

National Chiayi University Syllabus
Teacher Education Center, Spring Semester,
Academic Year 2010

Course: Introduction to Education	Credit: 2	Hours: 2
Class: Primary Education Program	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Required, <input type="checkbox"/> Elective	
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I. Teaching Objectives:

1. To know the basic concepts of education.
2. To understand and contemplate the issue of contemporary education.

II. Class Schedule

Week	Date	Topic/Activity	Reading/Assignment
1	09.17	Introduction/Announce notice to students, and divide them into groups for discussion.	
2	09.24	Introducing teacher education.	Handout
3	10.01	The meaning and criteria of education	Handout
4	10.08	The role that teacher plays, and contemplate it.	Handout, videos, and discussion.
5	10.15	Physical punishment and students' human rights.	Handout(Education basic law)
6	10.22	Teacher-student interaction.	Handout, videos, and discussion.
7	10.29	Assay and discuss the current events of education.	Group presentation, 10-15minutes/group.
8	11.05	Class suspension.	Class suspension.
9	11.12	Midterm report.	Hand in reports.
10	11.19	Keynote speech: Education for Disadvantaged	
11	11.26	The education outside the system.	Handout, books, and discussion.
12	12.03	Multicultural education.	Handout

13	12.10	Finland's education.	Handout, books.
14	12.17	Keynote speech	
15	12.24	Group presentation(Group1, 2)	
16	12.31	Group presentation(Group3, 4)	
17	01.07	Group presentation(Group5, 6)	
18	01.14	Final report	Hand in personal reports.

III. Evaluation :

Attendance and participation 25%

Midterm report 25%

Group presentation 25%

Personal final reports 25%