Course Comments

There may be important information associated with a section of a course that will be displayed under the Comments section of a course. If a series of program codes are displayed, refer to the resource document Program Codes for an explanation. If you are uncertain as to the nature of the comment, please contact the Registrar’s Office at (403) 342-3400. Please review the list below for an explanation of comments you may see. It is advisable to use the search function to find specific course comments.

General structure:
Major Code ONLY
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the major code identified.

Major Code (Number)
The comment indicates that this section of the course has reserved seats for students in the program codes listed and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

Specific Codes:
AD MUST Register with Advisor
The course is restricted to Bachelor of Education students that will be transferring to the University of Alberta or the University of Lethbridge. Registration must be approved by an Academic Advisor in person; this course is not available for web registration.

Alberta Hospital Ponoka Only
The course is only available to students approved to study through the AB Hospital in Ponoka, AB.

Alt Weeks
The course is scheduled for every other week. That is, you would attend the course on Week 1, then Week 3, then Week 5, etc.

Applied Degree Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Motion Picture Arts Applied Degree program.

Art Majors Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Fine Art, Visual Art and Bachelor of Education with a major in Art programs.

AU Must apply to AU
The course is only available to Athabasca University students and is not available for web registration. If you are an AU student, you must register with Athabasca University and they will forward this information to RDC. If you have any questions, contact the RDC Admissions Office at 403.342.3400.

AU Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students admitted to the Athabasca University Bachelor of Management degree program.

AU Only Minimum XX (number) students required
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students admitted to the Athabasca University Bachelor of Management degree program. The course requires a minimum number of students in order to run. If the number is not met, the course may be cancelled.
**AUTC Only**
The word **ONLY** indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Automotive Certificate program.

**BADM**
The course is currently reserved for students in the Business Administration program which includes majors in Accounting, General, Information Technology and Marketing as well as students in the Management Certificate program which includes Skywings Aviation students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**BADM Only**
The word **ONLY** indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Business Administration program which includes majors in Accounting, General, Information Technology and Marketing as well as students in the Management Certificate program which includes Skywings Aviation students.

**BADM(15)**
The comment indicates that this section of the course has reserved seats for students in the program codes listed and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**BADM/BCOM/BAEC/CSYS/KSMD/FS/MC**
The course is currently reserved for students in the programs listed (in all its variations). In this example, the course is reserved for students in the Business Administration (all majors) program, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts Economics, Computer Systems Technology, Kinesiology and Sport Studies Sport Management, Financial Services and Management Certificate programs. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**BADM/FS Only**
The word **ONLY** indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the program listed. The course is restricted to students in the Business Administration program which includes majors in Accounting, General, Information Technology and Marketing as well as students in the Financial Services program.

**BADM/FS/MC(10)LEGL(20)**
The comment indicates that this section of the course has reserved seats for students in the program codes listed and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**BCOM**
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Bachelor of Commerce program. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**BEd**
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Bachelor of Education Elementary and Secondary programs. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.
**BEd Elementary Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Education Elementary major.

**BEd UofA Only or BEd UofL Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the University of Alberta or University of Lethbridge Education program. Registration must be approved by an Academic Advisor in person; this course is not available for web registration.

**BEd UofA Transfer Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Education program who intend to transfer to the University of Alberta.

**BEd Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Education Elementary and Secondary programs as well as the Bachelor of Science-Education combined program.

**BED/KNSS Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Education Elementary and Secondary programs as well as the Kinesiology and Sport Studies program (all majors).

**CARC Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Carpentry and Construction program.

**Confirm with Dept**
Confirm your private lesson schedule with the Department.

**Consent of Dept**
You must get consent from the Department in order to register in the course. Consent is in the form of a registration form or add/drop form that is signed by the appropriate Department person and then taken to the Registrar's Office for in-person registration.

**BED/KNSS**
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Bachelor of Education Elementary and Secondary programs as well as the Kinesiology and Sport Studies program (all majors). Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**BEDE Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Education Elementary program.

**BSCS/CSYS Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Science Computing Science program as well as the Computer Systems Technology program.

**BSEG Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Science Engineering program.
**BSEG Only Alt Wks**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Science Engineering program. The course is scheduled for every other week. That is, you would attend the course on Week 1, then Week 3, then Week 5, etc.

