

**GAVILAN BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING
MAY 9, 2006
CURRICULUM SUMMARY**

NEW COURSE PROPOSAL - SECOND READING

AJ 100A **Basic Police Academy** **22.5 Units, 591 Lec, 309 Lab**

Note: Pending approval of the Gavilan College Curriculum Committee Meeting, May 8th, 2006.

At the request of Santa Clara County.

Description: A Basic Police Academy consisting of 900 hours meeting the standards established by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) for peace officer training. This Basic Police Academy is being requested by the Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office.

ESL 702A **ESL Citizenship A** **0 Units, 3 Lec**

Description: This course is designed for second language learners that want to prepare for the United States Citizenship test given by the Department of Immigration and U. S. Naturalization Services. The focus will be on communicative English skills and knowledge of American History and Government required for passing the test to become a citizen of the United States. Readings are at the high-beginning/low-intermediate ESL level and will focus on the historical period beginning in the 1600's on through to 1980.

ESL 702B **ESL Citizenship B** **0 Units, 3 Lec**

Description: This course is designed for second language learners that want to prepare for the United States Citizenship test given by the Department of Immigration and Naturalization Services. The focus will be on communicative English skills and knowledge of American History and Government required for passing the test to become a citizen of the United States. Readings are at the high-beginning/low intermediate ESL level and will focus on American Government with the review of the Constitution, the study of the branches of government and state/local governments.

ENGL 756 **GED Preparation** **0 Units, 9 - 30 lab**

Description: This course is designed to prepare the student to pass the five General Education Development (GED) tests in Writing, Social Studies, Science, Literature and Mathematics. English grammar and usage, reading comprehension, writing, vocabulary and computational skills are emphasized. The course is designed for students who are 18 years of age or older and elect to take the High School Equivalency Examination.

