EDUCATION 477-4 Designs for Learning – Art

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PREREQUISITE: 401/402.

OBJECTIVES:

- To become familiar with the requirements of the B.C. visual arts curriculum
- To develop an understanding of the elements and principles of design
- To examine ideas and issues in art education
- To build a portfolio through hands-on art making

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:

•	Development of an art portfolio & journal	40%
٠	Development of an art unit	30%
٠	Critique of gallery artwork	15%
٠	Short presentation/paper	15%

COURSE CONTENT:

Goals of art education; responses to art; contemporary issues, including multiculturalism, integration, visual literacy, art and the environment; hands-on experiences with a variety of media and techniques; advocacy; art history; evaluation.

REQUIRED TEXTS:

B.C. Secondary Art Curriculum Guide 1982 (secondary). Elementary Fine Arts Resource Guide 1989 (K-7). Art in a Democracy, Blandon & Congdon. Artworks for Elementary Teachers, Donald Herberholz.

RECOMMENDED TEXT:

Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain, Betty Edwards.