George Mason University  
College of Education and Human Development  
Teaching Culturally & Linguistically Diverse and Exceptional Learners

EDCI 519 Section 001 – Methods of Teaching Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Learners  
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Prerequisites/Corequisites
Required Prerequisites: EDCI 510* and EDCI 516  
* May be taken concurrently.

University Catalog Course Description

Examines approaches, methods, and techniques for teaching culturally & linguistically diverse learners in bilingual and ESL classrooms, as well as resources available in field. Critically analyzes and demonstrates teaching approaches based on second language acquisition research, including teaching language through content. Fieldwork hours are required.

Course Overview

This course includes an examination of current and past approaches, strategies, and techniques for teaching culturally and linguistically diverse learners. Students demonstrate teaching strategies, develop lesson and unit planning skills, and demonstrate knowledge of the application of linguistic and sociolinguistic concepts in language teaching and learning.

Course Delivery Method

This course will be delivered by using a seminar, lab, and lecture format. This course is highly interactive by design. It is predicated upon learning by doing and discovery learning. Assessment is based on performance-based assignments. This class will be engaged in cooperative learning, small group discussions, whole class discussions, peer feedback, short lectures, student-led micro teaching simulations, guest speakers, peer feedback, videos, multimedia, and reflection.

Learner Outcomes or Objectives
This course is designed to enable students to do the following:

1) Learn the fundamental concepts of the knowledge base pertaining to ESL, English as a second dialect, and the teaching of other second and foreign languages; second language acquisition, psycholinguistics, sociolinguistics, pragmatics, and language pedagogy.

2) Learn to develop a lesson plan that uses the four language skills, listening, speaking, reading, and writing. This includes learning to develop a lesson plan that shows evidence of scaffolded, differentiated, and multi-level instruction.

3) Plan and manage a second language class effectively and be able to evaluate and selectively apply a range of teaching strategies as appropriate to their students’ needs and characteristics, particularly as they apply to the skills and needs of diverse learners. For this purpose, they will need to be able to assess different teaching situations and changing conditions in culturally and linguistically diverse classrooms, so as to select appropriate teaching procedures and adapt to teaching students with differing learning styles and cultural backgrounds.

4) Utilize research by understanding and critically evaluating second language learning theories to engage in a systematic investigation of the knowledge base to inform their own and others teaching practices.

**Professional Standards – TESOL/CAEP (TESOL International Association Standards for Initial TESOL Pre-K-12 Teacher Preparation Programs)  www.tesol.org/teacher-prep-standards**

Upon completion of this course, students will have met the following professional standards:

**Standard 1: Knowledge About Language**
Candidates demonstrate knowledge of English language structures, English language use, second language acquisition and development, and language processes to help English Language Learners (ELLs) acquire academic language and literacies specific to various content areas.

**1a** Candidates demonstrate knowledge of English language structures in different discourse contexts to promote acquisition of reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills across content areas. Candidates serve as language models for ELLs.

**1b** Candidates demonstrate knowledge of second language acquisition theory and developmental process of language to set expectations for and facilitate language learning.

**Standard 2: ELLs in the Sociocultural Context**
Candidates demonstrate and apply knowledge of the impact of dynamic academic, personal, familial, cultural, social, and sociopolitical contexts on the education and language acquisition of ELLs as supported by research and theories. Candidates investigate the academic and personal characteristics of each ELL, as well as family circumstances and literacy practices, to develop individualized, effective instructional and assessment practices for their ELLs. Candidates recognize how educator identity, role, culture, and biases impact the interpretation of ELLs’ strengths and needs.
Candidates devise and implement methods to understand each ELL’s academic characteristics, including background knowledge, educational history, and current performance data, to develop effective, individual instructional and assessment practices for their ELLs.

**Standard 3: Planning and Implementing Instruction**
Candidates plan supportive environments for ELLs, design and implement standards-based instruction using evidence-based, ELL-centered, interactive approaches. Candidates make instructional decisions by reflecting on individual ELL outcomes and adjusting instruction. Candidates demonstrate understanding of the role of collaboration with colleagues and communication with families to support their ELLs’ acquisition of English language and literacies in the content areas. Candidates use and adapt relevant resources, including appropriate technology, to effectively plan, develop, implement and communicate about instruction for ELLs.

3a Candidates plan for culturally and linguistically relevant, supportive environments that promote ELLs’ learning. Candidates design scaffolded instruction of language and literacies to support standards and curricular objectives for ELLs in the content areas.

3b Candidates instruct ELLs using evidence-based, student-centered, developmentally appropriate interactive approaches.

3c Candidates adjust instructional decisions after critical reflection on individual ELLs’ learning outcomes.

3e Candidates use and adapt relevant materials and resources, including digital resources, to plan lessons for ELLs, support communication with other educators, school personnel, and ELLs and to foster student learning of language and literacies in the content areas.

**Standard 4: Assessment and Evaluation**
Candidates apply assessment principles to analyze and interpret multiple and varied assessments for ELLs, including classroom-based, standardized, and language proficiency assessments. Candidates understand how to analyze and interpret data to make informed decisions that promote English language and content learning. Candidates understand the importance of communicating results to other educators, ELLs, and ELLs’ families.

4b Candidates demonstrate understanding of classroom-based formative, summative, and diagnostic assessments scaffolded for both English and content assessment. Candidates determine language and content learning goals based on assessment data.

**Standard 5: Professionalism and Leadership**
Candidates demonstrate professionalism and leadership by collaborating with other educators, knowing policies and legislation and the rights of ELLs, advocating for ELLs and their families, engaging in self-assessment and reflection, pursuing continuous professional development, and honing their teaching practice through supervised teaching.
Candidates practice self-assessment and reflection, make adjustments for self-improvement, and plan for continuous professional development in the field of English language learning and teaching.

**Required Texts**


**Recommended Texts:**


WIDA Standards Booklet: must ordered through the WIDA consortium. You may call them toll free at: 866-276-7735


**Additional Resources:**

Required Online Access: *must have access by 2nd class meeting*

1. GMU Email [http://www.gmu.edu/resources/students/](http://www.gmu.edu/resources/students/)
2. BlackBoard: [http://mymason.gmu.edu](http://mymason.gmu.edu)
3. [http://www.pen.k12.va.us/VDOE/Instruction/Language](http://www.pen.k12.va.us/VDOE/Instruction/Language)
4. Fairfax County Public School Overview: [http://www.fcps.edu/search?keywords=esol+program+of+studies](http://www.fcps.edu/search?keywords=esol+program+of+studies)
5. [http://www.tesol.org](http://www.tesol.org)
7. [http://discoveryschool.com/teachingtools.html](http://discoveryschool.com/teachingtools.html)
8. [http://www.quia.com](http://www.quia.com)
ESL/Language Arts
2. Education World (educationworld.com/award/past/topics/lang_arts.shtml)

History/Social Studies
1. History/Social Studies Web Site for K-12 Teachers
   (esl.yourdictionary.com/esl/esl-lessons-and-materials-/tips-for-teaching-social-studies-to-esl-students.html)

Science

Math

Course Requirements

Each Friday I will post an announcement on Blackboard that will direct you to the coming Week’s Agenda. These weekly emails are VERY important for your success in the course. Material will be suggested to you for readings, general observations from your in-class work will be shared, and deadlines and mini-assignments that are part of your grade will be provided. Please ensure that you are RECEIVING and READING these emails each week. I am definitely stressing this point because I have found the rare student does neither and then is quite upset that they didn’t know what was going on.

All assignments should be turned in on the due date indicated in the schedule below via Blackboard. The submission deadline for assignments is before 4:30 PM the day of the class (US eastern time) each week. All projects must be typed, in 12-point font, with one inch margins, double-spaced, in Times New Roman font. Writing quality (including mechanics, organization, and content) is figured into the overall points for each writing assignment, so please proofread carefully.

