

Two telecourses are being offered this fall

Del Mar College is offering two college credit courses as telecourses this fall. Students may take English 601A, the first semester of Freshman Reading and Composition, and Government 610A, American Government, as telecourses this semester.

Any student who has been admitted to the college and is

eligible for the courses may register for these telecourses. Admissions, registration and tuition for telecourses are the same as for on-campus classes.

Telecourse students attend an on-campus orientation that outlines the course. Several assignments during the semester will be completed on campus. The rest of the telecourse work

may be completed at home in front of the television set. Telecourse videotapes are aired on Athena Cablevision Channel 19, the Higher Education Access Channel. All sets within the Corpus Christi city limits that are hooked up to the cable system can receive these programs.

This is the first semester Del Mar has offered the government

course through telelessons. More than 20 students registered for the course during pre-registration held last month. The English telecourse was offered in the spring with good results.

Students taking the English telecourse praised this method of instruction for persons who could not or didn't feel ready to

attend classes on campus several days each week.

Students completing the English telecourse in the spring had grade averages and completion rates slightly higher than for students taking the same course in traditional on-campus settings.

For more information, call 881-6312.