# Course Details and Selected Assignments: Standard 8: Instructional Strategies

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## Course: Introduction to Teaching for those without classroom experience (prior to Intern Teaching)

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Plan a classroom management system with appropriate components for your classroom setting. |
| **CLO2:** Identify specific differentiation strategies to meet the needs of diverse learners in your classroom. |
| **CLO3:** Design a lesson plan that addresses the needs of diverse learners in your classroom. |
| **CLO4:** Design a unit plan that addresses the needs of diverse learners in your classroom. |
| **CLO5:** Analyze the effectiveness of an observed teaching segment in meeting the needs of students. |
| **CLO6:** Formulate a plan to seek support for areas of relative strength and weakness. |

### Course Structure

**Course Overview**

[Week 1: Classroom Management 14](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6003%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc464566031)

[Week 2: Classroom Culture 20](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6003%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc464566032)

[Week 3: Teaching Special Populations 24](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6003%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc464566033)

[Week 4: Lesson Planning 28](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6003%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc464566034)

[Week 5: Unit Planning 32](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6003%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc464566035)

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|  | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Week 1** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Introductions | End of Week 1 | Administrative Assignments | 5 |
|  | Discussion: Rewards & Consequences | End of Week 1 | Response to Reading Discussions | 7 |
|  | Discussion: Video Observations | End of Week 1 | Resource Sharing Discussions | 7 |
|  | Assignment: Classroom Rules | End of Week 1 | Application to Classroom Assignments | 15 |
| **Week 2** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: First Impressions | End of Week 2 | Response to Reading Discussions | 7 |
|  | Discussion: Grouping & Seat Assignments | End of Week 2 | Resource Sharing Discussions | 7 |
|  | Assignment: Teaching Routines | End of Week 2 | Application to Classroom Assignments | 15 |
| **Week 3** | |  |  |  |
|  | Assignment: Placement Survey | End of Week 3 | Administrative Assignments | 5 |
|  | Discussion: Subsets of Special Populations | End of Week 3 | Response to Reading Discussions | 7 |
|  | Discussion: Resources for ELL/SN/GATE | End of Week 3 | Resource Sharing Discussions | 7 |
|  | Assignment: ELL/SN/GATE Strategies | End of Week 3 | Application to Classroom Assignments | 15 |
| **Week 4** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Standards-Based Teaching | End of Week 4 | Response to Reading Discussions | 7 |
|  | Discussion: Content Resources | End of Week 4 | Resource Sharing Discussions | 7 |
|  | Assignment: Lesson Plan | End of Week 4 | Application to Classroom Assignments | 30 |
| **Week 5** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Planning Instructional Time | End of Week 5 | Response to Reading Discussions | 7 |
|  | Discussion: Hooks | End of Week 5 | Resource Sharing Discussions | 7 |
|  | Assignment: Two-Week Unit Plan | End of Week 5 | Application to Classroom Assignments | 22 |
| **Week 6** | |  |  |  |
|  | Assignment: Classroom Observations | End of Week 6 | Application to Classroom Assignments | 15 |
|  | Assignment: Self-Evaluation on the Standards | End of Week 6 | Reflections | 5 |
| **Week 7** | |  |  |  |
|  | Assignment: Maintaining Balance Reflection | End of Week 7 | Reflections | 5 |
|  | Assignment: Support Networks Reflection | End of Week 7 | Reflections | 5 |
| **Week 8** | |  |  |  |
|  | Assignment: Preparation Self-Assessment Reflection | End of Week 8 | Reflections | 5 |
|  | Assignment: Looking Ahead Reflection | End of Week 8 | Reflections | 5 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **100** |

### Textbooks

Freeman, Y., Freeman, D. & Ramirez, R. (2008). *Diverse learners in the mainstream classroom: Strategies for supporting ALL students across content areas.* Portsmouth, NH: Heinemann.

ISBN: 978-0325013138

Jones, F., & James, P. (2007). *Tools for teaching: Discipline, instruction, motivation.* (2nd ed.). Santa Cruz, CA: Fredric H. Jones & Associates, Inc.

ISBN: 978-0965026321

Wong, H., & Wong, R. (2009). *First days of school: How to be an effective teacher.*Mountain View, CA: Harry K. Wong Publishers, Inc.

ISBN: 978-0976423317

### Example Assignments

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| **Discussion: Planning Instructional Time** | 5.1 |
| The readings this week discuss how to plan lessons to maximize instructional time. Use the readings to guide your reflection on your own teaching practice.  **Reflect** on a relevant issue related to the topic of lesson planning and design that is important to you.  **Post** your reflection to the Planning Instructional Time discussion forum by Wednesday.  **Consider** using the following questions to guide your reflection:   * How do you plan to maximize your instructional time? * How will you monitor students’ progress during lessons to ensure students are learning the material? * How will you design lessons to engage learners? * How will you ensure all your students are learning?   **Rename** the title of your response as the grade level and content area you teach.  **Cite** specific examples, in agreement or disputing, of how the readings informed your views.  **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Discussion: Hooks** | 5.2 |
| Hooks are those activities that get students excited to learn the material. They are memorable touchstones that can frame the rest of the unit. They help make the content meaningful, relevant and interesting. They can be short demos, fieldwork, videos, real world applications, mysteries, etc. I think it helps to have a ‘hook’ at the beginning of a unit of study since it is a great way to get students excited about learning new material or skills.  **Respond** to the following prompts in the Hooks discussion forum by Friday:   * Describe the unit of study you will be teaching * Explain what your “hook” will be and how it will engage students * Embed a link to a related resource if possible and relevant   **Rename** the title of your response as the grade, content area, and ‘hook’ idea.  **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

## Course: Educational Foundations

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Build a philosophical foundation for teaching and translate these beliefs into effective practice in the multicultural and multilingual classroom. |
| **CLO2:** Identify significant historical events and trends in America’s and Arizona’s public education. |
| **CLO3:** Apply methods for designing classroom instruction and lesson planning to address the dynamic nature of the learning process and student’s readiness for learning |
| **CLO4:** Formulate instructional objectives grounded in state standards as the basis for classroom activities. |
| **CLO5:** Determine effective methods to plan and carry out curriculum development grounded in state standards on a short- and long-term basis. |
| **CLO6:** Design a comprehensive classroom management system for the diverse classroom |
| **CLO7:** Develop implementation strategies to insure gender and ethnic equity in the classroom. |

### Course Structure

**Course Overview**

[Week 1: Philosophy on Teaching 14](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6004%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc443465146)

[Week 2: Principles, Theories, Concepts, & Practice 17](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6004%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc443465147)

[Week 3: Teaching for Meaningful Learning 20](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6004%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc443465148)

[Week 4: Developmentally Appropriate Practice 22](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6004%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc443465149)

[Week 5: Classroom Management 24](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6004%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc443465150)

[Week 6: Teaching Diverse Learners 26](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6004%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc443465151)

[Week 7: Teaching Diverse Learners continued 28](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6004%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc443465152)

[Week 8: Good Teaching 30](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6004%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide.docx#_Toc443465153)

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|  | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Week 1** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Remembering a Teacher |  | Discussion | 2 |
|  | Assignment: Being a Good Teacher |  | Paper | 4 |
|  | Assignment: Teaching Auto-Ethnography |  | Paper | 4 |
| **Week 2** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Education Reform |  | Discussion | 2 |
|  | Assignment: Parts of the Curriculum |  | Paper | 4 |
|  | Assignment: Codes of Power |  | Paper | 4 |
|  | Assignment: Responsible Pedagogy |  | Paper | 8 |
| **Week 3** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: How People Learn (HPL) |  | Discussion | 2 |
|  | Assignment: Lesson Plan |  | Paper | 12 |
| **Week 4** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Educational Objectives |  | Discussion | 2 |
|  | Assignment: Child Development |  | Paper | 4 |
| **Week 5** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Managing Behavior |  | Discussion | 2 |
|  | Assignment: Classroom Management Plan |  | Paper | 8 |
| **Week 6** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Culturally Responsive Pedagogy |  | Discussion | 2 |
|  | Assignment: The Trouble with Black Boys |  | Paper | 10 |
| **Week 7** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Queer Theory |  | Discussion | 2 |
|  | Assignment: Model Minority |  | Paper | 10 |
| **Week 8** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Course Reflection |  | Discussion | 2 |
|  | Assignment: Good Teaching Ideologies |  | Paper | 16 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | 100 |

### Textbooks

Darling-Hammond, D. & Bransford, J. (2005). Preparing teachers for a changing world: What teachers should learn and be able to do. San Francisco, CA: Jossey-Bass.

