

# CHIPOLA COLLEGE COURSE SYLLABUS

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COURSE TITLE: COURSE NUMBER:

Teaching Reading in the Intermediate Grades

RED 3311

# **COURSE DESCRIPTION (with prerequisites):**

Materials and methods for teaching reading to intermediate grades and related study skills; emphasis on teaching mastery of decoding skills, fluency, comprehension, vocabulary, conducting guided reading activities, utilizing a wide variety of reading materials in the classroom and relating basic reading skills to content area instruction. Includes 10 hours observation, participation, and teaching in school settings. This course requires a minimum grade of "C" in order to receive credit. 3 semester hours.

# NAME(S) OF INSTRUCTORS:

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#### **EFFECTIVE ACADEMIC YEAR:**

2023-2024

#### **REQUIRED TEXTBOOKS AND INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS:**

#### Suggested:

*Teaching Reading in the 21st Century (6th Edition).* Michael Graves, 2020. Pearson, ISBN: 9780135196755.

Appropriate dress for field experience: School of Education polo (Polos are available in the campus bookstore.)

## **GRADING POLICY:**

The standing of a student in each course is expressed by one of the following letters and corresponding grading system:

A - 90 - 100

B - 80 - 89

C - 70 - 79

D - 60 - 69

F - 59 or less

The Chipola Catalog provides policies and procedures regarding the grading system. A student's Grade Point Average is derived from the grading system/quality point scale.

## ATTENDANCE AND WITHDRAWAL POLICIES:

Chipola College expects regular attendance of all students and for all instructors to record attendance daily. Students who are absent from classes for any reason other than official college activities must satisfy the instructor concerned that the absence was due to illness or other clearly unavoidable reasons. Otherwise, the student may suffer grade loss at the discretion of the instructor. Chipola policy allows each instructor to specify in the Instructor First Day Handout whether or not an absence is excusable and what effect the absence or tardy may have on the grade.

A student is allowed to repeat a course a maximum of three (3) times. On the third attempt a student (1) must bear the full cost of instruction (unless waived by Student Services), (2) cannot withdraw, and (3) must receive a grade.

## **MAKE-UP POLICY:**

Chipola allows each instructor to specify in the Instructor First Day Handout the makeup policy.

## **ACADEMIC HONOR CODE POLICY:**

Students are expected to uphold the Academic Honor Code, which is based on the premise that each student has the responsibility to (1) uphold the highest standards of academic honesty in his/her own work; (2) refuse to tolerate academic dishonesty in the college community; and (3) foster a high sense of honor and social responsibility on the part of students. Further information regarding the Academic Honor Code may be found in the Chipola Catalog, Student Governance section.

#### STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES POLICY:

Chipola College is committed to making all programs and facilities accessible to anyone with a disability. Chipola's goal is for students to obtain maximum benefit from their educational experience and to effectively transition into the college environment. Students with disabilities are requested to voluntarily contact the Office of Students with Disabilities to complete the intake process and determine their eligibility for reasonable accommodations.

## NOTICE OF EQUAL ACCESS/EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AND NONDISCRIMINATION:

Chipola College does not discriminate against any persons, employees, students, applicants or others affiliated with the college in regards to race, color, religion, ethnicity, national origin, age, veteran's status, disability, gender, genetic information, marital status, pregnancy or any other protected class under applicable federal and state laws, in any college program, activity or employment.

Wendy Pippen, Associate Vice President of Human Resources, Equity Officer and Title IX Coordinator, 3094 Indian Circle, Marianna, FL 32446, Building A, Room 183C, 850-718-2269, pippenw@chipola.edu.

#### LIBRARY AND ON-LINE REFERENCE MATERIALS:

The library is a comprehensive learning resource center providing information in print, electronic, and multimedia format to support the educational objectives of the College. On-line catalogs, e-books, and electronic databases can be accessed through the Library Resources link within your course in Canvas or by using the *Search* icon on the

Chipola Library website at <a href="www.chipola.edu/library">www.chipola.edu/library</a>. If you have questions about database usage, consult the "How to Use the Chipola Databases" on the Library website or call the Library at 850/718-2274 during regular hours. Library hours are posted each semester at the building entrance and on the Library website. See your Instructor First Day Handout for individual instructor recommendations and resources.

#### **TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES:**

The college's learning management system is **Canvas**. Classes become available on Canvas on the first day of the semester. It is the student's responsibility to log onto the Canvas system the first day of class to establish the first day of attendance and to check announcements. All official class communication must be through Canvas. For further information, contact your instructor or the Director of Learning Resources. The Canvas support hotline is available online in live chat and on the phone, toll-free, at 855-308-2812 for any issues utilizing Canvas. The **Technology Center**, located in the library, is equipped with computer workstations. Lab hours are posted each semester at the building entrance and on the Library website.

