

## **EDU378 Cooperative Social Skills/Social Studies Lesson Plan** 25% of total grade

Throughout the duration of the semester, you are asked to develop a **social skills/social studies lesson plan** that you will implement in your host classroom to a small group of students. The first step in completing this assignment is to consider the grade level that you are placed during your field experience and conduct observations to determine social skills topic for your lesson. After you have determined a topic, take time to list desired student outcomes for the lesson plan. Answering a question such as: “What would you like students to learn?” helps to determine desired student outcomes.

Once you’ve determined a topic of study and listed your desired student outcomes, it is time to create a lesson plan that will provide an opportunity for students to work together cooperatively. Afterward, determine a title for your social studies lesson plan that provides an overarching idea to your topic of study. You will hand in this assignment **two times before its implementation**.

Your first submission will be a **draft lesson plan** where I will provide you feedback regarding what’s been well thought out and what (if any) areas need further development. After you receive your draft back with my comments, you are asked to revise your draft and **resubmit** it with any necessary change. By this point, you should have submitted the lesson plan twice. The second draft can earn up to 19 points.

**You will resubmit your work on this assignment’s next due date.** When you receive your second draft back with additional comments, you will either receive the ‘okay’ to talk with your host teacher about your lesson and its implementation or need to make continued revisions. When you reach an agreed-upon time for its implementation or need to make continued revisions, you are to bring **two copies** of your lesson plan (along with all materials that you’ll need) to your host classroom and provide **one for your host teacher** during your lesson. Following your lesson, you are to write a thorough **reflection** of your lesson plan writing, how it went to teach the lesson and how students responded to you teaching it. The final draft of your lesson plan will be submitted on eLearning with the reflections you write up after you implement this lesson plan in your practicum class.

Please refer to the lesson outline and reflection questions when writing your lesson plan and reflection. Lesson plan outline/template will be provided in class and online.