

Literacy in the Classroom The University of Texas at Tyler School of Education

Course: READ 3323-001 (20523)

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Course Description: Catalog description: *READ 3323 Children's Literature* "Study of features, history, selection, and use of Children's Literature. Designed for teachers in preparation in the Pre-K through elementary levels." https://catalogs.uttyler.edu/2019-2020/Catalog/Courses/READ-Reading-Education/3000/READ-3323

Knowledge Base(s) and Rationale: Children's Literature is a required course for everyone in teacher preparation programs, i.e., students preparing to teach EC-6. You're encouraged to take Read 3330 early in your program because its content provides very practical, useful support to everything you do in all your other teacher preparation coursework and clinical experiences. Most importantly, what you learn about children's literature and the books you read and hear about will help you throughout your teaching career, regardless of your job's content area or grade level. In addition, you'll also be able to use what you learn in READ 3330 in your personal life, as you share books with your own families or as you participate in community volunteer work.

This undergraduate level course builds upon the knowledge base and experiences gained in prior undergraduate coursework and toward which you will build in field experiences that address language and literacy issues. The course addresses Children's Literature and its effective educational use, selection, and history.

Course content incorporates the following standards for the preparation of reading professionals:

- *International Literacy Association* (ILA, 2010);
- *Texas State Board for Educator Certification Standards* (TSBECS, 2016)

- *Texas Educator Standards* (TES Title 19: Chapter 149, Subchapter AA, Rule: 149.1001),
- Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS)
- English Language Proficiency Standards (ELPS 74.4),
- Texas Prekindergarten Guidelines (TPG 2015),
- International Society for Technology in Education Standards for Educators (ISTE)

Student Learning Outcomes (SLO)

Upon successful completion of the requirements of this course, students will have an opportunity to:

- 1. Define children's literature and its qualities; acquire knowledge of the different genres and forms of children's literature, including the history and development of each type.
- 2. Appreciate and understand representative samplings of different genres/forms; review contemporary societal issues in children's literature; and, analyze contexts of children's literature.
- 3. Develop awareness of differentiation of book selection for diverse student populations including make recommendations to specific students or to classes of students regarding quality children's literature for use in lesson planning in order to stimulate interest, increase motivation, tap prior knowledge, and activate engagement of students.
- 4. Apply knowledge gained to make judgements about children's books for literary and academic (e.g. disciplinary) value including reading level and grade level.

Standards Matrix:

Student Learning	Activities	Assessment	Standards
Outcome			Alignment
1. Define children's	Genre Study	Quizzes	*TES 3Ai; 3Aiii
literature and its			*InTASC 2e; 2g; 3n;
qualities;	Library Sessions	Creative Reading	3o; 3p; 4j; 5c; 5i; 5j;
acquire knowledge of		Responses	5k
the different genres	Read Alouds		*TEKS b1A, b1F.
and forms of		Library Work	b1G
children's literature,	Background	Sessions	*PreK Guidelines
including the history	Knowledge		IIIA1
and development of		One Pagers	*ISTE 1a; 1c
each type			*ELPS c1A; c1F
		Discussions	*TxCCRS A2; A3;
			A6; A8; B1
2. Appreciate and	Genre Study	Creative Reading	*TES 3Biii
understand		Responses	*InTASC 1a; 3b; 4b;
representative	Library Sessions		5d; 9e; 9f
samplings of different			

