#### **Term Information**

Effective Term	
Previous Value	

Autumn 2015 Summer 2013

## **Course Change Information**

#### What change is being proposed? (If more than one, what changes are being proposed?)

Add General Education designation in Social Sciences: Individuals and Groups.

What is the rationale for the proposed change(s)?

This course's focus on the systematic study of human behavior and cognition within the structure of educational institutions.

What are the programmatic implications of the proposed change(s)?

(e.g. program requirements to be added or removed, changes to be made in available resources, effect on other programs that use the course)?

This course may be used by other programs to fulfill a GE requirement

Is approval of the requrest contingent upon the approval of other course or curricular program request? No

Is this a request to withdraw the course? No

#### **General Information**

Course Bulletin Listing/Subject Area	Educ Sts: Education Psychology
Fiscal Unit/Academic Org	School/Educ Policy&Leadership - D1280
College/Academic Group	Education & Human Ecology
Level/Career	Undergraduate
Course Number/Catalog	2309
Course Title	Psychological Perspectives on Education
Transcript Abbreviation	Psych Persp on Ed
Course Description	Examination of research, theory, and practice pertaining to important aspects of learning and teaching; the nature of learners, cognition, problem solving, motivation, teaching approaches and assessment.
Semester Credit Hours/Units	Fixed: 3

## **Offering Information**

Length Of Course	14 Week, 7 Week, 12 Week (May + Summer)
Flexibly Scheduled Course	Sometimes
Does any section of this course have a distance education component?	No
Grading Basis	Letter Grade
Repeatable	No
Course Components	Lecture
Grade Roster Component	Lecture
Credit Available by Exam	No
Admission Condition Course	No
Off Campus	Never
Campus of Offering	Columbus, Lima, Mansfield, Marion, Newark

## **Prerequisites and Exclusions**

#### Prerequisites/Corequisites Exclusions

Not open to students with credit for EduPL 309.

# Cross-Listings

**Cross-Listings** 

# Subject/CIP Code

Subject/CIP Code Subsidy Level Intended Rank 42.2806 Baccalaureate Course Sophomore, Junior, Senior

## **Requirement/Elective Designation**

General Education course: Individual and Groups The course is an elective (for this or other units) or is a service course for other units

#### **Previous Value**

The course is an elective (for this or other units) or is a service course for other units

## **Course Details**

Course goals or learning objectives/outcomes

**Previous Value** 

**Content Topic List** 

- The purpose of this course is to examine the research, theory, and practice of educational psychology and its application to teaching and learning situations.
- Cognitive, behavioral and constructivist models of human learning
- Individual and cultural differences in learning needs
- Creating adaptive classroom contexts for all learners
- Student academic motivation, self-regulation and metacognition
- Introduction to the assessment of learning and interpretation of assessment data

Attachments

- ESEPSY 2309 GE Syllabus.docx: ESEPSY 2309 Syllabus
  - (Syllabus. Owner: Wheaton, Joe Edward)
- ESEPSY 2309 GE Rationale.docx: ESEPSY 2309 GE Rationale (Other Supporting Documentation. Owner: Wheaton, Joe Edward)
- ESEPSY 2309 GE Assessment Plan.docx: ESEPSY 2309 GE Assessment Plan (GEC Course Assessment Plan. Owner: Wheaton, Joe Edward)
- ESEPSY 2309 GE Request for AU 2015 registration.docx: Appeal for AU15 offering (Appeal. Owner: Odum, Sarah A.)

Comments

approved by EHE Curriculum Committee
Department appeal letter attached for Autumn 2015 (by Odum, Sarah A. on 01/21/2015 11:08 AM)

# **Workflow Information**

Status	User(s)	Date/Time	Step
Submitted	Wheaton, Joe Edward	12/04/2014 05:07 PM	Submitted for Approval
Approved	Zirkle,Christopher J	12/04/2014 06:51 PM	Ad-Hoc Approval
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Approved	Odum,Sarah A.	01/21/2015 11:08 AM	College Approval
Pending Approval	Hogle, Danielle Nicole Jenkins, Mary Ellen Bigler Hanlin, Deborah Kay Vankeerbergen, Bernadet te Chantal Nolen, Dawn	01/21/2015 11:08 AM	ASCCAO Approval

Instructor: Megan Sanders(.539) 169 Ramseyer Hall Email to set up office hours appointment

> Coordinator's info Tracey Stuckey-Mickell(.1)

Class: Tuesday & Thursday 11:10-12:30 Enarson 304

#### THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN ECOLOGY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES ESEPSY 2309 – PSYCHOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES ON EDUCATION



## GE COURSE CATEGORY AND GOAL

This course is designed to address the GE course category of Social Science: Individuals and Groups: Students understand the systematic study of human behavior and cognition; the structure of human societies, cultures, and institutions; and the processes by which individuals, groups, and societies interact, communicate, and use human, natural, and economic resources.

