A two-year sports turf manager curriculum will be offered by Cuyamaca College in El Cajon, CA, beginning this fall. The program consists of classes in horticulture, plant pest and disease control, soils, principles of irrigation, landscape construction, and golf course and sports field management.

A subcommittee composed of key members in the golf course and sports turf industry was formed last year by the Ornamental Horticulture Advisory Committee of Cuyamaca College to explore the feasibility, procedures and requirements of a sports turf manager program at the El Cajon, CA, campus. After a year of research and discussion, objectives of the program, as well as course requirements were finalized. The total program was approved by the District Board of Directors and Curriculum Committee, and is now offered in 1989-1990 Cuyamaca College Course Catalogue.

Those interested in the program can contact: Cuyamaca College, Dept. of Ornamental Horticulture, 2950 Jamacha Rd., El Cajon, CA 92019.