INTRODUCTORY COURSE IN EARLY

CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (ECE)



ASSIGNMENT 1 – I DUE Week 3 – Wednesday May 21st

Learning Outcomes

2. Apply the principles of a health promotion philosophy including a definition of holistic health from an Indigenous perspective to facilitate personal and professional wellness

11. Apply the determinants of health as they relate to individual and community wellness to understand the relationship between professionals and communities.

Purpose

The purpose of this assignment is for you to introduce yourself as you reflect on your personal wellness. The assignment will assist you interpret the components of wellness and their impact on development to support healthy growth and development. As Early Childhood Educators we need to be strong and resilient and learn how to respond to challenges, both for ourselves and the children and families we care for.

Mode of Completion: Infographic - be creative - maximum 2 pages

Helpful Links:

What is an infographic: h

Choosing a tool: Website:

Video:

Free Infographic Resources:

Write a short reflection about yourself that includes:

- Where you were born, where you live (do not include address), languages you speak, what you • enjoy doing for relaxation, hobbies.
- **Reflect** on why you have chosen the ECE Program at Humber and what you hope to achieve/do • once you graduate from the program.
- Identify and describe something that you currently do in your everyday routine that you would • consider a form of meditation/relaxation activity. This should be something that you believe helps your personal wellness.

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Part 1B: Reflection

Complete the following checklist....

https://www.colorado.edu/health/sites/default/files/attached-files/personal assessment -

8 dimensions of wellness.pdf

Please note, the checklist is for your personal use, it should NOT be submitted with the assignment.

After completion of the checklist, reflect, summarize, and/or explain the following:

- How are you feeling about yourself? Why do you think you are feeling this way?
- Which dimension surprised you the most and why?
- Which dimension surprised you the least and why?
- Which dimension would you like to focus on and why?

Part 2: Application

- Why is it important to reflect on our personal wellness and self-care while working with children and families? (2 reasons)
- What can you do regularly to promote personal wellness and self-care (include one strategy connecting to part one)
- Identify one alternative way that you can promote personal wellness and self-care regularly that would connect to an Indigenous way of being and doing. How does this relate to the Indigenous traditions, culture, or rituals?
- How will you incorporate these 2 strategies (listed above) in your regular routine?

Some helpful resources in addition to your class text...

Please note, these are just suggested, you are encouraged to use other resources if you choose to.

College of Early Childhood Educators Personal Wellness Page:



Mental Health and Wellness Services for Indigenous Children and Youth:

First Nations Perspective on Personal Wellness:

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Reminders:

- Assignment to be handed in through BlackBoard, in appropriate Drop box by deadline date and time stated on critical path/week at a glance.
- Proper citing and APA formatting is required.
- Cover Page (including academic integrity statement) and reference page is required.
- Copy and pasted content from the internet, AI generated papers or the reuse of past assignments will result in a grade of zero academic integrity will be practiced and reinforced.

Personal Wellness Reflection EVALUATION RUBRIC (10%)

Criteria/Content	Exemplary	Developing	Seek Assistance
	Reflection is:	Content is:	Content is:
	*Complete	*Brief	*Incomplete
	*Includes an introduction of	*Missing Detail from	*Missing many details of
	yourself including all prompts	required sections:	required sections:
	outlined	incomplete introduction,	introduction, reflection
	*Includes a reflection of	reflection with examples	with examples linked to
	feelings linked to results of	linked to personal wellness	personal wellness chart
All About Me and Reflection	personal check-in chart *Meeting requirements with	chart and feelings associated to results of personal	and feelings associated to results of personal wellness
	clear descriptions and connections (including	wellness chart	chart
	examples) to the personal	Writing demonstrates a	Writing does not
	wellness check-in chart	somewhat level of respect	demonstrate a level of
	*Describes what is currently	and authenticity.	respect and authenticity.
	practiced regarding personal		
	wellness		
	Writing demonstrates a good		
	level of respect and		
	authenticity.		
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	Application is:	Application is:	Application is:
	*Complete	* Brief	* Incomplete
	*Includes identifying and	* Missing detail or parts	*Missing parts and/or
	explaining the importance of	from required sections:	many details of required
	personal wellness	explaining the importance of	sections: explaining the
	*Strategies on how to	personal wellness, strategies	importance of personal
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	indigenous ways	to alternative indigenous	(one strategy is connected
	*Clearly identifies and	ways, does not clearly	to alternative indigenous
	explains how the strategies of	identify and explain how the	ways, does not clearly
	personal wellness will be incorporated into everyday	strategies of personal wellness will be	identify and explain how the strategies of personal
	practices	incorporated into everyday	wellness will be strategies
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Writing demonstrates a good level of respect and authenticity.	Writing demonstrates a somewhat level of respect and authenticity.	incorporated into everyday practices Writing does not demonstrate a level of respect and authenticity.
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Formatting and APA requirements are:	Formatting and APA requirements are:	Formatting and APA requirements are:
Complete *No more than 1 or 2 spelling	Incomplete *3 to 5 spelling and	Brief *More than 5 spelling and

Format and APA

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grammar errors *No APA formatting *Title page and reference page are incorrectly formatted *not presented as an infographic * Little to no citations throughout paper * Many academic integrity factors evident (for example, plagiarism, copying and pasting) *Evidence of AI generated papers/sections are evident

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	minimum 3 pictures with	some areas are unclear or	– content is difficult to
Creativity	proper citing	incomplete	follow
	*Infographic has a good flow	*Infographic includes 1 or 2	*Infographic does not
	of content – easy to read and	pictures and incomplete	include any pictures and
	organized	citing is evident	citing
			*Infographic not evident
	2	1	0
Total			20