## GE EXPECTED LEARNING OUTCOMES

#### Social Science: Individuals and Groups

1. Students understand the theories and methods of social scientific inquiry as they apply to the study of individuals and groups.

This course will fulfill this outcome by integrating "minds-on" practice, via class work and outside assignments, with applying theory and research to the study of human learning, development, and cognitive processes.

- 2. Students understand the behavior of individuals, differences and similarities in social and cultural contexts of human existence, and the processes by which groups function. This course will fulfill this outcome by requiring students to use a culturally sensitive approach in their study of human learning, development, and cognitive processes and how they occur in and are influenced by various social contexts.
- 3. Students comprehend and assess individual and group values and their importance in social problem solving and policy making.

This course will fulfill this outcome by requiring assignments that prompt students to critically examine their own beliefs and philosophies concerning issues related to human learning and development within the larger social context of educational institutions and families.

#### ADDITIONAL COURSE OBJECTIVES

In this course, I have three broad objectives I'd like us to accomplish:

- 1. **Learn** Educational psychology offers a range of theories that are directly relevant to educators. By the end of this course, you will understand different psychological perspectives on development, learning, motivation, culture and diversity, assessment, and learning environments.
- 2. **Reflect** However, for this learning to most benefit your future practice, it is also important to reflect on the material we cover. Thinking reflectively is also a skill essential to teaching.
- **3. Practice** Finally, putting what you learn into practice is one of the best ways to solidify your understanding. The activities in class and the course assignments are designed to be opportunities for you to do so.

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Educational Psychology is the study of psychology as it applies to teaching and learning in educational settings. The purpose of this course is to examine the research, theory, and practice of educational psychology as well as its application to teaching and learning situations. This course has been designed to explore what is known about teaching, learning, students' motivation, and classroom management. *Psychological Perspectives on Education* will expose you to classical and contemporary views of educational psychology, and these theories provide frameworks from which to view the learner, the teacher, and the context of instruction.

#### **REQUIRED TEXT**

Woolfolk, A. (2012). *Educational Psychology* (12<sup>th</sup> ed.). Upper Saddle River: Pearson. \*The student value version, the regular version, and the e-text version are all acceptable.

<sup>\*</sup> The student value version, the regular version, and the e-text version are all acceptable. However, **please use the 12<sup>th</sup> edition of the textbook**. The content and page numbers have changed from earlier editions.

Before every class, a section of reading from the text will be required (see schedule). Please complete the readings before the beginning of the class period for which they were assigned. Success on the in-class work will rely on your knowledge of these assigned readings.

## ASSIGNMENTS AND EXAMS WITH DUE DATES

#### **Evaluations** (20 Points)

To help you reflect on your learning and engagement with the course and to help me get a better sense of which parts of the course are or are not working, I will ask you to turn in a self-evaluation and an anonymous course evaluation at the middle (**February 20**) and the end of the semester (**April 17**). Evaluations must be typed and will be awarded 5 points each before I read them. More detailed instructions are attached (see page 8) and also posted on Carmen.

#### Out of Class Activities (40 Points)

Out of class activities are designed to help you prepare for class and begin applying the concepts we learn to your experiences as a student and (potentially!) a future teacher.

You have the opportunity to complete one of the two options each week that we have assigned reading (10 total weeks). These will be graded on your understanding of the class concept, your explanation of the connection between the concept and your observation (In Real Life) or of why that concept is important to your future teaching (Teacher Tool), and meeting the length requirements. **Please submit on Carmen. You may earn up to 20 points before the middle of the semester (Feb 16) and up to 20 points thereafter.** 

**In Real Life:** I hope that the concepts we learn in class become helpful lenses through which you can see and understand the world. Thus, another class activity option is to describe something you observed during the week that you think is an example of one of the concepts we've discussed. For this activity, please write a paragraph explaining what you observed and a paragraph explaining why you think it is an example of something we've discussed. This should be at least one page, double-spaced.

