



Course Syllabus: Survey of Dyslexia
College of Education
SPED 5103 Section DX1
Semester and Course dates

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Course Description

Focuses on provision of comprehensive instruction, including decoding, encoding, written expression, reading comprehension, fluency, and study skills using collection to evaluate student growth and effectiveness of instructional approach.

Textbook & Instructional Materials

No textbook is required for this course.

Study Hours and Tutoring Assistance

The TASP offers a schedule of selected subjects tutoring assistance. Please contact the TASP, (940)397-4684, or visit the ASC homepage for more information. [Tutoring & Academics Supports Programs](#)

Student Handbook

Refer to: [Student Handbook-2021-2022](#)

Academic Misconduct Policy & Procedures

Academic Dishonesty: Cheating, collusion, and plagiarism (the act of using source material of other persons, either published or unpublished, without following the accepted techniques of crediting, or the submission for credit of work not the individual's to whom credit is given). Additional guidelines on procedures in these matters may be found in the Office of Student Conduct. [Office of Student Conduct](#)

Grading

Table 1: Points allocated to each assignment

Assignments	Points
Week 1 Discussion Post/Responses	25
Week 2 Discussion Post/Responses	25
Week 3 Discussion Post/Responses	25
Video, Critique, and Evaluation	300
Week 4 Discussion Post/Reponses	25
Chapter, Article, or Book Report	100
Week 5 Discussion Post/Reponses	25
Practicum Hours Log	75

Table 2: Total points for final grade.

Grade	Points
A	538 to 600
B	478 to 537
C	418 to 477
D	360 to 417
F	Less than 417

Various Assignments

There will be 5 major assignments in this course which are described within the course assignments folder: Video Submission, QI Evaluation Report, Self-Critique, Written Report/Review, Practicum Hours Log. In addition to the assignments, there will be an expectation of Weekly Discussion Participation.

Extra Credit

No extra credit assignments will be given or accepted.

Late Work

Work must be turned in when it is due for full credit. Late work will only be accepted in emergency situations that have been cleared with Mrs. Janjgava. This means only illness or family emergency.

Late Work

State whether or not you will accept late work, and any conditions you stipulate.

Important Dates

Deadline for August graduates to file for graduation: June 27, 2022

Last Day to drop with a grade of "W for Summer II term:" July 20, 2022

Refer to: [Drops, Withdrawals & Void](#)

Desire-to-Learn (D2L)

Extensive use of the MSU D2L program is a part of this course. Each student is expected to be familiar with this program as it provides a primary source of communication regarding assignments, examination materials, and general course information. You can log into [D2L](#) through the MSU Homepage. If you experience difficulties, please contact the technicians listed for the program or contact your instructor.

Attendance

Online Computer Requirements

Weekly online participation is required. Please participate in the discussion posts in a timely manner according to the discussion guidelines. Professional dialog opportunities are part of this class; and expected to occur each week for attendance and grading purposes. **Please note:** Taking an online class requires you to have access to a computer (with Internet access) to complete and upload your assignments. It is your responsibility to have (or have access to) a working computer in this class. **Assignments are due by the due date, and personal computer technical difficulties will not be considered reason for the instructor to allow students extra time to submit assignments, tests, or discussion postings.** Computers are available on campus in various areas of the buildings as well as the Academic Success Center. **Your computer being down is not an excuse for missing a deadline!!** There are many places to access your class! Our online classes can be accessed from any computer in the world which is connected to the internet. Contact your instructor immediately upon having computer trouble. If you have technical difficulties in the course, there is also a student helpdesk available to you. The college cannot work directly on student computers due to both liability and resource limitations however they are able to help you get connected to our online services. For help, log into [D2L](#).

Instructor Class Policies

Online Class:

I will use D2L for posting syllabi, course communication, course schedule, attendance, and gradebook. The best way to contact me is through email within D2L. You should regularly check D2L and the email hosted via D2L for important course information. Please refer to discussion guidelines for weekly discussion assignments.

Change of Schedule

A student dropping a course (but not withdrawing from the University) within the first 12 class days of a regular semester or the first four class days of a summer semester is eligible for a 100% refund of applicable tuition and fees. Dates are published in the Schedule of Classes each semester.

