



# **BOARD POLICY**

**4400**

## **DESERT COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT**

### **COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAMS**

The Board of Trustees authorizes the District to offer fee-based not-for-credit courses to address the emerging needs of business and the general community without Board approval. Fee-based credit courses require the approval of the Board.

The Superintendent/President shall establish procedures to ensure the quality of courses and programs offered through community services courses. The community services program shall be designed to contribute to the physical, mental, moral, economic or civic development of the individuals or groups enrolled in it. Community services courses shall be open for admission of adults and of minors who can benefit from the programs.

No General Fund monies may be expended to establish or maintain community services courses. Students involved in community services courses shall be charged a fee not to exceed the cost of maintaining the courses. Courses may also be offered for remuneration by contract or with contributions or donations of individuals or groups.

#### **Reference:**

##### **Education Code Section 78300**

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