

FALL SEMESTER 2005 COURSE OUTLINE
EDUC 383-3 (EDUCATION)
ST: INNOVATIVE APPROACHES TO TEACHING LITERACY



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PREREQUISITE: 60 credit hours.

TEXT(S):

None.

REQUIREMENTS: Participation in online discussion forum	15%
Assignment #1	15%
Assignment #2	15%
Take-home midterm exam	20%
Assignment #3	15%
Take-home final exam	20%

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DELIVERY MODE: WebCT

MODE OF DELIVERY NOTE:

SUPPLEMENTARY FEES: Course materials and service fee	\$40.00
Deposit for additional materials	\$25.00

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