METHODS AND TECHNIQUES IN ESL

This course focuses on the theory, research, and policy foundations for effective instruction and practice with English Language Learners. By focusing on content based instruction and thematic lesson planning, we will examine ways to address English language learners’ needs in mainstream classrooms in the U.S. as well as current approaches to teaching English as a second and foreign language around the world. In this course, students will discuss the experiences of English language learners in a variety of contexts; learn to identify and assess ELL students’ strengths and needs to design classroom language and content-area learning experiences based on current language and academic standards.

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