Hagerstown Community College
Official Course Syllabus Document
(replace this parenthetical with semester and year)

COURSE:
MUS 103 – Choral Singing I (1 credit)
(replace this parenthetical with section number & Days/Times class meets)

INSTRUCTOR:
(replace this parenthetical with name, office hours, and all contact information)

COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This course is for students who wish to sing various types of choral music. Vocabulary and elements of rhythm and pitch will be taught as they become necessary for the singing of the choral literature.

TEXTBOOK:
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PROGRAM STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:
Student will demonstrate the ability to successfully audition into a four-year program and enter at a junior level.

- Students will be able to successfully prepare for and perform in a public recital at a beginning to early-intermediate musical level
- Students will demonstrate a mastery of musicianship relevant to instrumental/vocal performance and ensemble participation at a beginning to early-intermediate level.

COURSE STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOME (beyond program):
Students will demonstrate a familiarity with the history and repertoire of their respective instrument.

MINIMUM CLOCK HOURS REQUIRED FOR THIS COURSE
To earn one hour of academic credit at HCC, students are required to complete a minimum of 12.5 clock hours (15 fifty-minute "academic" hours) of coursework per semester. Those hours of coursework may be completed through a combination of hours within the classroom and hours outside the classroom. Certain courses may require more than the 12.5 minimum hours of coursework per credit. A three credit hour course requires 37.5 clock hours.

For most classes, students should expect to do at least 2 hours of coursework outside of class for each hour of in-class coursework.

	DIRECT Faculty Instruction In-class **30 h required**	Student Work Out of Classroom **15 h required**
In-class instruction	30 hours	
Away from class practice and		15 hours

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study		
Total Hours	**12.5 h**	**15 h**

ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES:
(replace this parenthetical with explanation of quizzes, exams, projects, etc.; the grading scale and how a student can calculate a grade need to be included here as well)

COURSE POLICIES:
(please delete this parenthetical: Course policies should contain statements about the following topics, as well as any individual policies of an instructor. Please consider a plagiarism statement; the student handbook defines plagiarism this way: Plagiarism is the use of ideas or work of another without sufficient acknowledgment that the material is not one's own. Examples of plagiarism include submitting material created by another as one's own work or including passages of another author without giving due credit, and submitting purchased material, in any form of communication, as one's own work.)

- Attendance Policy – the college attendance policy can be found in the College catalog.
- The instructor reserves the right to modify course content.
- HCC abides by an honor code that can be found in the student handbook and college catalog: "I promise to uphold the Hagerstown Community College Honor System and to understand all written provisions pertaining to its application. As a member of the college community, I hold the qualities of honesty and integrity in highest regard and will not violate them nor tolerate those who do."

Inclement Weather Policy:
(replace parenthetical with directions as to what students should do if the weather is bad and class must be cancelled. Please consider having students also refer to the student handbook.)

Services for Students with Disabilities:
Students may receive reasonable accommodations if they have a diagnosed disability and present appropriate documentation. Students seeking accommodations are required to contact the Disability Support Services (DSS) office as early as possible. Students may contact a DSS staff member for an appointment at dss@hagerstowncc.edu or at 240-500-2530.