

School of Education

EDST5888 Project

Term 3 2020

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STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

Outcome		Assessment/s
1	Demonstrate advanced understanding of a topic of interest in education	1
2	Locate and critically evaluate the full range of references relevant to a topic of interest in education.	1

4. RATIONALE FOR THE INCLUSION OF CONTENT AND TEACHING APPROACH

This course is being offered to provide students with an opportunity to undertake a small-scale capstone project in a specific area of their specialisation in education. The course will also enable students to develop a deeper reflective approach to education and demonstrate the ability to analyse, evaluate, synthesise and apply knowledge and skills from earlier stages of their program.

5. TEACHING STRATEGIES AND RATIONALE

EDST5888 is a self-directed course. Optional group meetings at the beginning (Week 1) and towards the end (Week 10) of the semester may be organised by some supervising lecturers. These meetings will cover general issues in conducting small-scale projects in your area of specialisation, as well as the preparation required (e.g. developing a project proposal and a clear feasible plan for implementation). The initial session is designed to stimulate student thinking because there are a number of issues that students will need to address so that a feasible project can be developed. In the follow up meeting individual/group discussions and peer mentorship/support will be utilised to increase the capacity and capability of students for conducting small-

UNSW SCHOOL OF EDUCATION FEEDBACK SHEET EDST5888 PROJECT

Student Name: Student No.:

Assessment Task: Project report

SPECIFIC CRITERIA	(-) —		 -	≻ (+)
Understanding of the question or issue and the key concepts involved				
understanding of the task and its relationship to relevant areas of theory,				
research and practice				
clarity and significance of the problem or question and related concepts				
Depth of analysis and/or critique in response to the task				
way(s) approaches adapted to the questions posed, including use of relevant ethical protocols				
understanding of the strengths and weaknesses of the method(s) for data collection and/or analysis in relation to the context and key questions.				
credibility and depth of analysis and interpretation				
Familiarity with and relevance of professional and/or research literature used				
to support response				
selection and range of key references in the area of the proposed study use of the relevant literature (both theoretical and methodological) to support the analysis and investigation of the key problem/issue				
Structure and organisation or response				
appropriateness of overall structure of response				
clarity and coherence of organization				
Presentation of response according to appropriate academic and linguistic				
conventions				
clarity, consistency and appropriateness of conventions for quoting, paraphrasing, attributing sources of information, and listing references clarity and consistency in presenting the project clarity and appropriateness of sentence structure, vocabulary use, spelling, punctuation and word length				
GENERAL COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NEXT TIME				

Lecturer: Date:

Recommended: /20 (FL PS CR DN HD) Weighting: 100%

NB: The ticks in the various boxes are designed to provide feedback to students; they are not given equal weight in determining the recommended grade. Depending on the nature of the assessment task, lecturers may also contextualize and/or amend these specific criteria.