

## College Credits for The COMPASS

CREC has been approved through Charter Oak State College to offer The COMPASS paraprofessional training to practicing and aspiring paraprofessionals who are seeking collegiate credits. The following courses are available for credit:

- Introduction to Paraprofessional (*3 credits*)
- Paraprofessional Internship (*2 credits*)
- Advanced Behavior Strategies (*3 credits*)
- Exceptional Learners (*3 credits*)
- Autistic Learner and Assistive Technology (*3 credits*)

For paraprofessionals who want to strengthen their skills or to obtain a college degree, these courses will benefit them **and** the district where they work. For those districts that provide tuition reimbursement, it is likely that these courses will qualify for reimbursement.

These courses are designed for students who work during the day so that the districts can provide these courses after working hours, making it easier for working paraprofessionals to attend.

If you would like to have CREC come into your district, or for more details, please contact Tricia Silva, Administrator of Special Projects (860) 524-4085 or email Tricia at [tsilva@crec.org](mailto:tsilva@crec.org).