

ELCC 340, Anti-Bias Education in Child Care

3 credits, 45 hours

Course Description

This programming course emphasizes the importance of providing curriculum that demonstrates the four goals of Anti-Bias Education. Students are encouraged to recognize their own social and economic biases and critically examine their program for evidence of human diversity, and develop strategies to promote self-awareness, confidence, family pride and positive social identities. Students will be involved in an action project to implement change in practice.

Pre and Co-requisites

NOTE: Not available to students with credit in ELCC 308.

Prerequisite: ELCC Certificate or equivalent

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

Upon successful completion of the course, the student shall be able to:

CLO 1 Critically evaluate their program with regards to providing an anti-bias curriculum.

CLO 2 Develop and implement a plan to become a reflective practitioner who is sensitive and responsive to aspects of diversity.

CLO 3 Recognize their own social and economic biases.

CLO 4 Analyze and discuss their own anti-bias education practice.

CLO 5 Examine the issues surrounding systemic privilege, prejudice, and discrimination.

CLO 6 Develop and implement an anti-bias curriculum that supports all children's identities and empowers children to become social justice activists.

CLO 7 Connect the issues discovered in the readings with real situations through linkages to their personal lives.

CLO 8 Recognize and address potential conflict that may arise with families, staff and self as part of the change process.

CLO 9 Use 'A Practice of Relationships' from the Alberta Curriculum Framework to support an anti-biased curriculum.

Evaluation

Assessment Type	Percentage
Quizzes and tests	30%
Assignments and projects	70%
Total	100%

Course Completion Requirements

A progression grade of C- is required.

Grading Scale

4.0 Grade Scale	Alpha Grade	Percentage Grade
4.0	A+	93-100
4.0	A	85-92.9
3.7	A-	80-84.9
3.3	B+	77-79.9
3.0	B	74-76.9
2.7	B-	70-73.9
2.3	C+	67-69.9
2.0	C	64-66.9
1.7	C-	60-63.9
1.3	D+	55-59.9
1.0	D	50-54.9
0.0	F	0-49.9

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