

Integrated Methods to Teaching Elementary Social Studies

<u>Interstate Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium (InTASC)</u>

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International Society for Technology in Education (ISTE)

<u>Undergraduate Educational Competencies</u>

Model Code of Ethics for Educators

DTGSS

: Social Studies Teachers

Global awareness is knowledge of the interrelatedness of local, global, and international cultures. It is the understanding that our world is an interconnected system. Cultivating global awareness involves the ability to understand, respect, and get curious about challenges, trends, and systems present on a global level. College of Education and Liberal Arts Educator Preparation Programs foster global awareness by preparing and empowering teacher candidates to integrate that knowledge in their PreK - 12 classrooms. Global awareness, according to Common Sense Education¹, is "about working to understand a region's geography, resources, history, economy, religions, and languages in order to gain insight into varying perspectives and ways of being and thinking

that engage and create learning opportunities for them to meet high standards.

Learning Activities/Performance Tasks

- Learning module on cultural and linguistic differences
- Social Issues Activity

Candidates use their understanding of child growth and development, individual differences, and diverse families, cultures and communities to plan and implement inclusive learning environments that provide each child with equitable access to high quality learning experiences that engage and create learning opportunities for them to meet high standards.

Learning Activities/Performance Tasks

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- Discussion on the difference teachers make/a world without teachers
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- IRIS Module on Cultural and Linguistic Differences
- IRIS Module on Learning Strategies
- Various Course Lectures
- Equity vs. Equality in the Classroom
- Impacts of Social Issues in Education
- Teaching Social Justice in the Classroom
- Characteristics of a Highly Effective Classroom
- How Surroundings Affect Students' Learning
- Resources for Teaching Geography
- Models for Blended Online Course Delivery
- Adapting Social Studies for Remote Teaching
- <u>Teaching History to Support Diverse Learners</u>
- Teaching Strategies in Social Studies
- Tips & Tricks for Social Studies Engagement
- American Economic Association
- Powerful Instructional Strategies
- Civics in the Elementary Classroom
- Civics (Please visit the "Remote Learning" and "Teach" sections)
- Differentiating in Social Studies
- Social Justice Instruction in Schools
- Quality Social Studies Assessment
- Reading Rockets: Supporting Reading in Social Studies
- Balancing Instruction in Social Studies
- Parent Involvement in Education
- NEA: Parent Engagement
- Communication with Families
- Why School Leadership Matters

Planning and Preparation Social Science

found in the SEA description in Canvas, and the Common Core Standards, the teacher candidate will complete and submit an age-appropriate unit of lesson plans which includes a variety of methods and materials to teach Social Studies across content areas, ie1 b 02W278.262.Ten) g0 G[are]-4(as,ofas,)-3ETQnBs 0s/F1 12 T450.46 k22 Tm0a0.00000912 0 612 792

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understanding

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Standards

CAEP K-6 Teacher Preparation Standards (2018)

STANDARD 3: Assessing, Planning, and Designing Contexts for Learning: Candidates assess students, plan instruction and design classroom contexts for learning. Candidates use formative and summative assessment to monitor students' learning and guide instruction. Candidates plan learning activities to promote a full range of competencies for each student. They differentiate instructional materials and activities to address learners' diversity. Candidates foster engagement in learning by establishing and maintaining social norms for classrooms. They build interpersonal relationships with students that generate motivation, and promote students social and emotional development.

Candidate explicitly supports motivation and engagement in learning for every student through a variety of evidence-based practices.

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to increase student engagement in academic learning and activities and may display teacher-student interactions that are likely to decrease motivation and engagement such as overcontrol, disregard for students' needs, sarcasm or negativity.

scheduling candidates use sufficient time formative for students' assessment to deep immersion improve in purposeful engagement reading, support. mathematics, and content learning; and providing thought provoking questions that encourage reasoning individually and collaboratively.

Standards

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CAEP K-6 Standard 4.b

research support when planning a sequence of lessons.

Candidate sequence Candidate instruction that sequences

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sequence
instruction that
provides
students with
inconsistent or
disconnected
learning
opportunities.

Candidate sequences instruction that provides students with connected learning opportunities.

appropriate, and use whole class discussions to support and enhance children's learning. Candidates use flexible grouping arrangements, including small group and individual instruction to support effective instruction and improved learning for every child.