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Subject Code	APSS2S09
Subject Title	Service Leadership through Serving Children and Families with Special Needs
Hosting Department	Department of Applied Social Sciences
Level	2
Class Quota	144
Medium of Instruction	English, supplemented by Cantonese in workshops and service delivery As all service recipients will be Cantonese speakers, students who can communicate in Cantonese will have an advantage
Subject Duration	Semester 1 + 2
Teaching Staff	Dr. Yammy Chak, Dr. Zoe Xiao, Mr. Titus Chiu, and Dr. Wynants Ho
Target Students	GUR, open for all (As all service recipients will be Cantonese speakers, students who can communicate in Cantonese will have an advantage)
Pre-requisites	Nil
Selection of students required?	No
Subject Synopsis	https://www.polyu.edu.hk/apss/docdrive/subject/current/APSS2S09&2S09S% 20Service%20Leadership%20through%20Serving%20Children%20and%20Fam ilies%20with%20Speical%20Needs%20(2).pdf
Service Project	
What will students do to serve?	Students will be divided into small groups to work together to achieve a common goal. Examples of the projects include the development and implementation of service- learning workshops and activities that can help participants better understand themselves, gain confidence, and find their strengths and potentials. Students can then act as mentors by providing psychological support and organizing diverse activities and classes for the children and adolescents. They can also arrange day or overnight camps during which they can creatively devise different activities targeted at building and nurturing the emotional, psychological, and interpersonal skills of the children and adolescents.
Whom will students serve?	Adolescents experiencing social and/or economic disadvantage
Where will students serve?	Hong Kong     District: Hong Kong Island, Kowloon and New       Chinese mainland     Province:       City:     City:       Macau     Country:       City:     City:
When will students serve?	Students may be expected to serve on weekends or weeknights.
Fee payable by students	N/A
Service Attributes	
Service Mode	<ul> <li>#OnlineService</li> <li>#HybridService</li> <li>#F2FService (Subject to condition)</li> </ul>

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Service Language	#ServiceClient_Cantonese         #ServiceClient_English         #ServiceClient_Putonghua         #ServiceClient_OtherNonEnglish
Service Location	<ul> <li>#Location_HK</li> <li>#Location_MainlandChina</li> <li>#Location_Taiwan</li> <li>#Location_Macau</li> <li>#Location_Overseas</li> </ul>
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