



# STARK STATE COLLEGE

## GENERAL SYLLABUS

### Course Information

**Course Name:** Typography Fundamentals  
**Course Number:** IMT141

### Required Materials

**Textbook(s):** **Non-Designer's Design Book 4th Edition** ISBN: 978-0133966152 **Type Rules: The Designer's Guide to Professional Typography** Print ISBN: 9781118454053, 1118454057, eText ISBN: 9781118748695, 1118748697

**Required Readings:** None

#### Additional Materials:

- **Webcam with Microphone**
  - Must be capable of sharing your face and voice when attending class.
- **Headphones and/or Speakers**
  - Must be able to hear the course. Headphones will be needed to listen while on campus.
- **Computer Access** (available on main campus, ask for details)
  - In general, you need access to a modern, multi-core processor, computer with plenty of RAM
- **Adobe Creative Cloud Software** (available on main campus, ask for details)
  - Made available on select campus computers (ask your instructor)
  - This course relies heavily upon the newest version of Adobe Animate and Character Animator
  - This course also demonstrates and allows for the use of other digital media software that comes standard with a create cloud subscription Here's a [link](#) to start a monthly subscription
- **Microsoft Office** (available on main campus, ask for details)
  - Students who are unfamiliar with operating systems (windows or mac) and/or web browsers should utilize SSC's Computer Bare Basics workshop. Contact Info: 330-494-6170 ext.4977
- **Physical or Cloud Drive (=>50 Gigabytes suggested)**
  - For cloud storage I suggest your student google drive because the storage capacity isn't capped
  - In regards to temporary/portable storage, I suggest using 32gb or higher USB 3.0 flash drive
- **Recommended for home computer setups:**
  - 4K Monitor (vastly increases screen space)
  - Second Monitor (easier to follow along with step by step videos)

## Course Outline/Calendar

The date of coverage and order of coverage may be modified based on the faculty member and events beyond the control of faculty members that interfere with class times and teaching.

<b>Week</b>	<b>Chapter/Topic/Lab</b>
Week 1	Week 1 Quiz Week 1 Exercise Week 1 Discussion
Week 2	Week 2 Quiz Week 2 Exercise
Week 3	Week 3 Quiz Week 3 Exercise
Week 4	Week 4 Quiz Week 4 Exercise
Week 5	Week 5 Quiz Week 5 Exercise
Week 6	Week 6 Quiz Week 6 Exercise
Week 7	Midterm Project Rough Draft
Week 8	Midterm Project Midterm Exam Midterm Discussion
Week 9	Week 9 Quiz Week 9 Exercise
Week 10	Week 10 Quiz Week 10 Exercise
Week 11	Week 11 Quiz Week 11 Exercise
Week 12	Week 12 Quiz Week 12 Exercise
Week 13	Week 13 Quiz Week 13 Exercise
Week 14	Final Project Rough Draft
Week 15	Final Project Final Exam
Week 16	Overflow