

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

**Course Prefix and Number:** HRT 290

**Credits:** 2

**Course Title:** Coordinated Internship in Horticulture

**Course Description:** Provides students an opportunity for on-the-job training in selected business, industrial, or service firms coordinated by the college for a total of 160 contact hours, regardless of the length of the term. Student commitment is 160 hours regardless of the semester enrolled. Laboratory 10 hours per week (if a 16-week term).

**General Course Purpose:** To provide on-the-job training for students enrolled in the Horticulture Technology Program.

**Course Objectives:**

Upon completing the course, the student will be able to

- a. Exhibit positive work habits; and
- b. Demonstrate competency in necessary horticulture-related tasks.

**Major Topics to Be Included:**

- a. Work experience
- b. Faculty guidance and supervision
- c. General work readiness to include attendance, punctuality, appearance, judgment, cooperation with others, self-reliance
- d. Specific competencies related to the student's focus in horticulture (plant production, landscape and turf management, floral design, landscape design)

**Effective Date of Course Content Summary:** February 20, 2013