| Subject Code | APSS2S03 | | |
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| Subject Title | Understanding Learning Difficulties | | |
| Hosting Dept | Department of Applied Social Sciences | | |
| Level | 2 | | |
| Class Quota | 40 | | |
| Medium of Instruction | English supplemented with Chinese | | |
| Subject Duration | Semester 2 + Summer Term | | |
| Teaching Staff | Mr. Herrick Wong | | |
| Target Students | GUR, open-for-all | | |
| Pre-requisites | Nil | | |
| Selection of Students Required? | No | | |
| | As the service clients are Cantonese-speaking people, students who can | | |
| | | | vill have an advantage. |
| Subject Synopsis | http://www.polyu.edu.hk/apss/subject/APSS2220%20&%20APSS2S03%2 0-%20Understanding%20of%20LD Rev130801.pdf | | |
| Service Project | | | |
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| What will students do to serve? | Students will be arranged to work either in teams or individually depending on their own study schedule. Participating and assisting in the delivery of after -school tutoring programmes for students with learning difficulties or low academic achievement; assisting in the planning and delivery of tutoring of individuals or small group activities or workshops,; and participating in the planning and assisting in the delivery of day camps. | | |
| Whom will students serve? | Children or young people with learning difficulties | | |
| Where will students serve? | | | |
| | | Hong Kong | District: Hunghom & Kwai Hing |
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| | | Chinese mainland | Province: |
| | | | City: |
| | | Taiwan | |
| | | Macau | |

| | Overseas | Country: | |
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| | | City: | |
| When will students serve? | Service sessions will be held within the period from week 4 of Semester 2 to week 6 of Summer Term. Two major types of services include: Local partner schools and local NGO agencies – Delivery of afterschool tutoring programs for students with learning difficulties or low academic achievement. Manulife Centre for Children with SLD at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University - Participate in the planning and the delivery of training activities and related research work. | | |
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| | Other off-campus service opportunities may also be arranged in an ad hoc manner. | | |
| Fee payable by students | N/A | | |
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