

# SPECIAL BULLETIN No. 8 - 1959-60

## RADIO ELECTRONIC TELEVISION SCHOOLS

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## 1. SCHOOL CALENDAR

The School operates on a continuous schedule, usually starting a beginning class each month during the year. Advanced classes are scheduled as necessary according to the term progression.

Enrollment dates are scheduled 60 to 90 days prior to the starting date. The student may enroll for any scheduled date and a place is reserved for him in that particular class.

## 2. THE FOLLOWING LEGAL HOLIDAYS ARE OBSERVED

Independence Day (July 6, 1959), Labor Day (September 7, 1959), Thanksgiving Day and day following (November 26 and 27, 1959), Christmas Eve and Christmas Day (December 24 and 25, 1959), New Year's Eve and New Year's Day (December 31, 1959, and January 1, 1960).

## 3. ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR TERM I

Completion of two years secondary school, or equivalent as determined in a personal interview by a member of the Credentials Committee

## 4. CREDIT FOR PREVIOUS TRAINING

Credit for previous experience or training is granted on an entrance examination basis only. A student may enter this training program at that level he establishes by means of an examination given by this Institute.

## 5. LEAVE TIME

A leave of absence may be granted a student because of illness or any established need. The student may reenter at the same point of advancement previously attained prior to his absence.

## 6. ABSENCES

A student is required to make a report to his instructor after each absence, or class cut. If the absence is unexcused the student is warned. Five unexcused absences result in the student being sent to a School Official at which time he is, either dismissed from school, or if extenuating circumstances prevailed, given an opportunity to correct himself. If no improvement, dismissal results.

## 7. MAKE-UP WORK

a. As a result of absence his instructor will assign the work missed. The student is required to make-up this work to the satisfaction of his instructor. However, a student missing too much time, and unable to keep up with his class, is put back a class. The expense of this additional schooling is donated by the school.

b. Addition of two one-half hour periods, before and after regular scheduled hours, to allow students opportunity of make-up work caused by their having to leave early or arrive late because of employment complications.

## 8. TARDINESS

If a student arrives late for class, he will not be permitted to enter that class unless he has a legitimate excuse for being tardy. If the student does not submit an acceptable excuse, he will be allowed to enter class but will be charged with a

minimum of one hour tardiness. Abnormal tardiness without an acceptable excuse will not be permitted. In all such cases the student is warned, but after the third reoccurrence is sent to a School Official at which time he is either dismissed from school, or given another opportunity to correct himself before dismissal.

## 9. INTERRUPTIONS FOR UNSATISFACTORY ATTENDANCE

At the discretion of School Officials and after a warning students will be interrupted for unsatisfactory attendance.

## 10. GRADING SYSTEM

Alphabetical A-B-C-D-E. A is the highest grade that may be attained. A through D are passing grades. E is a failing grade. An E student is not permitted to enter the next term. D- is a conditional grade. The student given a conditional standing may be permitted to enter the next term. The student in such a case is given a period of ten weeks to attain satisfactory grades. If successful he is given credit for satisfactory completion of the conditional term. Failure of the student to attain passing grades during this probationary period results in dismissal. He may not reenter. Progress records are kept on each student, grades being given at the end of each calendar month.

## 11. STUDENT CONDUCT

The student's conduct is expected to be that of a gentleman at all times. His conduct must not interfere in any way with the progress of his fellow students. He further is expected to abide by all school rules and regulations concerning attendance, tardiness, and general conduct. Infringement of these regulations may, at the option of the School, subject the student to dismissal.

## 12. TUITION

Tuition rates are listed in the Course Outline on pages 3 and 4. Budget plans are available for tuition.

## 13. AVAILABLE SPACE, FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT

Approximately 33,000 square feet of floor space is occupied by the school in four locations. All buildings are of brick and concrete construction. All space is well-lighted and ventilated and heated with central heat. Adequate lavatories are provided. All school properties have been inspected and approved by the fire department, Board of Health and Underwriters.

## 14. EQUIPMENT

The school has a completely equipped operating experimental U.H.F. TV station. The F.C.C. has approved this experimental station, construction started as of 1949. It was completed in early 1951.

The school also has a very modern equipped amateur radio station.

The school, further, has all of the necessary and complete test and demonstration equipment required to the teaching of the training program as outlined below.

**PRACTICAL TELEVISION AND COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING COURSE**  
**TOTAL WEEKS — 106**                      **TOTAL HOURS — 2840**  
**OUTLINE AND SEQUENCE OF TERMS OF TRAINING PROGRAM**

TERM I—Basic Electronics and Radio Service  
 30 weeks ..... 825 hours

TERM II—Frequency Modulation  
 16 weeks ..... 440 hours

TERM III—Television Technician  
 30 weeks ..... 750 hours

TERM IV—Practical Television and Communication  
 Engineering  
 30 weeks ..... 825 hours

**OUTLINE OF TRAINING AND TUITION COST**

**TERM I—Subjects and Hours**

TERM REFERENCE: Basic Electronics & Radio  
 Service

Radio and Electronic Theory .....	275.0 hours
Mathematics .....	85.5 hours
Radio Lab and Shop Practice.....	100.0 hours
Practical Laboratory .....	157.0 hours
Shop Practice .....	207.5 hours
	825.0 hours