# Up to 10 points. Due by 11:59pm on Sunday the week of assigned reading.

**Teacher Tool:** Finally, you may also start building a "teacher toolbox" of concepts that you think may be especially important or useful for you in your future profession. Choose one concept or big idea from the unit. In the first paragraph, define and describe the concept in your own words. In the second paragraph, explain why you feel it is important and what you want to be sure to remember about it. Think about these as notes to your future self—and write them that way! This should be at least one page, double-spaced.

# Up to 10 points. Due by 11:59pm on Sunday the week of assigned reading.

## Quizzes (40 Points)

Quizzes are opportunities for you to assess your understanding of the material we covered that week. There will be a quiz posted on Carmen each week that we have assigned reading (10 weeks total), and you may earn up to 5 points per quiz. Thus, to get full credit for quizzes, you must earn 40 points out of the 50 available over the course of the semester. Quizzes will be open on Thursdays and due by 11:59pm on Sunday the week of the assigned reading.

#### Philosophy of Teaching Statement (40 Points)

#### <u>Part I</u>

The Philosophy of Teaching statement is an opportunity for you to synthesize the wide range of topics we discuss in class into a concise, self-defined, and application-focused approach to your teaching. It should include your goals for your classroom, plans to achieve those goals, and how you will know if you have been successful regarding student learning, motivation, and classroom climate. You may discuss your approach to working with a culturally diverse classroom, your approach to discipline/classroom management, how you will create a positive learning environment, and/or your use of assessment. This statement will be something that you will continue to develop and revise throughout your teaching career. Your philosophy of teaching statement should be 3–4 double-spaced pages.

**Note:** If you do not plan to enter a teaching or related career, you may tailor the philosophy of teaching statement to your field of interest. For example, those desiring to enter the field of physical therapy will want to write a personal *Philosophical Approach to Physical Therapy*. If this is the case, please email me ASAP so we can begin discussing how you should approach the assignment.

#### <u>Part II</u>

In addition, I would also like you to submit a 2–3 page summary explaining specifically how you drew upon course material in creating your philosophy of teaching. Basically, you need to demonstrate that you have thought about the theories, concepts, and ideas we have covered in this class and how you will apply them in your teaching.

- **April 17:** Draft of Philosophy of Teaching due; submit on Carmen <u>AND</u> bring hard copy to class
- April 25: (1) Final Philosophy of Teaching, and (2) Summary of theory due; submit on Carmen

#### Group Teaching (40 Points)

Teaching as a group will give you a chance to put into practice the things we learn throughout the semester. Groups will consist of three members, and your responsibility is to lead class for approximately 30 minutes. Activities must relate to topics, issues, concepts, or ideas from the assigned readings. The purpose is to provide clarification, elaboration, examples, applications, critical evaluation, and/or meaning to the material. This could be accomplished through demonstrations, activities, discussion questions, or games. Methodology is pretty much up to you—I only ask that you do not lecture! Be creative and have fun! The topics, schedule, and more detailed instructions are listed on page 9. I will pass out a sign-up sheet a few weeks into the semester.

Please submit a draft of your group's detailed lesson plan to Carmen one week before you teach (see exact schedule on sign up). Your lesson plan should include your objectives (goals), a description of activities, and estimated times. I will give you feedback on your draft and then I will briefly meet with your group before or after class the following class meeting. This is also an opportunity for you to check your understanding of the material before you teach it, so please come with questions. After our conversation, please submit a revised draft of your lesson plan before class time on the day you teach.

In addition, each group member must turn in a **2-page reflection of the experience**. Reflections should include a description of how course content shaped your teaching decisions, a synthesis of the planning and teaching experience, and a brief description of the contributions of each of your group members. Reflections are due the class after you teach.

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A 94-100%	B- 80-83%	D+ 67-69%
A- 90-93%	C+ 77-79%	D 60-66%
B+ 87-89%	C 74-76%	E 59% and below
B 84-86%	C- 70-73%	

#### **CLASS ATTENDANCE/PARTICIPATION POLICY**

CDADINC EVALUATION (TOTAL = 200 DTS)

Participation is essential for success in this course and everyone is expected to be an active participant. Those who actively participate get the most out of this course. But it doesn't stop there. Much learning is social in nature—it involves others. Your active participation enhances the learning of your peers.

