FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

ABOUT THE

THERAPEUTIC RECREATION DISTANCE EDUCATION PROGRAM

Q. **When can I register?**
A. You may send in your registration form at any time. We are on the quarter system and you will be registered during the quarter in which your registration form is received.

Q. **How do I receive my materials?**
A. Once the registration is received I will email the course outline to you.

Q. **If I need the text how do I get it?**
A. The “Text Book Order Form” has directions for purchasing the text directly through the EWU Bookstore. The Bookstore will send the text directly to you.

Q. **How long do I have to finish a class?**
A. You have 1 year from the quarter you registered to complete the class. If you do not complete the class the quarter you registered you will receive a “Y” grade, which means “In Progress”. Upon completion of your course work I will change your grade from “Y” to whatever you earned.

Q. **Can I register for more than one class at a time?**
A. You may register for as many classes as you want.

Q. **How many classes do I need?**
A. NCTRC requires “A minimum of 24 quarter hours of upper-division or graduate level therapeutic recreation and general recreation content coursework with no less than 16 quarter hours in therapeutic recreation content”. Depending on what you already have taken that would meet NCTRC’s criteria for acceptable courses, (go to [http://www.nctrc.org](http://www.nctrc.org)) your total course work will need to add up to 24 quarter hours.

Q. **Does NCTRC accept coursework taken at EWU?**
A. I have been working with the staff at NCTRC for the past 20 years to assure that what educational experiences I am providing students meets NCTRC guidelines.

Q. **What should I do when I am finished?**
A. When you have finished all the assignments for the class, email your work to me as a “word.doc” attachment, I will grade it and assign you a grade.
Q. Is there any order I should take the classes?
A. Yes. I would suggest the following order: 450, 440, 445, 420, 460, and then one of the General Recreation courses either 440 or 470.

Q. Are the courses undergraduate or graduate?
A. The courses are all undergraduate.

Q. Are there prerequisites to these classes?
A. No.

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