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genres/forms; review	Read Alouds	Library Work	*TEKS b4A; b4B;
contemporary		Sessions	b5A-D; b7
societal issues in			*PreK Guidelines
children's literature;		One Pagers	IIID2; IIID3
and, analyze contexts			*ISTE 4a; 4b
of children's		Discussions	*ELPS c2A; c2D
literature			*TxCCRS D1; D2
3. Develop awareness	Genre Study	Bookshelf/Database	*TES 1Ci; 2Aii; 2Bii.
of differentiation of		Project	2Biii; 3Ci; 3Cii; 4Ai;
book selection for	Library Sessions		4Aii; 4Aiii; 6Ai; 6Bi
diverse student		Poetry Project	*InTASC 1b; 1c; 1f;
populations including	Small Group Read		1i; 2b; 2d; 4b; 8e
make	Alouds	Discussions	*TEKS b5A-D;
recommendations to			b8A-B; b9;
specific students or to	Collective Poem	Library Work	*PreK Guidelines
classes of students		Sessions	IIIE3
regarding quality	Tea Party		*ISTE 3a; 3b; 5a
children's literature	,		*ELPS c2E; c2F
for use in lesson			*TxCCRS C1; C2;
planning in order to			C3; C4
stimulate interest,			
increase motivation,			
tap prior knowledge,			
and activate			
engagement of			
students.			
Apply knowledge	Genre Study	Bookshelf/Database	*TES 1Aiii; 4Bii;
gained to make	Genre Study	Project	4Di; 5Ai; 5Aii; 6Ai;
judgements about	Library Sessions	Troject	6Bi
children's books for	Library Sessions	Literature Circle Role	*InTASC 1c; 4f; 4g;
	Literature Circles	Sheets	
literary and academic	Literature Circles	Sheets	5q; 5r 7e; 7f; 7g; 9e;
(e.g. disciplinary)	D1116 C1	D - 1 A1 1 D	9f
value including	Bookshelf Share	Read Aloud Project	*TEKS b6A-D;
reading level and		T '1 TT 1	b10A-D; b11A-B
grade level.		Library Work	*PreK Guidelines
		Sessions	IIID4
			*ISTE 4a; 4d; 7a; 7b;
		One Pagers	7c
			*ELPS c4F; c4G
			*TxCCRS A1; A5;
			A7; B3; C4

COURSE EVALUATION AND REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION Performance Assessments

Grading is based on the total number of points accumulated by each student at the end of the semester for all evaluations including exams, assignments, and class activities. The assignments and projects outlined below are designed to contribute in a different, and yet complementary way in achieving the stated course objectives.

1. CREATIVE READING RESPONSES (10 points – 4 @ 2.5 pts each)

Create a READING RESPONSE that includes the main topics of the chapters read. You can get as creative as you would like with this assignment. For example, you can write a summary of the main points in the chapters, OR you could create a Prezi presentation, PowerPoint presentation, video monologue, movie trailer, etc... The possibilities are endless. Just create a reading response that will help you to remember the chapter information.

2. FIVE ONE-PAGERS (10 points – 5 @ 2 pts each)

Reflective writing at the conclusion of your reading of a particular work. Under your name and date, please include **complete APA citation** for book [e.g. Hesse, K. (1997). *Out of the Dust*. New York: Scholastic.] Also, in your discussion, please **include book page numbers** to anchor your quotes and comments securely to the evidence in the text. Specifically discuss each book as:

- **Reader:** What was particularly engaging? What was problematic? What kinds of images did you see/hear/touch/taste/smell? What kinds of connections did you make to this text a) personal, b) to other texts (including films, etc.), c) to the world? What did this bring up for you? Did you have an emotional response? What was the emotion? Why?
- **Recommender:** To whom would you recommend this book? Why or Why not?

The Five Book One-Pagers will include:

- 1) Reading Magic
- 2) Ramona book of your choice
- 3) Out of the Dust
- 4) Seedfolks
- 5) Jason Reynolds (Long Way Down) or Nic Stone (Dear Martin)

3. FACE-TO-FACE AND ONLINE DISCUSSIONS (10 points – 5 @ 2 pts each)

You will engage deeply with class texts. Active engagement entails completing assigned readings on time, asking critical questions, and exploring implications and applications of knowledge gained for your own professional work. In general, it is imperative that any discussion (face-to-face and/or Canvas) maintain a polite and collegial tone. Moreover, it is important that each person express him/herself fully and with supporting detail. Generally, each Canvas discussion post should be between 100 and 250 words of well-developed and coherent connection to and thinking about a given topic. In your replies to other students, you should strive to maintain a positive and appreciative tone. As professional educators, being able to disagree and maintain a positive relationship is a valuable skill well worth continuous development.

