## Eastern WV Community & Technical College Master Course Record

**Course Prefix and Number: ORT 100** 

**Course Title: College Success** 

**Recommended Transcript Title College Success** 

Date Approved/Revised: October 6, 2006, May 20, 2013; December 16, 2013

**Credit Hours: 1** 

Contact hours per week (Based on 15 week term):

Lecture: 1 Lab:

Prerequisite: None Corequisite: Pre/Corequisite:

**Grading Mode: Letter** 

Catalog Description: This course includes material on general orientation to college; general institutional information; academic skills and class preparation; as well as life management needed to be successful as a college student.

## **Course Outcomes:**

- Assess current strengths and areas for growth
- Demonstrate an increased awareness of personal beliefs, choices, and behaviors
- Locate college resources, including staff and support programs
- Take more effective notes
- Implement strategies for taking tests
- Use techniques to improve memory recall and reading retention
- Practice increased skills in communication and critical thinking
- Demonstrate an increased awareness and understanding of concepts related to diversity

## **Implementation Cycle: Fall and Spring Semesters**

Role in College Curriculum: (Check all that apply)

**E** General Education Core Communication

**Technical Core (Specify Program)** 

**Restricted Elective (Specify Program)** 

**General Elective** 

**Workforce Education** 

Other (Please specify)

**Course Fee: None** 

Instructor's Qualifications: Master's degree in appropriate field or previous teaching experience.

**Expanded Course Description** College Success will provide students with an opportunity to develop knowledge, skills, and habits that will lead to success academically and as a life-long learner. The course is designed to help students focus on developing an understanding and working knowledge of concepts and techniques proven

to increase college success, as well as personal development. This course includes material on general orientation to college, academic and class preparation tools, and life management skills that facilitate one's success as a student.

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