

Course Information

Spring Semester 2023

Guidance 208 Section E: 5139

Rob Ridenhour:

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:55 – 2:20

Classroom at 333 6th Street Suite B Eureka California

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This course is noncredit

Office hours: If you have questions call me or email me and we can make arrangements.

Catalog Description

This is a course designed for students with developmental or learning disabilities. Students will learn skills necessary for performing accurate money exchanges including counting money and solving real-life shopping problems involving money.

Course Student Learning Outcomes *(from course outline of record)*

1. Identify currency in terms of value, coins, and bills.
2. Apply money skills in a shopping experience at a store.
3. Count money and solve money related math problems.

Prerequisites/co-requisites/ recommended preparation

There are no prerequisites for this class.

Accessibility

College of the Redwoods is committed to making reasonable accommodations for qualified students with disabilities. If you have a disability or believe you might benefit from disability-related services and accommodations, please contact your instructor or [Disability Services and Programs for Students \(DSPS\)](#).

Students may make requests for alternative media by contacting DSPS based on their campus location:

- Eureka: 707-476-4280, student services building, 1st floor
- Del Norte: 707-465-2324, main building near library
- Klamath-Trinity: 530-625-4821 Ext 103

If you are taking online classes DSPS will email approved accommodations for distance education classes to your instructor. In the case of face-to-face instruction, please present your written accommodation request to your instructor at least one week before the needed accommodation so that necessary arrangements can be made. Last minute arrangements or post-test adjustments usually cannot be accommodated.

Student Support

Good information and clear communication about your needs will help you be successful. Please let your instructor know about any specific challenges or technology limitations that might affect your participation in class. College of the Redwoods wants every student to be successful.

Evaluation & Grading Policy

There will be no grading in this class!

Admissions deadlines & enrollment policies

Spring 2023 Dates

- *Class begins: 1/17/23*
- *President's Day Holiday (all campuses closed): 02/17/23*
- *President's Day Holiday (all campuses closed): 02/20/23*
- *Spring Break (no classes): 03/13/23 – 03/17/23*
- *Semester ends: 05/12/23*

Academic dishonesty

In the academic community, the high value placed on truth implies a corresponding intolerance of scholastic dishonesty. In cases involving academic dishonesty, determination of the grade and of the student's status in the course is left primarily to the discretion of the faculty member. In such cases, where the instructor determines that a student has demonstrated academic dishonesty, the student may receive a failing grade for the assignment and/or exam and may be reported to the Chief Student Services Officer or designee. The Student Code of Conduct ([AP 5500](#)) is available on the College of the Redwoods website. Additional information about the rights and responsibilities of students, Board policies, and administrative procedures is located in the [College Catalog](#) and on the [College of the Redwoods website](#).

Disruptive behavior

Student behavior or speech that disrupts the instructional setting will not be tolerated. Disruptive conduct may include, but is not limited to: unwarranted interruptions; failure to adhere to instructor's directions; vulgar or obscene language; slurs or other forms of intimidation; and physically or verbally abusive behavior. In such cases where the instructor determines that a student has disrupted the educational process, a disruptive student may be temporarily removed from class. In addition, the student may be reported to the Chief Student Services Officer or designee. The Student Code of Conduct ([AP 5500](#)) is available on the College of the Redwoods website. Additional information about the rights and responsibilities of students, Board policies, and administrative procedures is located in the [College Catalog](#) and on the [College of the Redwoods website](#).

Inclusive Language in the Classroom

College of the Redwoods aspires to create a learning environment in which all people feel comfortable in contributing their perspectives to classroom discussions. It therefore encourages instructors and students to use language that is inclusive and respectful.

Setting Your Preferred Name in Canvas

Students have the ability to have an alternate first name and pronouns to appear in Canvas. Contact [Admissions & Records](#) to request a change to your preferred first name and pronoun. Your Preferred Name will only be listed in Canvas. This does not change your legal name in our records. See the [Student Information Update form](#).

Canvas Information

If using Canvas, include navigation instructions, tech support information, what Canvas is used for, and your expectation for how regularly students should check Canvas for your class.

Log into Canvas at <https://redwoods.instructure.com>

Password is your 8 digit birth date

For tech help, email its@redwoods.edu or call 707-476-4160

Canvas Help for students: <https://www.redwoods.edu/online/Help-Student>

Canvas online orientation workshop: <https://www.redwoods.edu/online/Home/Student-Resources/Canvas-Resources>

Community College Student Health and Wellness

Resources, tools, and trainings regarding health, mental health, wellness, basic needs and more designed for California community college students, faculty and staff are available on the California Community Colleges [Health & Wellness website](#).

[Wellness Central](#) is a free online health and wellness resource that is available 24/7 in your space at your pace.

Students seeking to request a counseling appointment for academic advising or general counseling can email counseling@redwoods.edu.