Late papers and projects will not be accepted without penalty, excepting extraordinary circumstances. I am happy to clarify and lend assistance on projects and assignments, but please contact me within a reasonable timeframe. Note: I reserve the right to add, alter, or omit any assignment as necessary during the course of the semester.

Course Performance Evaluation
Students are expected to submit all assignments on time in the manner outlined by the instructor (e.g., Blackboard, Tk20, hard copy).

**TK20 PERFORMANCE-BASED ASSESSMENT SUBMISSION REQUIREMENT (Unit Lesson Plan Reflection & Analysis Paper)**

Every student registered for any Teaching Culturally, Linguistically Diverse & Exceptional Learners program course with a required performance-based assessment is required to submit this assessment and the Fieldwork Log of Hours and Evaluation Form to Tk20 through Blackboard (regardless of whether the student is taking the course as an elective, a one-time course or as part of an undergraduate minor). Evaluation of the performance-based assessment by the course instructor will also be completed in Tk20 through Blackboard. Failure to submit the assessment to Tk20 (through Blackboard) will result in the course instructor reporting the course grade as Incomplete (IN). Unless the IN grade is changed upon completion of the required Tk20 submission, the IN will convert to an F nine weeks into the following semester.

**FIELDWORK REQUIREMENT**

**Field Experience and Lesson Planning (Common Assessment)**

The field experience is a required component of the teacher preparation program at George Mason University. All students will complete a minimum of **15 hours in field experience** for this course. Documentation of your field experience is required as well as a signed statement from your field experience teacher(s) or supervisor(s). If you are taking more than one course in a semester, you must complete 15 hours per course (e.g., two courses require 30 hours of field experience). This means you may be completing different tasks for different courses in the same placement. Materials and products used for one course cannot be used for another course (e.g., videos, lesson plans, activities, etc.)

*TCLDEL Fieldwork Log of Hours and Evaluation Form must be uploaded to TK20 on Blackboard.* The form is located on Blackboard in your TCLDEL organization site in the “Fieldwork” page.

**In-service teachers:** Field experience can often be conducted in your own classroom if you have access to the population of students required for the PBAs and other assignments. However, you are required to complete a minimum of **5 hours** outside your classroom. It may be done in your school. Please consult your instructor if you have questions about the viability of your classroom for fieldwork in this class. You must register for your school as your field experience site in the online Field Experience Request form available here: [https://cehd.gmu.edu/endorse/ferf](https://cehd.gmu.edu/endorse/ferf). You will check the box indicating that: “I will arrange my own field experiences (observations and/or case studies) because I am a full-time contracted school system employee and will complete field experience at my workplace.” The deadline to submit your field experience placement is Week 2 of class. Failure to do so will result in an unsatisfactory grade for your fieldwork assignment. If you are taking this course as part of a cohort program, please indicate “TCLDEL Cohort” on your request form FIRST, then select your program and placement location. HINT: Cohort courses have section numbers beginning with “6F” (e.g. EDUC 511.6F1).

**Pre-service teachers:** If you are not currently working in a K-12 school, you will need to be placed in an appropriate fieldwork setting to complete your required PBAs and fieldwork hours. You must
request a fieldwork site using the online Field Experience Request form available here: [https://cehd.gmu.edu/endorse/ferf](https://cehd.gmu.edu/endorse/ferf). You will check the box indicating that: I will need George Mason (Clinical Practice Specialist) to arrange a placement for my field experiences (including observations and/or case studies). The deadline to submit your field experience placement is Week 2 of class. Failure to do so will result in an unsatisfactory grade for your fieldwork assignment. If you are taking this course as part of a cohort program, please indicate “TCLDEL Cohort” on your request form, then select your program and placement location. HINT: Cohort courses have section numbers beginning with “6F” (e.g. EDUC 511.6F1).

**Virginia state or county cohort teachers:** Cohort Students are required by their district and by TCLDEL to complete field experiences as required by the Virginia Department of Education for this program. Each district has arranged for candidates to be able to work at K-12 grade levels in order to complete all licensure requirements. Please contact your district coordinator for further information.

**Fieldwork Log of Hours:** You must submit a signed fieldwork log of hours demonstrating that you observed, planned, and taught in a K-12 school for a minimum of 15 hours. Fieldwork logs must show direct ties to the assignments in this course. Simply being in a classroom without working on the unit plan is not acceptable for meeting the fieldwork guidelines. Fieldwork logs must be signed by your supervisor (in-service candidates) or cooperating teacher (pre-service students) and uploaded to BlackBoard.

**TCLDEL Fieldwork Log of Hours and Evaluation Assessment**

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<td>Fieldwork Log of Hours demonstrates 15 hours of fieldwork completed, with a teacher-mentor or supervisor signature.</td>
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NOTE: Failure to submit documentation of successful completion of your fieldwork in a timely manner will make you ineligible to register for coursework, be recommended for licensure, or receive a grade for this course.

**Assignments and/or Examinations**

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<td>Field Experience &amp; Lesson Planning (Common Assessment)</td>
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<td>Requirement for licensure/endorsement</td>
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<td>Class Attendance and Informed Participation</td>
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<td>Attend all class sessions, arriving on time, with</td>
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<td><em>TESOL/CAEP Standards:</em> 1a, 1b, 2c, 3a, 3b, &amp; 5c</td>
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<td>Tech Project (Mid-Term Exam)</td>
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<td><strong>Option A:</strong> to use the World Wide Web as a primary</td>
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<td>Teaching Demonstrations (one informal, one formal)</td>
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<td>In groups, conduct two teaching simulations, one based</td>
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<td>Unit Lesson Plan &amp; Reflection Analysis Paper</td>
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<td>You must create a unit plan covering five days of</td>
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<td><strong>the course.</strong></td>
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**Overview of Projects/Assessments:**

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1. COMMON ASSESSMENT: Field Experience – Lesson Planning
This will be covered in a separate section below.

2. Tech Project:
Option A: to use the World Wide Web as a primary resource for locating and analyzing materials and activities to be used with English Language Learners.
Option B: to create a multimedia resource that will inform teachers about its implications for teaching. The tech project will be presented “poster-style” during class.

3. Teaching Demonstrations: In groups, conduct two teaching simulations (one informal, and one formal one) based on a particular method/strategy and one on a specific technique/skill. Your demonstration must integrate some form of technology.

4. Performance-Based Assessment Unit Lesson Plan Reflection & Analysis Paper:
Your unit plan will cover a minimum of five (5) days of instruction based on the grade, content area, e.g., math, science, social studies, and VA SOLs, that you chose earlier in the course. Sample models are provided for you on Blackboard. Lesson plans must include sections of the of the lesson plan template from Demographics to Homework.

Planning: You will plan classroom instruction in a supportive learning environment for multilevel classrooms with learners from diverse backgrounds using standards-based ESL and content curriculum. You will plan language-building activities that are designed for student-centered learning. This is to include cooperative learning and flexible grouping. Your plans are to include specific ESL and content, standards-based objectives and provide multiple ways of presenting content. Show that you know, understand and can apply concepts acquired in this course to your own approach to planning a supporting learning environment for ESL students in multilevel classrooms with learners from diverse backgrounds. Demonstrate effective use of a wide range of standards-based materials, resources and technologies. In this three-four day plan you will design activities and provide materials that build strengths in reading, writing, listening, and speaking. Activities should include a variety of tasks based on students’ interest, texts and themes, a range of genres, and personal experiences to enhance students’ expression in English and other content areas. Organize learning around standards-based subject matter and language learning objectives. Incorporate activities, tasks, and assignments that develop authentic uses of language, as students learn about content-area material. Provide activities and materials that integrate listening, speaking, reading, and writing. Employ an appropriate variety of materials for language learning, including books, visual aids, props, and realia. Use appropriate technological resources to enhance language and content-area instruction for ESOL students.

