

University of Pretoria Yearbook 2020

Creativity in the early years 121 (JLK 121)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Education
Module credits	16.00
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	2 lectures per week
Language of tuition	Module is presented in English
Department	Early Childhood Education
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

The module focuses on the development of creative thinking in young children and addresses the content and theoretical knowledge of creativity and the creative arts. It deals with musical, movement (gross-motor, fine-motor and perceptual awareness), visual art and dramatic play skills). The key areas of focus include creativity and imagination in young children; engaging with innovative digital initiatives in the creative arts education for teaching and for creation of creative arts learning materials; and responsive approaches to the creative arts for the diverse contexts and catering for the special needs of children.

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