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USD SCHOOL OF EDUCATION OFFERS NEW PROGRAMS FOR TEACHERS

The University of San Diego's School of Education, in cooperation with the Division of Continuing Education, has announced the creation of a new program for teachers which will result in credit for professional development units.

The "PDU" program, which will begin in January, 1982, comprises seven courses. All are applicable for tax deduction purposes and/or for inservice salary credit. However, Dr. Edward DeRoche, dean of the School, suggests that applicants investigate these opportunities prior to registration.

According to DeRoche, all of the courses are applicable towards a professional development certificate in teaching. Course offerings and dates are as follows: Educational Measurement, meeting on Wednesday, 7 through 9:50 p.m. beginning February 3; a Religious Vocations Awareness workshop meeting from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, January 9; Perceptual Skills for Academic Tasks, meeting from 4 to 9 p.m. on Friday, January 22 and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, January 23; a newspaper workshop, Friday, January 29 from 4 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, January 30 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Assertiveness Training for Teachers, a two-day workshop to

be held on Friday, January 15 from 4 to 8 p.m. and Saturday, January 16 from 9 to 5 p.m.; Curriculum for the Physically Handicapped and Other Impaired Children and Young Adults, meeting two days every other weekend beginning February 5 and running through May 1; and Integrating Study and Test-Taking Skills into the School Curriculum, beginning January 23 from 8:30 to 5 p.m. and in three two-hour sessions during the week of February 1.

All PDU courses will be held on the USD Linda Vista Road campus except for the "Integrating Skills" course, which will meet at the Community Room of Far West Savings and Loan in Rancho Penasquitos.

All courses will earn one PDU credit unit, with registration set at \$50, except for "Curriculum for the Physically Handicapped," a three-unit course for which registration is \$150.

For further information, interested persons may contact USD's School of Education at 714/291-6480, extension 4282.

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