

SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY

SAULT STE, MARIE, ONTARIO

C O U R S E . O U T L I N E

Course Title: ^1EELDWORK I

Code No.: MRC 115-8

Program: DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES WORKER

Semester: FIRST .

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PDRPOSE:

Pleldwork I is designed to give students the experience and skills necessaiy to work in a variety of work/school settings. Students will learn knowledge related to programing by perfoiming various assignments with wiethods of observation as well as hands-on training experience with Developmentally Handicapped individuals,

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After completing the requirements for Heldwork I the student will:

- a) have a greater understanding of the functions and services his/her placement agency provides,
- b) develop a sense of team work by experiencing interactions with other professionals in the field,
- c). observe a variety of techniques for training and teaching Etevelopraentally Handicapped persons,
- d) learn the importance of proper work habits and how these habits affect others, i.e. supervisors, other staff members and peers,
- e) learn to follcwr lines of communication and how to deal with conflicts should they arise,
- f 1 learn to manage and utilize his/her time effectively,
- g) . learn hew to observe, record and report on client progress,
- h.) develop a sense of respcaisibility and a feel for the role of a D,S.W. (0)evelqpmantal Services Worker) professional,

MEIBXOIJOGY:

Students will be assigned to various agencies such as; schools, vocational placenents, nursing hones, developmental centres, etc. by the D.S.W. Department. Students will be required to work 9 hoiors per week.

ASSIGN&tENTS;

See instructor for assignmentCsi.

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Students will be evaluated by faculty and with the assistance of the agency supervisor. Assignnents, work habits, canpetency in skills areas, ccrmmunica-tions with supervisor, professionalism and, most importantly, care and treatment of client will be used to measure performance using a variety of methods. Evaluation of courses is subject to change.

GEIADING SYSTEM:

A satisfactory or unsatisfactory grade will be given.