Emergency procedures / Everbridge

College of the Redwoods has implemented an emergency alert system called Everbridge. In the event of an emergency on campus you will receive an alert through your personal email and/or phones. Registration is not necessary in order to receive emergency alerts. Check to make sure your contact information is up-to-date by logging into WebAdvisor <https://webadvisor.redwoods.edu> and selecting 'Students' then 'Academic Profile' then 'Current Information Update.'

Please contact Public Safety at 707-476-4112 or security@redwoods.edu if you have any questions. For more information see the [Redwoods Public Safety Page](#).

In an emergency that requires an evacuation of the building anywhere in the District:

- Be aware of all marked exits from your area and building
- Once outside, move to the nearest evacuation point outside your building
- Keep streets and walkways clear for emergency vehicles and personnel

Do not leave campus, unless it has been deemed safe by the campus authorities.

Del Norte Campus Emergency Procedures

Please review the [Crescent City campus emergency map](#) for campus evacuation sites, including the closest site to this classroom (posted by the exit of each room). For more information, see the [Redwoods Public Safety Page](#).

Eureka Campus Emergency Procedures

Please review the [campus emergency map](#) for evacuation sites, including the closest site to this classroom (posted by the exit of each room). For more information on Public Safety go to the [Redwoods Public Safety Page](#). It is the responsibility of College of the Redwoods to protect life and property from the effects of emergencies within its own jurisdiction.

In the event of an emergency:

1. Evaluate the impact the emergency has on your activity/operation and take appropriate action.
2. Dial 911, to notify local agency support such as law enforcement or fire services.
3. Notify Public Safety 707-476-4111 and inform them of the situation, with as much relevant information as possible.
4. Public Safety shall relay threat information, warnings, and alerts through the Everbridge emergency alert system, Public address system, and when possible, updates on the college website, to ensure the school community is notified.
5. Follow established procedures for the specific emergency as outlined in the College of the Redwoods Emergency Procedure Booklet, (evacuation to a safe zone, shelter in place, lockdown, assist others if possible, cooperate with First Responders, etc.).
6. If safe to do so, notify key administrators, departments, and personnel.
7. Do not leave campus, unless it is necessary to preserve life and/or has been deemed safe by the person in command.

Klamath Trinity Campus Emergency Procedures

Please review the responsibilities of, and procedures used by, the College of the Redwoods, Klamath-Trinity Instructional Site (KTIS) to communicate to faculty, staff, students and the general public during an emergency. It is the responsibility of College of the Redwoods, Klamath-Trinity Instructional Site (KTIS) to protect life and property from the effects of emergency situations within its own jurisdiction.

1. In the event of an emergency, communication shall be the responsibility of the district employees on scene.
 - a. Dial 911, to notify local agency support such as law enforcement or fire services.
 - b. If safe to do so, notify key administrators, departments, and personnel.
 - c. If safe to do so, personnel shall relay threat information, warnings, to ensure the school community is notified.
 - d. Contact Jolene Gates 530-625-4821 to notify of situation.
 - e. Contact Hoopa Tribal Education Administration office 530-625-4413
 - f. Notify Public Safety 707-476-4111.
2. In the event of an emergency, the responsible district employee on scene will:
 - a. Follow established procedures for the specific emergency as outlined in the College of the Redwoods Emergency Procedure Booklet.
 - b. Lock all doors and turn off lights if in lockdown due to an active shooter or similar emergency.
 - c. Close all window curtains.
 - d. Get all inside to safe location Kitchen area is best internal location.
 - e. If a police officer or higher official arrives, they will assume command.
 - f. Wait until notice of all is clear before unlocking doors.
 - g. If safe to do so, move to the nearest evacuation point outside building (Pooky's Park), directly behind the Hoopa Tribal Education Building.
 - h. Do not leave site, unless it has been deemed safe by the person in command. Student Support Services (required for online classes)

Student Support Services

The following online resources are available to support your success as a student:

- [CR-Online](#) (Comprehensive information for online students)
- [Library Articles & Databases](#)
- [Canvas help and tutorials](#)
- [Online Student Handbook](#)

[Counseling](#) offers assistance to students in need of professional counseling services such as crisis counseling.

Learning Resource Center includes the following resources for students

- [Academic Support Center](#) for instructional support, tutoring, learning resources, and proctored exams. Includes the Math Lab & Drop-in Writing Center
- [Library Services](#) to promote information literacy and provide organized information resources.
- [Multicultural & Diversity Center](#)

Special programs are also available for eligible students include

- [Extended Opportunity Programs & Services \(EOPS\)](#) provides services to eligible income disadvantaged students including: textbook award, career academic and personal counseling, school supplies, transportation assistance, tutoring, laptop, calculator and textbook loans, priority registration, graduation cap and gown, workshops, and more!
- The TRiO Student Success Program provides eligible students with a variety of services including trips to 4-year universities, career assessments, and peer mentoring. Students can apply for the program in [Eureka](#) or in [Del Norte](#)
- The [Veteran's Resource Center](#) supports and facilitates academic success for Active Duty Military, Veterans and Dependents attending CR through relational advising, mentorship, transitional assistance, and coordination of military and Veteran-specific resources.

