

Education 437-4  
Ethics In Education  
Summer Session 1977

Course Information:

Instructor: Don Cochrane    Dates: July 6 - Aug 12    Time: Mon & Wed.  
12:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Course Description:

Serious consideration will be given to the nature and status of moral judgments; this analysis will be used to investigate the possibilities of moral education in schools and to confront the several value dimensions of school counselling.

Required Texts:

A.R.C. Duncan, Moral Philosophy (paperback)  
John Wilson, Moral Thinking (paperback)  
R.S. Peters, Reason and Comparison (paperback)

Additional Reading: articles relevant to particular topics will be handed out in class or will be available on reserve in the library.

Requirements: (1) short review of a book on 20th C. ethics.  
(2) one class presentation.  
(3) one major research paper on a topic of the student's choosing.

Topics for the End Paper: students may undertake a practice oriented topic (such as constructing a values education course for Grade Eight) or a more theoretical subject (here students are not restricted to the field of philosophy; they may select a topic in cognitive developmental psychology, social learning, theory, sociology, history and so on).