

EPSY 341 Section 301

Education in a Multicultural Society

Catalogue Course Description

An in-depth study of multicultural issues in contemporary society, with particular emphasis on public school settings. Attention given to students' development of personal identity and societal awareness.

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Course Learning Objectives

EPSY 341: Education in a Multicultural Society meets the Foundational Studies' Global Perspectives & Cultural Diversity requirements

Examine one's own and global cultures through multiple lenses, such as race, ethnicity, gender, social class, environment, economics, target language and/or other social characteristics. Demonstrate an understanding of the socially constructed nature of culture. Analyze through the lens of race, as well as ethnicity, socioeconomic class, gender, sexual orientation, or other applicable categories, inequality and equality in the United States or globally. Critically examine how culture shapes one's own and other worldviews. Demonstrate an understanding of the way in which cultures and/or languages are impacted by and adapting to globalizing influences.

Required Textbook

Howe, H. & Lisi, P. (2023). *Becoming a Multicultural Educator*, Custom Edition. Los Angeles, CA: Sage Publications. eBook ISBN: 9781071965801

Graded Elements of the Course

Written Assignments, Virtual Discussion Forums, Quizzes, Class Preparation Materials