Other Requirements
Laptop/Cell Phone Policy
Laptops will be closed during discussions, lectures and other assignments in class which require your full attention. Cell phones must be turned off/silenced during class periods. Cell phones may be used during break.

Students will be expected to...
Attend all class sessions, arriving on time, and actively participate during large and small group discussions and activities. Three or more absences and/or tardies will result in one letter grade reduction. You are to refrain from checking email and/or texting during class.
Complete all assignments on time.
Use an electronic tablet or purchase and maintain a three-ring binder which will be used for all course materials and should be brought to class every week.

Inclement Weather Policy
In case of snow, hurricanes, other bad weather, or security emergencies, call 703-993-1000 or go to www.gmu.edu for information on class cancellations and university closings.
I will notify you no later than 3:00 PM via Blackboard if class is cancelled due to weather. Under certain circumstances we may use Blackboard Collaborate to hold class. Please refer to the PowerPoint posted in Course Content.

Grading
At George Mason University course work is measured in terms of quantity and quality. A credit normally represents one hour per week of lecture or recitation or not fewer than two hours per week of laboratory work throughout a semester. The number of credits is a measure of quantity. The grade is a measure of quality. The university-wide system for grading graduate courses is as follows:

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<td>A+</td>
<td>≥100</td>
<td>4.00</td>
<td>Represents mastery of the subject through effort beyond basic requirements</td>
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<td>90-93</td>
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<td>B+</td>
<td>85-89</td>
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<td>Reflects an understanding of and the ability to apply theories and principles at a basic level</td>
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<td>C*</td>
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<td>Denotes an unacceptable level of understanding and application of the basic elements of the course</td>
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Note: “C” is not satisfactory for a licensure course; “F” does not meet requirements of the Graduate School of Education

See the University Catalog for details: http://catalog.gmu.edu/policies/academic/grading/

Honor Code & Integrity of Work

Integrity of Work: TLCDEL students must adhere to the guidelines of the George Mason University Honor Code (https://catalog.gmu.edu/policies/honor-code-system/). The principle of academic integrity is taken very seriously and violations are treated as such.

Violations of the Honor Code include:

1. Copying a paper or part of a paper from another student (current or past);
2. Reusing work that you have already submitted for another class (unless express permission has been granted by your current professor before you submit the work);

3. Copying the words of an author from a textbook or any printed source (including the Internet) or closely paraphrasing without providing a citation to credit the author. For examples of what should be cited, please refer to:
https://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/589/02/

4. You may also not “reuse” fieldwork hours. Each placement must have 20 documented hours that are solely for each course that you are in; you may be at the same site, but the same hours may not be counted towards the same course.

**Late Work Policy**

At the graduate level all work is expected to be of high quality and submitted on the dates due. *Work submitted late will be reduced one letter grade for every day of delay.* Because we live in uncertain times, if you have any extraordinary circumstances (think flood, earthquake, evacuation) that prevent you from submitting your work in a timely manner, it is your responsibility to contact the instructor as soon as possible after the circumstances occur and make arrangements to complete your work. *It is up to the discretion of the instructor to approve the late/makeup work.*

**Coursework Withdrawal with Dean Approval:**

For graduate and non-degree students, withdrawal after the last day for dropping a course requires approval by the student’s academic dean, and is permitted only for non-academic reasons that prevent course completion (Mason catalog). Students must contact an academic advisor in APTDIE to withdraw after the deadline. There is no guarantee that such withdrawals will be permitted.

**Incomplete (IN)**

This grade may be given to students who are in good standing, but who may be unable to complete scheduled course work for a cause beyond reasonable control. The student must then complete all the requirements by the end of the ninth week of the next semester, not including summer term, and the instructor must turn in the final grade by the end of the 9th week. Unless an explicit written extension is filed with the Registrar's Office by the faculty deadline, the grade of IN is changed by the registrar to an F (Mason catalog). Faculty may grant an incomplete with a contract developed by the student with a reasonable time to complete the course at the discretion of the faculty member. The faculty member does not need to allow up to the following semester for the student to complete the course. A copy of the contract will be kept on file in the APTDIE office.
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<td>Wk 1 1/21</td>
<td>Introduction/Orientation</td>
<td>Purchase/Rent All Books</td>
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<td>Wk 2 1/28</td>
<td>Language Acquisition/Planning Instruction</td>
<td>Assignment # 1 – Read Haley pp xi-xvi; H/A Chpt 1; Write a reaction to what you’ve read.</td>
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<td>Wk 3 2/4</td>
<td>Language Acquisition/Planning Instruction</td>
<td>Assignment # 2 – F/J-V, Chpt 1, H/A Chpt 2 &amp; answer questions on 47-48.</td>
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<td>Wk 4 2/11</td>
<td>Methods and Approaches in Language Teaching</td>
<td>Assignment # 3 H/A Chpt 3; Haley pp. 41-48; and Gibbons, Chpt 1; Create 2 content and 2 language objectives. Assignment # 4 – Based on H/A, Chpt 3, write a half page describing your knowledge of current teaching methods.</td>
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<td>Wk 5 2/18</td>
<td>The Planning Process Informal Teaching Demos # 1</td>
<td>Assignment # 5 – H/A Chpt 3 questions on p. 86 (Discuss &amp; Reflect); Read F/J-V, Chpt 2 and answer questions on pp. 73-74.</td>
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<td>Assessment Informal Teaching Demos # 2</td>
<td>Read H/A Chapter 4</td>
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<td>Wk 7 3/3</td>
<td>Assessment</td>
<td>Assignment # 6 - View the video listed in syllabus and write a half page on purposes of assessment.</td>
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<td>Wk 8 3/10</td>
<td>SPRING BREAK – NO CLASS</td>
<td>Prepare Tech Projects Read H/A, Chpt 9</td>
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<td>Wk 9 3/17</td>
<td>Tech Projects Presented – Lesson Delivery: Integrating Technology</td>
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<td>Wk 10 3/24</td>
<td>Technology as a Useful Tool</td>
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| Wk 11 3/31 | Diverse Learners  
Field Experience Projects Reviewed | Assignment # 7 –  
Create a one day lesson plan.  
H/A Chpt 8 & V/E Chapt 1 |
| Wk 12 4/7 | Field Experience Reports/Lesson Planning Due  
Culturally Relevant Pedagogy | Field Experience Reports/Lesson Planning Due! Uploaded to TK20 |
| Wk 13 4/14 | Culturally Responsive Teaching Activities | Assignment # 8  
Read Haley, pp. 7-39. Create an activity that demonstrates CRT. Read V/E Chapt 2 |
| Wk 14 4/21 | Formal Teaching Demonstrations # 1 | Assignment # 9  
Read F/J-Vo, Chapt 3; Read Gibbons, Chapt 8 |
| Wk 15 4/28 | Formal Teaching Demonstrations # 2 | Final Unit Lesson Plan Due and uploaded to Bb – ALL WORK DUE |

Note: Faculty reserves the right to alter the schedule as necessary, with notification to students.

**Core Values Commitment**

The College of Education and Human Development is committed to collaboration, ethical leadership, innovation, research-based practice, and social justice. Students are expected to adhere to these principles: [http://cehd.gmu.edu/values/](http://cehd.gmu.edu/values/).

**Professional Dispositions**

See [https://cehd.gmu.edu/students/polices-procedures/](https://cehd.gmu.edu/students/polices-procedures/)

**GMU Policies and Resources for Students**

**Policies**

- Students must adhere to the guidelines of the Mason Honor Code (see [https://catalog.gmu.edu/policies/honor-code-system/](https://catalog.gmu.edu/policies/honor-code-system/)).

