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## CSUGE Area F - Ethnic Studies

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### NEW COURSES

**FS 280**  
**CALFIRE BASIC WILDLAND FIREFIGHTER ORIENTATION COURSE**  
**2.0 UNITS**

- **Lecture:** 2.0  
- **Grading Basis:** Grade or Pass/No Pass option available  
- **Prerequisite:** EMT 101, EMT 109, FS 10, FS 150A, FS 150B, FS 160, FS 161, FS 162, FS 163, and FS 164 or equivalent  
- **Offered:** Spring

**Course Description:**
Serves as a “bridge” course between Southwestern College's Basic Wildland Firefighter Certificate of Achievement and the requirements to test for CAL FIRE Basic Wildland Firefighter. This is a stand-alone course and does not apply to any COA/AS degree. [ND]

**NC 147**  
**ALGEBRA REFRESHER LEVEL 2**  
**9.0 HOURS**

- **Lecture:** 9.0  
- **Grading Basis:** Pass/No Pass Only  
- **Offered:** All

**Course Description:**
Provides an individualized program of instruction to review various topics in Intermediate Algebra. Consists of direct instruction as well as computer assisted instruction to identify student level of knowledge and refresh those concepts identified as needed for each student. Serves students who need just-in-time course support, and/or students who need to prepare for algebra based courses or exams. [ND]

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**COURSE MODIFICATIONS**

**FS 10**  
**PROFESSIONAL SKILLS FOR EMPLOYMENT IN THE FIRE SERVICE**  
**3.0 UNITS**

- **Lecture:** 2.5  
- **Laboratory:** 0.5  
- **Grading Basis:** Grade or Pass/No Pass option available  
- **Prerequisite:** ENGL 115 or RDG 158 and MATH 60 or equivalent or through the Southwestern College multiple measures placement process  
- **Offered:** All

**Course Description:**
Builds self-confidence and gives the students information to be competitive in the fire service. Includes simulated testing procedures and experience in the testing challenges of fire departments. Recommended for students participating in the entrance exam given by fire departments. [D]

**PD 114**  
**TRANSITIONS IN HIGHER EDUCATION**  
**3.0 UNITS**

- **Lecture:** 3.0  
- **Grading Basis:** Grade or Pass/No Pass option available  
- **Offered:** Fall, Spring

**Course Description:**
Covers a step-by-step approach toward identifying and describing psychosocial, physiological, and academic matters involved with transition to higher education. Includes a study of the culture and rules of higher education, effective decision making skills and strategies, motivation, goal attainment, cultural competency, finance and budgeting, college resources, researching university selections, and health and safety. [D; CSU; UC]