## EDUCATION 465-4

## CHILDREN'S LITERATURE

INTERSESSION 1980

INSTRUCTOR: David Booth

Tuesday and Thursday, 4:30 - 8:30

This course will examine the use of children's literature as a source for reading, writing, listening, speaking and observing in the language program.

Participants will become familiar with the various modes of children's literature (the picture book, novel, folktale, poetry, etc.) and will become aware of the best books that are available for children.

Participants will explore different techniques for helping young people <u>experience</u> literature, <u>respond</u> to literature, and <u>value</u> literature. Some of the techniques used will be roleplaying, story telling, choral speaking, writing, researching and using media.

While the literature of the past will be examined. particular emphasis will be placed on contemporary materials.

TEXT:

RUDMAN, M.K.; <u>CHILDREN'S LITERATURE: AN ISSUES APPROACH</u>, D.C. Heath and Co. 1976