**TERM II—Subjects and Hours**

TERM REFERENCE: Frequency Modulation  
 High Frequency and U.H.F. Radio

Electronic Theory .....	256.0 hours
Mathematics .....	83.5 hours
Laboratory Construction .....	75.0 hours
Shop Practice .....	25.5 hours
	440.0 hours

Total Cost of Term (\$540.00) includes:

- (a) Textbooks
- (b) Lab Fees
- (c) Tuition

Textbooks Furnished Students:

“Elements of Radio”—*Marcus & Marcus, Prentice Hall, Inc., N. Y.*  
 “Allied Radio Data Handbook”—*Allied Radio Corp., Chicago*  
 “RCA Receiving Tube Manual”—*R.C.A. Corp., Harrison, N. Y.*  
 Classroom work sheets—*R.E.T.S. staff*  
 Laboratory work sheets—*R.E.T.S. staff*  
 As Reference:  
 “Rider’s Manuals”—*John F. Rider*

Total Cost of Term (\$288.00) includes:

- (a) Textbooks
- (b) Lab Fees
- (c) Tuition

Textbooks Furnished Students:

“F.M. Simplified”—*M. S. Kiver, (D. VanNostrand, New York)*  
 “Radio Amateur Handbook”—*American Radio Relay League*  
 Classroom work sheets—*R.E.T.S. staff*  
 Laboratory work sheets—*R.E.T.S. staff*  
 As Reference:  
 Radio Operations License Q & A Manual by *Kaufman*

**School’s Lending Library:**

“Modern Physics for the Engineer”—*L. N. Ridenour*  
 “Television Broadcasting”—*Howard A. Chinn*  
 “Proceedings of the I.R.E.”—*Institute of Radio Engineers*  
 “Product Engineering”—*McGraw Hill*  
 “Control Engineering”—*McGraw Hill*  
 “Electronics”—*McGraw Hill*  
 “Servomechanism Practice”—*William R. Ahrendt*

**Books by Robert G. Middleton:**

“TV Trouble Shooting Volume I”—*Rider*  
 “TV Trouble Shooting Volume II”—*Rider*  
 “Sweep & Market Generators”—*Gernsbeck*  
 “Pix-O-Fix Trouble Finder Guide”—*Reinhardt*  
 “How to Use Test Probes” *co-authored with Ghirardi-Rider*  
 “Servicing Color TV”—*Gernsbeck*  
 “How to Use Oscilloscopes”—*Gernsbeck*  
 “TV—It’s a Cinch”—*Gernsbeck*

**TERM III—Subjects and Hours**

TERM REFERENCE: Television Technician  
Television, Color Television, and Advanced  
Electronics

Theory .....	275.0 hours
Mathematics .....	50.0 hours
TV Lab .....	175.0 hours
Shop Practice .....	100.0 hours
Color Television Basic Phase .....	50.0 hours
Color Television Theory Phase .....	50.0 hours
Color Television Service Phase .....	50.0 hours
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	750.0 hours

Total Cost of Term (\$540.00) includes:

- (a) Textbooks
- (b) Lab Fees
- (c) Tuition

Textbooks Furnished Students:

“Basic Television”—*Bernard Grob (McGraw-Hill)*

Classroom work sheets—*R.E.T.S. staff*

Laboratory work sheets—*R.E.T.S. staff*

As Reference:

“Television Simplified”—*M. S. Kiver  
(D. VanNostrand)*

Radio Operations License Q & A Manual by *Kaufman*

“Principles of Television”—*D. G. Fink (McGraw-Hill)*

“Television”—*Zworykin & Morton  
(John Wiley & Son)*

“Television IV”—*Goldsmith, et al (RCA Publishers)*

“Cathode-Ray Tube and Typical Applications”—

*Copyrighted by Allen B. Dumont Lab., Clifton,  
N. J.*

Color Television Text Material by *Robert G. Middleton*

**TERM IV—Subjects and Hours**

TERM REFERENCE: Practical Television &  
Communications Engineering  
Physics as applied to Electronics

Engineering .....	206.25 hours
Advanced Mathematics .....	206.25 hours
Communications and Electronics Theory .....	275.00 hours
Communications or Electronics Lab .....	137.50 hours
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	825.00 hours

Total Cost of Term (\$540.00) includes:

- (a) Textbooks
- (b) Lab Fees
- (c) Tuition

Textbooks Furnished Students:

“Introduction to Mathematical Analysis”—  
*F. L. Griffin, Ph.D.*

“Introductory Applied Physics”—*Harris &  
Hemmerling*

Classroom work sheets—*R.E.T.S. staff*

Laboratory work sheets—*R.E.T.S. staff*

As Reference:

“Radio Handbook, 13th Edition”—*Editors and  
Engineers, Ltd.*

“Electronic Measurements”—*Terman & Pettit*

“Modern Introductory Physics”—*Ira M. Freeman*

“Radio Antenna Engineering”—*E. A. Laport*

“Schaum’s Outline of College Physics”—  
*Schaum Publishing Co.*

“Radio Engineering”—*F. E. Terman*

“Radar Circuit Analysis”—*Department of the Air  
Force*

“Practical Radio Communication”—  
*Nilson & Hornung*

“Standards of Good Engineering Practice”—*FCC  
(U. S. Government Printing Office)*

“Industrial Electronic Control”—*W. D. Cockrell*

“Writing the Technical Report”—*J. Raleigh Nelson*

“A Guide to Technical Writing”—*Crouch & Zetler*

“Radar System Engineering”—*Ridenour*