ISBN: 978-0787974640

Rose, M. (1995). Possible lives: The promise of public education in America. New York, NY: Penguin Books.

ISBN: 978-0140236170

### Example Assignments

**Week 3: Teaching for Meaningful Learning**

**Learning Objectives**

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| * 1. Determine how to effectively apply the How People Learn (HPL) framework in lesson planning. | CLO3 |

**Activities and Resources**

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| **Readings** | 3.1 |
| ***Preparing Teachers for a Changing World***   * Ch. 1: Introduction, pages 34–37 * Ch. 2: Theories of Learning and Their Roles in Teaching * Ch. 8: Assessment | |

**Assignments**

**Week 2: Principles, Theories, Concepts, & Practice**

**Learning Objectives**

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| * 1. Identify the importance of Brown vs. Board of Education and other key cases in education reform. | CLO2 |
| * 1. Explain the importance curriculum and culture in designing classroom instruction. | CLO5 |

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| **Discussion: How People Learn (HPL)** | 3.1 |
| **Respond** to the following prompts in the How People Learn discussion forum by Wednesday:   * What are the four overlapping lenses of the HPL framework that can be used to enhance any learning situation? * Provide and explanation and your own unique example of each.   **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Assignment: Lesson Plan** | 3.1 |
| **Develop** a comprehensive lesson plan, in your subject or a subject of your choice, using the Lesson Plan document.  **Complete** each section in the Lesson Plan document thoroughly.  **Submit** your Lesson Plan by Sunday. | |

## Course: Principles, Practices, and Socio-Cultural Issues of Teaching English Language Learners

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1**: Determine the effective application of first and second language acquisition theories. |
| **CLO2**: Evaluate the philosophy, design, goals, and characteristics of programs for English Language Learners. |
| **CLO3**: Analyze the impact of state and federal mandates on placement and instructional programs for English language learners. |
| **CLO4**: Compare instructional strategies for English Language Arts and English language development. |
| **CLO5**: Apply materials, methods, and strategies for English learners that lead to the rapid acquisition of grade-level listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in English. |
| **CLO6**: Apply knowledge and skills in developing content-area instruction for English language learners. |
| **CLO7**: Analyze classroom instructional strategies to effectively facilitate content and language learning of English language learners. |
| **CLO8**: Interpret assessments of English Language Learners to effectively use appropriate measures for assessment and monitoring of English Language Learners for language development and content knowledge in the core curriculum. |
| **CLO9**: Apply knowledge of the historical and cultural traditions and values of major ethnic groups into classroom instruction. |

### Course Structure

**Course Overview**

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[Week 2: EL Program Design & Second Language Acquisition 17](#_Toc447642534)

[Week 3: Effective English Learner Instruction 20](#_Toc447642535)

[Week 4: Oral Language Development Strategies 23](#_Toc447642536)

[Week 5: Literacy and Vocabulary Development Strategies for EL Students 27](#_Toc447642537)

[Week 6: SDAIE Instruction and the Writing Process for EL Students 30](#_Toc447642538)

[Week 7: Authentic Assessment and the use of Rubrics for Evaluation 33](#_Toc447642539)

[Week 8: Standards-Based and Understanding by Design Lesson Planning 36](#_Toc447642540)

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|  | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Week 1** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Building Community |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Discussion: Connecting with Students |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Assignment: Visual Presentation |  | Presentation | 10 |
| **Week 2** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Second Language Acquisition |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Assignment: The Ideal English Learner Program |  | Paper | 10 |
| **Week 3** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Effective Instruction of English Learners |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Assignment: ELD/SDAIE Lesson Plan Analysis |  | Lesson Plan | 10 |
| **Week 4** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Developing Oral Language Skills |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Discussion: Oral Language Strategies |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Assignment: Oral Language Development Strategies |  | Lesson Plan | 15 |
| **Week 5** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Promoting Early Literacy |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Discussion: Vocabulary Development |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Assignment: Literacy and Writing Development Strategies |  | Lesson Plan | 15 |
| **Week 6** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Content Standards & English Learners |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Discussion: Writing Process |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Assignment: SDAIE Lesson Plan |  | SDAIE Lesson Plan | 15 |
| **Week 7** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Authentic Assessment |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Discussion: Rubrics for Authentic Assessments |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Assignment: Authentic Assessment with Scoring Rubric |  | SDAIE Lesson Plan | 15 |
| **Week 8** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Understanding by Design |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Assignment: Standards-Based SDAIE Curriculum Unit |  | Project | 45 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **200** |

### Textbook

Peregoy, S. F., & Boyle, O. F. (2013). Reading, writing, and learning in ESL: A resource book for teaching K-12 English learners (6th ed.). Boston, MA: Pearson Education, Inc.

ISBN: 978-0132892971

### Example Assignments

**Week 3: Effective English Learner Instruction**

**Learning Objectives**

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| * 1. Analyze methods to meet the varied needs of English learners. | CLO5, CLO6 |
| * 1. Determine how sheltered instruction is planned and implemented. | CLO2, CLO5 |

**Activities and Resources**

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| **Readings** | 3.1, 3.2 |
| ***Reading, Writing, and Learning in ESL***  Ch. 3: Classroom Practices for Effective English Learner Instruction | |
| ***Online Resource***  Best Practices for ELL’s: [Effective Strategies](http://www.colorincolorado.org/ell-strategies-best-practices) | |

**Assignments**

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| **Discussion: Effective Instruction of English Learners** | 3.1 |
| **Review** the Sheltered Instruction (SDAIE) Checklist from Ch. 3 of *Reading, Writing, and Learning in ESL*.  **Reflect** on your current classroom practice.  **Respond** to the following prompts in the Effective Instruction of English Learners discussion forum by Wednesday:   * Which strategies on the checklist are included in your current classroom practice? How have their utilization improved your instruction? * Which strategies, not currently utilized, do you believe would make the instruction you provide to English Learners more effective? * Provide concrete examples of ways that you could implement the strategies.   **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Assignment: ELD/SDAIE Lesson Plan Analysis** | 3.2 |
| **Write** a 700-to 1,000-word analysis of one of your own lesson plans or an existing one in your content area of choice. If you do not have one readily available, go to [www.teachers.net](http://www.teachers.net) or [www.lessonplanspage.com](http://www.lessonplanspage.com) to locate one you can use.  **Analyze** the lesson plan for its effectiveness in meeting the needs of:   * Mainstream learners   + Content standards   + Goals and objectives   + Appropriate instructional strategies   + Assessment * English learners   + ELD standards   + Goals and objectives   + Specific instructional strategies   + Assessment   **Note**. Utilize the Sheltered Instruction (SDAIE) Checklist from Ch. 3 of *Reading, Writing, and Learning in ESL* to determine the presence or absence of specific instructional strategies for the English learner.  **Consider** the following as you analyze the lesson plan:   * What major components exist in this lesson plan? * What essential components are missing? * How effective would this plan be for meeting the needs of English learners?   **Provide** two suggestions for improvement that would make this a high-quality lesson containing the appropriate lesson components for English learners.  **Format** your paper consistent with APA guidelines.  **Submit** your analysis, with the lesson attached as an appendix or a link provided to the lesson utilized, by Sunday. | |

