

# Open Content Creation Club: Constitution

OC3 Board

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## Article I Name

- (a) The full name of this club is “The Open Content Creation Club”, and this name will be used in all instances in which the full club name is required.
- (b) The club can also be referred to as “The OC3”, “The OpenC3”, or “The OpenCCC” in cases where it is unnecessary to display the full club name.

## Article II Purpose

The Open Content Creation Club’s purpose is to demonstrate students’ ability to create new media such as images, videos, text, and *content* with non-commercial software—software that is *free*, as in “the users have the *freedom* to run, copy, distribute, study, change and improve the software” (GNU Free Software Definition)—software that is and will continue to be accessible by anyone.

## Article III Membership

- (a) All persons are eligible to become club members.
- (b) Persons are considered members only if the board has listed them on the club roster for the current year.
- (c) If a member fails to attend four consecutive meetings, then their membership will be suspended till the following semester.

## Article IV Dues

- (a) Members will have **no mandatory dues**.
- (b) The board may ask for donations not exceeding \$5.00 per semester to help pay for club services such as online servers used to organize and provide project resources to club members.

## Article V Board

The Open Content Creation Club will have the following board positions:

- (a) *President*, expected to organize club meetings and calendars
- (b) *Vice President*, expected to assist the President in completing their tasks
- (c) *Secretary*, expected to track attendance at club meetings and to turn in club minutes on time for every club meeting
- (d) *Underclassmen Representative*, expected to represent underclassmen in club decision making, must be a freshman or sophomore
- (e) Any number of *General Board Members*, expected to assist professional board members (President, Vice President, Secretary, and Underclassmen Representative) in completing their tasks and to participate in club decision making

## Article VI Amendments

A club must be a dynamic organization, and the existence of amendments reflect this need. Amendments can be appended to this constitution when a majority of *voting power* agrees to pass an amendment. Voting power is distributed as such:

- (a) The first half of the voting power is split evenly among the current board members.
- (b) The second half of the voting power is split evenly among the club members.