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PROGRAM PLANNING GUIDE 2023 - 2024
Service Dog and Canine Studies Management Diploma

The purpose of this program planning guide is to help students track their progress within their chosen program. The information in this planning guide is accurate at the time of printing and is subject to change without notice. It is the students' responsibility to ensure the accuracy of their program and course choice. Students should use the program planning guide dated the year in which they began the program. This guide reflects course sequencing approved after approval of the official version of the 2023-2024 Medicine Hat College Calendar, as such for the 2023-2-24 academic year this guide is the final authority regarding program requirements.

Year One

FALL SEMESTER (September-December)			WINTER SEMESTER (January-April)		
COURSE	**DATE**	**GRADE**	**COURSE**	**DATE**	**GRADE**
CNST 110 [3] (lec) *Canine Physiology & Care*			**CNST 114 [3] (lec/lab)** *Obedience Training for Public Classes* **Prerequisite: CNST 111**		
CNST 111 [3] (lec/lab) *Pup Care & Training*			**CNST 220 [3] (lec)** *Intro to Dog Selection, Breeding & Whelping* **Prerequisite: CNST 110 & CNST 217*** *** CNST 217 Prerequisite will be waived for Winter 2024 registration**		
CNST 112 [3] (lec) *Introductory Canine Psychology and the Human/Dog Connection*			**CNST 221 [3] (lec)** *Roles of Therapy & Facility Dogs, and Introduction to Assistance Dog Laws*		
COMM 140 CST [3] (lec) *Communication in the Workplace*			**COMM 252 CST [3] (lec)** *Advanced Business Communications*		
MGMT 161 CST [3] (lec) *Management Theory*			**MKTG 171 CST [3] (lec)** *Marketing*		

SPRING/SUMMER SEMESTER (May-August)		
COURSE	**DATE**	**GRADE**
ACCT 200 [3] (lec) *Introduction to Accounting*		
CNST 113 [3] (lec) *Kennel Technologies & Animal Shelters*		
CNST 115 [3] (lec) *Intro to Canine Career Pathways*		
CNST 216 [3] (lec/lab) *Service Dogs Roles & Training* **Prerequisite: CNST 114**		
MGMT 263 CST [3] (lec) *Organizational Behaviour*		

Year Two

FALL SEMESTER (September-December)			WINTER SEMESTER (January-February)		
COURSE	**DATE**	**GRADE**	**COURSE**	**DATE**	**GRADE**
CNST 217 [3] (lec) *Client Processing & Dog Matching* 　　**Prerequisite: CNST 112**			**CNST 222 [6] (lec/prac)** *Service Dog & Canine Studies Management – Work Integrated Learning* 　**Prerequisite: CNST 217 & CNST 219** *This course is graded on a CR (Pass)/ NC (Fail) basis.*		
CNST 218 [3] (lec) *Human Growth, Development & Disabilities for Service Dog Providers*					
CNST 219 [3] (lec/lab) *Common Behaviour Problems, Creating Training Plans & Peer Training* 　**Prerequisite: CNST 216**					
MGMT 270 CST [3] (lec) *The Entrepreneurial Experience*					
MKTG 315 CST [3] (lec) *Science of Persuasion* 　**Prerequisite: MKTG 171**					

Program Notes:

Continuation Requirements:
- Prerequisite grades must be C- or higher.

Graduation Requirements
To successfully complete this program students must:
- Attain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0
- Achieve no grade lower than C-
- Achieve a grade of CR in CNST 222

You should see your Academic Advisor or Program Coordinator if you:
- Choose to take courses in a different configuration than shown above.
- Drop or fail a course.
- Want to take a course in the spring semester or from another institution.