

Course Outline (Higher Education)

School: School of Education

Course Title: LANGUAGES CURRICULUM 2

Course ID: EDMAS6123

Credit Points: 15.00

Prerequisite(s): (EDMAS6023)

Co-requisite(s): Nil

Exclusion(s): Nil

ASCED: 070301

Description of the Course:

This course is designed to extend the learning from Languages Curriculum 1 to enable preservice teachers to further develop their skill, competence and confidence in teaching Languages. Pre-service teachers investigate more deeply and critically evaluate approaches to teaching, particularly at the senior secondary level. They will be required to reflect on their emerging skills as a teacher of Languages and identify their personal teaching philosophies and directions for their future professional learning

Grade Scheme: Graded (HD, D, C, etc.)

Program Level:

AQF Level of Program							
	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Level							
Introductory							
Intermediate							
Advanced					V		

Learning Outcomes:

Knowledge:

- **K1.** Demonstrate understanding of how to use curriculum planning frameworks (particularly at the senior secondary level) to design well-sequenced and engaging Languages and Cultures programs for diverse learners
- **K2.** Deepen understandings of and critically evaluate pedagogical approaches for learning Languages such as: task-based; grammar-based; inquiry learning; CLIL; immersion and communicative languages teaching
- **K3.** Demonstrate understanding of context-relevant and research informed teaching strategies for Languages and Culture teaching

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- **K4.** Critically evaluate, design and select resources (including ICT) to support Languages learning, particularly at the senior secondary level.
- **K5.** Critically reflect on professional teaching skills and identify areas for ongoing professional learning
- **K6.** Demonstrate understanding of the policy and assessment requirements at senior secondary level, and be able to design learning sequences with assessment practices that monitor student progress

Skills:

- **S1.** Plan for learning in Languages at senior secondary levels by using curriculum frameworks to design learning sequences and lesson plans.
- **S2.** Demonstrate knowledge of content and teaching strategies that cater for diverse learners by teaching a lesson to students
- 53. Select or design appropriate resources to support student learning in Languages
- **S4.** Demonstrate ability to use feedback from professional colleagues and students to reflect on teaching practice.
- **S5.** Engage in critical reflection on personal teaching practice and identify areas for future professional learning
- **S6.** Design learning and assessment sequences that monitor and support student learning

Application of knowledge and skills:

- **A1.** Develop and teach a lesson that caters for diverse students
- **A2.** Design a sequence of learning and teaching for Languages
- **A3.** Critically reflect on the ways Languages can be taught and present a rationale for Languages teaching

Course Content:

- Teaching strategies for listening, speaking, reading and writing in Languages.
- Strategies for organizing content into teaching and learning sequences.
- Approaches for embedding the teaching of Culture as part of Languages.
- Assessment and evaluation of student performances and of personal teaching practice.
- Teaching second languages to diverse student learners.
- Ways to advocate for Languages within the school and broader community

Values:

- **V1.** Develop understanding of the socio-cultural and educational context of Languages teaching and learning in Australian schools
- **V2.** Understand and develop a professional stance towards their work and ongoing learning as a teacher of languages and foster an enthusiasm in students for learning about cultures and languages
- **V3.** Develop a deep appreciation and respect for cultural backgrounds and languages
- **V4.** Promote values of tolerance and respect

Graduate Attributes:

FedUni graduate attributes statement. To have graduates with knowledge, skills and competence that enable them to stand out as critical, creative and enquiring learners who are capable, flexible and work ready, and responsible, ethical and engaged citizens.

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Attribute	Brief Description	Focus
Knowledge, skills and competence	Through completion of this course pre-service teachers extend their knowledge of the discipline of languages teaching and learning.	High
Critical, creative and enquiring learners	Pre-service teachers critically inquire into the way languages are taught and develop skills in reflecting on their own teaching practice throughout this course	High
Capable, flexible and work ready	Through completing this course pre-service teachers deepen their knowledge of using curriculum frameworks in order to design learning experiences for students in schools	High
Responsible, ethical and engaged citizens	Pre-service teachers extend their understanding of the role of languages in multicultural society and develop the ability to advocate for tolerance and respect of languages and cultures	High

Learning Task and Assessment:

Learning Outcomes Assessed	Learning Tasks	Assessment Type	Weighting
K4, K5, S1, S2, S3, S4, S5, A1 APST 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 3.1, 3.3, 3.4, 3.5, 4.1, 4.2, 5.1, 6.1	Plan and teach a lesson, obtain feedback from others and reflect critically on planning process, teaching strategies, communication skills and students' learning outcomes.	Teaching Performance	30-40%
K1, K3, K4, K6, S1, S3, S6, A2 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.5, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4, 4.1, 5.1	Design a learning sequence that draws from Languages curriculum documents and which outlines key learning outcomes, success criteria, activities that are inclusive and engaging, resources and assessment strategies	Curriculum Design	40-50%
K2, K5, S5, A3 APST 2.1, 4.1	Write a teaching philosophy which outlines your rationale for Languages teaching, approaches you will use in planning and teaching in your target language area, how you will you support diverse learners and advocate for Languages in schools.	Teaching Philosophy	20-30%

Adopted Reference Style:

APA