Contract Sample CSD- Service Learning 1 credit hour

## Goals/Objectives

This one-credit hour research experience will provide students with an opportunity to actively engage in service learning and develop their clinical skills relative to shared book reading (SBR). SBR has been shown to contribute to concept and language expansion, development of literacy skills (functions of print, word recognition, etc.). Students will be involved in a supervised, structured SBR experience at the Child Development Center of the Bluegrass that includes an opportunity to observe effective SBR, learn strategies for improving language and literacy through SBR, and considerations in selecting the books to use for SBR. Goal: The student will participate in the SRB program within the Child Development Center for the months of February, March, and April, 2013. Objective 1: The student will attend an in-service training regarding the participation of the SRB program during the month of February, 2013. Objective 2: The student will assist in organizing and developing materials for the SRB program during the months of February, March and April, 2013. Objective 3: The student will participate in the SRB at the Child Development Center in February, March and April, 2013.

Tasks for completing objectives (with timelines)

Objective 1: Attend an in-service training held in February.

Objective 2: Read assigned articles and textbook chapters in February and March.

Objective 3: Report to the UK Communication Disorders Clinic and the Child Development Center to develop and organize materials/equipment for the SRB program in February, March and April.

Objective 4: Review and help select additional storybooks for purchasing in February and March.

Objective 5: Report to the Child Development Center for Bluegrass to participate in the SRB program to be held in the classroom settings, February, March and April.

## Criteria, with percentages, for Assessment

Objective 1: 20% of grade Objective 2: 20% of grade Objective 3: 20% of grade Objective 4: 20% of grade Objective 5: 20% of grade