5. PICTURE BOOK READ ALOUD PROJECT - (10 points)

Select an award winning picture book. Videotape yourself reading it aloud to a child. Try to get the child actively engaged in the read aloud. After the read aloud, write a reflection on how you did. Answer the following questions:

• Project Information:

- Describe the child. Name, Age, Gender, Relationship to You? (You must receive written permission to videotape this child. Permission slips will be distributed in class.)
- Describe the book. APA Book Citation

• Contextual Information:

- O Describe where the read aloud took place?
- o Describe when the read aloud took place? Date/Time?
- o Describe if there were any eternal distractions during the read aloud.
- o Describe how you and the child were positioned during the read aloud.
- o Describe how long the read aloud took.

• Project Reflection:

- O Why did you choose this book to read aloud?
- o Describe the read aloud. What did you do? What did the child do?
- How did you try to get the child actively engaged in the read aloud (i.e. used character voices, used props, asked questions, make predictions, make connections)?
- o How did the child respond to the read aloud?
- Were you surprised by the child's response? Why/Why not?
- On a scale of 1-3 (1 = negative experience, 2 = neutral experience, 3 = positive experience) rate your performance during the read aloud. Why did you give yourself this rating?
- o If you could do the read aloud again would you do anything differently? Why/Why not?

• Project Presentation:

- Upload the video and reflection in Canvas.
- Read a Picture Book Aloud in Class

6. POETRY CAFÉ -collaboration- (10 points)

Poetry is meant to be read aloud and enjoyed. With a partner, select an award winning children's poet from a list provided in class. Research this poet and find at least one book of their poetry to share with the class. Create a one page handout that showcases the life and work of the poet. Submit the handout in Canvas at least one week in advance of the POETRY CAFÉ. During the POETRY CAFÉ be prepared to masterfully read aloud at least two poems (1 poem for each partner). Prior to the poetry café you will meet with the course instructor to practice reciting the poems. Bonus points will be awarded to anyone that memorizes their poem. The POETRY CAFÉ is an opportunity to be exposed to many different poets and see how you can make poetry meaningful and exciting for your future students. You will not be college students on this day. You will be transformed into poets, so you will be expected to act and dress appropriately. More detailed directions will be shared in class.

7. LIBRARY WORK (10 points)

We will periodically meet in the Robert R. Muntz Library (see schedule of activities). We will work closely with the Children's Literature Librarian, and will undertake a number of hands-on/minds-on activities associated with helping you become familiar with genres, texts, authors, illustrators, grade levels, and more. You are expected to be on time, participate fully, and to stay for the entire session, as well, to stay *with* the class for the duration of the session, unless instructed specifically to do otherwise. Preparation for each library session includes reading/previewing the library lecture notes and taking the subsequent library session quiz prior to each library session. Library work instructions will be given at the beginning of each library session.

8. CLASSROOM BOOKSHELF/DATABASE PROJECT (25 points)

You need to familiarize yourself with the children's section of the library and make friends with your librarian! You will choose 25 children's books from various genres/forms to create a simulated/virtual future classroom bookshelf – the beginnings of your own classroom library over which you will create an annotated bibliography. These books will coincide with the different genres/forms that we will study throughout the semester. Entries for each book should include: book picture and book title, the author/illustrator, copyright date (2010-2018), genre/form, reading level, TEKS standards for classroom use, and book summary (in your own words. This is an opportunity for you to start thinking about your classroom library collection of children's literature and explore their potential use as a future teacher. Submit your complete annotated bibliography in Canvas.

9. PRESENTATION OF BOOKSHELF PROJECT (5 points)

The goal of the Classroom Bookshelf Project is for you to have an actual artifact to use as you start to build your classroom libraries. You will present at least five of your favorite books to the class, discuss why you chose to include these books in your collection, and offer suggestions as to how you could use the books in your instruction. Submit your list of five books in Canvas at least one week prior to presentation day. As a result of this project you will walk away with many recommended books for your future classroom libraries.

