# NVCC COLLEGE-WIDE COURSE CONTENT SUMMARY ITA 112 - CONVERSATION IN ITALIAN II (3 CR.)

# **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Continuation of Italian 111. Emphasizes the spoken language, stressing fluency and correctness of structure, pronunciation, and vocabulary.

Lecture - 3 hours per week.

# **GENERAL COURSE PURPOSE**

This course provides continued practice in speaking and understanding Italian, with emphasis upon developing fluency, increasing vocabulary and improving sentence structure and pronunciation.

# **ENTRY LEVEL COMPETENCIES**

The prerequisite for this course is ITA 102 – "Beginning Italian II" or equivalent.

#### **COURSE OBJECTIVES**

Upon completion of this course, the student should be able to handle successfully a variety of uncomplicated tasks and social situations. Their sentences should become longer and their grammar and pronunciation much improved.

# **MAJOR TOPICS TO BE COVERED**

- A. Asking for directions
- B. Making purchases
- C. Using the telephone
- D. Ordering a meal
- E. Current events
- F. Handle simple transactions, e.g. hotel, restaurant, post office, bank, drugstore
- G. Autobiographical information
- H. Leisure time activities
- I. Narrations about past, present, and future activities
- J. Reports on current events and factual information