

Course Calendar- Spring 2012

Week	Date	Topic	Reading due	Assign due
1	1/10	Introduction to course Confirm placements	Introduction	Transcripts TB test
2	1/17	Reflective teaching – What is it? (This week is online)	Carter/Curtis Chapter 1	Discussion board
3	1/24	Classroom Culture	Carter/Curtis Chapter 2 Burman Chapter 1	Begin working at your placement sites this week Philosophy of teaching
4	1/31	Conversations in the Educational Setting Activity plan A	Burman Chapter 2	journal
5	2/7	Creating Environments for Conversation Using music in the classroom	Burman Chapter 3	Draft –activity 1(plan A) journal
6	2/14	Enhance the curriculum with materials Activity plan –large group	Carter/Curtis Chapter 3	Activity 1 (Plan A) Journal
7	2/21	Facilitating Conversations Mid-term eval process	Burman Chapter 4	Draft-activity 2 – Large group journal
8	2/28	Bring yourself to the Teaching and Learning Process Activity Plan B	Carter/Curtis Chapter 4	Activity 2 – Large Group Mid-term evaluations (self and mentor) journal
9	3/6	Coaching children to learn about learning Day in charge process	Carter/Curtis Chapter 5	Draft-activity 3 (Plan B) journal
	3/13	Spring Break		
10	3/20	Collecting and Interpreting Conversations Child Portfolios	Burman Chapters 5-6	Activity 3 – (Plan B) journal
11	3/27	Documenting Learning Doc Panel Assignment	Spreading the Word	Journal
12	4/3	Digging deeper Professional Portfolios	Carter/Curtis Chapter 6	Day in Charge #1 Journal
13	4/10	Curriculum Frameworks	Carter/Curtis Chapter 7 Burman Chapter 8	journal
	4/17	Sharing Documentation		Documentation Panel

14		Panels		Journal
15	4/24	The permit matrix	Go to CD dept website and print permit forms	Child portfolio Journal
16	5/1	Claiming your responsibility Go over video analysis	Carter/Curtis Chapter 8	Day in Charge #2 Professional Portfolio journal
	5/8	Final Exam – video analysis		Video analysis Time sheets Final Evaluations (self and mentor)

The instructor reserves the right to modify the schedule and assignments above to better meet the needs of the class.