- Klamath-Trinity students can contact the CR KT Office for specific information about student support services at 530-625-4821

Emergency Procedures for the Eureka Downtown campus:

Please review the campus evacuation sites, including the closest site to this classroom (posted by the exit of each room).

- Be aware of all marked exits from your area in this building.
- Once outside, move to the nearest evacuation point outside this building:
- Keep streets and walkways clear for emergency vehicles and personnel.
- Do not leave campus, unless it has been deemed safe by the Incident Commander or campus authorities.

RAVE – College of the Redwoods has implemented an emergency alert system on the main campus. In the event of an emergency on campus you can receive an alert through your personal email and/or phones at your home, office, and cell. Registration is necessary in order to receive emergency alerts. Please go to <https://www.GetRave.com/login/Redwoods> and use the “Register” button on the top right portion of the registration page to create an account. During the registration process you can elect to add additional information, such as office phone, home phone, cell phone, and personal email. Please use your CR email address as your primary Registration Email. Your CR email address ends with “redwoods.edu.” Please contact Public Safety at 707-476-4112 or security@redwoods.edu if you have any questions.

In the event of an emergency call 911.

(CR’s main campus lower parking lot and Tompkins Hill Rd are within the Tsunami Zone.)

College of the Redwoods is committed to equal opportunity in employment, admission to the college, and in the conduct of all of its programs and activities.

GUIDANCE 208 CLASS SYLLABUS:

SECTION # E 5139

Welcome Students to GUID 208 E 5139 -2023S Functional Money Skills for Students with Disabilities. In this course students will learn skills necessary for performing accurate money exchanges, including counting money and solving real-life shopping problems involving money.

Learning Outcomes

In this course students will be able to identify currency in terms of value, coins and bills. Students will be able to apply money skills learned to real-life shopping experiences. Students will gain the ability to count money and solve related math problems.

Course Calendar

DATE	TOPIC	
01/17/2023	Introductions, Syllabus, And Registration How does knowing about money help us be independent?	In-Class Activities will include lectures, discussion, informal
01/19/2023	Coin and dollar values and how they relate to prices	assessment, survivor math, and other math
01/24/2023	Counting money; the money in our pocket	games, Power Point
01/26/2023	What can we buy with what we have?	Shows, and role play

01/31/2023	Adding Money (buying more than one thing)	scenarios.
02/02/2023	Budgeting for a shopping trip or Shopping Wisely	
02/07/2023	What is an ATM card and how do we use it?	
02/09/2023	Banking Services; Checking and Savings Accounts, Checks	
02/14/2023	Let's Go Shopping	
02/16/2023	Budgeting for the Week and for the Month	
02/21/2023	Multiplying money to buy produce, meat, and bulk items	
02/23/2023	Planning a weeks' worth of groceries	
02/28/2023	Shopping on a Budget	
03/02/2023	Banking and Purchasing Online	
03/07/2023	Online Banking; Addition Practice	
03/09/2023	Subtraction With Money	
03/14/2023	No Class: Spring Break	
03/16/2023	No Class: Spring Break	
03/21/2023	Making change for \$1, \$5, \$10	
03/23/2023	Understanding Credit cards and Loans;	
03/28/2023	Prices vs. Money	
03/30/2023	Let's Go Shopping	
04/04/2023	Adding prices and Making Change	
04/06/2023	Planning and purchasing an Easter Dinner	
04/11/2023	adding Sales tax	
04/13/2023	The Dangers of credit cards	
04/18/2023	Playing Store; Using a calculator as a cash register	
04/20/2023	Saving for big purchases	
04/25/2023	Adding and Subtracting Money	
04/27/2023	How to Save money at the store	
05/02/2023	Why preparing meals saves you money and is healthier	
05/04/2023	Survivor Math	
05/09/2023	Let's Go Shopping	
05/11/2023	Questions and Answers for prizes	

Identifying Issues

Students will discuss and practice expressing the value of money, how to use money, and conduct money transactions of all kinds. They will learn how to budget their money and plan for future money needs. They will be able to prioritize their money transactions and meet their independence necessities.

Activities

Students will participate in class discussions, structured game play, as well as role play activities, and paper assignments. Students will also attend field trips or community outings applying skills learned. Students may participate in independent work.

Course Requirements (Grading)

This is a non-credit course. Students will be assessed through observation and completed work to ensure student progress.

Instructor reserves the right to add, delete, or change activities or assignments based on ongoing assessment, attendance, and student needs.

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