

**“Every fight is one between different angles of vision, illuminating the same truth.”
Mahatma Gandhi**

GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE

Disability and Community Support

RP 1104

INTEGRATION SEMINAR

Fall 2007: September 14
October 12
November 16
December 7

Class Times: 1:00 to 3:50

Class Location: C316

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Integration seminar provides a forum to explore general concepts central to the study and practice of Human Services in general and Rehabilitation in particular. Students may also use the time to resolve issues and explore areas related to their studies and to experiences they may have in the field.

The final hour of each class will be reserved for an activity of the class choice. The intent is to have some fun together. The class will identify their choices for activities in the first class.

CLASS FORMAT

Classes will require students' **ACTIVE** participation in small group work, class discussions and activities. Student involvement is crucial to the success of integration seminar.

An agenda for the session will be developed at the beginning of each class meeting and will include student concerns and topics suggested by the instructor.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Students will:

1. Participate in planning seminars
2. Participate in all seminar activities
3. Develop group cohesiveness and provide support for each other.
4. Increase knowledge and familiarity with the field of rehabilitation.
5. Develop meta-skills as human service workers.
6. Express points of view, feelings, and concerns regarding experiences in school and issues in the field.
7. Continue to orient themselves to the field of rehabilitation
8. Develop professionalism
9. Develop and use skills associated with reflective practice

STUDENT EVALUATION

Attendance is mandatory. Credit will be granted to students who have attended all four seminar sessions.

GRADES

This is a credit/non-credit course.

RIGHTS, RESPONSIBILITIES AND PROFESSIONALISM

Students are advised to familiarize themselves with their rights and responsibilities as outlined on pages 37 of the college calendar.