

# **The Evergreen State College is proud to offer its Summer 2004 Special Education Courses**

## **Introduction to Special Education**

This is an introductory course for current or future P-12 teachers interested in pursuing an endorsement in Special Education or simply interested in Special Education. Topics will include the history of Special Education, legislation affecting students with special needs, and the role of Special Education in Washington State.

Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays  
9 a.m. – 1 p.m.  
July 26 – September 3  
Instructor: Sherry Walton  
6-credit course - \$728.40\*

## **Better IEPs**

Develop IEPs (Individualized Education Plans) that are legally correct and educationally useful. Topics will include the stages of the IEP process, how to avoid crucial errors, and referring to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) to detail IEP requirements. Recommended for teachers and parents.

Tuesdays and Thursdays  
1 p.m. – 4 p.m.  
June 21 – July 30  
Instructor: Lilo Amundson  
3-credit course - \$364.20\*

## **Professional Seminar in Special Education**

This course is the concluding experience for the 24-credit Special Education endorsement core competencies. Topics will include effective communicating and collaborating skills with parents, paraeducators, and professionals, early childhood special education trends, use of technology in Special Education, and planning the transition of Special Education students into a post-secondary environment.

Tuesday and Thursday: 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.; June 21 – July 30  
Instructor: Sue Pittman; 4-credit course - \$ 485.60\*

These courses are designed to help teachers develop or complete the central competencies required for a special education endorsement. \*An additional \$30.00 per course “Extended Education” fee will be charged to those not currently pursuing a degree at Evergreen. Information is subject to change.

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