

Education 425-4
School Counselling for the Classroom Teacher

SUMMER SESSION, 1986
Tuesday & Thursday, 5:30 - 9:20

Instructor: Patricia Wilensky
Location: MPX 8651

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course is intended for senior students or practising teachers who wish to explore the area of school counselling and develop some counselling skills that can be used within a classroom setting. A combination of lectures, discussion, practice exercises and films will be used to introduce counselling systems, communication skills and important issues of school and personal counselling.

OUTLINE OF TOPICS:

Topics will include: Counselling theories
Classroom climate
Developing your own counselling theory
Classroom teaching as counselling
Role of the school counsellor
Understanding psychological reports
Teacher wellness and burn-out prevention

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

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| 1. Minor paper - reaction to issues raised in course | 30% |
| 2. Group presentation | 30% |
| 3. Final examination - take home short essays | 40% |

TEXTBOOKS

Weinhold, B.K. and Elliot, L.C. Transpersonal Communication.
Englewood Cliffs, N.J., Prentice-Hall, 1979.

Martin, J., & Hiebert, B. (1982) Instructional Counselling
Vancouver: Centre for the Study of Curriculum and Instruction
University of British Columbia

Hendricks, Gay. The Centered Teacher Englewood Cliffs, NJ
Prentice-Hall