areas and their connections, and to build skills to access and appropriately apply information.

Standard #9: Reflection and Continuous Growth. The teacher is a reflective practitioner who uses evidence to continually evaluate his/her practice, particularly the effects of his/her choices and actions on others (students, families, and other professionals in the learning community), and adapts practice to meet the needs of each learner.

Standard #10: Leadership and Collaboration. The teacher collaborates with students, families, colleagues, other professionals, and community members to share responsibility for student growth and development, learning, and well-being.

III.

V. COURSE OUTLINE AND WEEKLY SCHEDULE

1 Readings and Resources:

Chapter 1 -

2 Readings and Resources:

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Activities/Assignments

- 1. Reading assignments as listed in Readings/Res ources
- 2. Each week you will continue to investigate and write sections of the Inquiry Brief paper. This week you will begin to look at new strategies or methods that you might consider implementing in tour classroom as part of your plan this will

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5 Readings and Resources:

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Activities/Assignments

- Reading assignments as listed in Readings/Res ources
- 2. This week you will begin to look at data collection. This would include preassessment that lead you

to the Inquiry Question, and post

assessment that will allow you to know whether the plan you

implement will be successful.

This will become the

Data Collection section of your Inquiry Brief.

Respond to the Discussion Board Prompt.

Readings and Resources: Activities/Assignments 1. Reading Chapters 7 and 8 - The Reflective assignments Dana, as listed in Nancy Fichtman, and Yendol-Silva, Diane Readings/Res (2009). Thousand Oaks CA: Corwin Press. ources Hubbard, R., & Power, B. (2003). Introduction. The Art of Classroom Inquiry A 2. Each week you Handbook for Teacher-Researchers. have Portsmouth, NH. Heinemann. investigated Campbell, K. (2011) A call to action: why and written we need more practitioner research. Democracy & Education, 21(2). sections of the Inquiry Brief paper. This week you will look at how you are going to pull all the pieces together to write a cohesive thesis. You have an outline provided at the beginning of the course. which includes: The Purpo se b. Literat ure Revie W C. Inquir У d. Metho d e. Data

		Collec tion f. Refer ences and Resou rces
7	Readings and Resources: Chapter 9 - Guide to Classroom Research.Dana, Nancy Fichtman, and Yendol-Silva, Diane (2009).Thousand Oaks CA: Corwin Press.	Activities/Assignments 1. Reading assignments as listed in Readings/Res ources 2. Review and revise your inquiry Brief Draft, incorporating your self-reflection and ideas shared with you by your peers. 3. Submit your final Inquiry Brief 4. Presentation