Projects & Grading Criteria

Class Projects	Points
Creative Reading Responses	(10 points 2 pts each)
Quizzes	(10 points 1 pt. each)
5 One-Pagers	(10 points 2 pts each)
Read-aloud Project	(10 points)
Poetry Café Project	(10 points)
Participation in Discussions	(10 points)
Library work	(10 points)
Classroom Bookshelf Project	(25 points)
Presentation of Book project	(5 points)

Note: Course grade is calculated on total percentage of overall grade.

Performance standards

Points	Percent	Grade	Standard
90-100	90%	A	Superior
80-89	80%	В	Above Average
70-79	70%	С	Average
60-69	60%	D	Below Average
00-59	59% or below = "F"	F	Mediocre

Last day to Withdraw from Course: Monday, March 30, 2020.

Required Texts, Materials, & Supplies:

1. Tunnell, M. O.; Jacobs, J.S.; Young, T. A.; and Bryan, G. (2016). *Children's Literature, Briefly, 6th Edition*. Boston: Pearson.

ISBN-10: 0133846555 ISBN-13: 978-0133846553

2. Fox, M. (2008). Reading Magic: Why Reading Aloud to Our Children Will Change Their Lives Forever, 2nd Edition. New York: Houghton Mifflin.

ISBN-10: 0156035103 ISBN-13: 978-0156035101

REQUIRED TRADEBOOKS: (in alphabetical order)

- 1. Self-selected picture books representing various genres/forms.
- 2. Babbit, N. (1975). *Tuck Everlasting*. Scholastic Inc.
- 3. **Choose ONE** *Cinderella* variant
- 4. **Choose ONE** –Cleary, B. Ramona Quimby, Age 8 **OR** Ramona & Her Father **OR** Ramona the Brave **OR** Ramona the Pest. Harper Collins.
- 5. **Choose ONE** Reynolds, J. Long Way Down, Simon and Schuster. (2017) **OR** Stone, N. Dear Martin, Penguin Random House (2017).
- 6. DiCamillo, K. (2003). The Tale of Despereaux being the story of a mouse, a princess, some soup, and a spool of thread. Scholastic Inc.
- 7. Fleischman, P. (1997). *Seedfolks*. Harper Collins.
- 8. Hesse, K. (1997). Out of the Dust. Scholastic Inc.
- 9. Lewis, J. P. (2005). *Heroes and She-Roes: Poems of Amazing and Everyday Heroes*. Penguin.
- 10. Lobel, A. (1980). *Fables*. Harper & Row.
- 11. White, E. B. (2001). *Charlotte's Web.* Harper Collins.

12. Jason, R. (2017). Long Way Down. Simon & Schuster or Stone, N. (2018). Dear Martin, Simon & Schuster

Note: A student of this institution is not under any obligation to purchase a textbook from a university-affiliated bookstore. The same textbook may also be available from an independent retailer, including an online retailer.

READ 3323-001: CLASS CONTENT AND READING ASSIGNMENTS / DUE DATES Tentative Schedule Spring 2020

Topical Outline & Schedule: The following tentative course calendar is subject to change. Adjustments to class sessions will be made as determined by progress made in accomplishing the objectives of each class session.

