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Textbooks:

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Course Description:
A detailed study is made of effective teaching/learning methods. The areas of art, books, home-living, music, nature, puzzles, Bible verses, creative writing, discussion, drama, games, learning centers, prayer, and research are explored. Teacher training conferences are designed and demonstrated in class presentations.

Course Objectives include, but are not limited to, the following:

Upon completion of this course you should be able:
1. to identify major scholarly and professional writings within the field of religious education.
2. to demonstrate knowledge of the teaching-learning process.
3. to demonstrate ability to prepare and teach a lesson.
4. to demonstrate ability to perform teacher-training.
Assignments:

**Attendance and Participation in Class Activities** - 10% of Final Grade  
In-class activities may include review of guest speakers, curriculum planning, video viewing, and evaluating instruction.

**Book Review** - 20% of Final Grade  
Read *Teaching to Change Lives* and prepare a report. Summarize each chapter and give your personal reaction (pro or con) to the information. Be prepared to present your summary and reaction to any chapter.

**Teaching Demonstration** - 20% of Final Grade  
Students will be asked to demonstrate ability to prepare and teach a lesson by teaching a lesson.

**Teacher-Training Workshop** - 20% of Final Grade  
Choose an age-group (children, youth, adults) or a special population (handicapped, culture, etc.) and give a presentation (30 minute) on at least one aspect of how to effectively reach or teach that group. Include a bibliography and resource list of relevant books, video resources, journals, or other publications useful in training teachers of this group.

**Mid-Term Exam** - 10% of Final Grade

**Final Exam** - 20% of Final Grade

The content of this syllabus is subject to revision as announced in regular class sessions.


