## EDUCATION 423-4 School Counselling for the Crassroom Teacher

INTERSESSION 1983 (May 9 - June 17) INSTRUCTOR: Stu Gardner Telephone: 291-3630 Office: MPX 9507

Mondays & Wednesdays, 5:30 - 9:20 p.m.

Location: On Campus

This course surveys a variety of theories of counselling and provides an opportunity for participants to develop some counselling skills that can be applied within any elementary or secondary school environment. A major focus will be upon basic attending skills and the counselling process. The course will therefore attempt to be relevant both to student teachers and to teachers currently working within the system.

Through lectures, guest speakers, group discussions, films and supervised practice sessions the following themes will be examined:

- (1) Roles and Responsibilities of School Counsellors.
- (2) Basic Attending Skills.
- (3) Approaches to Counselling.
- (4) Affective Development.
- (5) Counselling Applications.
- (6) Use of Referral Services.
- (7) Administrative, Legal and Ethical Issues in School Counselling.
- (8) Counselling as a Way of Life.

## Evaluation:

In addition to on-going self-evaluation, class members will be evaluated via two mini-papers and a final examination. Specific topics and criteria for the mini-papers will be discussed at the first class meeting on May 9th.

## Text:

Gary Belkin. An Introduction to Counselling, William C. Brown Company, 1980.