

School of Education

EDST5139

Language, Literacy and Numeracy

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1. LOCATION

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

| Outcome | | Assessment/s |
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| 1 | Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the nature and role of language,11uh0 Tfcome | |

6. COURSE CONTENT AND STRUCTURE Intensive delivery

| Module | Lecture Topic | Readings |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| Tuesday 17/09/19 10 12 | Introduction: contextualising the key issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why do literacy and numeracy matter? • International trends in L&N performance • L&N focus in initial teacher education • NSW Literacy and Numeracy Strategy 2017-2020 • ACARA Literacy and Numeracy progressions | <p>ACARA National Literacy and Numeracy progressions https://www.australiancurriculum.edu.au/resources/national-literacy-and-numeracy-learning-progressions/</p> <p>NSW Literacy and Numeracy Strategy 2017-2020 https://education.nsw.gov.au/media/cese/Literacy-and-numeracy-strategy.pdf</p> <p>Davison C; Ollerhead S, 2018, 'But I'm not an English teacher! Disciplinary literacy in Australian science classrooms.', in Tang K-S; Danielsson K (ed.), <i>Global developments in literacy research for science education</i>, edn. 1, Springer International Publishing, http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-69197-8</p> <p>Hammond, J. (2012). Hope and challenge in the Australian Curriculum: Implications for EAL students and their teachers. <i>Australian Journal of Language and Literacy</i>. Vol.35 (2), pp. 223-240.</p> |
| | Understanding learners and their needs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linguistic profiles; EAL/D learners • Incomplete literacy development • Interrupted schooling • EAL pedagogies • Multilingual and multimodal education | |
| Tuesday 17/09/19 1 3pm | | |

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http://www.curriculum.edu.au/leader/numeracy_across_the_curriculum,9770.html

Literacy

Derewianka, B. & Humphries, S. (2014). *A functional model of language*. Primary English Teaching Association Australia. Project 40, Essay 5.

http://www.petaa.edu.au/imis_prod/w/Teaching_Resource/Project_40/w/Teaching_Resource/P40/Derewianka_and_Humphrey_essay.aspx

Derewianka, B. & Jones, P. (2016). *Teaching Language in Context*, 2nd edition. South Melbourne: Oxford University Press. Chapter 1.

Observing the language classroom

**Thursday
19/09/19
1 3pm**

Assessment Details

Assignment 1: Analytical Report

Report - 1800 words

Additional details:

Analytical report: Analyse and reflect upon the literacy and numeracy demands of your specific discipline (1800 words)

- Reflect on your own literacy and numeracy learning experiences. In what ways have they shaped your understanding of the role that literacy and numeracy plays in students' understanding of content knowledge?
- Drawing on the prescribed readings, explain your understanding of the importance of literacy and numeracy to understanding the key concepts of your discipline.
- Identify and describe the specific literacy and numeracy requirements embedded within your syllabus or curriculum.
- Reflect on the key findings of the research literature to explain how you will use your knowledge of theory to inform the way you both teach and assess the literacy and numeracy requirements of your discipline.

Assignment 2: Text Analysis & Lesson Plan

Assignment - 2400 words

Additional details:

Planning for L&N in content lessons: analysis of text and lesson plan.

- Part 1: Select a text that you would commonly use in your discipline. Analyse the key language, literacy and numeracy challenges that both non- and EAL students may experience when reading or viewing the text (600 – 800 words).
- Part 2: Develop a lesson plan based on this text that has a literacy and numeracy focus. Provide a rationale **highlighting the cultural and linguistic demands of the text for EAL learners**, and the literacy, numeracy and assessment strategies that you would use to inform your teaching (lesson plan and rationale 1600 - 1800 words, excl text).

Please note that all students are required to present your report according to accepted academic conventions. A list of all references cited in the report should be included at the end in alphabetical order.

Hurdle task: observation at IEC

- a. While observing, consider the following:
 - What are the conceptual, language, literacy and learning demands being made of the students?
 - How do the learners respond to such demands?
 - How are they supported in their learning?
 - How could they be better supported in their learning?

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