## Course: Psycho-educational Development of Diverse Learner Classroom Application

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Base classroom expectations on the developmentally appropriate abilities of students. |
| **CLO2:** Apply theory and principles of neuroscience cognition to learning and classroom management. |
| **CLO3:** Recognize departures from typical or average development. |
| **CLO4:** Advocate for the needs and rights of children. |

### Course Structure

[Week 1: Nature, Nurture and Plasticity 7](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6005v1%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide%20(1).docx#_Toc447878621)

[Week 2: Infants and Toddlers 16](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6005v1%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide%20(1).docx#_Toc447878622)

[Week 3: Early Childhood 18](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6005v1%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide%20(1).docx#_Toc447878623)

[Week 4: Middle Childhood Part I 20](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6005v1%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide%20(1).docx#_Toc447878624)

[Week 5: Advocacy 22](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6005v1%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide%20(1).docx#_Toc447878625)

[Week 6: Middle Childhood Part II 24](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6005v1%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide%20(1).docx#_Toc447878626)

[Week 7: Adolescence 27](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6005v1%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide%20(1).docx#_Toc447878627)

[Week 8: Emerging Adulthood 29](file:///Z:\Arizona\Round%202\FIGs\EDU6005v1%20Faculty%20Instructional%20Guide%20(1).docx#_Toc447878628)

Assignments

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| **Assignment** |  | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Week 1** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Week 1 Challenge for a Professional Teacher |  | Challenge | 1 |
| **Week 2** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Week 2 Challenge for a Professional Teacher |  | Challenge | 1 |
| **Week 3** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Week 3 Challenge for a Professional Teacher |  | Challenge | 1 |
|  | Course Project Component 1: Project Plan |  | Course Project | 7 |
| **Week 4** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Week 4 Challenge for a Professional Teacher |  | Challenge | 1 |
|  | Course Project Component 2: Identify the Theorist |  | Course Project | 7 |
| **Week 5** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Week 5 Challenge for a Professional Teacher |  | Challenge | 1 |
|  | Component 3: Structured Experiences and Assessments |  | Course Project | 7 |
| **Week 6** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Week 6 Challenge for a Professional Teacher |  | Challenge | 1 |
|  | Component 4: Draft Course Project for Instructor’s Review |  | Course Project | 7 |
| **Week 7** | |  |  |  |
|  | Week 7 Challenge for a Professional Teacher |  | Challenge | 1 |
|  | Component 5: Critiques |  | Course Project | 7 |
|  | Peer Project Critique |  | Peer Project Critique | 9 |
| **Week 8** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion |  | Discussion | 5 |
|  | Week 8 Challenge for a Professional Teacher |  | Challenge | 1 |
|  | Component 6: Final Course Project |  | Course Project | 12 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **100** |

### Textbook:

Berger, K.S. (2015). *The developing person through childhood and adolescence*, *10th Ed*. New York, NY: Worth Publishers.

ISBN: 978-1464177354

### Example Assignments

**Week 4: Middle Childhood Part I**

**Learning Objectives**

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| * 1. Explain the relationship between language development and intelligence. | CLO2 |
| * 1. Recommend instructional approaches based on developmental theories. | CLO1, CLO4 |

**Activities and Resources**

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| **Readings and Resources** | 4.1, 4.2 |
| ***Textbook: The Developing Person Through Childhood and Adolescence, 10th edition***   * Ch. 11: Middle Childhood: Biosocial Development * Ch. 12: Middle Childhood: Cognitive Development | |
| ***Video Resources***   * **Watch** *How to Speak More in Class* located at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y7JJZkKt5eg> | |

**Assignments**

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| **Discussion: Language Development in Action** | 4.1 |
| **Prepare** a response to the following:  What are the characteristics of a language rich classroom?   * What is the relationship between language development and intelligence? * How does the hybrid theory of language development compare to the eclectic approach? * Provide an example of a theory you see in action in the classrooms you encounter.   **Post** your initial response to the *Language Development in Action* discussion forum by Wednesday, Day 3 of Week 4.  **Apply** the RISE model in responding to one classmate’s post. Please respond to a post that has not yet received a response from a classmate.  **Respond** to the RISE questions and suggestions to your initial post by Sunday, Day 7 of Week 4. | |

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| **Assignment: Week 4 Challenge for a Professional Teacher** | 4.2 |
| **Scenario:** Sarah is a very shy child in your Grade 2 classroom. She rarely speaks at all, and then only in a whisper.  **Write** a brief response to the following prompt:   * If you subscribe to the psychoanalytic theory, how will you help Sarah participate in classroom discussions? * If you subscribe to the behaviorist theory, how will you help Sarah participate in classroom discussions?   **Post** your response the *Week 4 Challenge for Professional Teacher* discussion forum by Sunday, Day 7 of Week 4.  *\*Note: You will not be able to see the posts of your classmates until you post your initial response.* | |

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| **Assignment: Course Project Component 2: Identify a Theorist** | CLO1, CLO2, CLO3, CLO4 |
| **Complete** the following requirements for your Project Plan:   * Identify the theorist whose work best applies to addressing the child’s challenge or changing the student’s behavior * **Explain** why you selected this theory. Describe the other theories you considered and why you did not select them to support this situation.   **Submit** your assignment by Sunday, Day 7 of Week 4 by clicking on the assignment in Canvas and uploading your document. | |

**Week 6: Middle Childhood Part II**

**Learning Objectives**

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| * 1. Select appropriate inclusion strategies. | CLO2, CLO4 |
| * 1. Apply theories of development in the stage of Middle Childhood. | CLO2 |

**Activities and Resources**

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| **Readings and Resources** |  |
| ***Textbook: The Developing Person Through Childhood and Adolescence, 10th edition***   * Ch.13: Middle Childhood: Psychosocial Development | |
| ***Journal Article: Sugar and Spice and Math Achievement***   * **Read** *Sugar and Spice and Math Achievement* located at: <https://ed.stanford.edu/news/sugar-and-spice-and%E2%80%A6-math-under-achievement-why-classrooms-not-girls-need-fixing> and <http://mathedseminar.pbworks.com/w/file/fetch/91852809/Jo%20Boaler%20-%20Paying%20the%20price%20for%20sugar%20and%20spice.pdf> | |
| ***Video Resources***   * **Watch** *You’re Not Bad at Math—You’re Just Lazy* located at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tg0Z--pmPog> | |

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| **Discussion: Inclusion Strategies** | 6.1 |
| It is time for Grade 4 parent/teacher conferences. Sarah, a student in your class, has a diagnosed auditory processing disability that is affecting her vocabulary development. Describe three strategies you will incorporate into your classroom and share with her parents to support Sarah’s vocabulary growth. Identify the educational theory that supports each strategy.  **Post** your initial response to the *Inclusion Strategies* discussion forum by Wednesday, Day 3 of Week 6.  **Apply** the RISE model in responding to one classmate’s post. Please respond to a post that has not yet received a response from a classmate.    **Respond** to the RISE questions and suggestions to your initial post by Sunday, Day 7 of Week 6. | |

## Course: Technology in the Curriculum

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Apply theories of instructional design and technology to educational lessons and resources. |
| **CLO2:** Critique theories in instructional design and technology in education. |
| **CLO3:** Evaluate applications of instructional design theory and technology in education. |

### Course Structure

**Course Overview**

[Week 1: Blended Learning & Flipped Classrooms (Module One) 13](#_Toc448760810)

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[Week 7: Communities of Practice, Learning Communities, & Data Analysis (Module Seven) 31](#_Toc448760816)

