PROGRAM-SPECIFIC COMPETENCIES - CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

Competencies are the skills, knowledge and attributes gained through every work, educational, volunteer and life experience.

UVic students in the Curriculum and Instruction program develop the following program-specific competencies, depending on their program focus. We worked with the Department of Curriculum and Instruction to develop this document.

Demonstrates a body of knowledge and technical expertise in the area of curriculum and instruction

- Analyzes historical, philosophical, and sociological circumstances relevant to contemporary educational experiences
- Designs, implements and evaluates practical teaching activities in a range of settings
- Critically analyzes educational thought and practice to determine unintended as well as intended effects
- Demonstrates knowledge of children and curricula for young learners
- Discusses how current issues, trends and curricular innovations affect practice
- Applies effective and creative pedagogical practices related to the teaching of language and literacy