with individuals. The models, theories, and processes learned in this course serve as the foundation for generalist practice with individuals, families, groups, and communities. This course will give students an opportunity to practice these skills in a laboratory setting on a weekly basis. This course also includes a 48-hour volunteer experience in a social agency. (SOCI 123 Basic Helping Skills Experience)

**SOCI 123 Basic Helping Skills Experience**
Prerequisite: Co-requisite: SOCI 122 Basic Helping Skills
Credit Hours: 1
Students will be exposed to the social work clinical setting. Students will participate in 48 hours of supervised volunteer service at an approved location.

**SOCI 201 (1350) Marriage and Family**
Placement Test Level: General Education Course Placement*
Prerequisite: None
Credit Hours: 3
Marriage, family, and alternative lifestyles are closely examined from a sociological and theoretical perspective. Discussion will focus on how relationships and gender roles have changed, attitudes and decision-making in regard to sexuality, and changes in the marital relationship across time.

**SOCI 203 (2283) Social Problems KRSN SOC2010**
Placement Test Level: General Education Course Placement*
Prerequisite: None
Credit Hours: 3
This course examines well-defined social problems in both theoretical and practical ways. The social problems studied will give the student a base for analyzing and understanding social problems prevalent in society today. A wide variety of topics are discussed including poverty, race and ethnic relations, gender and social inequality, crime, and sexual deviance.

**SOCI 207 (2220) Anthropology KRSN ANT1010**
Placement Test Level: General Education Course Placement*
Prerequisite: None
Credit Hours: 3
An introductory study of diverse human cultures throughout the world, both past and present. The physical and cultural systems of various people will be examined through kinship ties, economics, religion, government, and the arts.

### Special Interest

**SPEC 125 (2292) Topics in Personal Enrichment**
Prerequisite: None
Credit Hours: 1/2 - 5
Topics in Personal Enrichment is designed to provide a framework for exploration of specific continuing educations topics.

**PARA 131 (1550) Beginning Sign Language**
Prerequisite: None
Credit Hours: 3
This course is intended to provide individual as well as group learning, discussion, practice and utilization in signing conversations with hearing impaired individuals at a beginning level. Vocabulary introduced will be modeled and practiced in sentence form with each other and by the instructor. Learning the alphabet, numbers and then categories of vocabulary will be introduced weekly along with extra vocabulary and semantic items selected from other sources other than the required text books.

**PARA 132 (1551) Intermediate Sign Language**
Prerequisite: PARA 131 Beginning Sign Language
Credit Hours: 3

*Refer to the Placement Testing Procedure 3.22, page 24 ** Refer to Course Transfer, page 18

A Great Place to begin your College Education
An intermediate course in manually coded English. Emphasis is on reading and signing exact English. A basic orientation to paraprofessional interpreting in a school setting will be covered.

WORK 173  Topics in Workforce Education  
Prerequisite: None  
Credit Hours: 1-5  
Topics in Workforce Education is designed to provide a framework for exploration of specific business and industry related training topics.

Student Success Center

LEAR 101 (0828)  College Success Skills  
Prerequisite: None  
Credit Hours: 1  
An introduction to the College, its personnel, its support systems, and its extracurricular activity opportunities for new students.

LEAR 112  Parenting  
Prerequisite: None  
Credit Hours: 1  
Provides parents, teachers, and care givers an understanding of human behavior and an awareness of opportunities to promote learning as they guide young children.

*Refer to the Placement Testing Procedure 3.22, page 24  ** Refer to Course Transfer, page 18