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|  | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Week 1** | |  |  |  |
|  | Introductions |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Course Project: Educational Technology |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Blended Learning Lesson Plan |  | Lesson Plan | 5 |
| **Week 2** | |  |  |  |
|  | Policy Initiatives for Technology in the Curriculum |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Technology in the Classroom |  | Lesson Plan | 5 |
|  | Project Idea |  | Course Project | 2 |
| **Week 3** | |  |  |  |
|  | Course Project and Media |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Media Literacy Lesson |  | Lesson Plan | 5 |
| **Week 4** | |  |  |  |
|  | Course Project and Varied Lessons |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Varied Lesson Plan |  | Lesson Plan | 5 |
| **Week 5** | |  |  |  |
|  | Course Project and Learning by Design |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Learning by Design Lesson Plan |  | Lesson Plan | 5 |
|  | Course Project: Contact Page |  | Course Project | 4 |
| **Week 6** | |  |  |  |
|  | Gaming, Simulation, Microworlds, & Programming |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Course Project and Gaming, Simulation, Microworlds, & Programming |  | Discussion | 4 |
| **Week 7** | |  |  |  |
|  | Virtual Learning Communities |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Course Project and Collaboration |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Adapted Lesson Plan |  | Lesson Plan | 5 |
| **Week 8** | |  |  |  |
|  | Assess Learning |  | Discussion | 4 |
|  | Course Project: Educational Technology |  | Course Project | 10 |
|  | Presentation Evaluations |  | Course Project | 10 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **100** |

### Resources

Journals articles are provided in the Canvas LMS for this course as described in the readings for the assignments

### Example Assignment

**Week 4: Anchored Instruction, Situated Cognition, & Goal-Based Scenarios (Module Four)**

**Learning Objectives**

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| * 1. Analyze situated cognition, anchored instruction, and goal-based scenario design models. | CLO2 |
| * 1. Determine how to effectively apply situated cognition, anchored instruction, and goal-based scenario design models. | CLO1, CLO3 |

**Activities and Resources**

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| **Readings** | 4.1, 4.2 |
| ***Online Resources***   * Crews, T., Biswas, G., Bransford, J., Goldman, S., Nathan, M., & Varma, S. (n.d.). [*Adventure Player: Macro context Plus Micro worlds*](http://www.vuse.vanderbilt.edu/~biswas/Research/ile/papers/postscript/aied95.pdf). Dept. of Computer Science & Learning Technology Center: Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee. * Brown, J.S., Collins, A., & Duguid, P. (1989). [Situated Cognition and the Culture of Learning](https://www.ideals.illinois.edu/bitstream/handle/2142/17979/ctrstreadtechrepv01989i00481_opt.pdf?sequence=1). Center for the Study of Learning, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. * [Designing a Goal-Based Scenario](http://www.engines4ed.org/hyperbook/nodes/NODE-233-pg.html) from Engines for Education * Schank, Roger, C (1992). [Goal-Based Scenarios](http://cogprints.org/624/1/V11ANSEK.html) | |
| ***Alliant Library***  The Cognition and Technology Group at Vanderbilt. (1990). [Anchored Instruction and Relationship to Situated Cognition](http://0-edr.sagepub.com.library.alliant.edu/content/19/6/2.full.pdf)*. Educational Researcher*, 19(6), 2-10. | |

Assignments

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| **Course Project and Varied Lessons** | 4.1, 4.2 |
| **Brainstorm**, in your project groups, how situated cognition, anchored instruction or goal-based scenario lessons might be integrated into your group project.  **Post** your ideas, by project group, to the Course Project and Varied Lessons forum by Friday.  **Provide** meaningful feedback to each other by Sunday.  **Note**. Reference your readings in your initial response and your replies to classmates’. | |

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| **Varied Lesson Plan** | 4.1, 4.2 |
| **Design** a situated cognition, anchored instruction or goal-based scenario lesson or technology application in a subject content area of your choice. Use a lesson plan design of your choice or use the Lesson Plan template.  **Note**. Select a different content area than what you used for your Week One Blended Learning Lesson Plan assignment.  **Utilize** your state standards for selecting your subject content area.  **Include** the following in your lesson plan:   * A description of the content you intend to teach * The resources required to support instruction and learning * How learning will be assessed   **Support** your lesson plan design with suggestions from the readings this week.  **Submit** your lesson plan to the following forums by Friday:   * Scenario Lesson Plan discussion forum * Scenario Lesson Plan assignment submission forum   **Provide** meaningful feedback to a classmate’s lesson design by Sunday. If a classmate’s lesson design already has a comment posted, provide feedback to a classmate who does not yet have comments. | |

## Course: Supporting Differentiated Learning (Seminar)

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Describe instructional strategies that maximize the involvement and provide support to all students. |
| **CLO2:** Differentiate a lesson to specifically meet the needs of students with specific learning and language needs. |
| **CLO3:** Analyze the effectiveness of integrating differentiation strategies into a lesson. |
| **CLO4:** Reflect on differentiation strategies and how to best meet needs of different learners. |

### Seminar Structure

Planning, Teaching, Analysis, Self-Assessment Segments

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| **Week** | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| Planning Segment: Readings and Discussions (Weeks 1-3) | |  |  |  |
| **1** | TLC 2.0, Part 3 Graphic Organizer – Week 1 | End of Week 1 | Reading Responses | 3 |
| **1** | Discussion Post #1: Wormelli’s “Busting Myths about Differentiation” | End of Week 1 | Discussion Post/Peer Response | 7 |
| **2** | TLC 2.0, Part 3 Graphic Organizer – Week 2 | End of Week 2 | Reading Responses | 3 |
| **2** | Discussion Post #2: “Rethinking English Language Instruction: An Architectural Approach” | End of Week 2 | Jigsaw Reading Assignment/ Sharing/Peer Response | 7 |
| **3** | TLC 2.0, Part 3 Graphic Organizer – Week 3 | End of Week 3 | Reading Responses | 3 |
| **3** | Discussion Post #3: Multiple Intelligences | End of Week 3 | Reading Assignment/ Sharing/Peer Response | 7 |
| Teaching Segment: Application to teaching (Weeks 4-5) | |  |  |  |
| **4** | Discussion Post #4: Differentiation Resources | End of Week 4 | Reading Assignment/ Sharing/Peer Response | 7 |
| **4** | eJournal #1: Focus students’ descriptors | End of Week 4 | eJournal | 3 |
| **5** | eJournal #2: Focus students’ data | End of Week 5 | eJournal | 3 |
| **5** | Differentiation Assignment | End of Week 5 | Assignment | 17 |
| Analysis Segment: Peer review and self-evaluation (Weeks 6-7) | |  |  |  |
| **6** | Discussion Post #5: “8 Characteristics of Motivated Kids” | End of Week 6 | Reading Assignment/ Sharing/Peer Response | 7 |
| **6** | Discussion Post #6: Differentiation Summary and Artifact Sharing | End of Week 6 | Assignment Sharing/Artifact Posting | 11 |
| **7** | Discussion Post #6, cont.: Differentiation Assignment Peer Feedback | End of Week 7 | Peer Feedback on Discussion Post | 6 |
| **7** | Discussion Post #7: Resource Sharing: Assistive Technology | End of Week 7 | Resource Sharing | 3 |
| **7** | Discussion Post #8: Resource Sharing:  Enrichment Activities | End of Week 7 | Resource Sharing | 3 |
| Reflection Segment: Self-assessment (Week 8) | |  |  |  |
| **8** | Discussion Post #9: “Joaquin’s Dilemma” | End of Week 8 | Reading Assignment/ Sharing/Peer Response | 7 |
| **8** | eJournal #3: Perspective Shifts | End of Week 8 | eJournal | 3 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **100** |

### Textbook and General Resources

Kampwirth, T. J., & Powers, K. M., (2016). *Collaborative consultation in the schools: Effective practices for students with learning and behavior problems, enhanced Pearson eText* (5th ed.). Boston, MA: Pearson Education.

