COURSE NUMBERING

Courses are designated with a subject code and course number. The number assigned to a course generally denotes its level and may also indicate a course type. Suffixes may be appended to course numbers to indicate course format or honors status. For additional information about course numbering, see University Policy Memorandum #4 (http://registrar.unc.edu/academic-services/policies-procedures/university-policy-memorandums/upm-4-standard-course-numbering-system/).

For courses in the Undergraduate and Graduate academic careers starting in Fall 2006, the numbers assigned to courses are normally categorized as follows:

**Course Numbers**
- **100-189**: Introductory Undergraduate Courses
- **190-399**: Courses for Undergraduate Students
- **400-699**: Courses for Advanced Undergraduate and Graduate Students
- **700-899**: Courses for Graduate Students (Undergraduate Students may enroll with department permission)
- **900-999**: Courses for Graduate Students only

**Special Course Numbers**
- **50-89**: First-Year Seminars
- **190, 290, 390**: Undergraduate Special Topics Courses
- **490, 590, 690**: Undergraduate and Graduate Special Topics Courses
- **193, 293, 393**: Undergraduate Internships and Practica
- **493, 593, 693**: Undergraduate and Graduate Internships and Practica
- **195, 295, 395**: Undergraduate Research Courses
- **495, 595, 695**: Undergraduate and Graduate Research Courses
- **196, 296, 396**: Undergraduate Independent Study/Reading Courses
- **496, 596, 696**: Undergraduate and Graduate Independent Study/Reading Courses
- **691H, 692H, 693H, 694H**: Senior (Undergraduate) Honors Thesis Courses
- **697, 698**: Undergraduate Capstone Courses
- **799**: Graduate Experimental Course Offering
- **890-899**: Graduate Special Topic Courses
- **900-991**: Graduate Research Courses
- **992, 993**: Master’s Thesis Courses
- **994**: Doctoral Dissertation Course

**Foreign Language Courses:**
- **Beginning Level**: 101, 102 and 401, 402
- **Intermediate Level**: 203, 204 and 403, 404
- **Graduate Foreign Language Requirement**: 601, 602 and 603, 604

**Suffixes**
For courses in the Undergraduate and Graduate academic careers starting in Fall 2006, the following suffixes may be used:

- **H**: Honors Course or Course for Advanced Students
- **L**: Credit-Bearing Laboratory Course
- **I**: Interdisciplinary Course

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1 See the Honors Carolina website (http://honorscarolina.unc.edu/) for information on enrolling in honors courses.