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ACADEMIC SENATE

GENERAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

REPORT TO

THE ACADEMIC SENATE

GE-031-201

PHY 1510: Introduction to Newtonian Mechanics (Modification)

General Education Committee

Date: 04/07/2021

Executive Committee
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Academic Senate

Date: 04/14/2021
First Reading

TITLE OF REFERRAL: GE-031-20: PHY 1510: Introduction to Newtonian Mechanics (Modification)

BACKGROUND:

Addition of corequisite.

RESOURCES CONSULTED:

Office of Academic Programs.

DISCUSSION:

We are adding a corequisite of MAT 1150 (an existing B4 GE) so that the course can be taken concurrently with PHY 1510. This MAT class is a prerequisite to the next physics class (PHY 1520). Therefore, the department deemed it is necessary for the students to take MAT 1150 along with PHY 1510, and doing this will not delay degree progress. Also, according to the author of this referral, the MAT 1150 material is very useful for PHY 1510. Finally, by reminding students to take MAT 1150, the department aims at helping them to stay on track for degree completion. The GE Committee supported this referral unanimously.

For detailed course information, see Curriculog.

RECOMMENDATION:

The GE Committee recommends Senate adopt GE-031-20: PHY 1510: Introduction to Newtonian Mechanics (Modification).