- Students must follow the university policy for Responsible Use of Computing (see [http://universitypolicy.gmu.edu/policies/responsible-use-of-computing/](http://universitypolicy.gmu.edu/policies/responsible-use-of-computing/)).

- Students are responsible for the content of university communications sent to their Mason email account and are required to activate their account and check it regularly. All communication from
the university, college, school, and program will be sent to students **solely** through their Mason email account.

- Students with disabilities who seek accommodations in a course must be registered with George Mason University Disability Services. Approved accommodations will begin at the time the written letter from Disability Services is received by the instructor (see [https://ds.gmu.edu](https://ds.gmu.edu)).

- Students must silence all sound emitting devices during class unless otherwise authorized by the instructor.

**Campus Resources**

- Support for submission of assignments to Tk20 should be directed to [tk20help@gmu.edu](mailto:tk20help@gmu.edu) or [https://cehd.gmu.edu/aero/tk20](https://cehd.gmu.edu/aero/tk20). Questions or concerns regarding use of Blackboard should be directed to [https://its.gmu.edu/knowledge-base/blackboard-instructional-technology-support-for-students/](https://its.gmu.edu/knowledge-base/blackboard-instructional-technology-support-for-students/).

- **Notice of mandatory reporting of sexual assault, interpersonal violence, and stalking:** As a faculty member, I am designated as a “Responsible Employee,” and must report all disclosures of sexual assault, interpersonal violence, and stalking to Mason’s Title IX Coordinator per University Policy 1202. If you wish to speak with someone confidentially, please contact one of Mason’s confidential resources, such as Student Support and Advocacy Center (SSAC) at 703-380-1434 or Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) at 703-993-2380. You may also seek assistance from Mason’s Title IX Coordinator by calling 703-993-8730, or emailing titleix@gmu.edu.

- For information on student support resources on campus, see [https://ctfe.gmu.edu/teaching/student-support-resources-on-campus](https://ctfe.gmu.edu/teaching/student-support-resources-on-campus)

For additional information on the College of Education and Human Development, please visit our website [http://cehd.gmu.edu/](http://cehd.gmu.edu/).
## DETAILED COURSE SCHEDULE AND ASSIGNMENTS

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-- (1) Fairbairn/Joes-Vo, Chapter 1. (2) Haley/Austin, Chapter 2, and PowerPoint “Planning for Today’s Millennial Learners and a Standards-based Classroom.” Answer questions on pp. 47-48 (Discuss and Reflect, Ask Yourself These Questions) Assignment #2

Week 4 -- (11 Feb) (1) Read Chapter 3 (Haley/Austin),”A Critique of Methods and Approaches in Language Teaching” and Haley, pp. 41-48. (2) Gibbons, Chapter 1.

Using a set of national, state or local standards, create two content and two language objectives. Assignment #3

Read Chapter 3 Haley/Austin and write at least a half page paper describing your knowledge of current teaching methods that will enable you to design effective ELL instruction. (NOTE: This will be included in your Unit Lesson Plan.) Assignment #4

Feb 18 & 25 The Planning Process and Assessment

Weeks (5 & 6) - Informal Teaching Demos #1: 2/18 AND Informal Teaching Demos #2: 2/25 Planning effectively and advocating for ELLs.

The Lesson Plan Template: Haley 111-112, Demographics.

The Lesson Plan Template: Haley 111-112, Objectives.


Assignment #5 for week 5:
(1) Answer questions on p. 86, Discuss and Reflect, from Chapter 3 (Haley/Austin), “A Critique of Methods and Approaches in Language Teaching.”
(2) Read Haley/Austin, Chapter 4, “Evaluating and Creating Interactive and Content-based Assessment”
(3) Read Fairbairn/Jones-Vo, Chapter 2. Answer questions on pp. 73-74.

Don’t forget to look for all the PowerPoints on BlackBoard: There are PowerPoints for both the Haley and Haley/Austin books!

Mar 3 Assessment
(Week 7)
Recap Methods and Approaches for comprehension.

The Lesson Plan Template: Haley 111-112. Materials & Lesson Outline

PowerPoint: Assessment for ELLs.
Assignment # 6 for next class: The following is to be submitted to BlackBoard: View the following video: http://www.colorincolorado.org/webcast/assessment-english-language-learners AND Write a half page that demonstrates your understanding of the purposes of assessment as they relate to ELLs and how to use the results to plan appropriately. (Note: This will be included in your Unit Lesson Plan – TESOL 4.b.

Mar 10  NO CLASS: SEMESTER BREAK

Week (8) Tech Project Presented in NEXT Class
(1) Chapter 9 (Haley/Austin), “Integrating Technology in an Interactive Content-based Classroom.”

Mar 17 Lesson Delivery – Integrating Technology

Week (9) Brief portion of Tech Projects Presented in Class

Integrating Technology in an Interactive Content-Based Classroom
Technology Preview in preparation for mid-term projects
The Lesson Plan Template: Haley 111-112, Differentiating Instruction
Discuss Assessment paragraphs uploaded to BlackBoard.

Mar 24 Technology as a Useful Tool

Week (10)
Assignment #7 for next class –
(1) Create a one day lesson plan. Use page 1 on the lesson plan template, p. 111 in Haley.  
(2) Read Chapter 8, Haley/Austin, Interactive Approaches for Working With Diverse Learners; (3) Read V/E, Chpt 1  
SIGN UP FOR FORMAL TEACHING DEMOS  
Learner-centered instruction. Resources, Programs, & Professional Organizations  
The Lesson Plan Template: Haley 111-112, Closure and Homework  

Mar 31  Working With Diverse Learners  
Week (11) Field Experience Reports/Lesson Planning (Common Assessment) Due next week!  
Pedagogical implications for working with diverse learners. Working with Diverse Learners: Culturally & Linguistically Diverse Students  

Apr 7  Working With Diverse Learners  
Week (12) Field Experience/Lesson Planning Reports are Due and Must be Uploaded to Bb in TK20  
Assignment # 8: Read Haley, pp. 7-39 and be prepared to discuss. Create an activity that will demonstrate Culturally Responsive Teaching; Read V/E Chapter 2  

Apr 14  Working With Diverse Learners  
Providing for an inclusive classroom.  
Final preparation for Formal Teaching Demonstrations AND Unit Lesson Plans  
Assignment # 9: (1) Revisit culturally responsive teaching activities. (2) Read Fairbairn/Jones-Vo, Chapter 3. (3) Read Gibbons, Chapter 8.  

Apr 21  Formal Teaching Demonstrations # 1  
Week (14) Unit Lesson Plan  
Unit Lesson Plan must be uploaded to BlackBoard by last class  

Apr 28  Formal Teaching Demonstrations # 2
Week (15)

Course Evaluations

Assignment # 10: Unit Lesson Plans, video clips, and Field Work Log of Hours due – uploaded to BlackBoard to TK20

Note: In the event of class cancelation we will reserve Tuesday, May 5th as an alternative
DETAILED ASSIGNMENT INFORMATION

Field Experience (In-Service and Pre-Service Teachers) – Lesson Planning

Common Assessment – Must be uploaded to Bb TK20

As already mentioned in an earlier section of the syllabus, for EDCI 519 you are required to complete a minimum of 15 hours of field experience. You must have your placement made for you by GMU.

Dr. Haley will give specific instructions later. You are required to register online through CEHD for your placement. You may NOT make your own arrangements.

