SPRINGFIELD TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Course Number:	DHYG 103	Department:	Dental Hygiene		
Course Title:	Oral Anatomy 1	Semester:	Spring	Year:	1997

Objectives/Competencies

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1. Utilize appropriate clinical dental terminology.	1. Lesson I:
2. Describe the detailed morphology of the permanent	a. Locational Terms: anterior, posterior, superior,
dentition.	medial, lateral.
3. Describe the detailed morphology of primary dentition.	b. Oral Structures:
4. Describe the morphological differences between the	1. External Structures of the Oral Cavity: labium
primary and permanent dentition. Describe the intra-arch	superious, labium inferious, vermilion zone and
relationship of the teeth and their effect on the health of the	border, wet line, labial commissure, tubercle of
supportive structures.	the lip, philtrum, labiomental groove,
5. Describe the morphological characteristics of the dental	lablomarginal groove, labionasal groove,
pulp for each of the permanent teeth.	submental groove.
6. Describe and identify structures that compose the surface	2. Division of the Oral Cavity: oral vestibule, oral
form of the oral cavity.	cavity proper.
	3. Structures for the Oral Vestibule: labial frenum,
	buccal frenum, linea alba, vestibular fomix or
	vestibular sulcus, maxillary tuberosity,
	mandibular retromolar area, stenson's papilla,
	opening to stenson's duct, caliculus angularis or
	commissural papule, fordyce granules of fordyce

 i. supply the correct name for line or point angles. j. the various numbering systems presented by supplying or selecting from a list, the correct names or description for a given symbol, or the correct symbol for a given name or description. (Universal, Palmer, and International system) k. the live surfaces of a tooth. l. the proper definition or description of the following terms and make applications to these terms to diagrams or situations: crown, clinical crown, root, anatomic root, clinical root, cervix, root trunk, apex of root, enamel, cementum, dentin, cervical line, junctions (cementodental junction), cusp, cingulum, marginal ridge, fossa, fissure, pit, sulcus, facial
 surface, buccal surface, labial surface, mesial surface, distal surface, lingual surface, palatal surface, occlusal surface, incisal edge, proximal surface, crest of curvature, free gingiva, attached gingiva, alveolar mucosa, gingival margin, free gingival groove, mucogingival junction, stippling, interdental papilla, gingival sulcus. m. Describe the structures of the oral cavity proper: palate (hard palate, soft palate), patatine torus, palatine rugae, palatine raphe, incisive papilla, oropharyngeal isthmus, palatoglossal arch or fold,

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	 pterygomandibular archor fold. n. Describe the tongue: dorsal surface, ventral surface, filliform papilla, fungiform papilla, foliate papilla, foramen cecum, terminal sulcus, lingual tonsils, median sulcus, lingual frenum, lingual vein, plica fimbriota. o. Describe the floor of the mouth: sublingual sulcus or alveolingual sulcus, sublingual folds (eminence) or plica sublingualis, sublingual caruncles, opening to: Wharton's duct, ducts of Rivinius, duct of Bartholin, torus maxillary and mandibular, cusp slopes ridge, marginal ride, triangular ridge, transverse ridge, oblique ridge, pulp cavity, pulp canals, pulp chambers, pulp horn, apical foramen, labial ridge, oblique ridge, transverse ridge, triangular ridge, cervical ridge, contact area, alveolus, abrasion anomaly, attrition calcification, caries embrasure, erosion, eruption, plaque, pit, self cleansing surface, supemumerary teeth, tubercle. p. Traits, class: incisor, premolar, molar, canine. q. Set: deciduous, permanent. r. Arch: maxillary, mandibular s. Type: difference between those in same class: dilaceration, exfoliation, facet, furcation, interproximal space. 		
	3. Lesson Three: Form and Function		

 a. Name three major functions of the human dentition. b. Discuss and compare the evolution c. Given sufficient information, classify the dentition of any member of the animal kingdom as heterodont, homodont, diphyodont, monophyodont or polyphyodont. d. Describe and relate each specific shape of coronal portions of the teeth to specific funciton of the tooth in relation to the following forms: triangular, trapezoidal, rhomoidal, obtuse angle, right angle, and acute angle. e. Describe the general rules followed in locating contact areas of individual teeth, and give 2 reasons for the importance of proper contact areas. f. Describe the changes in contact areas occurring with age and the reasons for change. g. Describe the components, boundaries and functions of the interproximal spaces. h. Discuss two purposes embrasures serve and be able to describe reasons for the openent when the teen of the acute to the space of the server the reasons for the acute to the interproximal spaces.
 describe normal embrasure form and correctly name a description or two dimensional drawing of an embrasure. i. Locate the proper location of the crest of curvature on the facial, lingual mesial and distal surfaces. j. Differentiate between the number and names of lobes of the anterior and posterior teeth and the major structure separating lobes. k. Relate the influence of the crest of curvature of

