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## Course Objectives/Course Outline Spokane Community College

Course Title: Applied Physics

Prefix and Course Number: CAD 245

**Course Learning Outcomes:** 

By the end of this course, a student should be able to:

computations relating to the following physical concepts:

Area measurement

Volume measurement

Mass and Weight

Newton's Laws

Equilibrium

Friction

**Torque** 

Center of Gravity

Speed and Velocity

Acceleration

Gravity and Free Falling Bodies

Potential and Kinetic Energy

Momentum

Centripetal and Centrifugal Force

Mechanical Advantage

Power

Pressure

Archimedes' Principle

Temperature and Thermal Energy

**Expansion and Contraction** 

## **Course Outline:**

- I. Review of Measurement Concepts
  - A. Area measurement
  - B. Volume measurement
  - C. Mass and Weight
- II. Newton's Laws
  - A. Newton's Laws
  - B. Equilibrium
  - C. Friction
  - D. Torque
  - E. Center of Gravity
- III. Motion
  - A. Speed and Velocity
  - B. Acceleration
  - C. Gravity and Free Falling Bodies
- IV. Energy and Force
  - A. Potential and Kinetic Energy
  - B. Momentum
  - C. Centripetal and Centrifugal Force

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- V. Simple Machines
  - A. Mechanical AdvantageB. Power and Torque

  - C. Efficiency
- VI. Fluids
  - A. Pressure
  - B. Archimedes' Principle
- VII. Heat
  - A. Temperature and Thermal EnergyB. Expansion and Contraction