You are expected to stay for the full time of the class meeting, to participate actively, and to respect the code of conduct (see page 5) in order to earn credit for participation and attendance. If you have to leave class early for any reason other than an emergency (i.e., sudden illness), please let me know in advance. If you must miss class, please let me know. Any hard-copy assignments for that day are due by the beginning of the next class when you return. Online assignments are due on the original date.

Participation and attendance credit will be assigned at the end of the semester in this way:

- **Full credit:** Consistently attended; came to class prepared; engaged actively in class activities; spent time on in-class writing prompts and provided thoughtful responses; respected class code of conduct.
- **Half credit:** Attended inconsistently; came to class somewhat prepared; somewhat engaged in class activities; devoted some time to in-class writing but responses not fully developed; generally respected class code of conduct.
- **No credit:** Missed a significant number of class days; did not come to class prepared; did not engage actively in class activities; did not give much thought to inclass writing prompts and responses not well developed; did not respect class code of conduct.

# WEEKLY CLASS SCHEDULE

Date	Торіс	Assignments due	
TH Jan 9	Introduction		
T Jan 14	Cognitive Development	Ch 2 (p. 28-32, 42-64)	
TH Jan 16	Cognitive Development	SUNDAY Jan 19: Quiz #1 closes on Ch 2	
T Jan 21	The Self and Social Development	Ch 3 (p. 75-84, 87-99)	
TH Jan 23	The Self and Social Development	SUNDAY Jan 26: Quiz #2 closes on Ch 3	
T Jan 28	Behavioral Views of Learning	Ch 7 (p. 246, 250-266, 269-275)	
TH Jan 30	Behavioral Views of Learning	SUNDAY Feb 2: Quiz #3 closes on Ch 7	
T Feb 4	Cognitive Views of Learning	Ch 8 (p. 282-297, 303-310)	
TH Feb 6	Cognitive Views of Learning	SUNDAY Feb 9: Quiz #4 closes on Ch 8	
T Feb 11	Complex Cognitive Processes	Ch 9 (p. 318-327, 339-342)	
TH Feb 13	Complex Cognitive Processes	SUNDAY Feb 16: Quiz #5 closes on Ch 9	
T Feb 18	Constructivism	Ch 10 (p. 358-380)	
TH Feb 20	Constructivism	Midterm self and course evaluations due SUNDAY Feb 23: Quiz #6 closes on Ch 10	
T Feb 25	Social Cognitive Views	Ch 11 (p. 398-413, 420-424)	
TH Feb 27	No class: APA Conference		
T Mar 4	Social Cognitive Views		
TH Mar 6	Learning Sum Up	SUNDAY Mar 9: Quiz #7 closes on Ch 11	
T Mar 11	No class: Spring Break		
TH Mar 13	No class: Spring Break		
T Mar 18	Motivation in Learning and Teaching	Ch 12 (p. 430-448, 454-464)	
TH Mar 20	Motivation in Learning and Teaching		
T Mar 25	Motivation in Learning and Teaching	SUNDAY Mar 30: Quiz #8 closes on Ch 12	
TH Mar 27	Classroom Assessment and Grading	Ch 15 (p. 548-551, 554-567, 578-581)	
T Apr 1	Classroom Assessment and Grading	SUNDAY Apr 6: Quiz #9 closes on Ch 15	
TH Apr 3	No class:	AERA Conference	
T Apr 8	Culture and Diversity	Ch 6 (p. 210-239)	

TH Apr 10	Culture and Diversity	SUNDAY Apr 13: Quiz #10 closes on Ch 6
T Apr 15	Semester Sum Up	
TH Apr 17	Workshop PHL of TeachingPhilosophy of Teaching draft due Final self and course evaluations due	
Due Friday, April 25, 11:59pm: Philosophy of Teaching and Summary of Theory		

#### ACADEMIC MISCONDUCT

It is the responsibility of the Committee on Academic Misconduct to investigate or establish procedures for the investigation of all reported cases of student academic misconduct. The term academic misconduct includes all forms of student academic misconduct wherever committed; illustrated by, but not limited to, cases of plagiarism and dishonest practices in connection with examinations. Instructors shall report all instances of alleged academic misconduct to the committee (Faculty Rule 3335-5-487). For additional information, see the Code of Student Conduct <u>http://studentaffairs.osu.edu/csc/</u>.