ISBN: 978-0134019642

**Online Resources**

* [National Association of State Directors of Special Education, Inc.](http://www.nasdse.org/)
* Arizona Department of Education– [Exceptional Student Services](http://www.azed.gov/specialeducation/)
* Center for Applied Special Technology–[CAST](http://www.cast.org/)
* [Teacher Tap: Professional Development Resources for Educators & Librarians](http://eduscapes.com/tap/tap1.htm) from eduscapes
* [The National Center for Culturally Responsive Educational Systems](http://www.nccrest.org/)
* National Association for Bilingual Education–[NABE](http://www.nabe.org/)

### Example Assignments

**Assignments – Week 2**

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| **Teach Like A Champion 2.0, Part 3: Ratio**  **Introduction and Chapter 8: Building Ratio Through Writing**  **Reading Guide: Teach Like A Champion 2.0, Part 3, Chapter 8 Reading Guide** | **CLO1:** Describe instructional strategies that maximize the involvement and provide support to all students. |
| 1. Download the “Teach Like A Champion 2.0, Part 3, Chapter 8 Reading Guide” 2. Complete the reading guide during/after you read the assigned chapters. 3. Submit via Canvas Dropbox by the deadline. | |

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| **Discussion Post #2: Rethinking English Language Instruction: An Architectural Approach Jigsaw Reading Assignment** | **CLO1:** Describe instructional strategies that maximize the involvement and provide support to all students. |
| “Jigsaw” is common reading strategy utilized in classroom instruction. An assigned reading is divided up into sections and different groups are assigned sections to read. Students who read the same section meet in “expert groups”. Each expert group is given time to summarize the key points and discuss the reading, Then, new groups are formed with at least one student from each expert group. Each “expert” shares their understanding of the section they read. Once every summary has been shared, students in these heterogeneous groups discuss the reading, often responding to prompts provided by the teacher. In this way, students are able to get an overview of a topic without having to read the entire section themselves.  This is an example of a differentiation technique that would support struggling readers and English Language Learners. Students of different reading abilities get indirect support by working collaboratively in their expert groups to create a summary of their section. English Language Learners have multiple opportunities to participate in structured academic discourse.  We are implementing a modified version of a “jigsaw” for this reading assignment. Your instructor will send you an email designating which section of the reading each person is assigned. The discussion will broken into smaller groups with at least one person who read each section contributing. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to provide time for “expert groups”’ in this model, but you will experience the sharing out in heterogeneous groupings.   1. Read your assigned section of the article by Susana Dutro and Carrol Moran, “Rethinking English Language Instruction: An Architectural Approach” using the link provided. *(****Optional:*** *You may read the entire article, but you should only complete the post for your assigned section.)*   LINK: <http://www.doe.in.gov/sites/default/files/curriculum/rethinking-language-instruction.pdf>  **Reading Sections:**  **Everyone Reads:** “General Principles for English Language Instruction”, pp. 242-246.  **Group 1:** Additionally reads: “Systematic English Language Development”, pp. 246-248.  **Group 2:** Additionally reads: “Front-Loading Language Teaching”, pp. 248-252.  **Group 3:** Additionally reads: “Maximizing the Teachable Moment”, pp. 252-254.   1. Title your discussion post as “Group #” 2. Summarize what the authors discussed in your section. Provide at least one connection between what they discussed and how it is relevant to your teaching practice. 3. Read the summaries written by your peers for the sections of the article you did not read. 4. Respond to at least two of your peer’s posts. It could be another idea of how the content relates to instruction, a clarifying question, a connection, or other meaningful contribution. Your response should be a minimum of 2-3 sentences. | |

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| **Discussion Post #3: Multiple Intelligences** | **CLO1:** Describe instructional strategies that maximize the involvement and provide support to all students. |
| We all have our strengths and weaknesses in different areas. This brief article explains what multiple intelligences are and how we can integrate that understanding into our practices to meet the needs of different students. By varying the way we ask students to access and demonstrate their understanding, we can meet the needs of different learners.  The goal of this discussion is to broaden our repertoire of ways to integrate multiple intelligences into our presentation and assessment of student learning across all content areas. Do some research on how to incorporate multiple intelligences into a content area where you wouldn’t expect to find them. For example, a math class would mostly deal with problems that favor those with logical-mathematical intelligences. But, how could you highlight different intelligences in a math class? One example would be [having students create a song to help them memorize the Quadratic Equation](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z6hCu0EPs-o).   1. Read the article on Edutopia, “Multiple Intelligences: What Does the Research Say?” using the link provided.   LINK: <http://www.edutopia.org/multiple-intelligences-research?gclid=CJjru8-9us8CFUFrfgodeucDGg>   1. Title your discussion post as “Access/Demonstrate, Intelligence(s) Type, Content, Grade” *(e.g. “Demonstrate, Musical, Math, High School” would describe a strategy in which students access math content through a strategy that highlights musical intelligence.)* 2. In your post, describe a strategy or lesson that could be used in the content area/grade level you teach that would integrate multiple intelligences where you wouldn’t expect them.  * Summarize the strategy or lesson used for students to access the content or for students to demonstrate their understanding * Explain how it incorporates one or more intelligence into a content area where it wouldn’t typically be seen * Provide a hyperlink to any resources you found  1. Respond to at least two of your peer’s posts. It could be a connection, a question, a suggestion, or other meaningful contribution. Your response should be a minimum of 2-3 sentences. | |

Weeks 4-5: Teaching Segment

Learning Objectives

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| 1. Objective: Teachers will be able to at least three differentiation strategies and how they meet the needs of specific populations. | **CLO1:** Describe instructional strategies that maximize the involvement and provide support to all students. |
| 1. Objective: Teachers will be able to choose 2 focus students with specific learning or language needs and collect information from their school site to gain more information about the student. | **CLO2:** Differentiate a lesson to specifically meet the needs of students with specific learning and language needs. |
| 1. Objective: Teachers will be able to differentiate a lesson to meet the needs of diverse learners and explain how it meets their specific needs. | **CLO2:** Differentiate a lesson to specifically meet the needs of students with specific learning and language needs. |

Assignments – Week 4

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| **Discussion Post #5: Differentiation Resources** | **CLO1:** Describe instructional strategies that maximize the involvement and provide support to all students. |
| There are many, many resources for how to meet the needs of diverse learners. The goal of this discussion is to share resources and broaden our repertoire of strategies that work with different special populations.   1. Look through the resources provided below or find one that meets a need you have.  * Larry Ferlazzo Blog: A collection of many different websites that provide differentiation strategies. Pick one of the links to explore. LINK: <http://larryferlazzo.edublogs.org/2012/01/09/the-best-resources-on-differentiating-instruction/> * Teaching Channel video collection on differentiation: A collection of videos demonstrating differentiation in a variety of setting. Pick one of the videos to watch. LINK: <https://www.teachingchannel.org/videos?page=1&categories=topics_differentiation&load=1>  1. Title your discussion post as “Resource Name” 2. In your post,  * Summarize the resource/strategy * Describe what student population is serves and how it meets their needs. * Discuss how this would or wouldn’t work with your student population. * Be sure to embed a working hyperlink to the resource you found so others can readily access it.  1. Respond to at least two of your peer’s posts. It could be a connection, a question, a suggestion, or other meaningful contribution. Your response should be a minimum of 2-3 sentences. | |

