

San José City College
Certificate of Specialization – New for Fall 2016!
2016-2017

Peer Leader Training

The Certificate of Specialization in Peer Leader Training focuses on professional growth for students wanting to develop their small-group leadership and facilitation skills. It also provides experience in adult education, educational support services and applying student success strategies. Additionally, the Certificate of Specialization in Peer Leader Training fulfills several of the most desired skills required by employers. This includes small-group facilitation, cultural competency, listening skills, and analyzing problems using evidence and sound reasoning. All courses in the certificate must be completed at San José City College.

A grade of "C" or better is required in each course. Completed courses will appear on student's transcripts. However, the Certificate of Specialization will only appear on documents obtained directly from the department sponsoring Peer Leader Training.

Upon completion of the required courses students will be able to:

- Communicate effectively in a small-group setting, including writing, speaking, and listening as well as integrating course content, study skills and other student success strategies to improve knowledge of a subject or skill.
- Analyze problems using evidence, and sound reasoning in arriving at solutions while facilitating small-group learning and engaging peers.

<u>REQUIRED COURSES:</u>			<u>UNITS</u>
EDUC	290	Leadership in Small-Group Peer –Assisted Learning	.50
EDUC	291	Pedagogies/Best Practices in Small-Group Peer-Assisted Learning	.50
EDUC	292	Learning Strategies in Small-Group Peer-Assisted Learning	.50
TOTAL			1.50

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, SEE A COUNSELOR, VISIT THE CAREER/TRANSFER CENTER, OR CONTACT THE FOLLOWING:

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