

EDUC90381 Literacy, Assessment and Learning

Credit Points:	12.50														
Level:	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)														
Dates & Locations:	2010, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus. Parkville , On Campus														
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: 36 hours Total Time Commitment: 125 hours total commitment														
Prerequisites:	You must have taken the following subjects prior to enrolling in this subject <table><tr><th>Subject</th><th>Study Period Commencement:</th><th>Credit Points:</th></tr><tr><td>EDUC90367 Foundational English Literacy</td><td>March</td><td>12.50</td></tr><tr><td>EDUC90370 Assessment, Learning & Teaching(Primary)</td><td>July</td><td>6.25</td></tr><tr><td>EDUC90377 Advanced English Literacies</td><td>March</td><td>6.25</td></tr></table>			Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	EDUC90367 Foundational English Literacy	March	12.50	EDUC90370 Assessment, Learning & Teaching(Primary)	July	6.25	EDUC90377 Advanced English Literacies	March	6.25
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Recommended Background Knowledge:	None														
Non Allowed Subjects:	None														
Core Participation Requirements:	Attendance at all classes (tutorial/seminars/practical classes/lectures/labs) is obligatory. Failure to attend 80% of classes will normally result in failure in the subject.														
Coordinator:	Dr Janet Scull														
Contact:	Education Student Centre														
Subject Overview:	<p>This subject will highlight the significance of literacy interventions to meet the individual learning needs of primary school students.</p> <p>Topics will include: the social and cognitive factors that impact on school students' literacy development and a review related research; the key role of assessment in profiling critical progression points in school students' learning and effective literacy programming; the importance of targeted interventions in literacy and an evaluation of programmes currently used in primary schools.</p> <p>Teacher candidates will undertake a comprehensive analysis of the literacy needs of a group of students, detailing their literacy learning needs through a range of assessment data including diagnostic and standardised tests and evaluation of various forms of work samples against state curriculum standards. Teacher candidates will interpret these data sets to plan for differentiated learning within classroom contexts and report on the outcomes of this intervention.</p>														
Objectives:	<p>On completion of this subject teacher candidates will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"># Review research studies that highlight literacy interventions designed to target students' learning needs;														

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Develop skills in gathering, analysing and interpreting a range of assessment and diagnostic data to make informed judgements about students' learning needs; # Complete a comprehensive analysis school students' literacy development using assessment data # Design an appropriate intervention to meet the learning needs of a group of school students; # Use professional terminology to describe and report school students' literacy learning outcomes.
Assessment:	The are 2 assessment tasks: An analytical paper (2000 words) due mid semester (50%), and An intervention report (2000 words) due at the end of the semester (50%).
Prescribed Texts:	Collection of readings.
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Generic Skills:	<p>On completion of this subject teacher candidates will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # Understand the significance of literacy interventions on the basis of relevant research evidence; # Communicate and effectively articulate, in the form of a report, the outcomes of a targeted literacy intervention; # Be flexible in their literacy teaching to meet students' learning needs; # Assume responsibility for supporting all learners.
Related Course(s):	Master of Teaching (Primary)