

EASTERN WYOMING COLLEGE  
COURSE SYLLABUS  
EDUC 2800 – Capstone: Education

**Semester/Year:** Spring 2013                      **Section:**     40 & 90  
**Credit Hours:** 1  
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W 1:30-2:30 pm  
Available other times by appointment!

**Required Materials:**

No text required!  
E-folio access

**Catalog Course Description:**

This Education Capstone Experience is directed toward the application of broad principles in the discipline of Education with special attention given to the national standards in the areas of Elementary, Secondary, and Early Childhood Education. This course seeks to enhance and enrich the student's academic background by synthesizing programmatic learning and experiences so that students have the ability to continue a course of study in education. For terminal degree seeking students in Early Childhood Education, this course will meet the NAEYC Early Childhood Program Standards for portfolio creation.

**Course Objectives: Students will be able to:**

- create goals for transitioning from community college to a four year institution or to work.
- evaluate Eastern Wyoming College program components.
- synthesize learning by updating student portfolio.

**Attendance Policy:**

This class is offered online therefore there will not be any required class meeting dates. However, it is the responsibility of each student to complete and submit assignments on time. Students may choose to withdraw from this class and received no credit with a grade of **W** on the transcript. Please refer to the EWC catalog for more information regarding the withdraw procedure.

**Academic Dishonesty:**

Any form of academic dishonesty is unacceptable and will not be tolerated. This includes "plagiarism" – submitting work that is not your own, or failing to give credit to the work of others that you may cite in your own work. Academic dishonesty includes making unauthorized use of answers to exams, quizzes, assignments, homework, as well as copying work from fellow students or submitting work that has been completed by someone else. Students shall complete all assigned work individually unless otherwise indicated by the instructor. Academic dishonesty of any kind shall result in a **score of zero** on the assignment, quiz or exam and may result in withdrawal from the course with a grade of E, as the instructor deems appropriate. In addition, the instructor may refer the student to the appropriate E.W.C. official for further discipline.

**Grading Criteria:**

This course is a pass/fail. Students who complete all the course requirements will receive a pass (P). Students who do not fulfill any or all parts of the requirements will receive a fail (F).

**Projected Assignments:**

1. Capstone Portfolio Completion
2. EDUC 2800 Checklist
3. Program Evaluation Questions

(\*\*Note – Instructor reserves the right to modify the assignments, deadlines, and point values of the course. If this is done, it will never be a disadvantage to you, and you will be notified in writing.)

**Americans With Disabilities Education Act:**

Eastern Wyoming College is committed to providing reasonable accommodations for qualified individuals with disabilities. If a student has a disability and desires a reasonable accommodation for the disability, please notify your instructor, Mrs. Debra Ochsner (532-8238) or Tom McDowell (532-8330) as soon as possible so that arrangements may be made.

**General Education Requirements:**

- **Communication Skills:** Graduates will be able to understand and communicate ideas and information in written and spoken English that reveals a mastery of terminology appropriate to their disciplines.
- **Analytical and Quantitative Reasoning:** Graduates will be able to solve problems through critical thinking involving analytical and quantitative reasoning at a level appropriate to their disciplines.
- **Technology Skills:** Graduates will be able to demonstrate competence using technology appropriate to their discipline.
- **Social Awareness:** Graduates will be able to demonstrate an awareness of the relationship between the individual and the world.
- **Information Literacy:** Graduates will be able to locate, evaluate, and use information effectively.

**Disclaimer:**

THE INSTRUCTOR RESERVES THE RIGHT, ACTING WITHIN THE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES OF EWC, TO MAKE CHANGES IN THE COURSE SCHEDULE OR ACTIVITIES. CHANGES WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN CLASS.