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| **Differentiation Assignment Guidelines** | **CLO2:** Differentiate a lesson to specifically meet the needs of students with specific learning and language needs. |
| **Overview** Teachers are expected to know their students well and design lessons to meet the needs of different learners. This assignment has you describe a specific lesson and identify specific ways in which you can differentiate your lesson to meet the needs of your two focus students.  **Components** Use the template provided (a modified version of the CSOE Lesson Template that emphasized needs of focus students.)   * **Context:** Provide grade level, content area, length and context of the lesson. Explain how the lesson fits into the overall scope of the unit. * **Lesson Plan Summary:** Describe the student and teacher actions occurring for each portion of the lesson (Opening, Introduction to New Material, Guided Practice, Independent Practice, Closing and Homework). Provide timing details that estimate time allocated within each portion. * **Differentiation – EL:** For each portion of the lesson, think about what strategies are being integrated into the lesson that would support your EL focus student. The questions provided should guide your thinking, but do not need to be answered in each lesson portion. * **Differentiation – SN:** For each portion of the lesson, think about what strategies are being integrated into the lesson that would support your special needs focus student (i.e. the student that has a specific learning challenge). The questions provided should guide your thinking, but do not need to be answered in each lesson portion.   **Implementation.** Teach the lesson and collect student work (*e.g.* written assignment, videos of students doing an activity, photos of projects, etc.) that show students demonstrating knowledge to share with peers in upcoming weeks.  **Submission:** By the end of Week 5, you should upload your Differentiation Assignment to the Canvas Dropbox link. You will need to post your Differentiation Artifact to your Peer Group Discussion by the end of Week 6. | |

## Course: Elementary Education Methods

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Build a philosophical foundation for teaching and translate these beliefs into effective practice in the multicultural and multilingual classroom. |
| **CLO2:** Apply methods for designing classroom instruction and lesson planning to address the dynamic nature of the learning process and student’s readiness for learning grounded in Arizona Content Standards. |
| **CLO3:** Formulate instructional objectives grounded in Arizona Content Standards as the basis for classroom activities. |
| **CLO4:** Determine effective methods to plan and carry out curriculum development grounded in Arizona Content Standards on a short- and long-term basis. |
| **CLO5:** Design a comprehensive classroom management system for the diverse classroom. |
| **CLO6:** Develop implementation strategies to insure gender and ethnic equity in the classroom. |

### Course Structure

**Course Overview**

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[Week 5: Science 22](#_Toc454622524)

[Week 6: Science–Continued 23](#_Toc454622525)

[Week 7: History/Social Science 25](#_Toc454622526)

[Week 8: History/Social Science–Continued 27](#_Toc454622527)

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|  | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Week 1** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Introductions |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Discussion: State Standards and Literature |  | Discussion | 10 |
| **Week 2** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Universal Access |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Assignment: ELA Mini Task |  | Lesson Plan | 20 |
| **Week 3** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Effective Math Program |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Discussion: Math Problem |  | Discussion | 10 |
| **Week 4** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: A Math Lesson |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Discussion: Word Problem |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Assignment: Math Lesson Plan |  | Lesson Plan | 20 |
| **Week 5** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Technology |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Assignment: Effective Program |  | Assignment | 10 |
| **Week 6** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Hands-On Experiments |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Assignment: Science Activity |  | Assignment | 10 |
| **Week 7** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Self-Awareness |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Assignment: History–Social Science Activity |  | Assignment | 10 |
| **Week 8** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: 3R’s |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Discussion: Teaching about Slavery |  | Discussion | 10 |
|  | Assignment: Classroom Management Plan |  | Assignment | 10 |
|  | Assignment: History/Social-Science Lesson Plan |  | Lesson Plan | 20 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **220** |

### Resources

Arizona K-12 Standards: <http://www.azed.gov/standards-practices/>

### Example Assignments

**Week 2: Language Arts–Continued**

**Learning Objectives**

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| * 1. Determine methods to modify curriculum to meet the needs of all students in your classroom. | CLO2, CLO5 |

**Activities and Resources**

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| **Readings** | 2.1 |
| ***[ELPS for Arizona Public Schools](http://www.azed.gov/oelas/elps/)***   * [Standards](https://www.azed.gov/oelas/elps/) * [Guidance Document](https://cms.azed.gov/home/GetDocumentFile?id=54de1d88aadebe14a87070f0) | |
| ***National Center for Universal Design on Learning (UDL)***  **Explore** the [UDL](http://www.udlcenter.org/) website.  **View** the “[UDL at a Glance](http://www.udlcenter.org/resource_library/videos/udlcenter/udl)” video [4:38] from the Resource Library. | |
| ***Literacy Design Collaborative***  **Read** the [LDC Mini-Tasks and Universal Design for Learning (UDL)](https://ldc.org/blog/posts/ldc-mini-tasks-and-universal-design-learning-udl-leslie-buffen-and-vicki-griffo) by Leslie Buffen and Vicki Griffo blog post. | |
| ***Arizona Content Standards***  Review the [Arizona Content Standards](http://www.azed.gov/standards-practices/) for your grade and content areas | |

**Assignments**

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| **Discussion: Universal Access** | 2.1 |
| Your Language Arts program must ensure that all students have access to a quality program. You will need to modify your curriculum to meet the needs of all students in your classroom.  **Respond** to the following prompt in the Universal Access discussion forum by Wednesday:   * What three types of instructional strategies could you use to assist Special Need students? * How would you use those strategies?   **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Discussion: Math Problem** | 3.2 |
| **Review** the standards on operations and algebraic thinking for Grade Four.  **Respond** to the following prompt in the Math Problem discussion forum by Friday: What instructional strategies, activities, and techniques would you use to explain the following problem to your students?  Solve: (3 x 6) - (24/6 + 8) =?  **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Discussion: A Math Lesson** | 4.1 |
| **View** the “[Third Grade Math: A Complete Lesson](https://www.teachingchannel.org/videos/classroom-daily-routines)” video [26:27] from Teaching Channel. The video explores how effective daily routines help students concentrate and learn. It looks at how Math routines like Mental Math and Fast Facts can be used in a classroom.  **Respond** to the following prompts in the A Math Lesson discussion forum by Wednesday:   * What does Ms. Saul consider when planning her day? * How does Ms. Saul create a math period that is both varied and routine? * What strategies does Ms. Saul use to maximize instructional time?   **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Discussion: 3R’s** | 8.1 |
| **View** the “[3R’s: Revolution, Reaction, and Reform](https://www.teachingchannel.org/videos/teaching-complex-concepts)” video [15:04] from the Teaching Channel. The video provides teaching tips to help students understand complex, abstract concepts. This example uses a 4th grade social studies lesson, but can be applied to other subjects. Quick Write, group discussion, and I See, I Think, I Wonder, are teaching ideas that help students to understand concepts.  **Respond** to the following prompts in the 3R’s discussion forum by Wednesday:   * How can the 'Quick Write’ be used to activate prior knowledge and as a pre-assessment? * What is the purpose of ‘I see, I think, I wonder’? * How does the wide variety of photos help students understand the various meanings of revolution?   **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Discussion: Teaching about Slavery** | 8.1 |
| **View** the “Slavery in America: Building Background Knowledge” video [13:59] from the Teaching Channel. This video provides some great tips and techniques on teaching slavery to young students.  **Respond** to the following prompts in the Teaching about Slavery discussion forum by Friday:   * What makes the word sort an effective warm-up? * How does Ms. Wicketts plan her lesson around the needs of her students? * How does Ms. Wicketts prepare her students for reading and writing about Harriet Tubman? * What strategies can you share with your classmates to help your students to understand the subject matter for History-Social Science?   **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

## Supporting Grading and Goal Setting (Seminar)

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Describe assessments to monitor students’ progress used at different points of instruction. |
| **CLO2:** Explain specific instructional decisions, based on outcomes of student assessments, to best meet individual student and group needs. |
| **CLO3:** Analyze the effectiveness of various assessments to monitor students’ progress. |
| **CLO4:** Determine the best use of assessment tools to monitor student progress and inform instruction. |

