

COURSE SYLLABUS



COURSE TITLE: HMGT 187 Food & Beverage Cost Control
CLASS SECTION: 001
TERM: W2025
COURSE CREDITS: 3
DELIVERY METHOD(S): Face-to- Face

Camosun College respectfully acknowledges that our campuses are situated on the territories of the Ləkʷəŋən (Songhees and Kosapsum) and WSÁNEĆ peoples. We honour their knowledge and welcome to all students who seek education here.

INSTRUCTOR DETAILS

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OFFICE HOUR: Wednesdays 1:30-pm-2:30pm

As your course instructor, I endeavour to provide an inclusive learning environment. However, if you experience barriers to learning in this course, do not hesitate to discuss them with me. Camosun College is committed to identifying and removing institutional and social barriers that prevent access and impede success.

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

This course focuses on the principles and procedures involved in an effective system of food, beverage and labour controls used in the hospitality industry. Topics include the basic control procedures used in food and beverage costing, labour cost analysis and pricing.

Prerequisites

One of:

- C in [English 12](#)
- C in [Camosun Alternative](#)

COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES / OBJECTIVES

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

1. Describe the concepts of financial and internal controls in the hospitality industry.
2. Determine food and beverage standards as benchmarks for control.
3. Develop a basic food and beverage budget as a plan for the operation.
4. Use a menu appropriately in developing and applying controls.
5. Apply appropriate control mechanisms in the following areas:
 - a. Purchasing and receiving

- b. Storing and issuing
 - c. Production and serving
6. Apply procedures for calculating, comparing, and analyzing food and beverage costs.
7. Apply the following practices to maximize profitability:
- a. Control of sales income
 - b. Prevention of theft
 - c. Controlling labour costs

REQUIRED MATERIALS & RECOMMENDED PREPARATION / INFORMATION

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(a) Text: Dittmer, P, Keefe, D, Hoyer, G. & Foster, T. (2014) Principles of Food, Beverage and Labour Cost Controls, 2nd Canadian edition. Wiley

(b) Other: Calculator

*Please note: Phones or other electronic devices that include calculators or translators are not permitted during assessments (quizzes, exams, etc.)

COURSE SCHEDULE, TOPICS, AND ASSOCIATED PREPARATION / ACTIVITY / EVALUATION

The following schedule and course components are subject to change with reasonable advance notice, as deemed appropriate by the instructor.

- Mondays 10:30am – 12:00pm F262
- Wednesdays 8:30am - 10:00am F336

| WEEK or DATE RANGE | ACTIVITY or TOPIC | OTHER NOTES |
|------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1 January 6th | Course Introduction Cost/Sales, Control Concepts The Budget (Introduction) | Complete Practice quizzes as assigned |
| 2 January 13th | Cost/ Sales, control concepts. The budget, continued | |
| 3 January 20th | Food Production Controls | Complete Practice quizzes as assigned |
| 4 January 27th | Food Production Controls continued... <u>Quiz #1 (10%) Monday, February 3rd, 2025</u> | Complete practice quizzes as assigned |
| 5 February 3rd | <u>Inventory Assignment #1 (15%)</u> <u>Via D2L Dropbox</u> <u>Due: Friday, February 14th, 2025</u> | |
| 6 February 10th | Purchasing/Receiving Controls | Complete practice quizzes as assigned |
| <u>7 February 17th</u> | <u>Family Day and Reading Break - No Classes</u> | |

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| 8 February 24th | Storing and Issuing Controls Midterm Review | Review PowerPoints and assigned text references. Complete Practice quizzes as assigned. |
| 9 March 3rd | Midterm Review <u>Exam Monday, March 10th, 2025 (20%)</u> | |
| 10 March 10th | <u>Midterm Exam</u> Cost-Volume-Profit (CVP) | Complete practice quizzes as assigned |
| 11 March 17th | Cost-Volume-Profit (CVP) - Day #2 CVP Quiz (Monday, March 24 th) | Review PowerPoints, assigned text References |
| 12 March 24th | <u>CVP Quiz (Monday, March 24th)</u> <u>Assignment #2 (15%)</u> Via D2L Dropbox <u>Due Friday, April 4th, 2025</u> | Review PowerPoints, assigned text References |
| <u>13 March 31st</u> | Menu Engineering/Sales Control | |
| 13 April 7th st | Labour Cost Control Exam Review | Review PowerPoints, assigned text References |
| 14 April 9th | Exam Review | Review PowerPoints, assigned text References |
| April 14 th -25 th 2025 | Final Exam: 3-hour comprehensive exam (30%). Exam can be scheduled at any time during the exam period. <u>DO NOT</u> make travel or holiday plans until the exam schedule is finalized. | TBA |