#### ACCOMMODATIONS

Students with disabilities that have been certified by the Office for Disability Services will be appropriately accommodated and should inform the instructor as soon as possible of their needs. The Office for Disability Services is located in 150 Pomerene Hall, 1760 Neil Avenue; telephone 292-3307, TDD 292-0901; <u>http://www.ods.ohio-state.edu/</u>.

## ESEPSY 2309 – PSYCHOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVES ON EDUCATION Rationale for GE Category: Social Science—Individuals and Groups

#### How do the course objectives address the GE category and expected learning outcomes?

The primary course objectives require students to examine, explore, and apply research and theory related to learning, human development, cognitive processes and the socially and culturally diverse contexts in which these activities take place for individuals and groups. Additionally, the course objectives integrate reflection—a personally intellectual endeavor that requires learners to make text-to-self and text-to-world connections while also evaluating major course themes and their interactions with those themes. Students in this course are prompted to thoroughly examine human behavior, learning, cognition within individuals and groups and examine the cultural and social contexts that frame and influence this aspect of the human experience.

#### How do the readings assigned address the GE category expected learning outcomes?

The readings and multimedia used in the course encompass all major perspectives in educational psychology as it pertains to learning, motivation, human development, individual differences, as well as the various social and cultural contexts in which learning and development occur. The primary text was chosen because it is a thorough treatment of the major perspectives in this field. Via class activities and homework, students are required to interact with the concepts presented in the course materials, make applications, integrate additional resources, and problem-solve collaboratively to form a collective understanding and mastery of the expected learning outcomes.

#### How do the topics address the GE category expected learning outcomes?

The topics address all major individual and group aspects of human development, learning and cognition. Coverage of these topics also integrates these themes using one of the world's most broad-reaching social contexts: education. The course has been developed to provide an extensive coverage of many theoretical and research-based aspects of psychology as it is applied to learning and cognition and the facets of human development that influence this aspect of the human condition.

#### How do the written assignments address the GE category expected learning outcomes?

The course assignments address the expected learning outcomes by: (1) requiring students to practice and demonstrate comprehension of theory and research on topics related to human development, learning, and cognition in various social and cultural contexts from an individual and group processing perspective; (2) requiring students to engage with the content individually and collaboratively in the "minds-on" application of research and theory related to human development, learning, and cognition in various cultural and social contexts; and (3) requiring students to evaluate and deeply reflect on different aspects of human development, learning, and cognition and how these aspects play out for self and others in various social and cultural contexts.

## GE Assessment Plan ESEPSY 2309: Psychological Perspectives in Education GE Category: Social Science: Individuals and Groups

## Methods to evaluate learning

Goal or Learning Outcome	Class Assignments	Survey Items Addressing GE
	Addressing GE Goals/ELOs	Goals/ELOs
<b>Goals:</b> Students understand the systematic study of human behavior and cognition; the structure of human societies, cultures, and institutions; and the processes by which individuals, groups, and societies interact, communicate, and use human, natural, and economic resources.	Philosophy of Teaching (or Practice) Statement and Reflection <i>This assignment</i> addresses the goal by requiring students to analyze their learning beliefs and future teaching practices via the lens created by the research-based study of human cognition and learning behaviors and processes, both individual and group.	I can explain the nature versus nurture debate in human development. I can define key elements of the social context in which human development takes places. I am aware of the role of language as part of culture and its importance in development and learning.
	Weekly "In Real Life" Observation Reflection Papers (or Teacher Tool Papers) – This assignment addresses the goal by requiring students to systematically apply research- based concepts related to human cognition and learning behaviors through observation of human behavior in authentic real life situations involving individuals and groups.	
<b>Expected Learning Outcome:</b> Students understand the theories and methods of social scientific inquiry as they apply to the study of individuals and groups.	Group Teaching Project - This assignment addresses the goal by requiring students to teach their peers about research and theory related to human learning and cognition via application of concepts and ideas. Weekly "In Real Life" Observation Reflection Papers (or Teacher Tool Papers) – This assignment requires students to	I can explain how research is used to understand human development and learning. I can explain the key differences between cognitive and sociocultural theories of human development. I can explain the key differences between behaviorist learning theories, cognitive learning theories, and social learning theories.
Expected Learning Outcome:	make direct applications of learning theories to individuals they observe in real life settings. Philosophy of Teaching (or	I can explain how individual

