Course Title: Landscaping with Native Plants and Well-adapted Plants

Website: http://www.collin.edu/ce/courses/landscape_native.html

Course Description:
Course discussion will center on native trees, shrubs, vines, grasses and perennials that grow well in North Texas. Learn how to use these drought tolerant plants successfully in your landscape for year round interest and color. Handouts will be provided with color pictures and descriptions.

Hours: 8  Sessions: 4

Course Prerequisite(s): None

Course Objectives:
1. Have a general knowledge of the basic environmental and soil conditions which affect plant growth.
2. Identify the plants which are best suited for the North Texas area.
3. List the cultural requirements for plants which are recommended for the North Texas area.
4. Apply the principles learned for problem solving with the native plants of North Texas.

Textbook(s): How to create a Stylish Garden from Design to the Dirty Work
Publisher: Environments, Author: Dixon, Kelly (kellyforedixon@gmail.com)

Lesson Plan
Session 1: Trees and Shrubs
Session 2: Shrubs and Vines
Session 3: Grasses and Perennials
Session 4: Perennials

Course Sessions: listed are a guideline to indicate all topics that will be covered during your course. Do not plan your personal calendar based on these sessions. Your instructor will give you a calendar for your class that will indicate specific topics, assignments, and days.

Method of Evaluation: Unless otherwise stated, course completion is evaluated on the basis of attendance. Students must be in attendance 90% of the class time in order to be considered a successful completer of the course.

Students must be in attendance 90% of each course in a certificate series for successful completion and to earn a certificate as specified.

Students must complete all courses (core and no. of elective courses needed) to complete a certificate series within two years from start date of the first course taken.

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