#### FREE TUTORING RESOURCES:

The <u>A</u>cademic <u>C</u>enter for <u>E</u>xcellence (**ACE**) Lab, located in Building L, offers free tutoring from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and is equipped with computer workstations. ACE lab hours are posted each semester at the room entrance and on the website. Additionally, Chipola College has contracted **Smarthinking**, a Pearson Company, for online tutoring services, accessible especially from 5 p.m. to 8 a.m. and weekends. Smarthinking can be accessed through Canvas.

#### **ELECTRONIC DEVICE USAGE STATEMENT:**

Classrooms should be free of all unnecessary distractions from the task of learning. Therefore, as a general rule, students should silence and avoid use of all electronic devices (laptops, phones, tablets, etc.) not being used for coursework. Consult first-day handouts for any specific policies related to the use of electronic devices in the classroom, as they may vary depending upon the nature of the course or the guidelines of the instructor. Faculty reserve the right to regulate the use of electronic devices and their accessories in class.

#### **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC COMPETENCIES / LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

- E-1 Designs and plans effective instructional lessons.
- E-2 Maintains a student-centered learning environment that is safe, organized, equitable, flexible, inclusive and collaborative.
- E-3 Delivers and facilitates effective instruction.
- E 4 Analyzes and applies data from multiple assessments to diagnose learning needs and inform instruction.
- E 5 Designs purposeful professional goals for continuous improvement to strengthen instructional effectiveness and impact student learning
- E 6 Practices professional responsibility and ethical conduct and fulfills expected obligations to students, the public, and the education profession.

L	Linking Course-level Student Learning Outcomes with Discipline-Specific Competencies, Assessment Methods, and Artifacts				
	COURSE-LEVEL STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES FOR RED 3311	DISCIPLINE-SPECIFIC GENERAL EDUCATION COMPETENCIES	ASSESSMENT METHODS FOR COURSE LEVEL STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES (see Notes below)		
•	Select and demonstrate instructional strategies that synchronize and scaffold each of the major components of the reading process toward student	E-1	Task CC10D – RU, MA 1-4 – SD/W, MA 8 – Obs		
•	mastery Select resources and research- based practices that create both language-rich and print-rich environments	E-5	Task CC8G – RU, Task CC10D – RU, MA 5 – SD/W, MA 6 – SD/W, MA 8 – Obs.		
•	Select measures of assessment and evaluation for literacy and to articulate the uses, strengths, and weaknesses of a variety of formal and informal assessment	L-4	Task CC8G – RU, Task CC10D – RU, MA 7 – SD/W		
•	measures and techniques Demonstrate effective teacher behaviors associated with reading instruction	E-5	MA 6 – SD/W, MA 8 – Obs.		
•	Develop a better understanding of diversity in today's classroom and to support linguistically and culturally diverse students (i.e., bilingual, nonstandard English speakers, ESOL, ESE, etc.) when designing literacy instruction	E-2	Task CC8G - RU		

#### Notes: Assessment Codes

<b>BO</b> - Behavioral Observation	EX - Dept Exam	Port - Portfolio	SD - Skills Demonstration
Cap Proj - Capstone Course	Exp - Experiments	Prac - Practicum	SE - Natl or State
CF - Cumulative Final	F - Final Exam	Pre/ Post - Pre-/Post-Tests	Standardized
Clin - Clinicals	<b>H</b> - Homework	Proj - Projects	Sk - Ck Skills Check-Off
CP - Case Plan	Intern - Internship	PS - Problem Solving	SP - Skills Performance
CS - Case Study	<b>J</b> - Jury	<b>Q</b> - Quizzes	<b>T</b> - Tests
<b>DB</b> - Discussion Board	JP - Judged Perf/Exh	R - Recital	UT - Unit Tests
<b>DE</b> - Documented Essays	Obs - Teacher Observ	RP - Research Papers	W - Writing Assignments
E - Essays	OT - Objective Tests	RPT - Report/Presentation	

# MEANS OF ACCOMPLISHING STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:

The course instructor will be delivering course content through class discussions on the material using various visual aids. Students are expected to be attentive and are encouraged to ask questions. In-class teaching strategies may include: participation, demonstrations, lecture, presentations, critical thinking and cooperative groups. Student attendance and participation is expected. Students are expected to read all assigned

material before class and complete assigned projects in a timely manner to enable reflections and revisions on the final product.

# **ASSIGNMENT AND/OR COURSE OUTLINE**

See your Instructor First Day Handout for individual instructor assignment schedule.