

SOPHIA Learning

SUCCESS1001 - Student Success (1 semester credit)

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Sophia's Student Success course helps you prepare for an excellent higher education experience. By completing this course, you will become oriented to the experience of higher education, develop strategies to perform your best while in school, and create plans to achieve your academic and career goals.

Course Effective Dates: February 2019 - Present

Prerequisite(s): None

Length of course: This is a self-paced course. Students have 60 days with an additional 30 day extension (if needed) to complete the course.

ACE CREDIT® Recommendation: In the lower-division baccalaureate/associate degree category, 1 semester hour in student success, university studies, or understanding college and college life (12/28).

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to:

1. Choose the right course for their needs and interpret the course syllabus to understand success criteria
2. Interact with instructors and peers in a manner that is respectful and constructive to the learning experience
3. Recognize unethical behavior in higher education and avoid plagiarism and cheating
4. Use proven strategies to optimize effectiveness and efficiency as a learner
5. Practice fundamental self-care that is required for academic life
6. Use proven strategies to advance academic skills
7. Set academic goals and create plans to achieve them
8. Set professional goals and create plans to achieve them

OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

- Course Preparation
- Learning Collaboratively
- Academic Integrity
- Performance Optimization
- Academic Skills, Part 1
- Academic Skills, Part 2
- Academic Goals
- Professional Goals

GRADING

This is a pass/fail course. You are required to complete all 8 formative and 3 summative assessments with an overall course average of 70% or better.