GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION COURSE OUTLINE

BA 1120 - PRINCIPLES OF ACCOUNTING - WINTER 1999

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OBJECTIVES:

This course is intended to further introduce students to financial accounting procedures and their underlying concepts and principles. Topics covered include standards and problems of valuation, income measurement and disclosure in financial statements. At the end of the course, students should have developed and appreciation of valuation and disclosure

of information.

TEXT:

Fundamental Accounting Principles, 8th Canadian Edition; Volume II, Larson, Miller, Zin and Nelson; Irwin Publishing Co.

Extensive use of text - 90%

EVALUATION:

Attendance	5%
Hand In Assignments	20%
Major Test I	20%
Major Test II	20%
Final Exam	35%
	100%

REQUIREMENTS:

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ASSIGNMENT

POLICY:

Assignments are due at the beginning of class on the due date.

ATTENDANCE

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Students are expected to attend class.

CHAPTERS

11	Capital Assets: Plant and Equipment
12	Capital Assets: Intangible and Long Term Investments
13	Current and Long Term Liabilities
15	Organization and Operation of Corporations
16	Corporate Transactions: Reporting Income and Retained Earnings, Earning per Share
17	Installment Notes Payable Bonds
18	Statement of Changes in Financial Position
19	Analysing Financial Statements