In-service teachers: Field experience can often be conducted in your own classroom if you have access to the population of students required for the PBAs and other assignments. However, you are required to complete a minimum of 5 hours outside your classroom. It may be done in your school. Please consult your instructor if you have questions about the viability of your classroom for fieldwork in this class. You must register for your school as your field experience site in the online Field Experience Request form available here: https://cehd.gmu.edu/endorse/ferf. You will check the box indicating that: “I will arrange my own field experiences (observations and/or case studies) because I am a full-time contracted school system employee and will complete field experience at my workplace.” The deadline to submit your field experience placement is Week 2 of class. Failure to do so will result in an unsatisfactory grade for your fieldwork assignment. If you are taking this course as part of a cohort program, please indicate “TCLDEL Cohort” on your request form FIRST, then select your program and placement location. HINT: Cohort courses have section numbers beginning with “6F” (e.g. EDUC 511.6F1).

Pre-service teachers: If you are not currently working in a K-12 school, you will need to be placed in an appropriate fieldwork setting to complete your required PBAs and fieldwork hours. You must request a fieldwork site using the online Field Experience Request form available here: https://cehd.gmu.edu/endorse/ferf. You will check the box indicating that: I will need George Mason (Clinical Practice Specialist) to arrange a placement for my field experiences (including observations and/or case studies). The deadline to submit your field experience placement is Week 2 of class. Failure to do so will result in an unsatisfactory grade for your fieldwork assignment. If you are taking this course as part of a cohort program, please indicate “TCLDEL Cohort” on your request form, then select your program and placement location. HINT: Cohort courses have section numbers beginning with “6F” (e.g. EDUC 511.6F1).

Instructions: The online Field Experience Presentation discusses the registration process for students. The presentation and the registration website can be accessed from this location: http://cehd.gmu.edu/teacher/fieldexperience/ It is important that all students completing field experience register by the second week of class.
Field Experience & Lesson Planning

COMMON ASSESSMENT

Lesson Planning Assessment

Assessment Information:

In the TLCDEL program, the Lesson Planning Assessment is completed during EDCI 519 PreK-12 ESOL Teachers and is assessed by the course instructor. The candidate must earn a score of 3 to be successful on this assignment. If a candidate does not earn a 3 on the assignment, they must meet with the course instructor or assessor prior to resubmitting. The data from this assessment are used to identify both best practice and identified gaps in developing and assessing a specific lesson plan and the impact on student learning.

InTASC Standards: 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9

CAEP Standards: 1.1, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5

VDOE Standards: 1, 2, 3, 4, 6

THEMES: Technology Diversity College-and-Career-Ready

Assessment Objective

- The candidate will develop a research-supported lesson plan that effectively meets the needs of a specific population of learners.

Research base/Rationale

It is important that teacher candidates demonstrate their ability to design an effective lesson plan with specific, performance-based learning objectives that meet the learning needs of their learners. Lesson planning can be guided by four basic questions (adapted from Spencer, 2003):

1. **Who are my learners?** (Consider the number of learners, their academic readiness levels and cultural background, and prior knowledge, etc.)
2. **What do I want my learners to learn?** (Consider the content or subject (and interdisciplinary connections), the type of learning (knowledge, skills, behaviors), how to integrate college and career ready standards, etc.)
3. **How will I know what the learners understand?** (Consider the informal and formal assessments, formative and summative, higher order questioning techniques, feedback from learners, etc.)
4. **How will my learners learn best?** (Consider the teaching models, learning strategies, length of time available, materials, technology resources, differentiation, modifications, etc.)

You might also want to ask:

- What knowledge, skills, and understandings do my learners already have?
- What knowledge or prerequisite skills do I need to access, activate or build in this lesson? How will I access those prerequisite skills or activate that prior knowledge?
- Where have learners come from and what are they going on to next?
- How can I build in sufficient flexibility to respond to emergent needs indicated by ongoing observation and formative assessment?
During field experiences and the internship, a lesson plan must be developed for each teaching session. As a novice teacher, lesson plans are developed for each instructional episode (lesson, one-to-one instruction, and small group activity). When teaching new content or grade levels, your lesson plans will be more detailed. As you gain pedagogical content knowledge and are proficient, your lesson planning becomes less detailed. Part of the planning process includes considering the following tasks:

- list content and key concepts (research more if needed)
- define your aims and identify specific learning objectives/goals/outcomes aligned to appropriate curriculum standards, Virginia SOLs, ASOLs, and/or College-and-Career-Ready standards
- create assessments that are aligned to your specific learning objectives/goals/outcomes
- think about the structure of the lesson, pacing, and transitions, use of technology
- identify the strengths and needs of all learners
- identify adaptations/modifications/extensions needed to meet learner needs
- determine “best practice” and learning strategies aligned to the learning objectives/goals/outcomes
- identify learning resources and support materials, including technology

Directions for completing the assessment task

Develop and teach a lesson plan using the template attached. Review the rubric to guide the development of your lesson plan.

Section 1: Classroom Context

Classroom decisions are made based upon your learners’ strengths and needs. Your plan may vary based upon when in a unit of instruction the lesson takes place, and even the time of the lesson. In this section, you will provide basic information about your learners and classroom—including academic and cultural backgrounds and prior knowledge, including any assessments that will guide your planning. Make certain to address how your knowledge of your learners will affect your planning. (½ to 1 page)

Section 2: Planning for Instruction

Before you teach a lesson, you must decide the learning objectives/goals/outcomes and connection to Virginia SOLs, ASOLs and/or College-and-Career-Ready standards you will use and why have you selected these objectives and specific strategies to teach the lesson to your specific group of learners. You make these decisions based upon your learners, current research, contemporary meaningful ways, prior knowledge or pre-assessments of learning, aligned to appropriate curriculum standards. While planning your lesson, using your knowledge of your learners, you will make decisions as to the modification/differentiation and/or accommodations you will need to meet the needs of all learners in your classroom. Then, with an informed understanding of your audience and your content, identify the learning materials needed to teach the lesson and any technology you and/or your learners will use in this lesson. In this section, be sure to detail all of these planning elements, including how you will assess learner mastery of lesson content—both formatively throughout the lesson, and any summative assessment you might use. (Virginia Standards of Learning (SOLs), ASOLs, and/or College-and-Career Ready skills, and any content specific objectives should be included in lesson plans.) (1-2 pages)

Section 3: Instruction

After you have identified what your class will learn, you will begin to chart out specifically how you will teach the lesson. When completing this section of the lesson plan, you will identify the procedures you will use from the opening of the lesson through the lesson closure. Script this section of the plan, noting what you will say and do and what you are asking learners to do. Be certain to include formative assessments and guided practice activities and any independent practice and summative assessments you will have learners complete. (2-3 pages)
Section 4: Reflection after Instruction: Impact on Learning

As John Dewey noted, without reflection, there is no learning. In this section, reflect upon the lesson and consider if your learners were able to meet the learning objectives/goals/outcomes for the lesson. How do you know learners were able to successfully meet the lesson objectives/goals/outcomes? (Be specific here and use formative/summative assessment results to guide your response). What was your impact on learning? (i.e., how did your instructional decisions seem to affect learning? Again, be specific.) What strategies or activities were the most successful? What could have made the lesson stronger? What did you learn about teaching, learners, and learning that will affect your next instructional experience? (1 page)

NOTE: Lesson plans will be evaluated based on adherence to the provided lesson plan format; consistency with instructional methods taught in the program; appropriate rationale provided; specification of objectives, as related to state and national standards; appropriate match between assessment of learning and learning objectives; coherence of writing and mechanics. Additionally, plans should include the Virginia Standards of Learning (SOLs), College-and-Career-Ready skills, and other content specific objectives.

Reference:


Lesson Plan Rubric

Scoring Guidelines

4-Exceeds Standard: Candidates receive a score of 4 if they perform beyond the expectations of candidates at this point in their programs. There is evidence that candidates have done additional research, identified additional resources, and/or demonstrate exceptional understanding and application of the standard.

3-Meets Standard: This is the TARGET score. This score reflects that candidates have met the standard at the level expected at this point in their program. Candidates who receive a 3 have successfully met the standard.

