

Louisiana Delta Community College

Academic Affairs Master Syllabus

Course Name: LANGUAGE AND LITERACY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Course Number: CDYC 165

Credit Lecture hours: 3 **Credit Lab Hours:** 0 **Credit Hours:** 3

Textbook, Author, and Publisher: To be provided by College Campus

Instructor Information: To be provided by College Campus

Class Location: To be provided by College Campus

Course Description: This course will examine the young child's emergent use of language and understanding of literacy. The course will introduce students to the developmental stages and theories of language and will promote an understanding of individual and cultural differences in language. Actual methods and developmentally appropriate practices will be discussed, demonstrated and practiced.

Prerequisites: Consent of Instructor

Co-requisites: None

Learning Outcomes:

On completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. Define early and emergent literacy
2. Explain language development in the young child
3. Describe the teacher's role in promoting early literacy: creating learning environments, planning curriculum, and using a variety of teaching strategies to engage children in literacy-enhanced play.
4. Promote children's oral language development.
5. Promote children's listening development
6. Plan and demonstrate developmentally appropriate reading experiences
7. Plan and demonstrate developmentally appropriate writing experiences
8. Assess children's early language, reading and writing development and environment

Assessment Measures: To be provided by the College Campus.

Library Resource Center:

The Delta Library and Learning Resource Center is committed to providing quality information and learning resources and services, including technology, in supporting the overall mission of Delta Community College and its commitment to lifelong learning.

Special Accommodations:

Louisiana Delta Community College complies with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, as well as the Americans with Disabilities Act. Students with disabilities who attend the Monroe campus may make a request by contacting the Director of Counseling and Disability Services (See College Directory for contact information.) at the beginning of each semester. Reasonable accommodations will be attempted for students with documented disabilities. If an impairment is identified later in the semester, a non-retroactive accommodation plan will be developed. Students at satellite campuses should contact the Coordinator of Student Affairs at their particular campus.

Title IX:

Louisiana Delta Community College is committed to protecting the rights of students, which includes compliance with Title IX requirements. As such, the institution and members of our community will not tolerate the offenses of dating violence, domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking. Students with Title IX concerns should contact the College's Title IX Coordinator (See College Directory for contact information.) Students are required to complete Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Online Training. Access to this online course will be sent out through the Delta email account.

Student Code of Conduct:

Louisiana Delta Community College encourages an environment of academic integrity and mutual respect. Students should read and follow both academic and behavioral expectations identified in the Code of Student Conduct that can be found online at www.ladelta.edu. Students are expected to act with integrity, respect the rights of others, and conduct themselves in a professional manner. The Honor Code prohibits academic misconduct such as cheating, engaging in unauthorized collaboration, and plagiarism. Violations of the Code of Student Conduct may result in disciplinary action as provided in the Code. Incidents are reported through the online Student Conduct system.