

## PROGRAM OF STUDY

### Developmental Services Certificate in Life Skills Certificate in

The purpose of this certificate is to prepare students with a range of disabilities for greater independence and participation in their community. The student will learn the practical skills necessary for increasing their independence, ability to integrate more fully and take an active role within their community.

#### **Core Courses - 10 units**

		<b>Units</b>
DEVSER212	Health Management	2
DEVSER213	Communication and Advocacy	2
DEVSER214	Government Basics	2
DEVSER262	Group Interaction for Students with Disabilities	2
DEVSER277	Adapted Computer Literacy	2

#### Community Emphasis Certificate

Upon Completing this certificate the student will be able to:

- Articulate awareness about their rights and responsibilities in being a contributing citizen within their community.
- Demonstrate appropriate interaction skills in social settings.
- Demonstrate awareness of their individual health and life management needs.

#### **Community Emphasis - choose a minimum of 6 units**

		<b>Units</b>
DEVSER240	Transition to College for Students with Disabilities	1
DEVSER270	Money Skills	2
DEVSER271	Life Skills	2
DEVSER272	Consumer Skills	2
DEVSER273	Independent Living Skills	2

#### Workability Emphasis

Upon completing this certificate the student will be able to:

- Complete employment applications, cover letters and resumes specific to identified open positions they choose to apply for.
- Demonstrate work readiness skills in time management, social interactions, attitude and personal presentation.
- Actively participate in completing the necessary steps to obtain employment.

#### **Workability Emphasis - choose a minimum of 6 units:**

		<b>Units</b>
DEVSER250	Workability Assessment and Career Awareness	3
DEVSER251	Workability Preparation and Job Placement	3
DEVSER252	Workability Strategies and Job Maintenance	2
DEVSER255	Workability Experience	1 - 3

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### **Total Units**

**16**

Effective Term: Spring 2011

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