COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

HPR 143 GENERAL SAFETY  (3 credits)
History, philosophy, and psychology of safety and accident prevention with emphasis on safety related to: athletics, farm, home, fire, industry, school, and traffic.

HPR 343 BASIC DRIVER EDUCATION  (3 credits)
Designed to prepare teachers in driver education. Principles, content, materials, and methods of teaching in the classroom are presented.

HPR 344 ADVANCED DRIVER EDUCATION  (3 credits)
This course will prepare the driver education behind the wheel teacher at the secondary level.

HPR 345 TEACHING DRIVER EDUCATION  (3 credits)
This course is to use driver education theories and methods to design, implement, and evaluate a driver's education program; create and evaluate educational materials; and answer questions on the development of the young driver with a focus on safety issues. (Offered every semester and summer.)

HPR 346 DEFENSIVE DRIVING  (3 credits)
This course is designed to help prospective driver education instructors to understand the importance of teaching defensive driving in their curriculum and to have a plan on how to incorporate defensive driving into a driver's education course. (Offered every semester and summer.

Note: The state of Illinois requires additional coursework for the Drivers Education Endorsement. The full Driver Education endorsement requires 24 semester hours/12 upper division hours. The courses listed above only partially fulfill the endorsement.