

The UAF Faculty Senate passed the following at Meeting #183, May 7, 2012:

**MOTION:**

The UAF Faculty Senate moves to adopt the recommendation of the Core Review Committee requiring a syllabus statement for Oral Intensive O and O/2 courses.

EFFECTIVE:            Fall 2012 and/or upon chancellor's approval

RATIONALE:            The Core Review Committee's assessment of W and O course syllabi has found that there is frequent confusion amongst some faculty members about the general and specific requirements for the three options of the oral intensive O designator and for the single O/2 designator. The inclusion of this statement in a course syllabus will make explicit the general course requirements for the O or O/2 designation and provide a reference location for the numerous specific requirements. Inclusion of

this statement will make the syllabus requirement for the O and O/2 courses consistent with the existing syllabus requirement statement for Writing Intensive W courses, per Faculty Senate Meeting #109 on May 6, 2002. No new course requirements result from this action. These syllabus requirements should be added to the Faculty Senate's "UAF Syllabus Requirements."

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**Syllabus Statement Regarding the Oral-Intensive (O) Requirement:**

*This statement, or a statement similar to it, MUST appear in the syllabus of each "O" or "O/2" course. Courses failing to provide this information jeopardize their continuing status as "O" or "O/2" courses.*

This course is designated as Oral-Intensive (O). This designation means that the "O" or "O/2" is

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Catherine F. Cahill 5/7/12  
President, UAF Faculty Senate Date

APPROVAL:   
Chancellor's Office

DATE: 5/8/12

DISAPPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
Chancellor's Office

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_