



STARK STATE COLLEGE

GENERAL SYLLABUS

Course Information

Course Name: Foundations of Occupational Therapy
Course Number: OTA121

Required Materials

Textbook(s): Sladyk, K., & Ryan, S. E. (2019). *Ryan's occupational therapy assistant: Principles, practice issues, and techniques* (5th ed.). Slack Incorporated.

American Occupational Therapy Association. (2020). *Occupational therapy practice framework: Domain and process* (4th ed.). *American Journal of Occupational Therapy*, 74(Suppl. 2)

American Psychological Association. (2020). *Publication manual of the American Psychological Association* (7th ed.). American Psychological Association.

Jacobs, K. (2018). *Quick reference dictionary for occupational therapy* (7th ed.). Slack Incorporated.

Required Readings: See weekly calendar below.

Additional Materials: Optional materials are posted on the LMS

Course Outline/Calendar

The date of coverage and order of coverage may be modified based on the faculty member and events beyond the control of faculty members that interfere with class times and teaching.

Week	Chapter/Topic/Lab
1	Reading assignments and topic: Ryan's Occupational Therapy Assistant, ch. 1- <i>Occupational Therapy History</i> , ch. 3- <i>Philosophy and Core Values in Occupational Therapy</i> Quick Reference Dictionary, Appendix 33- <i>Legislation and Policy Decisions Affecting Rehabilitation</i> What is Occupational Therapy?
2	Reading assignment and topic: Occupational Therapy Practice Framework, pg. 1-15 The OT Domain
3	Reading assignment and topic: Occupational Therapy Practice Framework, pg. 29-54 The OT Domain
4	Reading assignment and topic: Ryan's Occupational Therapy Assistant, ch. 4- <i>Human Development</i> , ch. 36- <i>Wellness and Health Promotion</i>

Week	Chapter/Topic/Lab
	Quick Reference Dictionary, Appendix 17- <i>Emerging Practice Areas</i>
5	Topic: Group Presentations
6	Reading assignments and topics: Ryan's Occupational Therapy Assistant, ch. 47- <i>Professional Development</i> and ch. 43- <i>OTA Supervision</i> Educational Preparation & Professional Organizations Professional Roles & Responsibilities
7	Reading assignment and topic: Ryan's Occupational Therapy Assistant, ch. 45- <i>Functional Ethics</i>
8	Reading assignments and topic: Ryan's Occupational Therapy Assistant, ch. 8- <i>Therapeutic Intervention Process</i> Occupational Therapy Practice Framework, pg. 16-28 The OT Process
9	Reading assignments and topic: Ryan's Occupational Therapy Assistant, ch. 42/46- <i>Documentation, Management Issues</i> Intraprofessional Collaboration
10	Reading assignments and topic: Ryan's Occupational Therapy Assistant, ch. 6- <i>Theory That Guides Practice (OT Map)</i> Quick Reference Dictionary, Appendix 53- <i>Theories and Frames of Reference</i> Theory That Guides Practice
11	Topics: Intervention Modalities and Frames of Reference
12	Reading assignments and topic: Ryan's Occupational Therapy Assistant, ch. 40/41- <i>Evidence Based Practice, Understanding Research</i> Quick Reference Dictionary, Appendix 18- <i>Evidence-Based Practice, Levels of Evidence, Qualitative Research and Basic Statistics</i> American Psychological Association, ch. 9- <i>Reference List</i> and ch. 10- <i>Reference Examples</i>
13	Reading assignment and topic: Quick Reference Dictionary, Appendix 16- <i>Diseases, Pathologies, and Syndromes Defined</i> Research Presentations
14	Topics: Therapeutic Reasoning, Review Therapeutic Relationships
15	Reading assignments and topics: Quick Reference Dictionary, Appendix 5- <i>Core Values and Attitudes of Occupational Therapy Practice</i> American Psychological Association, ch. 7- <i>Tables and Figures</i> Occupational History Presentations
16	Comprehensive Final Examination