

Library Services

The Curriculum

The Library Services curriculum is designed to assist and instruct students in accessing and utilizing resources needed to successfully complete classroom assignments. In addition, classes in peer and supervised tutoring are designed to provide assistance in various academic areas.

The Major

The Library Services Program is not a degree-granting program. Students should consult the Counseling faculty for assistance in planning a major.

Library Courses

LIB 100

3 units

INTRODUCTION TO LIBRARY RESEARCH

This course is designed to enable the student to understand and utilize the traditional and digital information resources of an academic library. Students will identify all types of library materials and learn techniques for locating, evaluating, utilizing, and organizing information. This course is recommended for all students. NR

Lecture hours: 3

LIB 189

0.5-5 units

SPECIAL TOPICS IN LIBRARY RESEARCH

The Special Topics course is a grouping of short seminars designed to provide students with the latest concepts in the field of library research. The course content is thematic in nature, and each seminar topic within the course differs from other offerings in the same course. R-E

Lecture hours: 0.5-5 Lab hours: 0.5-5

LIB 289

0.5-5 units

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Tutoring Courses

TU 100

2 units

FUNDAMENTALS OF PEER TUTORING

Tutoring 100 is a general introduction to the role of the tutor in education. The course focuses on the practical skills necessary to function effectively as a peer tutor in the student's chosen area of study. Students receive training in empathizing, listening, and being assertive, and in other human relations techniques. The course discusses individual differences in learning styles and stresses the importance of encouraging independence and good study habits. Students will participate in supervised tutoring in the college's Learning Center. NR

Lecture hours: 2

TU 301

0 units

SUPERVISED TUTORING

This course is designed to facilitate students' learning by offering individualized, one-to-one peer tutoring. Peer tutors are advanced students certified by the college and trained in tutoring techniques. The Learning Center is recommended for all students experiencing difficulty in mastering the concepts in their academic courses. This course will be offered on a credit/no-credit basis only and is open-entry/open-exit. R-E-99

Lecture hours: 3