

COMMON COURSE NUMBERING SYSTEM: EXPLAINED

Subject

Based on 4-letter abbreviations.

A system-level list of abbreviations should be standard.

Course Type Identifier

C = Common Course Number

A local course would not have a "C" identifier.

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Course Number (####)

0XXX = Non-transferable

1XXX = 100-level course

2XXX = 200-level course

3XXX = 300-level course

4XXX = 400-level course

9XXX = Noncredit

Course Specialty Identifier (&&)

A system-level key could define options.

Examples:

H = Honors Course

L = Lab Only Course

S = Support Course

E = Embedded Support

- Up to 2 specialty identifiers can be attached to a course.
- A course with no identifiers would not have filler in those fields.

EXAMPLE:

GEOL C1005H

SUBJECT	GEOL = Geology
COURSE TYPE	C = Common Course Number
COURSE NUMBER	1005 = 100-level course
COURSE SPECIALTY IDENTIFIER	H = Honors