

COURSE DETAIL

EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

Country

New Zealand

Host Institution

University of Otago

Program(s)

University of Otago

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Psychology Education

UCEAP Course Number

111

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

UCEAP Transcript Title

EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOL

UCEAP Quarter Units

7.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.70

Course Description

The course examines, integrates, and applies theories of human development, learning, and assessment to educational practice. It introduces the theoretical and research foundations of educational psychology as they relate to classroom teaching. The course explores concepts such as well-being, self-efficacy, constructivism, digital technology, motivation, talent development, and assessment, while addressing questions including: Should well-being be taught in schools? Is self-control more important than self-esteem? Can digital technology transform learning? Is positive thinking overrated? Is there too much emphasis on measurement in assessment?

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

EDUC321

Host Institution Course Title

EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

Host Institution Course Details

<https://www.otago.ac.nz/courses/papers?papercode=EDUC321>

Host Institution Campus

Dunedin

Host Institution Faculty

Humanities

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Course Last Reviewed

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