South Central College

CDEV 2520  Children with Challenging Behaviors

Course Outcome Summary

Course Information

Description
This course supports students' understanding of children's behavioral problems and identifies intervention strategies to prevent and resolve problem behaviors. Effective behavior modification techniques and designing behavior plans will be explored. (Prerequisite: 1210 & 1230)

Total Credits 3
Total Hours 48

Types of Instruction

Instruction Type Credits/Hours
Lecture

Pre/Corequisites

CDEV1210
CDEV1230

Institutional Core Competencies

Communication - Students will be able to demonstrate appropriate and effective interactions with others to achieve their personal, academic, and professional objectives.

Course Competencies

1. **Analyze difficult behavior factors/causes**

   Learning Objectives
   - Examine developmental red flags/extreme behavior
   - Describe temperament of a difficult child
   - Examine misbehavior/mistaken goals
   - Describe impact of major family changes on behavior

2. **Understanding children's stress-related behavior**

   Learning Objectives
   - Apply classroom stress relieving strategies
   - Create individual guidance strategies
   - Review observing and recording method
   - Review developmentally appropriate behavior
3. **Understand the behaviors of abused/neglected child**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Apply classroom strategies to support abused/neglected child
   Create individual guidance strategies
   Review observing and recording method
   Review developmentally appropriate behavior

4. **Understand the behaviors of sexually abused/sexually precocious child**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Apply classroom strategies to support sexually abused/sexually precocious child
   Create sexually abused/sexually precocious child guidance strategies
   Review observing and recording method
   Review developmentally appropriate behavior

5. **Characterize post traumatic stress indicators**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Apply classroom strategies to support PTSD child
   Create PTSD child guidance strategies
   Review observing and recording method
   Review developmentally appropriate behavior

6. **Classify child behavior related to family chemical dependency**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Apply classroom strategies to support child in chemically dependent family
   Create guidance strategies to support child in chemically dependent family
   Review observing and recording method
   Review developmentally appropriate behavior

7. **Explore immature behaviors**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Apply classroom strategies to support immature child
   Create guidance strategies to support immature child
   Review observing and recording method
   Review developmentally appropriate behavior

8. **Explore insecure/nervous behaviors**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Apply classroom strategies to support insecure/nervous child
   Create guidance strategies to support insecure/nervous child
   Review observing and recording method
   Review developmentally appropriate behavior

9. **Investigate peer problems**
   
   Learning Objectives
   Apply classroom strategies to support child with peer problems
   Create guidance strategies to support child with peer problems
   Review observing and recording method
   Review developmentally appropriate behavior

10. **Characterize anti-social behavior**
    
    Learning Objectives
    Apply classroom strategies to support child with anti-social behavior
    Create guidance strategies to support child with anti-social behavior
    Review observing and recording method
    Review developmentally appropriate behavior

11. **Classify aggressive behavior**
Learning Objectives
Apply classroom strategies to support aggressive child
Create guidance strategies to support aggressive child
Review observing and recording method
Review developmentally appropriate behavior

12. **Explain bibliotherapy**
Learning Objectives
Outline a book list
Subdivide list according to behaviors
Summarize bibliotherapy usage

13. **Describe play therapy methods**
Learning Objectives
Demonstrate play therapy methods
Demonstrate play therapy

14. **Investigate behavior modification**
Learning Objectives
Examine individual guidance plans
Write individual guidance plan
Demonstrate problem solving

15. **Examine problem parent conference**
Learning Objectives
 Demonstrate problem parent conference
Evaluate parent conference

16. **Identify community mental health resources**
Learning Objectives
Describe referral process
Examine community resources for mental health services

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