**BSNR Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Science Nursing program.

**BSNR Only 1st, 2nd or 3rd Yr**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Science Nursing program and is further restricted by the year of study of the student.

**BSPP(10)**
The comment indicates that this section of the course has reserved seats for students in the program codes listed and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**Collicutt Pool**
The course is not in a regular classroom; it is taught at the Collicutt Pool.

**Collicutt Pool KNSS**
The course is not in a regular classroom; it is taught at the Collicutt Pool. The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Kinesiology and Sport Studies program (all majors). Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**Confirm time with dept**
Confirm with the course department the start and end days and start and end times of the course.

**Consent of Dept**
You must get consent from the Department in order to register in the course. Consent is in the form of a registration form or add/drop form that is signed by the appropriate Department person and then taken to the Registrar's Office for in-person registration.

**Co-requisite for 400 level**
This course must be taken at the same time as a 400 level course.

**Correspondence**
The course is only offered through correspondence.

**Correspondence Must have taken section X in Winter**
Must take section XX: this comment will be attached to all Full Year Courses (two terms back to back). It means when you register in the Winter section AA (or BB or CC, etc), you must ensure that you have registered in or completed the Fall section of the corresponding course.

**DA Department Approval**
You must get approval from the Department in order to register in the course. Approval is in the form of a registration form or add/drop form that is signed by the appropriate Department person and then taken to the Registrar's Office for in-person registration.
Directed Study
Students in these courses work on course material independently but are expected to meet with their Instructor at least once per week for discussion.

DISS/ DACS Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Disability & Community Studies program.

Distance Learning
Distance Learning is the name we use for classes that go beyond the bounds of the traditional classroom at RDC. Distance Learning is a way to extend education and training beyond the walls of the College. For learners, this can mean better learning in self-paced environments in ways that fit into lives already busy with family, work and other responsibilities. There are many ways to learn, depending on the particular course that you choose. You may receive instruction via one of the following methods: WebCT and other Internet support, Teleconference, Bulletin boards and chat rooms, Web pages or on-campus seminars or labs. For more information on Distance Learning, visit their webpage at www.rdc.ab.ca/distance_learning.

Distance Students ONLY
The course is available for off-campus students only.

Drayton Campus
The course is offered on the Drayton Valley campus. Do not register in this course unless you have approval from your Academic Advisor or Program Chairperson. If dates are also included, those will be the dates for the course delivery on that campus.

eCampus (Offered through eCampus)
The course is offered through eCampus Alberta; it is not a traditional offering at RDC. Students must register through eCampus Alberta. For more information about eCampus Alberta at RDC, visit our Distance Learning website at www.rdc.ab.ca/distance_learning.

EDAC Only Alt Weeks Teleconference
The comment indicates that this section of the course is restricted to Educational Assistant students only and is offered every second week through teleconference.

EDAC (10) BADM/FS/MC(10)
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the program codes listed and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. In this example, EDAC (10) means 10 seats are reserved for the Educational Assistant program and 10 seats are reserved for students in the Business Administration program, including Financial Services and Management Certificate programs. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

ELCC (10) EDAS (10)
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the program codes listed and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

ELCC Distance Only
The comment indicates that this section of the course is restricted to Early Learning and Child Care students only who are taking the course through distance learning (i.e. not on campus).
ELCC in Mexico Must register for ESTU XXXX
The course is being offered in Kenya and the student must register in this course plus the additional course that is listed.

Engineer Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the program listed. This course is restricted to students in the Bachelor of Science Engineering program only.

Every 3 Wks
The course is only offered every third week.

Exchange students going abroad
This comment indicates that this course section is designed for those students who have been approved to study abroad.

Fall Math 202 Continued - Permission Needed
This is a seminar for students that were not successful in Math 202 in the Fall term to take. If the student is successful there will be a pass applied to the fall term. IF the student is unsuccessful, the fail will be applied to the fall term.

Final approval subject to audition during first class or date is listed
Approval for registration into this course depends on the approval of your audition. The audition takes place during the first class or on the date indicated in the comment. If you are approved, you remain registered in the course. If you are not approved, you must drop the course.

Flat fee will be charged
This indicates that there are no billing credits attached to the course; rather, a flat charge will be calculated upon registration into the course.