### Course Structure

Planning, Teaching, Analysis and Self-Evaluation/Reflection Segments

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|  | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Module One: Weeks 1–3: Planning Segment** | |  |  |  |
|  | Assignment: Introduction to Assessment Types | End of Week 1 | Planning Segment | 3 |
|  | Discussion: Case for Assessment | End of Week 1 | Planning Segment | 7 |
|  | Assignment: Week 2 Reading Guide | End of Week 2 | Planning Segment | 3 |
|  | Discussion: Fair Isn’t Always Equal | End of Week 2 | Planning Segment | 7 |
|  | Assignment: Week 3 Reading Guide | End of Week 3 | Planning Segment | 3 |
|  | Discussion: Assessments and English Language Learners | End of Week 3 | Planning Segment | 7 |
| **Module Two: Weeks 4–5: Teaching Segment** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Tools & Resources | End of Week 4 | Teaching Segment | 7 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal #1–Cycle of Inquiry | End of Week 4 | Teaching Segment | 3 |
|  | Assignment: Data Driven Instruction | End of Week 5 | Teaching Segment | 17 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal #2–Data Driven Instruction Reflection | End of Week 5 | Teaching Segment | 3 |
| **Module Three: Weeks 6–7: Analysis Segment** | |  |  |  |
|  | Assignment: eJournal #3–ELL Needs | End of Week 6 | Analysis Segment | 3 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal #4–SN Needs | End of Week 6 | Analysis Segment | 3 |
|  | Discussion: Data Driven Instruction Share-Out | End of Week 6 | Analysis Segment | 17 |
|  | Discussion: Smarter & Balanced Assessment | End of Week 7 | Analysis Segment | 7 |
| **Module Four: Week 8: Reflection Segment** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Too Much Testing? | End of Week 8 | Reflection Segment | 7 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal #5–Perspective Shifts | End of Week 8 | Reflection Segment | 3 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **100** |

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### Example Assignments

**Module Two: Weeks 4–5: Teaching Segment**

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| **Assignment: Data Driven Instruction** | CLO3 |
| You will use an assessment of your student’s work to monitor students’ mastery of the content and provide an action plan to address needs revealed by the assessment.  **Select** an assessment to analyze using the following examples as a benchmark for your selection:   * You will use an assessment of your students’ work to monitor students’ mastery of the content and provide an action plan to address needs revealed by the assessment.   **Select** an assessment to analyze using the following examples as a benchmark for your selection:   * [Examining Student Work – Elementary: Understanding the Protocol](http://mistreamnet.org/videos/351/examining-student-work-elementary-understanding-the-protocol) from MI Streamnet. * [Examining Student Work – Middle School: Understanding the Protocol](http://mistreamnet.org/videos/383/examining-student-work-middle-school-understanding-the-protocol) from MI Streamnet.   **Note**. Using a formative assessment with open-ended questions will likely yield better responses than a multiple-choice type format for the analysis section of this assignment.  **Collect** student work to monitor mastery of the content.  **Determine** criteria to evaluate the work.  **Conduct** a three-pile sorting process to sort the work.  **Analyze** the work to identify commonalities and trends within each pile using the Data Driven Instruction Data Sheet. You may modify this sheet to meet your needs.  **Identify** three samples of student work that demonstrate different levels of mastery.  **Develop** an action plan that outlines your next instructional steps to address any inconsistencies, misconceptions and student needs revealed from your analysis.  **Write** a paper about your process and action plan that includes the following information:   * **Student Work**   + Did students work alone or in groups?   + When does this assessment fall within this scope of the unit and lesson?   + If you teach more than one class, why did you select this group to analyze? * **Criteria**   + What would mastery of this skill or concept involve? What would you look for as evidence that students have mastered this concept or skill?   + How will you differentiate between different levels of mastery?   + How will you evaluate the assessment (e.g., a rubric, a checklist, a comparison to prior work, etc.)? * **Sorting**   + Explain which three categories you used to sort the work, (e.g., meeting, approaching or not meeting).   + Tabulate how many students fall into each category. * **Analysis**   + For each pile, what are key areas where groups of students did or did not demonstrate mastery?   + Identify outliers and what specific needs they may need to have addressed.   + Look at the distribution of students within each category. Are the majority of students mastering the concept or skill assessed?   + Which of the skills or concepts were most difficult for your students? Which were the easiest? Why? * **Artifacts**    + Data Driven Instruction Data Sheets   + Three samples of student work.   + Brief description of each work sample and why you selected it. You will also share these artifacts with peers in the upcoming week. * **Action Plan**    + Do you need to re-teach a concept or skill based on the outcomes of the assessment? How and when could you do this?   + How can you address the needs of individual students? Describe what they may look like in the context of your classroom.   + How can you address the needs of small groups? Describe what that may look like within the context of your classroom.   + Were inconsistencies or misconceptions revealed in this assessment? How could you correct these with the class?   + How and when will you reassess students on this skill or concept?   **Submit** your paper as a Word document by Sunday of Week 5.  **Note**. You will post your student work samples to a Peer Group Discussion by the end of Week 6 | |

## Course: Curriculum and Instruction (Seminar)

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Describe instructional strategies that maximize the level of academic rigor. |
| **CLO2:** Identify relevant state academic content standards for student’s specific grade level and content area and integrate into a lesson plan. |
| **CLO3:** Analyze the effectiveness of a teaching segment for chosen focus areas. |
| **CLO4:** Determine the implementation and use of standards with the integration of disciplinary literacy. |

### Seminar Structure

Planning, Teaching, Analysis and Self-Evaluation/Reflection Segments

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|  | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Weeks 1–3: Planning Segment** | |  |  |  |
|  | Assignment: Week 1 Reading Guide | End of Week 1 | Planning Segment | 3 |
|  | Discussion: Introduction to State and inTASC Standards | End of Week 1 | Planning Segment | 7 |
|  | Assignment: Week 2 Reading Guide | End of Week 2 | Planning Segment | 3 |
|  | Discussion: Exploration in the State and inTASC Standards | End of Week 2 | Planning Segment | 7 |
|  | Assignment: Week 3 Reading Guide | End of Week 3 | Planning Segment | 3 |
|  | Discussion: Disciplinary Literacy | End of Week 3 | Planning Segment | 7 |
| **Weeks 4–5: Teaching Segment** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Tools & Resources | End of Week 4 | Teaching Segment | 7 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal #1–Lesson Alignment to State Standards | End of Week 4 | Teaching Segment | 3 |
|  | Assignment: Classroom Snapshot | End of Week 5 | Teaching Segment | 17 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal #2–Classroom Snapshot Reflection | End of Week 5 | Teaching Segment | 3 |
| **Weeks 6–7: Analysis Segment** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Myths & Rigor | End of Week 6 | Analysis Segment | 7 |
|  | Discussion: Classroom Snapshot Share-Out | End of Week 7 | Analysis Segment | 17 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal#3–Takeaways from Classroom Snapshot Assignment | End of Week 7 | Analysis Segment | 3 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal#4– Self-Assessment of State and inTASC Standards Knowledge and Use | End of Week 7 | Analysis Segment | 3 |
| **Week 8: Reflection Segment** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Literacy & Social Justice | End of Week 8 | Refection Segment | 7 |
|  | Assignment: eJournal #5–Perspective Shifts | End of Week 8 | Refection Segment | 3 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **100** |