Students registered with the Centre for Accessible Learning (CAL) who complete quizzes, tests, and exams with academic accommodations have booking procedures and deadlines with CAL where advanced notice is required. Deadlines can be reviewed on the [CAL exams page. https://camosun.ca/services/academic-supports/accessible-learning/academic-accommodations-exams](https://camosun.ca/services/academic-supports/accessible-learning/academic-accommodations-exams)

EVALUATION OF LEARNING

| DESCRIPTION | WEIGHTING |
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| Assignments | 30% |

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| Quizzes | 20% |
| Midterm exam | 20% |
| Final exam | 30% |
| TOTAL | 100% |
| <p>If you have a concern about a grade you have received for an evaluation, please come and see me as soon as possible. Refer to the Grade Review and Appeals policy for more information.</p> | |

COURSE GUIDELINES & EXPECTATIONS

Assignment formatting.

The School of Business uses APA style for formatting assignments and citing references. Proper citations and formatting using APA style will be required. See Camosun College (2018) Library Citation Guides retrieved from: <http://camosun.ca.libguides.com/apa7>.

- ☐ Where required by your instructor, submit all assignments into the D2L assignments by your last name.
- ☐ In text citations for quotes, paraphrasing, and references must be consistent with APA standards.
- ☐ Grammar, spelling, style and APA formatting, citations and referencing will be assessed in your mark.
- ☐ All submitted work must be properly referenced to sources where required by your instructor.
- ☐ Unless otherwise specified, you are to submit your own work, any work collaborated (unless permitted by the course), or produced with the aid of AI, will be considered in violation of the college's Academic Integrity policy. (See Academic Integrity).
- ☐ If you have a concern about a grade you have received for an evaluation, please come and see me as soon as possible. Do not wait until the last moment.

Refer to the Grade Review and Appeals policy for more information.

<http://camosun.ca/about/policies/education-academic/e-1-programming-and-instruction/e-1.14.pdf>

- ☐ Deadlines and exams. You must submit your assignments on the due date or as announced. A grade of zero will be assigned to late submissions. There are no additional assignments or make-up exams of any kind if you performed poorly on an assignment, midterm, or final exam.

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITY

Enrolment at Camosun assumes that the student will become a responsible member of the College community. As such, each student will display a positive work ethic, assist in the preservation of College property, and assume responsibility for their education by researching academic requirements and policies; demonstrating courtesy and respect toward others; and respecting expectations concerning attendance, assignments, deadlines, and appointments.

SUPPORTS AND SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

Camosun College offers a number of services to help you succeed in and out of the classroom. For a detailed overview of the supports and services visit camosun.ca/services.

| Support Service | Website |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Academic Advising | camosun.ca/services/academic-supports/academic-advising |
| Accessible Learning | camosun.ca/services/academic-supports/accessible-learning |
| Counselling | camosun.ca/services/health-and-wellness/counselling-centre |
| Career Services | camosun.ca/services/co-operative-education-and-career-services |
| Financial Aid and Awards | camosun.ca/registration-records/financial-aid-awards |
| Help Centres (Math/English/Science) | camosun.ca/services/academic-supports/help-centres |
| Indigenous Student Support | camosun.ca/programs-courses/iecc/indigenous-student-services |
| International Student Support | camosun.ca/international |
| Learning Skills | camosun.ca/services/academic-supports/help-centres/writing-centre-learning-skills |
| Library | camosun.ca/services/library |
| Office of Student Support | camosun.ca/services/office-student-support |
| Ombudsperson | camosun.ca/services/ombudsperson |
| Registration | camosun.ca/registration-records/registration |
| Technology Support | camosun.ca/services/its |
| Writing Centre | camosun.ca/services/academic-supports/help-centres/writing-centre-learning-skills |

If you have a mental health concern, please contact Counselling to arrange an appointment as soon as possible. Counselling sessions are available at both campuses during business hours. If you need urgent support after-hours, please contact the Vancouver Island Crisis Line at 1-888-494-3888 or call 911.