Food & Beverage Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the program listed. This course is restricted to students in the Hospitality and Tourism program, Food and Beverage major only.

Hanna Campus
The course is offered on Hanna campus only. Do not register in this course unless you have approval from your Academic Advisor or Program Chairperson.

HFBC or HFBD Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Hospitality and Tourism program, Food and Beverage major.

HCA Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Health Care Aide program only.

HOSP Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students in the Hospitality and Tourism programs, any major, only.

Hybrid Delivery
The student and instructor have a regularly scheduled traditional course where a virtual classroom (online) replaces some of the scheduled class time. For example, instead of 3 hours of lectures a week, students may have 2 hours of lecture, with the other hour spent on online activities
Hunting Hills Only  
This is restricted to students taking Business Administration courses at Hunting Hills High School.

Independent Study  
Independent study refers to work completed in individual computer module courses. Students may register themselves into a different course seminar that will contain some information for their particular module of study.

ITEC Only  
This word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Computer Information Systems and Network Systems Technology Diplomas or the Networking and Software Developer Certificates.

KNSS  
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Kinesiology and Sport Studies program. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

KNSS Only  
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Kinesiology and Sport Studies program, any major.

KNSS Only Must take section XX in Winter term  
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Kinesiology and Sport Studies program, any major. Must take section XX: this comment will be attached to all Full Year Courses (two terms back to back). It means when you register in the Winter section AA (or BB or CC, etc), you must ensure that you have registered in or completed the Fall section of the corresponding course.

Learning Centre  
Students choosing to take upgrading courses by independent study (sections designated as LC) in the CAP Learning Centre will complete course work independently under the direction of instructional staff and also with the support of tutorial staff. A CAP Learning Centre schedule, provided at the beginning of each term, will indicate times when instructors and tutors are available.

LEGL Only  
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Legal Assistant program.

Online  
The student and instructor utilize the World Wide Web as a major or predominant component of the course. Online Learning courses may store lessons on the Web site for downloading, require assignments to be accessed and submitted on-line or sent via e-mail, and require participation in on-line discussions. In Online Learning courses, students interact with other learners and with their instructor via the World Wide Web. This virtual classroom is characterized by both synchronous and asynchronous communications. Online Learning courses generally have no on-site or face-to-face requirements.

PN/PNUD Only  
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Practical Nurse program.
PN/PNUD (10)
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Practical Nurse program and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

Phys 205 or 241 Lab - For 205/241 combo contact Reg Office
Physics 205/241 students can take the other course’s lab. In order to take the other courses lab you need to register in person at the Registrar’s Office.

Math 31 > 70%
A high school grade of 70% or higher in Math 31 is required before registration into this course.

Minimum XX (number) students required
The course requires a minimum number of students in order to run. If the number is not met, the course may be cancelled.

Michener Centre Pool
The course is not in a regular classroom; it is taught at the Michener Centre Pool.

MUSD Only Approval Required
This course is restricted to Music students with approval from the Department.

Must take section AA, BB, CC, etc in Winter term or Must have taken section A, B, C, etc in Fall term
This comment will be attached to all Full Year Courses (two terms back to back). It means when you register in the Fall section A (or B or C, etc), you must ensure that you also register in the corresponding Winter section AA (or BB or CC, etc). Or, if you register in the Winter section AA (or BB or CC, etc), you must ensure that you have completed the Fall section of the corresponding course.

Must pass music entrance exam
This course requires a successful pass of the Music Entrance exam.

Must register in lecture
This course is generally a seminar or a lab that accompanies the lecture course. If you are going to register in this course, you must also register in the lecture section of the same course.

Must take Lec/Section X, Seminar # or Lab # (e.g. Must take section A, Must take seminar 52, must take lab 01)
Lectures, labs and seminars are connected and you must enroll in a particular combination of a lecture, lab and seminar if this comment is indicated. Comments included with the lecture will tell you which lab you need to register in and/or comments with the lab will tell you which lecture you need to register in, etc.

Not for credit for BEd or KNSS
This course comment indicates that students in the program/s listed are not eligible to receive transfer credit for this course. For more information, meet with an Academic Advisor.

Nursing Refresher Only
This course is available only to students in the Nursing Refresher program.

