

EDUCATION 468-4 RECENT ADVANCES IN THE TEACHING OF ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

This course focusses on preparing ESL learners for academic success. Topics covered include: 1) teaching the humanities registers of English, 2) teaching the math and science registers of English, 3) teaching talk for participation in cooperative learning groups, 4) teaching cognitive self-instruction strategies to ESL learners, and 5) teaching ESL learners how to learn on their own.

PREREQUISITE:

EDUC 467.

REQUIRED TEXTS:

Collins Cobuild English Grammar. (1992) London: HarperCollins.

Ellis, G. & Sinclair, B. *Learning to Learn English - Learner's Book.* (1989) Cambridge University Press.

Ellis, G. & Sinclair, B. *Learning to Learn English - Teacher's Book.* (1989) Cambridge University Press.

Johnson, D.W., Johnson, R.T. & Holubec, E.J. (1994) *Circles of Learning: Cooperation in the Classroom, 4th ed.* Edina, MN: Interaction Book Co.

Moffet, J. *Detecting Growth in Language.* (1992) Portsmouth, NH: Heinemann.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

Three assignments worth 35%, 50% and 15%.