Refund and Repayment Policy

A student who withdraws or is administratively withdrawn from Midwestern State University (MSU) may be eligible to receive a refund for all or a portion of the

tuition, fees and room/board charges that were paid to MSU for the semester. HOWEVER, if the student received financial aid (federal/state/institutional grants, loans and/or scholarships), all or a portion of the refund may be returned to the financial aid programs. As described below, two formulas (federal and state) exists in determining the amount of the refund. (Examples of each refund calculation will be made available upon request).

Services for Students with Disabilities

In accordance with Section 504 of the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Midwestern State University endeavors to make reasonable accommodations to ensure equal opportunity for qualified persons with disabilities to participate in all educational, social, and recreational programs and activities. After notification of acceptance, students requiring accommodations should make application for such assistance through Disability Support Services, located in the Clark Student Center, Room 168, (940) 397-4140. Current documentation of a disability will be required in order to provide appropriate services, and each request will be individually reviewed. For more details, please go to [Disability Support Services](#).

College Policies

Campus Carry Rules/Policies

Refer to: [Campus Carry Rules and Policies](#)

Smoking/Tobacco Policy

College policy strictly prohibits the use of tobacco products in any building owned or operated by WATC. Adult students may smoke only in the outside designated-smoking areas at each location.

Alcohol and Drug Policy

To comply with the Drug Free Schools and Communities Act of 1989 and subsequent amendments, students and employees of Midwestern State are informed that strictly enforced policies are in place which prohibits the unlawful possession, use or distribution of any illicit drugs, including alcohol, on university property or as part of any university-sponsored activity. Students and employees are also subject to all applicable legal sanctions under local, state and federal law for any offenses involving illicit drugs on University property or at University-sponsored activities.

Grade Appeal Process

Update as needed. Students who wish to appeal a grade should consult the Midwestern State University [Undergraduate Catalog](#)

Notice

Changes in the course syllabus, procedure, assignments, and schedule may be made at the discretion of the instructor.

Course Schedule:

Week or Module	Activities/Assignments/Exams	Due Date
Week 1 7/5 to 7/8	Discussion 1 (Original Post and Two Peer Responses)	Initial Post Due Wednesday 11:59pm 2 Response Posts due Friday 11:59pm (see discussion guidelines for details) All due by 7/8 11:59pm
Week 2 7/11 to 7/15	Discussion 2 (Original Post and Two Peer Responses)	Initial Post Due Wednesday 11:59pm 2 Response Posts due Friday 11:59pm (see discussion guidelines for details) All due by 7/15 11:59pm
Week 3 7/18 to 7/22	Discussion 3 (Original Post and Two Peer Responses) Video Lesson Self-Critique QI Evaluation	Initial Post Due Wednesday 11:59pm 2 Response Posts due Friday 11:59pm (see discussion guidelines for details) Video, Self-Critique, & QI evaluation due by 7/22 11:59pm
Week 4 7/25 to 7/29	Discussion 4 (Original Post and Two Peer Responses) Book Review	Initial Post Due Wednesday 11:59pm 2 Response Posts due Friday 11:59pm (see discussion guidelines for details) Book/Chapter Review due 7/29 11:59pm
Week 5 8/1 to 8/4	Discussion 5 (Original Post and Two Peer Responses) Practicum Hours Log	Initial Post Due Wednesday 11:59pm 2 Response Posts due Friday 11:59pm (see discussion guidelines for details) Practicum Hours Log due 7/29 11:59pm

Appendix A:
Not applicable

Appendix B: Note about COVID

Scientific data shows that being fully vaccinated is the most effective way to prevent and slow the spread of COVID-19 and has the greatest probability of avoiding serious illness if infected in all age groups. Although MSU Texas is not mandating vaccinations in compliance with Governor Abbott's executive orders, we highly encourage eligible members of our community to get a vaccination. If you have questions or concerns about the vaccine, please contact your primary care physician or health care professional. Given the recent rise in cases, individuals are also strongly encouraged to wear facial coverings when indoors among groups of people, regardless of vaccination status. Although MSU Texas is not currently requiring facial coverings, they have been an effective strategy in slowing the spread.