2-Approaching Standard: Candidates receive this score when their understanding and effort does not meet the Target but shows basic understanding of the content being assessed.

1-Does not meet standard: Candidates who do not submit work, and/or who submit work that is clearly below the expectations for a candidate at this point in their program.

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<td>The candidate identifies individual and group prerequisites in order to design instruction to meet learners’ needs in the following areas of development (Cognitive, linguistic, social, emotional, and physical).</td>
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The candidate includes strategies to address these prerequisites within the lesson, as well as anticipated learner responses to these strategies.
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<td>The candidate provides a statement of rationale for the alignment of these goals with the learning objective.</td>
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<td>The candidate facilitates learners’ use of appropriate tools and resources to maximize content learning in varied contexts.</td>
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<th>The candidate’s lesson plan provides evidence of an effort to meet learning goals, and attempts to differentiate instruction for individuals and groups of learners.</th>
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<th>The candidate plans instruction based on pre-assessment data, prior learning knowledge and skill.</th>
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Reflection on why this differentiation was successful is included.
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<td>The candidate develops appropriate sequencing and pacing of learning experiences and provides multiple ways to demonstrate knowledge and skill.</td>
<td>The candidate does not plan for appropriate sequencing and pacing of learning experiences. Tasks, methods, strategies are not stated.</td>
<td>The candidate plans for appropriate sequencing and pacing of learning experiences. All tasks, methods, and strategies are stated and/or are appropriate and effective for the lesson.</td>
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<td>The candidate uses a variety of instructional strategies to encourage learners to develop an understanding of the content and to apply knowledge in meaningful ways.</td>
<td>The instructional strategies used by the candidate do not encourage an understanding of content.</td>
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<td>The candidate engages learners in multiple ways of demonstrating knowledge and skill as part of the assessment process.</td>
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<td>The candidate uses appropriate assessment strategies as closure to allow learners to demonstrate knowledge and skills.</td>
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<td>The candidate uses creative, appropriate assessments throughout the lesson to allow learners to demonstrate knowledge and skills.</td>
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The candidate uses pedagogical content knowledge to use a variety of instructional strategies that encourage all learners to develop both an understanding of the content and apply that knowledge in authentic ways.
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<td><strong>The candidate designs assessments that match learning objectives with assessment methods.</strong></td>
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<td><strong>The candidate’s lesson design includes post-assessments that are appropriate to effectively assess learning.</strong></td>
<td><strong>The candidate’s ongoing assessments and post-assessment matches learning objectives and includes creative strategies to effectively assess learning and check comprehension throughout the lesson.</strong></td>
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**Section 4: REFLECTION: IMPACT ON LEARNING**

| **The candidate understands and knows how to use a variety of self-assessment and problem-solving strategies to analyze and reflect on his/her practice and to plan for adaptations/adjustments.** | **The candidate’s reflection does not demonstrate the use of self-assessment or problem-solving strategies to analyze and reflect on his/her practice.** | **The candidate’s reflection demonstrates the use of self-assessment and/or problem-solving strategies to analyze and reflect on his/her practice but does not plan for adaptations/adjustments.** | **The candidate’s reflection demonstrates a variety of self-assessment and problem-solving strategies to analyze and reflects on his/her practice and to plan for adaptations/adjustments.** | **The candidate’s reflection demonstrates the application of a variety of appropriate self-assessment and problem-solving strategies to analyze and reflect on his/her practice and to effectively plan for adaptations/adjustments.** |
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Lesson planned for ____ minutes

Lesson occurs at which point in the unit: __beginning  __middle  __end

Lesson was taught on

**Description of learners:**

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### PLANNING FOR INSTRUCTION

**Performance-based Objective(s)**

National content standards and VA Standards of Learning (SOL)/Career and College Ready Standards

**Lesson Rationale** (What research base did you use to make instructional decisions? Why have you selected these objectives and these specific strategies?)

Prerequisite skills needed to attain new learning:

**Modifications/Differentiation and Accommodations**

**Materials/Technology**
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| REFLECTION: IMPACT ON LEARNING |
Tech Mid-Term Projects

Option A:

Using Technology to Enhance Learning Experiences for English Language Learners

You will select an educational technology that can be utilized in today’s classroom with ELLs. This can be something you currently use or would like to learn to use. You will plan a demonstration on how to use this technology in a content (math, science, social studies, or English language arts) standards-based lesson activity. I can help provide some ideas about current apps. However, most can be found with a simple Google search. Your tech project will consist of demonstrating “how” to use the technology you’ve identified. The project consists of: (1) a presentation on the technology; (2) a user guide explaining how to use the resource; (3) an activity from a lesson that incorporates this tech tool.

Ideas for possible tech tools include:

Adobe Spark, Albert, Book Creator, Camtasia, Canva, Class Dojo, Comic Book! App, Comic Life, Deck Toys, Edpuzzle, Educreations, FlipGrid, Flocabulary, Formative, iMovie, NearPod, Padlet, Peardeck, Google Classroom, Quizlet, Kahoot,

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Procedures/Steps to Follow:

1. Prepare a 30-minute technology-based project to be taught in a standards-based math, science, social studies or ELA classroom and apply it to a teaching setting. The purpose of the project is to focus on one technology and inform teachers about its implications for working with ELLs.

2. Describe the teacher/student population and their needs.

3. Prepare a printed guide to your product to help a novice use it.

4. Refer to course topics to add support to this project. For instance, describe how you can scaffold and differentiate instruction for multiple proficiency levels students working along side mainstream English-only students.

5. Submit your project on BlackBoard.

6. Prepare a 10 minute demonstration on how to use this technology in the class

Option B:
If you have other ideas for ways to increase your knowledge of successfully implementing technology, please see me for permission to pursue another option.
INFORMAL TEACHING DEMONSTRATIONS:

Guidelines for Informal Teaching Demonstration

1. Using Lessons 1-5 in the Haley book, you and your partner(s) will prepare and present a 20-30 minute content-based lesson in class. At the end of your demonstration the class will take 5 minutes to ask questions and give feedback.
2. You and your partner(s) will sign up for a specific date to prepare and present your lesson. It will be your responsibility to bring the necessary materials (markers, pens, transparencies, sentence strips, poster paper, etc), visuals, and manipulatives for your demonstration.
3. When preparing your lesson, you will need to consider students’ diverse learning styles, multiple intelligences and proficiency levels. How can you differentiate instruction so that all students’ diverse needs and proficiency levels are accommodated?
4. You and your partner(s) may choose one, two or any combination of methods/approaches/strategies to present your lesson.
5. We will be your students. You and your partner(s) can assign us different proficiency levels and ages.
6. Teaching responsibilities can be divided, or you may wish to team teach.

EVALUATION of your teaching demonstration will be based upon the following criteria:

- Evidence of differentiated instruction
- Efficient use of time
- Class rapport, warmth, and enthusiasm of teacher
- Creativity

FORMAL TEACHING DEMONSTRATIONS:

Methods/Approaches

- Total Physical Response (TPR)
- Natural Approach (Terrell and Krashen)
- Direct Method (such as Berlitz, Jespersen, de Sauze)
- Cognitive Academic Language Learning Approach (CALLA)
- Total Physical Response Storytelling (TPRS)
- Audiolingual Method (ALM)

Instructional Strategies

- Cooperative Learning
- Information Gap/Jigsaw or Other Interactive Activities
- Grouping
- Computer Assisted Language Learning
- Alternative Forms of Assessment
- Content-based Instruction (CBI)
GUIDELINES FOR METHODS AND STRATEGIES TEACHING DEMONSTRATIONS

1. Prepare a lesson plan, using page 1 of the template provided. Page two of the lesson plan is to be completed after your teaching simulation and submitted to Professor Haley the following day. Read at least three articles on the method or approach you have chosen. Try to find at least one source by the original developer of the method/approach/strategy.