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### Example Assignments

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| **Discussion: Tools & Resources** | 2.1 |
| As we are asking teachers to integrate more literacy skills into various content areas, it is important to provide you with some concrete tools to help you do so. The goal of this discussion is to have you research some ideas, and share resources to broaden your repertoire of strategies that scaffold reading and writing assignments.  **Explore** the resources provided below or find one that meets a need you have:  Excellence in Literacy Instruction: [Tips and tools](http://www.lindahoyt.com/tips.html) by Linda Hoyt, author of Revisit, Revise, Retell: Time-Tested Strategies for Teaching Reading Comprehension, provides many of the strategies from her book online. She summarizes the strategies and provides examples of worksheets that could be used to help students of different grade levels with reading comprehension.   * [Excellence in Education](http://www.barbarablackburnonline.com/free-resources/downloads-for-books/rigor-is-not-a-four-letter-word/) from Blackburn Consulting Group, Inc. Elizabeth Blackburn, Ph.D., author of Rigor is Not a Four Letter Word, provides many templates for different content areas to aid in reading and writing across various content areas. * [Narrowing the Language Gap: The Case for Explicit Vocabulary Instruction](http://teacher.scholastic.com/products/authors/pdfs/Narrowing_the_Gap.pdf) by Kevin Feldman and Kate Kinsella from Scholastic Professional Paper. This article explains the importance of explicit academic vocabulary instruction with some strategies on how to implement them. * [Dr. Kate Kinsella - Part I - Explicit Accountable Vocabulary Instruction](https://vimeo.com/59314153) video [13:42] on Vimeo. Kate Kinsella, Ed.D., is an expert on academic vocabulary. This video shows Dr. Kinsella demonstrating some of the strategies from the article in a clip from one of her seminars.   **Respond** to the following prompts in the Tools & Resources discussion forum by Wednesday of Week 4:  Summarize the resource or strategy.   * Describe how it embeds literacy skills into a content area. * How would or wouldn’t this work with your student population? * Embed a working hyperlink to the resource you found so others can readily access it.   **Rename** the title of your response as “Resource or Strategy Name – Your Name”.  **Reply** to two classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by Sunday. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Discussion: Classroom Snapshot Share-Out** | 3.2 |
| This is an opportunity to get peer feedback and suggestions on your classroom instruction. You should have taught a lesson and videotaped yourself teaching the lesson.  **Respond** to the following prompts in the Classroom Snapshot Share-Out discussion forum by *Friday of Week 6*:  **Post** the summary and link you submitted for the Classroom Snapshot assignment from the Week 4–5: Teaching Segment module:   * Identify at least three areas that you would like others to focus their attention on to provide you with targeted feedback in your post. * Rename the title of your response as “Content Area/Grade Level – Your Name”.   This is an opportunity to offer support and ideas to your peers about their instruction, and for you to expand your repertoire of ideas on how to implement different instructional strategies.  **Reply** to *three* classmate’s posts, applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/), by *Sunday of Week 7*. If possible, respond to posts that have not yet received feedback from a classmate:   * Review the context of your peer’s lesson, review which areas they would like to get feedback on, watch the teaching segment. * Provide meaningful feedback on their video within one or more of the focus areas they selected in the form of questions, connections, suggestions, resources, etc. | |

## Course: Applied Linguistics Seminar: Reading

### Course Learning Outcomes

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| **CLO** |
| **CLO1:** Explain first and second language acquisition theories emphasizing the connection between first language literacy and second language development and the psychological and socio-cultural factors of second language acquisition. |
| **CLO2:** Describe phonology, morphology, syntax, semantics, and pragmatics as part of English language structure. |
| **CLO3:** Explain the philosophy, design, goals, and characteristics of programs for English Language learners. |
| **CLO4:** Determine the impact of state and federal mandates pertaining to the education of English language learners on students’ placements and instructional programs. |
| **CLO5:** Compare ELPS and ELA standards. |
| **CLO6:** Determine effective techniques to use materials, methods, and strategies for ELD that lead to the rapid acquisition of grade-level listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in English. |
| **CLO7:** Determine the effective application of classroom management strategies to facilitate content and language learning of English Language Learners. |
| **CLO8:** Analyze historical and cultural traditions and values of major ethnic groups in Arizona to incorporate those resources into classroom instruction. |

### Course Structure

**Course Overview**

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[Week 2: Word Study 19](#_Toc454178287)

[Week 3: Word Study–Continued 22](#_Toc454178288)

[Week 4: Fluency 24](#_Toc454178289)

[Week 5: Vocabulary 27](#_Toc454178290)

[Week 6: Reading & Comprehension 29](#_Toc454178291)

[Week 7: Reading & Comprehension–Continued 32](#_Toc454178292)

[Week 8: Organizing & Managing Literacy Instruction 34](#_Toc454178293)

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|  | **Assessment** | **Due** | **Assignment Category** | **Point Value** |
| **Week 1** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Introductions |  | Discussion | 6 |
|  | Discussion: Learning to Read |  | Discussion | 16 |
| **Week 2** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Reading Success & Literacy |  | Discussion | 16 |
|  | Assignment: Week Two Quiz |  | Quiz | 30 |
| **Week 3** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: ELL Students |  | Discussion | 16 |
|  | Assignment: Week Three Quiz |  | Quiz | 30 |
| **Week 4** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Fluency |  | Discussion | 16 |
|  | Assignment: Journal Articles |  | Written Assignment | 30 |
| **Week 5** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Comprehension |  | Discussion | 16 |
|  | Assignment: Lesson Plan |  | Written Assignment | 40 |
| **Week 6** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Comprehension |  | Discussion | 16 |
|  | Assignment: Field Work |  | Written Assignment | 50 |
| **Week 7** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Reading |  | Discussion | 16 |
| **Week 8** | |  |  |  |
|  | Discussion: Writing |  | Discussion | 16 |
|  | Course Project: WebQuest |  | Course Project | 100 |
|  | Course Project: Peer Review |  | Discussion | 6 |
| **Total Points** | |  |  | **420** |

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### Example Assignment

**Week 6: Reading & Comprehension**

**Learning Objectives**

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| * 1. Analyze a variety of explicit instructional strategies that guide the children’s understanding of text. | CLO6, CLO7 |
| * 1. Analyze instructional strategies that scaffold children’s awareness of story structure. | CLO6 |
| * 1. Analyze instructional strategies that guide children’s interactions with text. | CLO1, CLO2 |

**Activities and Resources**

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| **Readings** | 6.1, 6.2, 6.3 |
| ***Reading and Learning to Read***  Ch. 10: Reading Comprehension | |
| ***Textbook Resources***  **Review** the following presentation from *Reading and Learning to Read*: Ch. 10: Reading Comprehension. | |

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| **Preparation** | N/A |
| **Begin** working on the WebQuest assignment due in Week 8. | |

Assignments

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| **Discussion: Comprehension** | 6.1, 6.2, 6.3 |
| **Review** the readings.  **Respond** to the following prompts in the Comprehension discussion forum by Wednesday:   * How can teachers meet the needs of all learners when teaching:   + structural analysis skills,   + syllabic analysis skills, and   + orthographic knowledge in writing and reading? * How can strategies such as gradual release of responsibility be beneficial? * How can teaching students to learn how to select books for independent reading support Response to Intervention (RTI) goals?   **Cite** the texts or other literature in your response.  **Reply** to one classmate’s post applying the [RISE Model for Meaningful Feedback](http://www.risemodel.com/) by Sunday. Respond to a post that has not yet received feedback from a classmate. | |

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| **Assignment: Field Work** | CLO7, CLO9 |
| **Teach** 5 lessons using techniques readings, or strategies learned in class. The lessons may be cross-curricular, but do not do a math lesson. They must cover the following ELA content:   * Vocabulary Development * Comprehension Skills * Study Skill or Strategy * Formal or Informal Writing * Lesson of your choice using one of the strategies learned in class   **Write** a 250-to 300-word report analysis of your own teaching practice in relation to literacy development. Include the following:   * A brief description of your lesson * Your students’ reactions to it * An analysis of strengths * Areas for improvement   **Format** each report with the following section headers:   * Content Area * Description of Strategy Used * Student Reactions * Strength and Growth Areas   **Note**. For those currently teaching, your analysis will include the two lessons you competed in Week 5.  **Submit** your Field Work analysis as one Word document by Sunday. | |