

**J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Course Content Summary**

Course Prefix and Number: HRT 190

Credits: 1

Course Title: Coordinated Internship in Horticulture

Course Description: Supervises on-the-job training in selected business, industrial, or service firms in the horticulture industry coordinated by the college. Prerequisites: None. Laboratory 5 hours per week.

General Course Purpose: To provide on-the-job training for students entering the horticulture/sustainable agriculture/floral design job market. This course can be used as an elective in the Horticulture AAS degree program.

Course Prerequisites and Co-requisites:

None

Course Objectives:

Upon completing the course, the student will be able to

- a. Demonstrate skills (e.g., normal greenhouse operations, specific floral design projects, specific garden maintenance projects, and specific sustainable agriculture projects) needed to be successful in the horticulture industry; and
- b. Demonstrate proper employment traits including attendance, punctuality, enthusiasm, judgment, self-reliance, cooperation, and ability to follow directions.

Major Topics to Be Included:

Depending upon the student's focus area, topics may include one or more of the following:

- a. Landscape and turf management
- b. Landscape design
- c. Greenhouse and plant production
- d. Sustainable agriculture
- e. Floral design

Effective Date of Course Content Summary: January 26, 2011