

SPRINGFIELD TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

**ACADEMIC AFFAIRS**

Course Number: MUSC 133 Department: Fine Arts

Course Title: Introduction to Piano Semester: Spring Year: 1999

**Objectives/Competencies**

<b>Course Objective</b>	<b>Competencies</b>
1. Understanding basic musical notation.  2. Developing basic posture and physical coordination required to render simple musical patterns at the keyboard.	1. Student learns to recognize symbols and their meanings. 2. Student applies knowledge of meanings in various musical contexts. 3. Student demonstrates ability to synthesize three parameters of notation (melodic, harmonic, and rhythmic) to derive musical meaning. 4. Student develops ability to work independently.  1. Student gains ability to coordinate eye-hand movements. 2. Maintain agility and flexibility while practicing repetitive movements. 3. Demonstrates a physically controlled response to an anticipated musical result.