2. You will work in groups or pairs for your teaching demonstration. You have **30 minutes**. Plan your time carefully. You have a maximum of 15-20 minutes to teach. You may take another 5-10 minutes to provide background information about the method/approach/strategy and discuss your handout. The class will take 10 minutes at the end of your demonstration to give you feedback and ask questions.

3. The demonstration may include:
   - Background information about the method
   - The type of class your particular demonstration is intended for, e.g., level of proficiency, grade level, type of class, etc.
   - Skills you are teaching and basic objectives of the lesson
   - Special teacher-made materials; props and realia are strongly encouraged
   - Possible follow-up activities to the lesson you have presented
   - How you might conduct assessment of the lesson you have presented, if appropriate
   - Others you can think of....

4. **BE CREATIVE!**

5. Try to spend less time talking about the method/approach/strategy, more time demonstrating it. You may decide to introduce your lesson by describing the method first or you may wish to immerse us in the experience and explain after the demonstration.

6. We will be your students. You may assign us whatever roles and ages you wish.

7. As a team, you may try any combination of team teaching, or each of you may demonstrate a separate activity. If you wish, you may divide teaching responsibilities by proficiency level of students. Remember that you do not have a lot of time (maximum 30 minutes).

8. Prepare a handout for the class that includes your lesson plan. It might be a summary of some points you have made or it might be sharing something from the lesson you have developed that class members might like to use in their own teaching.

**EVALUATION** of your teaching demonstration will be based upon the following criteria:

- Quality and accuracy of lesson plan
- An accurate summary of the method chosen
- Faithfulness to the general philosophy and techniques of the method chosen
- Evidence of preparation
- Use of teacher-developed materials
- Flexibility in response to students’ spontaneity
- Efficient use of time
- Class rapport, warmth, and enthusiasm of teacher
☐ Creativity
☐ Usefulness of Handout

REFLECTION PHASE – To be sent electronically to Dr. Haley within one week of the teaching demonstration.

Efforts to Accommodate:

- Visual learners_____________________________
- Auditory learners_____________________________
- Tactile learners_____________________________
- Specials needs learners_____________________________

What worked well?_____________________________
What didn’t work well?_____________________________
What will you do differently as a result of this plan?_______
How might this lesson be improved?_______________________
One important thing I learned was_______________________________
Performance-based Assessment: Unit Lesson Plan & Reflection Analysis Paper

FINAL PROJECT

Must be UPLOADED TO BlackBoard TK20

GUIDELINES FOR UNIT LESSON PLAN: Planning for Standards-based ESL and Content Instruction; Managing and Implementing Standards-based ESL and Content Instruction; and Using Resources Effectively in ESL and Content Instruction

Description: Plan classroom instruction in a supportive learning environment for multilevel classrooms with learners from diverse backgrounds using standards-based ESL and content curriculum. You will plan language-building activities that are designed for student-centered learning. This is to include cooperative learning and flexible grouping. Your plans are to include specific ESL and content, standards-based objectives and provide multiple ways of presenting content. Show that you know, understand and can apply concepts acquired in this course to your own approach to planning a supporting learning environment for ESL students in multilevel classrooms with learners from diverse backgrounds. Demonstrate effective use of a wide range of standards-based materials, resources and technologies. In this five day plan you will design activities and provide materials build strengths in reading, writing, listening, and speaking. Activities should include a variety of activities based on students’ interest, texts and themes, a range of genres, and personal experiences to enhance students’ expression in English and other content areas. Organize learning around standards-based subject matter and language learning objectives. Incorporate activities, tasks, and assignments that develop authentic uses of language, as students learn about content-area material. Provide activities and materials that integrate listening, speaking, reading, and writing. Employ an appropriate variety of materials for language learning, including books, visual aids, props, and realia. Use appropriate technological resources to enhance language and content-area instruction for ESOL students.

Process: Follow the outline below for planning a unit/lesson plan that is specific to your own current or future teaching circumstance. This plan should cover 5 days (1 separate lesson plan for each day) and each day’s plan must include preparation, presentation, practice, evaluation, expansion, and scaffolded (multilevel) instruction. Use the lesson plan template pages 1-2 provided in the syllabus. Choose one theme or topic and the level/age/grade/content you want to teach. Include this in the title. Define the program model, i.e., pull out, push in, sheltered, immersion, etc. Provide a scenario of the school and class setting for whom this unit plan is intended.

TESOL/CAEP Standard 1a: Candidates demonstrate knowledge of English language structures in different discourse contexts to promote acquisition of reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills across content areas. Candidates serve as language models for ELLs.
TESOL/CAEP Standard 1b: Candidates demonstrate knowledge of second language acquisition theory and developmental process of language to set expectations for and facilitate language learning.

TESOL/CAEP Standard 2c: Candidates devise and implement methods to understand each ELLs’ academic characteristics, including background knowledge, educational history, and current performance data, to develop effective, individualized instructional and assessment practices for their ELLs.

TESOL/CAEP Standard 3a: Candidates plan for culturally and linguistically relevant, supportive environments that promote ELLs’ learning. Candidates design scaffolded instruction of language and literacies to support standards and curricular objectives for ELLs’ in the content areas.

TESOL/CAEP Standard 3b: Candidates instruct ELLs using evidence-based, student-centered, developmentally appropriate interactive approaches.

TESOL/CAEP Standard 3c: Candidates adjust instructional decisions after critical reflection on individual ELLs’ learning outcomes in both language and content.

TESOL/CAEP Standard 3e: Candidates use and adapt relevant materials and resources, including digital resources, to plan lessons for ELLs, support communication with other educators, school personnel, and ELLs and to foster student learning of language and literacies in the content areas.

TESOL/CAEP Standard 4b: Candidates demonstrate understanding of classroom-based formative, summative, and diagnostic assessments scaffolded for both English language and content assessment.


Assessment Criteria: The following assessment criteria used will be

1. cultural context and school setting
2. a paragraph that demonstrates understanding the purposes of assessment as they relate to ELLs and how to use the results to plan appropriately (analysis paper)
3. incorporate current appropriate language teaching methods to design effective instruction for ELLs
4. standards-based and learning objectives, content, and theme-based
5. plans include instruction that embeds assessment, includes scaffolding, and provides re-teaching when necessary for students to successfully meet learning objectives
6. Five separate lesson plans and includes all 4 skills: listening, speaking, reading and writing. Use lesson plan template: Planning Phase, Teaching Phase Sequence, pp. 13-14. Do not include Reflection Phase.
7. Select, adapt, and use a variety of culturally appropriate content, responsive, and age-appropriate and linguistically accessible materials (could use tech projects)
**STEPS FOR THE UNIT LESSON PLAN AND PAPER**

1. Write at least a half page describing the cultural context of the school and class setting including program model, class composition, and resources available.
2. For each of the five days include specific language teaching methods that will be used.
3. Plans for all five days include standards-based and content instruction.
4. Unit plan provides clear evidence of using students’ prior knowledge, embedding assessment, and scaffolding instruction.
5. Planning is organized around standards-based subject matter and language learning objectives.
6. Each day’s lesson includes activities and materials to integrate listening, speaking, reading and writing.
7. Unit plan shows clear evidence of a variety of culturally appropriate, responsive, and age-appropriate materials.
8. Unit Plan must include 5-days, be standards-based, and in a content area (math, science, social studies, or ELA). Include both content and language objectives that are age and background appropriate.
9. Plan must include evidence of VA State Standards (SOLs).
10. Plan must demonstrate use of a variety of tools with a focus on hands-on, visual, and use of technology.

**WHAT TO INCLUDE IN THE REFLECTION ANALYSIS PAPER FOR UNIT PLAN**

**Part I** – Describe the cultural context, school and class setting. This includes the school and class setting, program model, class composition, and resources available.