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	 gingival health. 1. Describe the depth and direction of cervical line curvatures on all teeth and relate these facts to the health and stability of the dentition. m. Describe root structure which is necessary for proper function of the different teeth. n. Demonstrate a knowledge of the protective functions of root anatomy by discussing root length, root number, root diameter and root concavities and root curvatures as related to periodontal health. o. Identify and discuss the different axial positions of individual teeth and axial position to function and maintaining the integrity of the dentition. p. Correlate knowledge of tooth morphology in proper use of explorer, periodontal probe and flossing techniques. q. Analyze the physiologic tooth form protecting the periodontium including fundamental curvatures, proximal contact areas, embrasures, labial and buccal contours at the cervical thirds of the crowns.
	 4. Lesson 4: Mx and Md Central and Lateral Incisors: a. List of select from a list the approximate ages concerning the developmental chronology of the incisors(i.e., evidence of calcification, eruption dates, root completion). b. Describe the detailed morphology of the permanent

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	mx and md incisors by describing, selecting from a list	
	the correct response or identify and label any drawing	
	of the following features:	
	1. contours of any surface or margin of any surface.	
	2. structural entities such as mamelons, grooves, pits,	
	ridges, fossae, lobes, cingula, etc.	
	3. height of contour and contact areas.	
	4. relative dimensions and shape: m-d measurements,	
	labio-lingual measurements, cervical dimensions,	
	and root-crown ratio.	
	5. any other surface feature.	
	c. Relate the shape of mx or md permanent incisors to	
	their function.	
	d. Make comparisons between individual incisors.	
	e. Determine from a correct Universal number, Palmer	
	number or International dentaire number for given incisor.	
	f. Determine from a diagram or specimen whether a	
	given incisor is maxillary or mandibular, right or left.	
	g. Describe any anomalies common to this class of teeth.	
	h. Reproduce the accurate morphological characteristics	
	of the permanent mx and md incisors.	
	i. Compare the pulp chamber in size and shape.	
	j. Discuss the relationship between incisor position and	
	lingual calculus formation.	
	k. Recognize an incisor clinically and radiographically.	
	1. Relate root concavities and root diameter to	

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	 periodontal disease initiation or prevention. m. Reproduce the accurate morphological characteristics of the permanent mx and md incisor teeth if requested in wax. n. Identify extracted central or lateral incisors and determine whether the given tooth is maxillary, mandibular, left or right, permanent or primary.
	 5. Lesson 5: Canines a. List or select from a list the appropriate ages concerning the developmental chronology of the canines, evidence of calcification, eruption dates, root completion. b. Describe the detailed morphology of the permanent mx and md incisors by describing, selecting from a list the correct response or identify and label any drawing of the following features: contours of any surface or margin of any surface. structural entities such as mamelons, grooves, pits, ridges, fossae, lobes, cingula, etc. height of contour and contact areas. relative dimensions and shape: md measurements, labio-lingual measurements, cervical dimensions, root-crown ratio. any other surface feature. c. Relate the shape of mx or md permanent canines to their function.

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d. f. g. h. i. j. k. l. b.	Make comparisons between individual canines. Determine from a correct Universal number, Palmer number or International dentaire number for given canines. Determine from a diagram or specimen whether a given incisor is maxillary or mandibular, right or left. Describe any anomalies common to this class of teeth. Relate canine lingual anatomy to a transitional and functional role. Compare the pulp chamber in size and shape. Relate root concavities, root length, and diameter of the canine to the integrity of the dentition. Recognize a canine clinically and radiographically. Identify extracted canines and determine whether the given tooth is maxillary, mandibular, left or right, permanent or primary. ason 6: Maxillary and Mandibular Pre-Molars List or select from a list the appropriate ages concerning the developmental chronology of the premolars, evidence of calcification, eruption dates, root completion. Describe the detailed morphology of the permanent mx and md incisors by describing, selecting from a list the correct response or identity and label any drawing of the following fortures:

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	 fossae, lobes, etc. 3. height of contour on facial lingual surfaces and contact areas on mesial distal surfaces. 4. relative dimensions and shape: md measurements, labio-lingual measurements, cervical dimensions, root-crown ratio. 5. pulp cavity. 6. any other surface feature. c. Relate the shape of the premolars to their function. d. Make comparisons between individual premolars. e. Determine from a diagram, radiograph, or specimen, whether a given premolar is maxillary or mandibular, right or left, or permanent. f. Determine the correct universal number, Palmer number or International code number for a given premolar. g. Describe any anomalies common to this class of teeth. h. Recognize a premolar in a changing dentition. i. Relate root concavities, root length, and diameter to the periodontal disease initiation or prevention. k. Recognize a premolar clinically and radiographically given a dentition with orthodonically extracted premolars, identify the correct premolar extracted. l. Identify extracted premolars and determine whether the given tooth is maxillary, mandibular, left or right,

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	 permanent or primary. m. Reproduce the accurate morphological characteristics of the permanent mx and md premolars in wax if requested. 7. Lesson 7: Maxillary and Mandibular Molars a. List or elect from a list the appropriate ages concerning the developmental chronology of the molars, evidence of calcification, eruption dates, root completion. b. Describe the detailed morphology of the permanent mx and md incisors by describing, selecting from a list the correct response or identify and label any drawing of the following features: contours of any surface or margin of any surface. structural entities such as grooves, pits, ridges, fossae, lobes, etc. height of contour on facial lingual surfaces adn contact areas on mesial distal surfaces. relative dimensions and shape: md measurements, labio-lingual measurements, cervical dimensions, root-crown ratio. pulp cavity. any other surface feature. Relate the shape of the molars to their function. Make comparisons between individual molars. Determine from a diagram, radiograph, or specimen

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	 or left, or permanent. f. Determine the correct universal number, Palmer number or International code number for a given molar. g. Describe any anomalies common to this class of teeth. h. Recognize a molar in a changing dentition. i. Relate occlusal groove anatomy to caries initiator. j. Relate root concavities, root length, and diameter to the periodontal disease initiation or prevention. k. Recognize a molar clinically and radiographically given a dentition with orthodonically extracted molars, identify the correct molar extracted. l. Identify extracted molars and determine whether the given tooth is maxillary, mandibular, left or right, permanent or primary. m. Reproduce the accurate morphological characteristics of the permanent mx and md molars in wax if requested. 8. Lesson 8: Primary Dentition a. Identify deciduous teeth by correct name. b. Differentiate between a primary or secondary tooth. c. Discuss the eruption dates of each primary tooth. d. Discuss the morphological differences and similarities between primary and permanent teeth with particular emphasis on the first molar differences and second molar similarities. e. Discuss the importance and function of the primary

dentition.
 betermine from a diagram for description of specifie the classification, arch or quadrant portion of a deciduous tooth. g. Determine from a diagram or description which deciduous tooth is being described or illustrated. h. Determine the correct Universal or Palmer notation f a given diagram or description of any deciduous toot i. Identify from a diagram the general outline, shape, dimensions of the pulp chamber as well as the numbers and dimensions of the pulp canals. j. given a mixed dentition to evaluate, will be able to classify and identify the teeth present by dentition an class. k. Identify extracted deciduous teeth and determine the class of the given tooth and the arch location. 9. Lesson 9: Occlusion a. Discuss the importance of observing occlusal relationships while performing professional duties. b. Define the terms occlusion, static occlusion, functional occlusion, central relation. c. Discuss 8 anatomical aspects which are considered in the study of occlusion. I. dental arch formation (alignment of teeth)

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	 labioversion linguoversion buccoversion supraversion torsoversion infraversion Describe and give examples of functional and nonfunctional occlusal contacts. Differentiate between primary occlusal trauma and secondary occlusal trauma. Describe clinical and radiographic signs of occlusal trauma. Given a model or clinic patient to be able to classify the occlusal relationship. Given a clinic patient to analyze the causative factors results in mal-occlusion and determine the effects on the periodontium.

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