

**College of San Mateo**  
**Official Course Outline**

1. **COURSE ID:** DGME 111    **TITLE:** Dreamweaver Fundamentals  
**Units:** 0.5 units    **Hours/Semester:** 8.0-9.0 Lecture hours; and 16.0-18.0 Homework hours  
**Method of Grading:** Grade Option (Letter Grade or Pass/No Pass)

2. **COURSE DESIGNATION:**

**Degree Credit**  
**Transfer credit:** CSU

3. **COURSE DESCRIPTIONS:**

**Catalog Description:**

This introductory course is designed to provide an overview of Adobe Dreamweaver CC tools and techniques. Adobe Dreamweaver CC is a powerful web development tool for creating, publishing, and managing websites and mobile content. Students will learn fundamental concepts, tools, and site management. Assignments require the use of Adobe Creative Cloud® outside of class hours. Software: Adobe Creative Cloud®

4. **STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOME(S) (SLO'S):**

Upon successful completion of this course, a student will meet the following outcomes:

1. Identify Dreamweaver CC interface elements.
2. Identify and explain web design concepts.
3. Demonstrate site management.

5. **SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONAL OBJECTIVES:**

Upon successful completion of this course, a student will be able to:

1. Identify Dreamweaver CC interface elements.
2. Identify and explain web design concepts.
3. Demonstrate site management.

6. **COURSE CONTENT:**

**Lecture Content:**

**1. Getting Started with Dreamweaver**

- What is Dreamweaver?
- Dreamweaver Workspaces
- Keyboard shortcuts
- Differences between Mac and Windows

**2. Documents and Files**

- Opening Documents
- Creating a New File
- New Document Preferences
- Starter Layouts
- Preview in Browser and Live View

**3. Property Inspector and Panels**

- Setting HTML formatting
- Manage panels

**4. Working with Text**

- What are Font Stacks?
- Custom Web Fonts
- Edge Web Fonts
- Working with Text

**5. Working with Images**

- Exploring the Assets Panel
- Inserting an Image
- Default Images Folder
- Image Properties
- Configure External Editors
- Roundtrip Editing

## **6. Working with Hyperlinks**

- Understanding Hyperlinks
- Link Preferences
- Relative Hyperlinks
- Absolute Links
- E-mail Links
- Image Maps

## **7. HTML5 and CSS**

- What is HTML5
- What is CSS

## **8. Publishing Site**

- Server login details
- Connect to a publishing servers
- Publish and manage websites

## **9. Site Management**

- Sitewide Reports
- Link Checker
- Browser Compatibility
- Spell Checker
- File Management

## **7. REPRESENTATIVE METHODS OF INSTRUCTION:**

Typical methods of instruction may include:

- A. Lecture
- B. Critique
- C. Discussion
- D. Guest Speakers
- E. Observation and Demonstration
- F. Other (Specify): A. Lecture/Discussion Encompassing in-class demonstrations & explanations on course topics B. Reading assignments Students will be given reading assignments to become familiar with the material presented in a corresponding lecture. C. Project assignments Students will be given a project assignment to demonstrate their knowledge of the software and theory.

## **8. REPRESENTATIVE ASSIGNMENTS**

Representative assignments in this course may include, but are not limited to the following:

### **Writing Assignments:**

Reflection Assignment

### **Reading Assignments:**

- Required Textbook
- Online Resources
- Instructor Resources

### **Other Outside Assignments:**

Students will complete exercises and assignments that reinforce the lecture material along with strengthening their skills utilizing Adobe Dreamweaver.

## **9. REPRESENTATIVE METHODS OF EVALUATION**

Representative methods of evaluation may include:

- A. Class Participation
- B. Exams/Tests
- C. Group Projects
- D. Homework
- E. Oral Presentation
- F. Papers
- G. Portfolios
- H. Projects
- I. Quizzes
- J. Projects: Student will be assigned projects to execute to specifications. Students will be graded on performance of these projects. Quizzes/Midterm/ Final Exam: Students will be tested on their retention of important principles In-class Demonstrations: Students will be asked to make presentations and

demonstrate course topics

10. **REPRESENTATIVE TEXT(S):**

Possible textbooks include:

A. Maivald, Jim. *Adobe Dreamweaver CC Classroom in a Book (2020 release)*, 1st ed. Adobe Press, 2020

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