Summary of Subject Codes Changes

2021-2022 School Year

The Oklahoma State Department of Education has reviewed the subject codes available on the Accreditation\footnote{https://sde.ok.gov/accreditation-standards-division} website for accuracy, consistency, and ease-of-use. A number of changes to the subject codes will go into effect for the 2021-2022 school year in an effort to improve advising and course offerings for all Oklahoma students. Notes about revisions are provided in this document for reference. All changes are either a Deletion, Addition, Revision, or Move. Decisions about such changes have been informed by the following five factors:

- **Factor 1** - Alignment to Current Standards
- **Factor 2** - Alignment to Best Practices Regarding Remediation and Support Structures
- **Factor 3** - Alignment to Advanced Learning Opportunities and Post-Secondary Readiness
- **Factor 4** - Alignment to Best Practices in Advising
- **Factor 5** - Usability

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### Overall Changes

- Overall format of the subject codes remains the same as in previous years.

### PK-8th Grade Changes

- PK-8\textsuperscript{th} grade codes remain the same.
9th-12th Grade Changes

Fine Arts

- Fine arts codes were extensively revised following the adoption of new Fine Arts Academic Standards in 2020. For further guidance on these codes, including course descriptions and teacher certification requirements, see the Oklahoma Fine Arts Codes and Descriptions Document.

**Addition**
- The following course codes have been added to expand 9-12 dance offerings.
  - 2866 Dance Performance and Production
  - 2867-2870 Ballet I-IV
  - 2875-2876 Hip Hop I-II
  - 2877 Dance for Musical Theatre
  - 2882-2883 Tap I-II
  - 2889-2892 Jazz I-IV
  - 2897-2900 Modern Dance I-IV
  - 2905 World/Cultural Dance
  - 2906 Dance Improvisation and Composition
  - 2907 Dance Appreciation
  - 2908 Color Guard (For dance credit)
- The following course codes have been added to expand 9-12 music offerings.
  - 3005-3008 Orchestra I-IV
  - 3047 Culturally Influenced Ensemble
  - 3048 Piano
  - 3049 Guitar
  - 3050 Music Immersive Experience
- The following course code has been added to expand 9-12 visual art offerings.
  - 2833-3834 Jewelry and Metals I-II
- The following course code has been added to expand 9-12 humanities offerings.
  - 2956 Humanities I (Drama/Theatre Emphasis)

**Revision**
- The following courses have been revised in 9-12 drama/theatre offerings.
  - 2856-2859 Technical Theatre I-IV (name change)
  - 2893-2896 Acting I-IV (name change)
- The following courses have been revised in 9-12 music offerings.
  - 3001-3004 Band I-IV (name change)
  - 3031-3034 Jazz Band I-IV (course number change)
- The following courses have been revised in 9-12 visual art offerings.
  - 2821-2824 Folk Art I-IV (name change)
Deletion

- The following course codes have been deleted to remove outdated language or courses with little to no enrollment.
  - 3031 Instruments/Strings
  - 3032 Instruments/Woodwinds
  - 3033 Instruments/Brass
  - 3034 Instruments/Percussion
  - 2832 Studio Art 3-D Construction
  - 2834 Studio Art: 3-D Performance
  - 2835 Studio Art: 3-D Mix