

Course EPR 460

Course

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WINONA STATE UNIVERSITY
PROPOSAL FOR UNIVERSITY STUDIES COURSES

Department Education Studies

Date November 20, 2013

EFRT 460

Course No.

Multicultural Yth, Children, & Families Part I: Erly Chil 2

Course Name

Credits

Applies to: ☒ Major

☐ Minor

☒ Required
☐ Elective

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University Studies (A course may be approved to satisfy only one set of outcomes.):

Course Requirements:

Basic Skills:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. College Reading and Writing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Oral Communication |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Mathematics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. Physical Development & Wellness |

Arts & Science Core:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Humanities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Natural Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Social Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. Fine & Performing Arts |

Unity and Diversity:

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Critical Analysis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Science and Social Policy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. a. Global Perspectives |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | b. Multicultural Perspectives |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. a. Contemporary Citizenship |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | b. Democratic Institutions |

Flagged Courses:

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Writing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Oral Communication |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. a. Mathematics/Statistics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | b. Critical Analysis |

Prerequisites _____

Provide the following information (attach materials to this proposal):

Please see "Directions for the Department" on previous page for material to be submitted.

Attach a *University Studies Approval Form*.

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EFRT 460 Course outline

2. Course outline of the major topics, themes, subtopics, etc., to be covered in the course. This outline should be, at a minimum, a two-level outline, i.e., consisting of topics and subtopics. This information will be submitted to MnSCU by the WSU Registrar's office.

Issues Study

- 1 Demographic Trends and Issues
 - a. Demographics 101
 - i. Harold Hodgkinson and Demographic Trends
 - ii. Demographic implications for Schools
 - iii. Case Study: Researching Demographic Changes in local communities
 - b. Culture and Cultural Competency
 - i. Anthropology and Culture
 - ii. Perceptual Filter and Perspective Taking
 - iii. New Darwinism Ideology
 - iv. Cultural Incongruence and Competence
- 2 Culture and Family Dynamics
 - a. Conceptualizing cultural differences
 - i. Ethnicity, Race, Social Class, Gender, Sexual Orientation
 - ii. Respective Research Reports
 - iii. Intersectionality
 - b. Segmented Assimilation, Family Dynamics, and Academic Achievement Gap Research
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- 5 Ethnographic Techniques and Ethics
 - a. Conceptualizing Ethnography
 - i. Ethnography as art and science
 - ii. Naturalism
 - b. Tools and Skills of Ethnography
 - i. Identifying Cultural Brokers
 - ii. Interviewing Techniques
 - iii. Document Identification
 - iv. Data Analysis Strategies
 - c. Ethical Challenges for Ethnographers
 - i. Etic and Emic Perspectives
 - ii. Data Interpretation and Presentation
 - iii. Confidentiality Procedures
 - d. Digital Ethnography Project
 - i. Wordpress Platform
 - ii. Project Structure
 - e. Ethnographic Case Study/Clinical Experience
 - i. Ethnographic Setting (15 hours)
 - ii. Informants / Document Sources
 - iii. Data Collection and Analysis
- 6 Ethnographic Implications for Teaching and Learning
 - a. Relationship Building with Local Cultural Communities
 - b. Curricula Choices
 - c. Pedagogical Techniques
 - d. Classroom Management Decisions

5. Course materials (textbook(s), articles, etc.).

Sociological Theory

Collins, R. (2007). Functional and conflict theories of educational stratification. *American Sociological Review*, 36(6), 1002-1019.

6. List the student learning outcomes for this course and how each outcome will be assessed.

	Learning opportunities	How these ideas are assessed
a. demonstrate knowledge of diverse patterns and similarities of thought, values, and beliefs as manifest in different cultures;	Students read, study, and debate academic articles and book chapters that examine diversity through sociological, anthropological, and psychological lenses.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exams and quizzes • Reflective journals • Digital multimedia ethnography that examines the socio-cultural context and its influence on students' participation in school and learning.
b. understand the extent to which cultural differences influence the interpretation and expression of events, ideas, and experiences;	This course looks at race, class and gender and how those traits influence a person's participation in the world and in schools in particular. The course looks at the growth of social theories of learning and development from functionalism to conflict theory to interpretivism and how they developed over time.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reflective journals • Digital multimedia ethnography that examines the socio-cultural context and its influence on students' participation in school and learning. • Position paper
c. understand the extent to which cultural differences influence the interactions between individuals and/or groups;	Students read, study, and discuss academic articles that present cases of cultural differences and their impact on participation in schools and other social settings. The students use these ideas to shape their interactions with B-12 students in field experiences.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reflective journals • Digital multimedia ethnography that examines the socio-cultural context and its influence on students' participation in school and learning.
d. examine different cultures through their various expressions; and/or	N/A	
e. possess the skills necessary for interaction with someone from a different culture or cultural group.	Students take part in a field experience in schools or other community settings where they interact with B-12 students and cultural coaches to help them understand interaction patterns.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reflective journals • Digital multimedia ethnography that examines the socio-cultural context and its influence on students' participation in school and learning.