Students understand the behavior of individuals, differences and similarities in social and cultural contexts of human existence, and the processes by which groups function.	Practice) Statement and Reflection – This assignment requires students to explain how teaching practices must be differentiated to enhance learning for all learners based on individual differences and	differences may influence behavior. I can explain how cultural norms influence human development.
	cultural needs.	
Expected Learning Outcome:	Weekly "In Real Life"	I can recognize when a
Students comprehend and assess	Observation Reflection Papers	behavior is motivated by
individual and group values and	(or Teacher Tool Papers) – This	intrinsic versus extrinsic
their importance in social problem	assigned requires students to	motivation.
solving and policy making.	observe and explain how	I can explain how
	learners' individual	socialization (e.g., gender,
	perspectives inform how they	ethnicity, social class)
	perceive the world and how that	influences human development
	perception influences the	and behavior.
	learning process.	

## Level of student achievement expected

## Achievement Criterion for Survey

Our expected criterion is that a minimum of 80% of the students will indicate Agree or Strongly Agree to all of the statements.

## Achievement Criteria for Class Assignments

Evaluation Criteria for All Written Assignments (writing prompt listed below)

Criterion	Description	
Thoroughness	Addresses all parts of writing prompt completely	
Application	Makes clear connections between course concepts and real-life situations	
Reflection	Demonstrates reflective thought—self-critique, thinking about own thinking (metacognition), and/or evaluative statements about personal learning experiences	
Exemplification	Contains specific and detailed examples that support statements made in answering the prompt; examples help clarify assertions	
Writing Style & Organization	Uses clear prose that is well organized, cohesive, and direct with minimal superfluous discussion	
Mechanics & Grammar	No grammatical errors; no typographical errors; formatted in 12pt font	

Evaluation Scale (use to score progress toward each of the above criterion):

4-Fully meets criterion

3-Developing toward criterion without concerns

2-Developing toward criterion with concerns (progress is slower than expected) 1-Limited progress toward criterion (does not demonstrate ability to achieve criterion) 0-No progress/effort made (no attempt to demonstrate ability to achieve criterion)

The target performance level is a minimum of 85% on the rubric score.

#### Weekly "In Real Life" Observation Reflection Paper Prompt

Each week, describe an out of class observation of people interacting. Your observation should be an example of one of the concepts we've discussed in class. In your paper, please describe what you observed and explain why you think it is an example of something we've discussed in class.

#### Weekly "Teacher (or Practice) Tool" Paper Prompt

Start building a "toolbox" of concepts that you think may be especially important or useful for you in your future profession. Choose one concept or big idea from the unit. In a short paragraph, define and describe the concept in your own words. Next, explain why you feel it is important and what you want to remember about it. Last, explain how you will use it in your future profession. Think about these as notes to your future self—and write them that way.

#### Philosophy of Teaching (or Practice) Statement and Reflection Prompt

The Philosophy of Teaching (or Practice) statement is an opportunity for you to synthesize the wide range of topics we discuss in class into a concise, self-defined, and application-focused approach to your teaching (or practice). It should include your goals for your classroom/practice, plans to achieve those goals, and how you will know if you have been successful regarding student learning, motivation, and climate. You may discuss your approach to working with a culturally diverse population, your approach to discipline/classroom management, how you will create a positive learning environment, and/or your use of assessment. If you do not plan to enter a teaching- related career, you would tailor the philosophy statement to your field of interest. For example, those desiring to enter the field of physical therapy will want to write a personal *Philosophical Approach to the Practice of Physical Therapy*. In this type of paper, you would synthesize the wide range of topics (e.g., human development, motivation, etc.) into an application-focused statement of how you will address them in the practice of Physical Therapy.

#### Group Teaching Project

Small group of students will write a lesson plan (format template provided by instructor) and present a class topic to the class. The activities used during your group teaching presentation must relate to topics, issues, concepts, or ideas from the assigned readings. The purpose is to provide clarification, elaboration, examples, applications, critical evaluation, and/or meaning to the material. This is your opportunity to demonstrate how well you are able to make specific applications of the theories and principles of educational psychology. This could be accomplished through demonstrations, activities, discussion questions, or games. The methodology is pretty much up to you—I only ask that you do not lecture! Be creative and have fun! There are a lot of ideas embedded in the assigned readings and you don't necessarily need to cover every single piece of information. Rather, focus on what seems most important for your peers to remember. What about your content seems most relevant to their future professions? How will you

convey it so that it is maximally useful to them? Additionally, how will you use the theory we've discussed so far this semester to help you plan and present to them? Can you think of any way to model the theory you're presenting during the presentation? You will also write a brief reflection on your experience with this project. See the prompt below.

