Cooperative Education
Learning Objectives

STUDENT NAME: __________________________ Program/Major: _____________________

Learning Objectives: These are written goal-statements identifying what skills or classroom knowledge you hope to demonstrate through your work-based learning experience. All objectives must relate to your educational and/or career goals. Learning objectives should be realistic but challenging, measurable and achievable within the academic quarter. Working with clearly defined goals will facilitate a more meaningful and higher quality learning experience.

Writing Effective Learning Objectives: Each objective should contain the following information:
Step 1. Identify WHAT specific job-related skill you would like to either demonstrate or learn. What do you intend to accomplish? What skills do you want to build upon? What have you learned in the classroom and how can you use it in the workplace? Be specific. (example: I will demonstrate my skill at __________________ by…)

Step 2. Identify HOW you will accomplish your Learning Objective. What method will you use to learn or apply your skills? (example: I will demonstrate my skill at describe the skill to be demonstrated by performing THIS action, and I’ll know I’ve accomplished this objective when… see Step 3 to complete this objective statement.)

Step 3. Indicate how will you know WHEN you’ve accomplished your Learning Objective. How will you know when you have accomplished your goal(s)? (Indicate the specific event/condition/product/measurement that will be used to determine if you’ve accomplished your Learning Objective?)

Objective Statements: Students must list a minimum of 2 objectives plus an additional objective for each credit you are earning (e.g. 1 credit = 3 objectives, 2 credits = 4 objectives, etc.)

1. __________________________________________________________________________________________

2. __________________________________________________________________________________________

3. __________________________________________________________________________________________

4. __________________________________________________________________________________________

5. __________________________________________________________________________________________

Please use/attach additional sheets as necessary

SIGNATURES

Student ___________________________ Date ____________
Faculty Sponsor ___________________________ Date ____________
Work-Site Supervisor ___________________________ Date ____________
Co-op Coordinator ___________________________ Date ____________

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