DATES	TOPICS	ASSIGNMENTS DUE	LIBRARY DAY
Week 1	Course Introduction	Get your Textbooks	
1/13/20	What is children's	ONLINE Discussion: Meet and Greet +	
	literature?	Book Selfie	
Week 2	Read, Read, Read	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 1	
1/20/20	What is a Good	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 2	
Dr. MLK, Jr.	Book?		
DAY		ONLINE Discussion: Two (2) entries	
NO	(Complete the	"Childhood Friends"	
CLASS	Assignments)		
Week 3	Reading Magic:	READ: Fox, Reading Magic	Genre vs Form- using
1/27/20	Why Reading Aloud		Graphic Novels in the
	to Our Children Will	ON LINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 1 & 2	Classroom
LIBRARY	Change Their Lives		Hands-on practice,
SESSION	Forever	Read Aloud in Class Sign Up Sheet	exercises, and
#1 of 7			assessment with books
		LIBRARY WORK: PRIOR TO CLASS	on shelves and at your
		Topical video lecture (Genre/Form)	tables.
		+Online Quiz	
Week 4	How to Recognize a	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 3	Illustrations:
2/3/20	Well-Written Book	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 4	Hands-on practice,
2/3/20	Well-Willell Dook	READ: Tunnell et al., Appendix D	exercises, and
	How to Recognize a	READ. Tuillien et al., Appendix D	assessment with books
LIBRARY	Well-Illustrate Book	ONLINE One-Pager: Fox, Reading Magic	on shelves and at your
SESSION	Well-Inustrate Dook	ONLINE One-rager. Fox, Reduing Magic	tables.
#2 of 7	Children's Book	LIBRARY WORK: PRIOR TO CLASS	tuoies.
112 01 1	Awards	Topical video lecture (illustrations)	
	1 1 W CLUS	+Online Quiz	
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3/16/20		READ: Tuck Everlasting OR The Tale of Despereaux + 5 LCRS	Library 1/2
Week 9	Picture Books	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 7	MEET IN CLASS
Spring Break		March 9-13, 2020 No Class	
SESSION #4 of 7		LIBRARY WORK: PRIOR TO CLASS Topical video lecture (Poetry) +Online Quiz	
LIBRARY		ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 9 & 10	assessment with books on shelves and at your tables.
3/2/20		READ: Hesse, Out of the Dust PRESENTATION: POETRY CAFÉ	Classroom Hands-on practice, exercises, and
Week 8	Poetry	ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 5 & 6 ONLINE Discussion: Lobel, Fables READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 8	Poetry in the
	Modern Fantasy	BRING: Two (2) Cinderella books to share	
Week 7 2/24/20	Folk Literature: Stories from the Oral Tradition	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 9 READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 10 READ: Lobel, Fables	
#3 01 7		Topical video lecture (Content Levels) +Online Quiz	Hands-on practice, exercises, and assessment with books on shelves and at your tables.
LIBRARY SESSION #3 of 7	Organizing Children's Literature by Genre	BRING: Charlotte's Web + Literature Circle Role Sheets. LIBRARY WORK: PRIOR TO CLASS	Credible sources for reading levels
Week 6 2/17/20	Children's Books: History and Trends	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 5 READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 6	MEET IN CLASS Content vs Reading
	Literature Circles	PRESENTATION: Picture Book Read Aloud Project ONLINE – DUE BEFORE CLASS Read Aloud Video + Reflection ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 3 & 4	
Week 5 2/10/20	Teaching with Children's Books	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 17 READ: Charlotte's Web + 5 LCRS	

LIBRARY SESSION #5 of 7		ONLINE One-Pager: Hesse, Out of the Dust ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 8	Work Session: Classroom Bookshelf Project Upstairs – Lab 422
Week 10 3/23/20	Contemporary Realistic Fiction	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 11 READ: Ramona book of choice	
Last day to withdraw 11/4/19		BRING: Tuck Everlasting OR The Tale of Despereaux + Literature Circle Role Sheets ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 7	
Week 11	Historical Fiction	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 12	MEET IN CLASS
3/30/20		ONLINE One-Pager: Ramona book ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 11	Library 1/2 Work Session: Classroom Bookshelf Project Upstairs – Lab 422
LIBRARY SESSION #6 of 7			
Week 12	Biography	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 13	
4/6/20	Informational Books	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch. 14 READ: Lewis, Heroes and She-Roes	
		ONLINE Discussion: Lewis, Heroes and She-Roes ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 12	
Week 13	Multicultural and	READ: Tunnell et al., Ch.15	Utilizing Multicultural
4/13/20	International Books	READ: Fleischman, Seedfolks	Books in the Classroom
LIBRARY		ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 13&14	Hands-on practice,
SESSION #7 of 7		ONLINE – Classroom Bookshelf List of five books	exercises, and assessment with books on shelves and at your
		LIBRARY WORK: PRIOR TO CLASS Topical video lecture (Multicult + Ban) +Online Quiz	tables.
Week 14 4/20/20	Controversial Books	READ: Tunnell, et al., Ch. 16 READ: Cormier book of choice	

