

**Barstow College Course Outline - Course - SLO, Objectives, Methods of Instruction**  
**ELCT 70A**

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**Dept & Nbr:** ELCT 70A                      **Abbrev Title:** Electrical Sfty & Hand Bending

**Full Title:**  
Electrical Sfty & Hand Bending

**Title 5 Category:**  
Associate Degree Applicable

**Certificate:**  
Not Applicable

**Units**  
Max: 1.00  
Min: 1.00

**Course Hours Per Week**  
Lecture 1  
Lab 0

**Number of Weeks**  
18.0

**Course Hours Total**  
Lecture 18.00  
Lab 0

**Methods of Delivery**  
Distance Education - Fully Online  
Distance Education - Hybrid  
Live Instruction

**Selected Topic**  
No

**Grading**  
Graded Option Only (ABCDEF)

**Repeat Code**

Non Repeatable/Non Activity Course (May be repeated two times with a grade of less than "P" or "C")

**Basic Skills**

Course is not a basic skills course.

**Prerequisites**

## **Corequisites**

## **Recommended Preparation**

## **Catalog Description**

Safety rules as applied to handling and working with electrical systems and circuits. Precautions to take for various electrical hazards found on the jobsite and required OSHA mandated lock out / tag out procedure. Methods and procedures used in cutting, bending, and reaming conduit.

## **Course Content**

- I. Electrical Hazards
- II. OSHA Standards
- III. Ladders and Scaffolds
- IV. General Construction Safety Topics
- V. Hazardous Materials
- VI. Fall Protection
- VII. Introduction to Hand Bending
- VIII. Off Set Bends
- IX. Cutting and Reaming Conduit

## **Methods of Instruction**

1. Instructor lecture and class discussion  
(Satisfies objectives 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9)
2. For Distance Education Instructor guided discussion board and publisher materials including PowerPoint  
(Satisfies objectives 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9)
3. Homework, both reading and writing, assigned by instructor.  
(Satisfies objectives 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9)

## **Course Objectives**

### **A. Define Course Objectives**

1. Describe safe working procedures in a construction environment.
2. Explain the purpose of OSHA and how it promotes safety on the job.
3. Identify electrical hazards and how to avoid or minimize them in the workplace.
4. Explain safety issues concerning lock out/tag out procedures, personal protection using assured grounding and isolation programs, confined space entry, respiratory protection, and fall protection.
5. Identify the methods of hand bending conduit.
6. Identify the various methods used to install conduit.
7. Demonstrate the use of math formulas to determine conduit bends.
8. Explain the process to make 90 degree bends, back-to-back bends, offsets, kicks, and saddle bends using a hand bender.
9. Explain the process of cutting, reaming, and threading conduit

### **B. Critical Thinking Tasks/Assignments**

Critical thinking assignments include (but are not limited to) the following:

Substantial Writing Assignments Including:  
Written Homework  
Reading Reports

Computational or Non-Computational Problem Solving Demonstrations Including:  
Exam(s)  
Quizzes  
Homework Problems

Skill Demonstration Including

Objective Examinations Including

### **C. Methods of Evaluation**

Substantial Writing Assignments	Written Homework Reading Reports
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Computational or Non-Computational Problem Solving Demonstrations	Exam(s) Quizzes Homework Problems
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Skill Demonstration	None
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Objective Examinations	Industry standardized exams required
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Other Additional assessment information (optional).	Attendance/Participation
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### **Basis for Grades**

Writing Assignments	20.0%
Problem-Solving	20.0%
Objective Examinations	40.0%
Attendance	20.0%

### **Required Reading, Writing and Other Outside of Class Assignments**

#### **Required Reading:**

#### **Required Writing:**

#### **Other Out of Class Assignments:**

### **Texts/Materials**

#### **Textbooks**

1. -. *NCCER, Electrical Level One Trainee Guide 2008 NEC*, ed. Prentice-Hall, 2008, ISBN: 9780136044598.

#### **Manuals**

*You have no manuals defined.*

## **Periodicals**

*You have no periodicals defined.*

## **Software**

*You have no software defined.*

## **Other**

*You have no other defined.*

## **Student Learning Outcomes**

1. The student will be able to explain the purpose of OSHA and how it promotes safety on the job.
  - Core Competency: Communication and Personal/Professional Development
  - Assessment Methods: Online exam & discussion
  - Rubric:
2. The student will be able to explain the importance of "lock out / tag out" procedures and how they relate to safety in the work place.
  - Core Competency: Communication and Personal/Professional Development
  - Assessment Methods: Online exam & discussion
  - Rubric:
3. The student will be able to recognize the methods and procedures of bending conduit
  - Core Competency: Personal/Professional Development
  - Assessment Methods: Online exam & discussion
  - Rubric:

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