Course Title: SDV 100  
Course Credits: 1

Course Description

Assists students in transition to college. Provides overviews of college policies, procedures, curricular offerings. Encourages contacts with other students and staff. Assists students toward college success through information regarding effective study habits, career and academic planning, and other college resources available to students. May include English and Math placement testing. Strongly recommended for beginning students. Required for graduation. Lecture 1 hour per week.

General Course Purpose

To assist first-year students in effectively transitioning into college.

Course Prerequisites/Co-requisites

(Give entry-level competencies required for enrollment)

none

Course Objectives

Upon completing the course, the student will be able to:

1. Choose a career field of choice and the academic program that will assist them in pursuing their selected career goal(s)
2. List and successfully apply two techniques relating to each of the following college transition areas:
   a. note-taking
   b. test-taking
   c. reading comprehension
   d. time management.
3. List five campus resources that assist students, and how students may access the resources
4. Select the appropriate academic program and course options for enrollment in subsequent terms

Major Topics to be Included

Career Development
Study Skills and Styles
Policies and Procedures of the Institution
Academic Advising

Effective Date of Course Content Summary (Month, Date Year): April 8, 2009