## COURSE SLO ASSESSMENT REPORT, SCC

Department: \_DSPS Course: \_\_Special Services N64A

Year: 2012 Semester: Spring

| 1) Outcome to be assessed  | 2) Means of assessment and criteria of success  | 3) Summary of data collected  | 4) Analysis of data  | 5) Plan of action/what to do next   |
|--|---|---|--|---|
| 1) Students will be able to evaluate course requirements and apply appropriate learning strategies based on their individualized learning needs. | Students will complete a self-assessment at the end of each semester rating their skills in each SLO area.  A combined response rate of 80% "agree" and "strongly agree" will be judged as successfully meeting SLO criteria. | 34 students completed the SLO assessment with the following results:  SLO #1 Strongly Agree 42.5% Agree 43.25% Undecided 10.5% Disagree 3.75 Strongly Disagree 0%  85.75 of students met the SLO criteria by responding agree or strongly agree to questions asking them to rate their skills in the identified areas. This is above expectations of at least 80% of students meeting the standard. | SLO #1 Over 80% of students met expectations and reported the ability to effectively apply learning strategies. This was especially true when students analyzed syllabi (97%) and applied learning strategies to course materials (85%). | The current assessment instrument will be utilized again in spring 2013 in order to increase student participation before recommending changes. |
| 2) Students will be  |   |   |  |   |

| able to plan and    | <u>SLO #2</u>              | <u>SLO #2</u>                  |  |
|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| organize their time | Strongly Agree 40%         | Over 80% of students           |  |
| effectively         | Agree 42%                  | reported the ability to plan   |  |
|                     | Undecided 12%              | and organize their time        |  |
|                     | Disagree 7%                | effectively. This was          |  |
|                     | Strongly Disagree 0%       | especially true when students  |  |
|                     |                            | were asked if they know the    |  |
|                     | 82% of students met the    | 2 for 1 study rule (97%).      |  |
|                     | SLO criteria by responding |                                |  |
|                     | agree or strongly agree to | Only 67% of students           |  |
|                     | questions asking them to   | reported that they use time    |  |
|                     | rate their skills in the   | management skills to balance   |  |
|                     | identified areas. This is  | school and outside activities. |  |
|                     | above expectations of at   | This skill requires a high     |  |
|                     | least 80% of students      | level of motivation for        |  |
|                     | meeting the standard.      | effective follow-through. In   |  |
|                     |                            | the population of students     |  |
|                     |                            | with disabilities, motivation  |  |
|                     |                            | is often a significant         |  |
|                     |                            | challenge due to educational   |  |
|                     |                            | barriers.                      |  |