4. Identification of Specific Materials
5. Cutting Materials
6. Forming Materials

**Corequisites:** None

**Other Requirements:** None
### Outcomes:

Describe measurable skills or knowledge that students should be able to demonstrate as evidence that they have mastered the course content.

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to do the following:

**COURSE:**
1. classify materials by recognizing basic similarities
2. understand the relationship between a material’s structure, its properties and appropriate processing techniques
3. demonstrate an understanding of the concepts relevant to the processing of materials
4. comprehend the interrelationship of energy, information and material processing
5. apply the principles of material science to industry applications and scenarios
6. demonstrate an appreciation of and comfort with the comprehensiveness of material processing

**PROGRAM:** (Numbering reflects Program Outcomes as they appear in the college catalog)

**Technology Studies Associate Degree:**
2. utilize the tools, materials, techniques, and technical processes of engineering and technology when solving technical problems
3. apply the basic concepts of science and mathematics to the study of electricity and electronics, materials, computer-aided design (CAD), manufacturing, and construction
7. demonstrate technical competency in a functional area of technology. The specialization may include, but is not limited to: electricity, computer aided drafting and design, manufacturing, and construction

**GENERAL EDUCATION:** (Numbering reflects General Education Outcomes as they appear in the college catalog)

### Evaluation:

List how the above outcomes will be assessed.

Assessment will be based on the following criteria:
- Homework assignments
- Projects
- Quizzes
- Exams

### Instructional Resources:

List library (e.g. books, journals, on-line resources), technological (e.g. Smartboard, software), and other resources (e.g. equipment, supplies, facilities) required and desired to teach this course.

Required: None
Desired: None

### Textbook(s)

Refer to current academic year printout.