

Reflections#5

1. Please reflect on your learning experience in this course. Please write down the things you would recommend the instructor to KEEP if she gets a chance to teach the same course again.

I really enjoyed the readings + discussions that we had in this class. I felt they were relevant for the course topic. I also liked the lesson examples and ideas you gave us - that we could actually use in our own classrooms one day. I feel like I learned a lot of practical information for my own classroom and teaching strategies.

2. Please write down the things you would suggest the instructor IMPROVE.

One thing I would suggest is to limit group work / partner presentation. Sometimes with grad students it is hard to coordinate schedules + putting together presentations. Also I would make some of the assignments and deadlines clearer. Often I would get mixed up with what was due when because of so many schedule changes.

3. Any other comments and thoughts to share with the instructor?

I have really enjoyed this course and the opportunities you have provided - with the trip to the historical society and teaching materials. Also, I like discussions in this classroom, you usually bring up interesting topics/ideas to consider.

*Please feel free to use the reverse side. Thank you very much for your time. I am grateful that I have you all in this class this semester. Your participation is highly appreciated. - Lin Lin*