COLLEGE-WIDE POLICIES, PROCEDURES, REQUIREMENTS, AND STANDARDS

Academic Integrity

Students are expected to comply with all College policy regarding academic integrity; which is about honest and ethical behaviour in your education journey. The following guide is designed to help you understand your responsibilities: <https://camosun.libguides.com/academicintegrity/welcome>
Please visit <https://camosun.ca/sites/default/files/2021-05/e-1.13.pdf> for Camosun's Academic Integrity policy and details for addressing and resolving matters of academic misconduct.

Academic Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

Camosun College is committed to achieving full accessibility for persons with disabilities. Part of this commitment includes arranging appropriate academic accommodations for students with disabilities to ensure they have an equitable opportunity to participate in all of their academic activities. If you are a student with a documented disability and think you may need accommodations, you are strongly encouraged to contact the Centre for Accessible Learning (CAL) and register as early as possible. Please visit the CAL website for more information about the process of registering with CAL, including important deadlines:
<https://camosun.ca/cal>

Academic Progress

Please visit <https://camosun.ca/sites/default/files/2023-02/e-1.1.pdf> for further details on how Camosun College monitors students' academic progress and what steps can be taken if a student is at risk of not meeting the College's academic progress standards.

Course Withdrawals Policy

Please visit <https://camosun.ca/sites/default/files/2021-05/e-2.2.pdf> for further details about course withdrawals. For deadline for fees, course drop dates, and tuition refund, please visit <https://camosun.ca/registration-records/tuition-fees#deadlines>.

Grading Policy

Please visit <https://camosun.ca/sites/default/files/2021-05/e-1.5.pdf> for further details about grading.

Grade Review and Appeals

Please visit <https://camosun.ca/sites/default/files/2021-05/e-1.14.pdf> for policy relating to requests for review and appeal of grades.

Medical / Compassionate Withdrawals

Students who are incapacitated and unable to complete or succeed in their studies by virtue of serious and demonstrated exceptional circumstances may be eligible for a medical/compassionate withdrawal (see [Medical/Compassionate Withdrawals policy](#)). Please visit <https://camosun.ca/services/forms#medical> to learn more about the process involved in a medical/compassionate withdrawal.

Sexual Violence

Camosun is committed to creating a campus culture of safety, respect, and consent. Camosun's Office of Student Support is responsible for offering support to students impacted by sexual violence. Regardless of when or where the sexual violence occurred, students can access support at Camosun. The Office of Student Support will make sure students have a safe and private place to talk and will help them understand what

supports are available and their options for next steps. The Office of Student Support respects a student's right to choose what is right for them. For more information see Camosun's Sexualized Violence Policy:

<https://camosun.ca/sites/default/files/2021-05/e-2.9.pdf> and camosun.ca/services/sexual-violence-support-and-education.

To contact the Office of Student Support: oss@camosun.ca or by phone: 250-370-3046 or 250-370-3841

Student Misconduct (Non-Academic)

Camosun College is committed to building the academic competency of all students, seeks to empower students to become agents of their own learning, and promotes academic belonging for everyone. Camosun also expects that all students to conduct themselves in a manner that contributes to a positive, supportive, and safe learning environment. Please review Camosun College's Student Misconduct Policy at

<https://camosun.ca/sites/default/files/2021-05/e-2.5.pdf> to understand the College's expectations of academic integrity and student behavioural conduct.

Looking for other policies?

The full suite of College policies and directives can be found here: <https://camosun.ca/about/camosun-college-policies-and-directives>

Changes to this Syllabus: Every effort has been made to ensure that information in this syllabus is accurate at the time of publication. The College reserves the right to change courses if it becomes necessary so that course content remains relevant. In such cases, the instructor will give the students clear and timely notice of the changes.