

Outdoor Leadership

Career Technologies



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ABOUT THIS FIELD

The Outdoor Leadership curriculum prepares students to be successful professionals in outdoor adventure, education and leadership.



WHAT YOU'LL STUDY

Course work includes technical training in the areas such as backpacking, canoeing, kayaking and rock-climbing. These skills are taught through facilitation and experiential learning methodologies



WHAT YOU CAN DO

Employment opportunities include careers in the adventure tourism industry, therapeutic wilderness programs, specialized adventure/leadership programs, adventure programs for youth, challenge course industry, city, county, and state outdoor programs, public and private outdoor education centers and private and public school outdoor programs.


 **Southwestern**
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

PROGRAM START DATES:

Refer to college catalog for deadline dates

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CLASSES YOU'LL NEED TO TAKE

ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE (AAS) - A55330

Total Semester Hour Credits: 63-73

FALL SEMESTER 1

Prefix	Number	Title	Class	Lab	Clinical	Credit
ACA	111	College Student Success	1	0	0	1
CIS	110	Introduction to Computers	2	2	0	3
ENG	111	Writing & Inquiry	3	0	0	3
ODL	110	Introduction to Outdoor Leadership	2	2	0	3
ODL	120	Challenge Course Facilitation	1	4	0	3
ODL	130	Water-Based Activities I	1	6	0	3
		Totals	10	14	0	16

SPRING SEMESTER 1

ENG	114	Professional Research and Reporting	3	0	0	3
ODL	115	Methods of Experiential Education	2	2	0	3
ODL	125	Wilderness First Responder	3	3	0	4
ODL	135	Land-Based Activities I	1	6	0	3
PSY	150	General Psychology	3	0	0	3
		Totals	12	11	0	16

FALL SEMESTER 2

ODL	210	Water-Based Activities II	1	6	0	3
ODL	215	Admin. & Policy of Public Lands	3	0	0	3
ODL	220	Climbing	1	4	0	3
HUM	115	Critical Thinking	3	0	0	3
***	***	Technical Elective	0-6	2-6	0-3	1-9
Choose one of the following:						
BUS	239	Entrepreneurship I	3	0	0	3
ODL	140	Intro - Wilderness Therapy	2	2	0	3
		Totals	11-17	12-16	0-3	16-24

SPRING SEMESTER 2

BIO	140	Environmental Biology	3	0	0	3
BIO	140A	Environmental Biology Lab	0	3	0	1
ODL	212	Land-Based Activities II	1	6	0	3
ODL	228	ODL for Special Populations	2	2	0	3
ODL	286	Issues in Outdoor Leadership	2	2	0	3
***	***	Technical Elective	0-6	2-6	0	1-9
		Totals	7-13	14-18	0-3	14-21

Technical Electives (6-9 credits)

EMS	110	EMT	6	6	3	9
EMS	243	Wilderness EMT	1	2	0	2
ODL	140	Intro - Wilderness Therapy	2	2	0	3
ODL	222	Minimum Impact Outdoor Skills	0	2	0	1
ODL	245	Wilderness Therapy Models	3	2	0	4
ODL	248	Field Techniques in WT	2	6	0	4
ODL	250	Biking	1	3	0	2
ODL	260	Challenge Course Management	1	4	0	3
ODL	267	Primitive Living Skills	1	4	0	3
ODL	270	Swift Water Rescue	0	2	0	1
ODL	275	Advanced Swiftwater Rescue	0	2	0	1
ODL	277	Technical Rope Rescue	0	2	0	1
WBL	111	Work Based Learning I	0	0	10	1

CERTIFICATE OPTIONS

CERTIFICATE - C55330

Total Semester Hour Credits: 16

Prefix	#	Title	Class	Lab	Clinical	Credit
ODL	110	Intro to Outdoor Leadership	2	2	0	3
ODL	115	Methods of Experiential Edu.	2	2	0	3
ODL	125	Wilderness First Responder	3	3	0	4
Choose two of the following:						
ODL	120	Challenge Course Facilitation	1	4	0	3
ODL	130	Water Based Activities I	1	6	0	3
ODL	135	Land Based Activities I	1	6	0	3
ODL	220	Climbing	1	4	0	3
		Totals	9-15-19	0	0	16

WILDERNESS EMERGENCY MEDICINE -

CERTIFICATE - C553302

Total Semester Hour Credits: 16-18

Prefix	#	Title	Class	Lab	Clinical	Credit
ACA	111	College Student Success	1	0	1	1
EMS	110	EMT	6	6	3	9
Choose one of the following:						
ODL	125	Wilderness First Responder	3	3	0	4
EMS	243	Wilderness EMT	1	2	0	2
Choose 4 credits of the following:						
ODL	130	Water-Based Activities I	1	6	0	3
ODL	135	Land-Based Activities I	1	6	0	3
ODL	267	Primitive Living Skills	1	4	0	3
ODL	270	Swiftwater Rescue	0	2	0	1
ODL	275	Advanced Swiftwater Rescue	0	2	0	1
ODL	277	Technical Rope Rescue	1	2	0	2
		Totals	9-10	12-15	0-3	16-18

WILDERNESS THERAPY - CERTIFICATE - C553301

Total Semester Hour Credits: 16

Prefix	#	Title	Class	Lab	Clinical	Credit
ODL	125	Wilderness First Responder	3	3	0	4
ODL	140	Intro to Wilderness Therapy	2	2	0	3
ODL	245	Wilderness Therapeutic Models	2	2	0	3
ODL	248	Field Techniques in WT	1	6	0	3
Choose one of the following:						
ODL	115	Methods of Experiential Edu.	2	2	0	3
ODL	130	Water-Based Activities I	1	6	0	3
ODL	135	Land-Based Activities I	1	6	0	3
ODL	267	Primitive Living Skills	1	4	0	3
		Totals	9-10	15-19	0	16