**Part II** – Explain how your unit plan includes culturally and linguistically relevant activities, strategies, assessments, that promote ELLs learning. *(TESOL Standard 3a)*

**Part III** – Describe your understanding of classroom-based formative, summative, and diagnostic assessments and how these are scaffolded for both English language and content assessment. *(TESOL Standard 4b)*

**Part IV** – Select at least two methods or instructional strategies covered in the course and explain how they can be useful in understanding ELLs background knowledge and how that can be used to develop effective individualized instructional and assessment practices for ELLs. *(TESOL Standard 2c)*

**Part V** – Explain how your Unit Plan includes student-centered developmentally appropriate interactive activities. *(TESOL Standard 3b)*

**Part VI** – In your Unit Plan describe how you to adjust instructional decisions after a critical reflection on individual ELLs learning outcomes. *(TESOL Standard 3c)*
Part VII – Why is it important that your Unit Plan demonstrate knowledge of English language structures to promote acquisition of reading, writing, speaking and listening skills across the content area? *(TESOL Standard 1a)*

Part VIII – Describe how you chose relevant materials and resources, including digital resources, to plan lessons for ELLs. *(TESOL Standard 3e)*

Part IX – In what ways have you practiced self-assessment and reflection? How are you planning for self improvement and continuous professional development in the field of English language learning and teaching. *(TESOL Standard 5c)*
ASSIGNMENT RUBRICS

Analytic Rubric for Class Attendance, Homework, and Participation

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**Class Attendance_____**
- Attended all classes or missed 1 class, arriving on time
- Missed 2 classes. Arrived late.
- Missed 3 classes Arrived late
- Missed more than 3 classes. 3 or more late arrivals.

**Homework_____**
- Complete assignments on time
- Completed most assignments on time
- Completed few assignments on time
- Did not complete assignments on time

**Participation_____**
- Engaged in meaningful class discussions
- Engaged in class discussions
- Rarely engaged in class discussion
- Did not engage in class discussions
- Participated actively in class activities
- Participated in most class activities
- Rarely participated in class activities
- Did not participate in class activities
- Provided constructive feedback to class members
- Provided some constructive feedback to class members
- Rarely provided constructive feedback to class members
- Did not provide constructive feedback to class members

Student name: ____________________________  Score: ______________________
Field Experience Record – Must be Uploaded to TK20 in Bb

To the Mentor Teacher/Supervisor:

The Teaching Culturally, Linguistically Diverse & Exceptional Learners graduate program at George Mason University requires all students complete a minimum of 15 hours of field experience in an appropriate K-12 classroom for each course. Field experience goes beyond observations of the classroom to include hands-on experience implementing teaching & learning activities required for professional educators. Your Mason student will provide a copy of the course syllabus indicating what is required to complete fieldwork, such as interviews with students, teachers or family members; lesson-planning; small group instructional activities; whole-class teaching or co-teaching; implementing or evaluating assessments; and other activities. Please verify the time and activities completed, as well as evaluate as best you can the students’ dispositions for a career educator, by filling out and signing the document below. We appreciate your willingness to mentor our Mason students into the profession and support their growth and learning. If you have questions about the program or the goals of fieldwork, please contact dvrtch@gmu.edu.

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## PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALITIES

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**Comments:**

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Analytic Scoring Rubric – Mid Term Project Option A

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**Fulfillment of task______**

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** Appropriateness and usefulness of materials selected______**

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Mid Term Tech Project – EDCI 519

Fulfillment of Task

1. Prepares a 30 minute presentation to be used with either students or fellow colleagues

Completion of Task Requirements

2. Project is based on a course outline topic: planning (objectives, program model, daily display, warm-up, closure, transitions, standards-based instruction), methods, assessment, differentiating instruction, scaffolding instruction, second language acquisition, or technology

Project applies to a teaching setting: elementary, middle school, high school. Include grade and age(s) of learners

3. Project submitted in Blog on BlackBoard

Appropriateness and Usefulness of Materials Selected

1. Describe the teacher/student population and their needs (ESL or General Educator), student population (students are in mainstream classroom; in ESL Pull-Out, Push-In, Inclusion model). Needs might include oral/aural, self-paced instruction, pair, group, or whole-class instruction. Technology might work well for differentiating instruction.

2. Refers to course topics to add support to project: Describe how this tech app would work well because it offers additional support in (comprehensible input, i + 1, students in their silent period, planning for multiple proficiency levels, etc.)
Sample Lesson Plan Template

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Teacher_______________________________ School__________________
Grade(s)_________ Proficiency Level(s)___________ Program Model____________
Content:_____________________

PLANNING PHASE

Content and/or Language Objectives – As a result of this lesson, students will be able to:

1. 
2. 
3. 

Vocabulary

Materials Needed

Lesson Outline:

Content:_________________________________________

National/State/Local Standards:____________________________________

TEACHING PHASE SEQUENCE

Warm-up Activity:____________________________________

Transition:____________________________________

Activities

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Activity # 1

Transition
Activity # 2

Transition

Activity # 3

Transition

**Differentiated Instruction**

Starting Up
Beginning
Developing
Expanding
Bridging

**Assessment**

**Closure**

Review of this lesson:
Preview for next lesson:

**Home Work**

**REFLECTION PHASE**

**Efforts to Accommodate:**

- Visual learners___________________________________
- Auditory learners_________________________________
- Tactile learners___________________________________
- Specials needs learners_____________________________

**What worked well?**_______________________________

**What didn’t work well?**__________________________

**What will you do differently as a result of this plan?______**

**How might this lesson be improved?**________________

**One important thing I learned was_______________________________**
Formal Teaching Demonstrations

**Presenter(s):**

**Method/Strategy:** ____________________________  **Date:** ____________________________

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**Accurate Summary**

**True to Method/Strategy**

**Evidence of Preparation**

**Use of Teacher-Developed Materials**

**Flexibility in Response to Students**

**Efficient Use of Time**

**Class rapport, warmth, enthusiasm**

**Creativity**

**Differentiated 5 levels of proficiency**

**Comments:**

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**Recommendations:**

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Candidate demonstrates the impact of reflection on how to organize learning in a variety of ways that support ELLs in both content and language. |
| Demonstrate how to use and adapt relevant materials and resources, including digital resources, to plan lessons for ELLs.  
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Candidate understands and can effectively use a variety of assessments to plan instruction that is scaffolded appropriately for all levels of ELLs.                                                                 |
| Practice self-assessment and reflection, make adjustments for self-improvement, and plan for continuous professional development in the field of English language learning and teaching.  
**TESOL Standard 5c** | Candidate does not provide well-written and detailed self-reflection and critical analysis. Candidate does not make connections to overall teaching practice or provide for continuous professional development in the field of English language learning and teaching. | Candidate provides limited self-reflection and critical analysis. Candidate partially draws connections to overall teaching practice but does not provide plans for continuous professional development in the field of English language learning and teaching. | Candidate provides well-written and detailed self-reflection and critical analysis. Candidate provides clear connections between unit lesson planning and overall teaching and plans for continuous professional development in the field of English language learning and teaching. | Candidate provides well-written and detailed self-reflection and critical analysis. Candidate draws deep and extensive connections to overall teaching practice and plans for continuous professional development in the field of English language learning and teaching. |
ADDITIONAL FORMS

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Year admitted:_______________  Expected completion year___________

Currently teaching?__________  If yes, where, what, and for how long?

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Language(s) you speak/read/write________________________________
Level(s) of proficiency_________________________________________

Travel experience?_________  Where?____________________________
For how long?______________________________________________

Career goals:_________________________________________________

What you hope to gain from this class:
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Favorite leisure/pastime activities:
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