J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College Course Content Summary

Course Prefix and Number: HRT 231 Credits: 3

Course Title: Planting Design I

Course Description: Applies landscape theory and principles of drawing to the planning of residential and small-scale commercial landscape designs. Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 2 hours. Total 4 hours per week.

General Course Purpose: To prepare students for a career in landscape design, starting with residential and small commercial projects.

Course Prerequisites and Co-requisites:

None

Student Learning Outcomes:

Upon completing the course, the student will be able to

- a. Apply design theory to an actual landscape;
- b. Produce a site analysis drawing;
- c. Produce conceptual drawings;
- d. Produce a detailed planting plan and section drawing; and
- e. Present the plan in a professional manner.

Major Topics to Be Included:

- a. Site analysis
- b. Conceptual planning
- c. Planting plans
- d. Details/recommendations/sections

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