

Cover Sheet: Request 15240

MAE4310L Elementary Mathematics Lab

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Responses

Recommended Prefix MAE

Course Level 4

Course Number 310

Category of Instruction Advanced

Lab Code L

Course Title Teaching Elementary Mathematics Lab

Transcript Title Elem Math Lab

Degree Type Baccalaureate

Delivery Method(s) On-Campus

Co-Listing No

Effective Term Earliest Available

Effective Year Earliest Available

Rotating Topic? No

Repeatable Credit? No

Amount of Credit 1

S/U Only? No

Contact Type Regularly Scheduled

Weekly Contact Hours 3

Course Description An inquiry-based math lab to accompany MAE4310. Focused on hands-on activities related to foundational concepts in elementary mathematics, with an emphasis on family/community experiences, equity and social justice issues, and relationships to science, technology, engineering, and/or the arts.

Prerequisites Elementary Education major EED_BAE

Co-requisites MAE4310

Rationale and Placement in Curriculum We are requesting a series of new courses for our redesigned BAE Elementary Education major. We have redesigned the program to be completed in four years, eliminating the masters degree year of the old program. This change required reconceptualization of several courses to meet all the requirements for Florida Department of Education certification in a four-year program. This course will be required for all Elementary Education majors and is part of the certification requirements by the State of Florida Department of Education. This new lab course will accompany the elementary mathematics methods course currently in the catalog. A mathematics laboratory is designed to engage students in the practical application of mathematics concepts using manipulatives, puzzles, modeling, technology, and demonstrations to deepen understanding of mathematics concepts.

Course Objectives By the end of this course, preservice teachers will be able to:

- 1) Conduct hands-on activities related to foundational concepts in elementary mathematics and discuss how each activity can elevate or hamper students' mathematical sense-making and awareness of social issues.
- 2) Conduct inquiry-based instruction using technology that supports students' use of mathematics to model, understand, analyze, and critique real-world situations.
- 3) Design and refine a STEAM lesson to support students' understanding of how mathematics

can be used to understand science, technology, engineering, and the arts.

4) Explain and justify inquiry-based mathematics instruction for elementary students.

Course Textbook(s) and/or Other Assigned Reading Van de Walle, J., Karp, K., Lovin, L., & Bay-Williams, J. (2019). *Elementary and Middle School Mathematics: Teaching Developmentally*, 10th edition. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Pearson Education.

Edelen, D., Simpson, H., & Bush, S. B. (2020). A STEAM exploration of tiny homes. *Mathematics Teacher: Learning and Teaching PK-12*, 113(1), 25-32.

Makar, K., & Doerr, H. M. (2020). Developing Statistical Modeling with Paper Helicopters. *Mathematics Teacher: Learning and Teaching PK-12*, 113(2), 147-151.

Lovin, L. H. (2020). Supporting Probability Understanding through Area Models. *Mathematics Teacher: Learning and Teaching PK-12*, 113(5), 411-415.

Lo, J. J., & White, N. (2020). Selecting GeoGebra Applets for Learning Goals. *Mathematics Teacher: Learning and Teaching PK-12*, 113(2), 156-159.

Weekly Schedule of Topics Week 1: Introduction

Week 2: Setting a Vision for Learning High-Quality Mathematics

Week 3: Teaching Math through Problem Solving

Week 4: Exploring Number and Operation Sense

Week 5: Developing Whole-Number Place-Value Concepts

Week 6: Exploring Fraction Concepts

Week 7: Promoting Algebraic Thinking

Week 8: Building Measurement Concepts

Week 9: Developing Geometric Thinking and Concepts

Week 10: Exploring Geometric Modeling

Week 11: A STEAM Exploration

Week 12: STEAM Lesson Plan Design

Week 13: Supporting Probability Understanding through Area Models

Week 14: Representing and Interpreting Data

Week 15: Developing Statistical Modeling

Week 16: A Weekly Mathematics Notebook and Final Presentations

Grading Scheme Class Participation, Attendance, and Professionalism = 10% of the final grade

Problem Solving Assessments (three) = 30% of the final grade

Weekly Mathematics Notebook = 30% of the final grade

STEAM Lesson Plan Design = 30% of the final grade

Class Participation, Attendance, and Professionalism (10% of the final grade): Regular attendance in this class is required. In addition, full participation is required. Preservice teachers can engage in active participation by extending ideas presented in class, supporting and elaborating ideas and perspectives, asking questions, making connections between the readings and their knowledge and beliefs, and completing assignments. At the mid-point of the semester you will receive feedback about your participation using a grading rubric provided in class that explains how attendance and participation connect to professionalism. At the end of the semester you will receive up to 10 points using the same rubric.

Problem Solving Assessments (30% of the final grade): During the labs you will collaboratively engage in hands-on activities related to fundamental principles and mathematics concepts. Physical materials, technology, and models will be used to explore key concepts of number and operations, algebra, geometry, measurement, probability, and statistics. Three times a semester, you will complete an independent assessment that requires problem-solving that mirrors our lab activities completed in class. Assessments are graded and returned for discussion.

Weekly Mathematics Notebook (30 % of the final grade): As you engage in hands-on lab activities, you will be instructed to individually react to these materials in various ways (e.g., summary, analysis, critique, reflection, questioning, connecting to classroom experience). These reactions will be collected in a Lab Notebook, turned in three times a semester for a grade. The notebook will be graded based on a rubric that outlines expectations for connections to the lab activities, knowledge of mathematical concepts, connections to course readings, and personal reflection.

STEAM Lesson Plan Design and Reflection (30% of the final grade): The goal of this project is to deepen understanding of how mathematics can be connected to science, technology, engineering, and/or arts in a real-world problem-solving situation. You will choose a math topic and theme for the lesson that crosses STEAM boundaries. After conducting research on the topic, design a lesson that introduces the topic, provides hands-on practice for elementary students, and assesses their knowledge of the concept. Finally, explain how your lesson plan addresses what you learned from this math lab and how you addressed 21st century skills (e.g., collaboration, communication, critical thinking/problem solving, and creativity/innovation). Lessons will be graded using a rubric based on all project elements, clarity of explanations, alignment of objectives and assessment, and personal reflection and connections.

Final course grades will be assigned using the following scale:

93-100 Points Earned (A)

90-92 Points Earned(A-)

87- 89 Points Earned (B+)

83-86 Points Earned (B)

80—82 Points Earned (B-)

77-79 Points Earned (C+)

73-76 Points Earned (C)

70 – 72 Points Earned (C-)

67-69 Points Earned (D+)

63-66 Points Earned (D)

60 – 62 Points Earned (D-)

0-59 Points Earned (E)

Instructor(s) Dr. Hyunyi Jung

Attendance & Make-up Yes

Accomodations Yes

UF Grading Policies for assigning Grade Points Yes

Course Evaluation Policy Yes