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Education 464-4 Early Childhood Education

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INSTRUCTOR: Roger Gehlbach

Tuesdays, 4:30 - 8:20

LOCATION: on campus

DESCRIPTION

The course will have three principal objectives:

1. Students will become knowledgeable about the major issues which affect decisions regarding the education of young children in both home and school settings.
2. Students will become competent in the design of curriculum in a variety of forms for use in early childhood educational programs.
3. Students will become articulate about the problems and prospects that will impact the nature of early childhood education in the future.

REQUIREMENTS

Students will be required to complete two major assignments:

1. A take-home examination, during late October, based upon the major textbook and lecture/discussion material.
2. A term paper, due the last day of class, based upon an issue concerned with educational futures for young children.

TEXTS

Hess, R. & Croft, D. Teachers of Young Children. Houghton Mifflin, 1981.

Toffler, A. The Third Wave. Bantam, 1981.