

COURSE NUMBER: EDUC. 474-4

COURSE NAME: Designs for Learning: Social
Sciences (Elem.)

SEMESTER: Intersession, 1975

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

Planning for learning ; creating learning environments;
developing teaching strategies and materials.

COURSE INFORMATION

<u>Instructor</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Days</u>	<u>Times</u>
Dennis Dobbs	May 5-June 13	M W F	M-W: 11:30-2:20 F: 10:30-12:20

Range of Topics:

The New Social Studies: Trends and Strategies:

Inquiry Process, Study Prints, Concept Learning, Value Clarification,
Field Studies, Simulations, Learning Centers, Role Playing,
Cultural Myths, Moral Development Dilemmas, Stations Approach,
Community Resources, Gestalt Techniques, Audio-Visual Aids, and
the Integration of Other Curricular Areas.

Required Reading:

Required texts, to be available from bookstore in paperback:

Experiences in Decision Making, Elem. Soc. Studies Handbook. Alberta Dept. of Educ.
B. C. Curriculum Guide: Elem. Soc. Studies 1-7. B. C. Dept. of Educ.

Recommended Supplementary Reading:

Social Studies for Children in a Democracy. Michaelis, J.
Decisions in Teaching Elem. Social Studies. Thomas, R. & Brubaker, D.
Inquiry in the Social Studies, Beyer, B.

Requirements:

1. Selected readings
2. Full participation in simulations, role playing sessions, etc.
3. Creative group project/presentation and/or individual student presentation of a unit of study utilizing several techniques presented in class.