

Events Audio Course Syllabus

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Course Description:

This audio course will focus on audio provided for live events like concerts, conferences, and installations. Students will learn about planning, set up and operation of live audio equipment for these events. Classroom instruction will consist of the standards below. Experience will be gained by operating as a full functioning installation and audio provider. The community will hire the class to provide support for events. This course will include heavy lifting, loud noise levels and physical activity. Please pay close attention to materials for class.

Standards Taught:

Standards can be found on the class website www.schaudio.weebly.com

Classroom Conduct, Attendance Policy, Etc: Students are expected to review and follow all rules found within the Rutherford County and Stewarts Creek student handbook.

It is the responsibility of the student to ask for make up assignments or advance assignments if they know they will be absent. Students WILL complete every assignment.

Grading The grading scale will correlate with the Stewarts Creek Handbook scale.

Grading Procedures:

- Quizzes 15%
- Class Projects 20%
- Semester/Final Exams 25%
- System Operations 40%

Semester exams can consist of a combination of written, oral and hands-on work.

I email, tweet and post on my website extra credit, when the next test is and information about current projects. Occasionally I will post study tools as well. Please make sure the email address above is not blocked by your email server.

I am usually in my class every morning by 7:45am. If your student needs help or has questions they can schedule a morning to see me.

Extra Credit: Deadlines for extra credit are firm.

Class Rules (not a complete list)

1. Arrive on time with all tools needed for class and be in your seat when the bell rings. Failure to be in your seat when the bell rings results in a "tardy."
2. Sit in the seat assigned to you and remain seated until the teacher dismisses you.
3. Participate in all class activities.

4. Show respect for all people and things in this room with your words and actions. Inappropriate language and destruction of equipment, furniture or other people's property will not be tolerated.
5. This classroom is considered the same as a computer lab. Because of this, there is no food, candy, gum or drinks allowed in the classroom or the studio. Also no heavy perfume or lotions. Neither of these can be applied while in the classroom.
6. **Do not** touch any of the equipment unless given permission by the teacher. This includes computers and audio equipment. NEVER touch the computer screens

Tools Required: Pencil or Pen (blue or black ink), paper, a pocketed folder (to keep all tests). Students may want to get a thin 3 ring binder for the portfolio they will be required to create as the year goes along and is due at the end of the year. USB drives are not allowed, but it is highly recommended to create an online storage account for free using Dropbox or Google Drive.

NOTICE: Due to the nature of this course it is highly encouraged that your student have with them some type of hearing protection, everyday at class. The disposable plugs are fine and inexpensive. However, there is hearing protection available that can be used over and over again for about \$20 called DUBS. I will place a link on my website. I will put all options on the site. It will also be beneficial to have comfortable non slip shoes on the days we will be doing audio system set ups. Blue or black jeans will also need to be worn when we operate systems out in the community. If it is extremely hot, shorts that meet the school dress code will be fine. Please email me with questions.

Signatures:

I have read and understand the requirements for the Events Audio course.

Student Name (Print) /Date

Parent Signature/Date

Parent E-mail Address

Parent Phone Number