			PRESENTATION: Classroom Bookshelf Project	
			ONLINE – Annotated Bibliography ONLINE One-Pager: Fleischman, Seedfolks	
Ī	Week 15	Classroom	ONLINE Quiz: Tunnell, Ch. 15	
	LAST	Bookshelf Project	ONLINE Discussion: "Censorship"	
	WEEK		ONLINE One-Pager: Cormier Book	
	CLASSES		ONLINE – Course Evaluation	
	4/27/20			

Course Attendance Policy:

Absences and tardiness may result in a permanent grade change. Students are expected to arrive promptly for every class and to call or email the instructor in the case of an emergency. Come to class prepared to contribute to discussions, ask appropriate questions, and participate in class activities. Roll is taken at each class session. Please see the instructor if you come in tardy to ensure that I indicate your attendance in my records. If it is necessary for you to miss a class, you should arrange for a classmate to take notes and pick up handouts for you. You are responsible for the content of classes that are missed.

Late Assignment:

Late assignments without prior, written permission from the instructor or without the presence of documentable (by you) of extenuating circumstances will result in lowering of the assignment grade. In order to earn an "A" for the semester, students must demonstrate outstanding performance on class work, exemplary credit on all assignments, and professionalism throughout the semester. To earn and "A" you must go above and beyond average academic performance

Technology Policy:

Out of respect for your fellow students, your professor, and the educational process, all technology devices (i.e. cell/smart phones, lap tops, iPads, etc.) must be powered down and put away unless otherwise indicated by the professor. Cell phones may be left on vibrate for emergency notification purposes only. Students will be allowed to use the electronic devices during designated technology breaks. Texting or other cell phone use during class time may result in a reduction of your participation points.

UNIVERSITY POLICIES

UT Tyler Honor Code

Every member of the UT Tyler community joins together to embrace: Honor and integrity that will not allow me to lie, cheat, or steal, nor to accept the actions of those who do.

For a full list of university policies including information related to the topics listed below, click here.

- Students Rights and Responsibilities
- Campus Carry
- Tobacco-Free University
- Grade Replacement/Forgiveness and Census Date Policies
- State-Mandated Course Drop Policy
- Disability Services
- Student Absence due to Religious Observance
- Student Absence for University-Sponsored Events and Activities
- Social Security and FERPA Statement
- Emergency Exits and Evacuation
- Student Standards of Academic Conduct

UT Tyler Resources for Students:

- UT Tyler Writing Center (903.565.5995), <u>writingcenter@uttyler.edu</u>, http://www.uttyler.edu/writingcenter/
- UT Tyler Tutoring Center (903.565.5964), <u>tutoring@uttyler.edu</u>, https://www.uttyler.edu/tutoring/
- The Mathematics Learning Center, RBN 4021, This is the open access computer lab for math students, with tutors on duty to assist students who are enrolled in early-career courses.
- UT Tyler Counseling Center (903.566.7254) https://www.uttyler.edu/counseling/

University Guidelines, Links and Policies

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND PSYCHOLOGY (CEP) VISION AND MISSION

Vision: The College of Education and Psychology is nationally recognized and respected for its academic programs and opportunities. It is a center of academic excellence, scholarly inquiry, and public service. The College prepares leaders to meet the critical challenges of the 21st Century through productive contributions to local and global communities and toward individual and cultural equity.

Mission: The mission of the College of Education and Psychology is to provide a positive environment that fosters the acquisition of knowledge and skills. The mission is individually and collectively realized through a community of scholars that contributes to knowledge through scholarly inquiry; organizes knowledge for application, understanding and communication; and

provides leadership and service. We affirm and promote global perspectives that value individual and cultural diversity to enhance learning, service, and scholarship.

UT TYLER'S SCHOOL OF EDUCATION STANDARDS FOR EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAMS

<u>Texas Education Standards</u>: The School of Education are committed to teaching and implementing the Texas Educator Standards at the highest level. The School of Education faculty use the Texas Education Standards, along with the Interstate New Teacher Assessment and Support Consortium (InTASC) standards used by educator preparation programs throughout the United States.

The list of Texas Education Standards can be accessed here.

Access the <u>Code of Ethics and Standard Practices for Texas Educators</u>.