Offered through eCampus
The course is offered through eCampus Alberta; it is not a traditional offering at RDC. Students must register through eCampus Alberta. For more information about eCampus Alberta at RDC, visit our Distance Learning website at www.rdc.ab.ca/distance_learning.
On-Line
Course is offered through a variety of mediums as opposed to a regular in-class lecture. This may include the internet, audio conference, webinars, etc. For more information, you can refer to our Distance Learning website at www.rdc.ab.ca/distance_learning.

OTEC (10)
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Office Technology Certificate program and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

OTEC Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Office Technology Certificate program.

PHTC Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Pharmacy Technician program.

PHTC Only Distance Learning or Dis Del Includes Sat
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Pharmacy Technician program. The course is available for off-campus students only and may include a Saturday offering.

Placements in Red Deer
Placement located in Red Deer.

Placements outside of Red Deer
Placement located outside of Red Deer.

PN Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Practical Nurse program.

RDC in Kenya (or other place) Must also register in ESTU XXXX
The course is being offered in Kenya and the student must register in this course plus the additional course that is listed.

Rec Centre
The course is not in a regular classroom; it is taught at the Recreation Centre.

Red Deer Gymnastics Club
The course is not in a regular classroom; it is taught at the Red Deer Gymnastics Club.

Rocky Campus
The course is offered on Rocky Mountain House campus only. Do not register in this course unless you have approval from your Academic Advisor or Program Chairperson.

Rocky/Drayton Valley/O'Chiese
The course is offered on Rocky Mountain House, Drayton Valley and O'Chiese campuses only. Do not register in this course unless you have approval from your Academic Advisor or Program Chairperson.
Self Directed
The course materials are all-inclusive; i.e. a student can work through the material without extra input by an instructor but a mandatory seminar is required to provide the student with support.

Self Directed Distance Only
The course is designed as a self-directed course and is designed for off-campus students only.

Self Directed Must register in lecture
The course is designed as a self-directed course and is generally a seminar or a lab. If you are going to register in this course, you must also register in the lecture section of the same course.

SP Studio Practicum ART 499 Required
All ART 400 level courses require that the student also register in ART 499 Studio Practice. Web registration is not allowed for this course; registration must be processed at the Registrar's Front Desk.

TCRE (10)
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Theatre Performance and Creation stream and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

TCRE Only or TENT Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the program listed. This course is restricted to students in the Theatre Performance and Creation or the Theatre and Entertainment Production programs only.

TENT (10)
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the Theatre and Entertainment Production stream and the number in parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

TVOCS Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the program listed. This course is restricted to students in the Transitional Vocational program.

UofA Nursing Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the University of Alberta Nursing program.

UC Must register with UofC Office
The course is only available to University of Calgary students. If you are a UofC student, you must register in person with the UofC office on campus.

UofC Only
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the University of Calgary Bachelor of Arts program.
**UofC (10)**
The comment indicates that this section of the course is reserved for students in the University of Calgary Bachelor of Arts program and the number in the parenthesis indicates the number of seats reserved for those students. Course reserves are monitored from March until August and may be lifted for the non-program students. If the comment no longer appears on the course, the course reserve has been lifted and is open for all students.

**Unscheduled XX (number) or lab hours**
You will be required to arrange and participate in additional course lab hours that are not scheduled for you.

**UNIT Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Unit Clerk program.

**VART Only**
The word ONLY indicates that this particular course section is restricted to students in the Visual Art program.

**Wetaskiwin Campus**
The course is offered on Wetaskiwin campus only. Do not register in this course unless you have approval from your Academic Advisor or Program Chairperson.

**Whitecourt Campus**
The course is offered on White Court campus only. Do not register in this course unless you have approval from your Academic Advisor or Program Chairperson.

**With Math 040**
This course is crosslisted and taught at the same time with the course in the comment.

**Youngstown Campus**
The course is offered on Youngstown campus only. Do not register in this course unless you have approval from your Academic Advisor or Program Chairperson.

**2 unscheduled hours**
This course indicates that students are expected to work on their own 2 hours per week. If the calendar indicates (5-0) which means 5 lecture hours per week. This course is only scheduled for 3 with the remainder being 2 hours of unscheduled work.

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