**Week before** (**T**): Submit the rough draft of your group lesson plan on Carmen, following the format on the next page. I will provide feedback.

Week before (TH): Meet with me before, after, or outside of class to discuss your lesson plan and to ask me any questions you have about the content (make sure you understand it before you teach it!)

Day you present: Turn in group lesson plan to Carmen before class.

Class after: Turn in individual reflection to Carmen before class.

#### Group Teaching Project Reflection Prompt

How did you draw on course content in your planning? What about your teaching went well? What might you do differently next time? Can you draw on the theory we've learned in class in your plan for what you would do differently? What did you notice when wearing your "teacher hat" that you didn't notice before as a student? Finally, please provide an evaluation of the contribution of each of your group members (1-2 sentences for each group member).

#### **Follow-up/Feedback Process**

Survey data will be compiled by the Department of Educational Studies (College of Education and Human Ecology) and will be securely stored and archived. Data from surveys and student scores on assignments (in aggregate) will be compiled organized and reviewed by ESEPSY 2309 coordinators and instructors. These data will be used to inform future improvements to the course.

# **Group Teaching Project Rubric**

Rubric	
Lesson Plan	
Submitted by beginning of class	/2
Full description of activities/time	/ 5
Presentation/Teaching	
Relevance of activities to topic	/6
Creativity/quality teaching	/7
Presentation/teaching skills	/7
Contribution to Group	
Contributions during presentation	/3
Positive evaluation from group	/3
Reflection	
Submitted by next class session	/ 2
Thorough and thoughtful response	/ 5

#### Total

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# ESEPSY 2309 Student Survey

**DIRECTIONS:** Please circle the response that indicates how much you agree to each of the statements. Use the rating scale below.

RATING SCALE							
<u>0</u> <u>1</u>		<u>2</u>		<u>3</u>		<u>4</u>	
Strongly Disagree	<u>Disagree</u>	<u>Unsure</u>	<u>Agree</u>		Strongly Agree		
I can explain the nature versus nurture debate in human development.		0	1	2	3	4	
		Strongly	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
		Disagree				Agree	
I can define key elements of the social context in which human development takes places.		0	1	2	3	4	
		Strongly	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
		Disagree	1	2	3	Agree	
I am aware of the role of language as part of		0 Strongly	1 Disagraa	2 Unsure	-	4 Strongly	
culture and its importance in development and		Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly Agree	
learning.		-		-		-	
I can define the scientific research process.		0	1	2	3	4	
		Strongly	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
		Disagree 0	1	2	3	Agree 4	
human development and learning.		Strongly	Disagree	2 Unsure	Agree	4 Strongly	
		Disagree	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Agree	
I can explain the key differences between		0	1	2	3	4	
cognitive and sociocultural theories of human		Strongly	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
development.		Disagree				Agree	
I can explain the key differences between		0	1	2	3	4	
behaviorist learning theories, cognitive learning theories, and social learning theories.		Strongly	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
		Disagree				Agree	
I can explain how individual differences may		0	1	2	3	4	
influence behavior.		Strongly	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
		Disagree				Agree	
I can explain how cultural norms influence human development.		0	1	2	3	4	
		Strongly	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
		Disagree 0			2	Agree	
•	I can recognize when a behavior is motivated by		1 Disagroo	2 Unsure	3	4 Strongly	
intrinsic versus extrinsic motivation.		Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
I can explain how socialization (e.g., gender,		Disagree 0	1	2	3	Agree 4	
ethnicity, social class) influences human		Strongly	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly	
development and behavior.		Disagree	21308100	Unsure	1.5.00	Agree	
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To: Council on Academic Affairs

From: Dr. Joe E. Wheaton Je & Whaten Associate Chair Department of Educational Studies

The Department of Educational Studies is putting forth ESEPSY 2309, Psychological Perspectives on Education, as a general education course in Social Sciences: Individuals and Groups. This course is highly sought after by the students in the Departments of Educational Studies and Teaching and Learning in the College of Education and Human Ecology. Consequently, once this course has been approved, it would be of great advantage to the students to have this course available as a GE course effective Autumn Semester, 2015. Therefore, the Department of Educational Studies is requesting the course be added to the Autumn Semester, 2015 schedule even if final approval is after the Registrar's February 1 deadline.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request.