

**J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Course Content Summary**

Course Prefix and Number: CHD 145

Credits: 3

Course Title: Teaching Art, Music, and Movement to Children

Course Description: expression in the areas of art, music, and movement. Emphasis will be on developing strategies for using various open-ended media representing a range of approaches in creative thinking. Addresses strategies for intervention and support for exceptional children and English Language Learners. Lecture 2 hours. Laboratory 2 hours. Total 4 hours per week.

General Course Purpose: creativity in art, music, and movement using materials and activities which promote thinking and exploration of materials and concepts.

Course Prerequisites and Co-requisites:
None

Student Learning Outcomes:

Upon completing the course, the student will be able to

- a. Describe the developmental characteristics of young children as they relate to the areas of art, music, and movement;
- b. Create age and stage appropriate learning experiences for children in the areas of art, movement, and music;
- c. Demonstrate techniques for differentiated instruction and process learning in the areas of art, music, and movement;
- d. Explain the importance of culturally diverse activities in the areas of art, music, and movement;
- e. Demonstrate techniques for adapting art, music, and movement instruction for children with special needs;
- f. Provide rationale and employ techniques for ongoing assessment in art, music, and movement activities with children; and
- g. Identify and apply learning standards as they relate to art, music